Our Saviour's Lutheran Church

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Bringing Christ to the people and the people to Christ.

We are a community of faith, formed in the grace and joy of Jesus Christ.

We are a people involved in God's sure and unfolding promise to mend His creation through the life, death and resurrection of His Son, and in the power of the Holy Spirit.

We are a church under the cross of Christ, shaped by the ancient rhythms of Christian worship, fellowship, and service to others.

Come share the joy!

Our Pastor

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The Importunate Neighbor by Eugéne Bernand (1850-1921)

SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST (YEAR C)

JULY 24, 2022 • 10:00 A.M.



Our Members, Guests and Visitors

We are all on a journey of faith; God does not expect us to make the journey alone. Please contact us if we can be of help in any way.

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Prelude - Dr. Jaeyong Lee

Welcome to Our Saviour's

- Welcome! Whether you are a longtime member or visiting for the first time, you are a gift from God to us. Guests, so that we may all celebrate your presence and give thanks to God for you, please fill out the yellow card on the back of your pew and place it in the offering plate later in the service. May the love of Christ comfort you, and the love of His people encourage you!
- All who are baptized and desire to share in the Body and Blood of our Lord are welcome to receive Communion. We begin communing children in 5th grade and offer a class to prepare them to receive this Sacrament.

CHILDREN'S SONG / LESSON

"I HAVE DECIDED TO FOLLOW JESUS"

I have decided to follow Jesus; My cross I'll carry, till I see Jesus; My cross I'll carry till I see Jesus, I have decided to follow Jesus; My cross I'll carry till I see Jesus; My cross I'll carry till I see Jesus; No turning back, no turning back...

Tho' none go with me, I still will follow, Tho' none go with me I still will follow, Tho' none go with me, I still will follow; No turning back, no turning back.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN ~ "AS MAN AND WOMAN WE WERE MADE" (WOV #751, Vs 2&4)

Now Jesus lived and gave his love to make our life and loving new; So celebrate with him today and drink the joy he offers you, That makes the simple moment shine and changes water into wine.

Then spread the table, clear the hall, and celebrate till day is done;
Let peace go deep between us all and joy be shared by er'ry one;
Laugh and make merry with your friends, and praise the love that never ends.

WORDS OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

As the Pastor says the Invocation, the Sign of the Cross № may be made in remembrance of our baptisms.

P: In the name of the Father, and of the ♥ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

- P: Most merciful God,
- C: We confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen
- P: Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. In the name of Jesus Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ♣ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

GREETING

- P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- C: And also with you.

KYRIE

- A: In peace, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- A: For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- A: For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- A: For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- A: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.
- C: Amen

HYMN OF PRAISE ~ "SHOUT TO THE LORD"

My Jesus, my Savior,
Lord there is none like You.
All of my days I want to praise
The wonders of your mighty love.

Shout to the Lord! All the earth let us sing. Power and majesty, Praise to the King! Mountains bow down and the seas will roar At the sound of Your name!

My comfort, my shelter, Tower of refuge and strength; Let every breath, all that I am, Never cease to worship You!

I sing for joy at the work of your hands! Forever I'll love you, forever I'll stand. Nothing compares to the promise I have in you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

- P: The Lord be with you.
- C: And also with you.
- P: Heavenly Father, you wait with love and delight for us to open our hearts and lives to you in prayer. Lavish us with your presence; teach us to call upon you at all times in praise, thanksgiving, and need; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever.

C: Amen

The Service Of The Word

FIRST READING

Genesis 18:20-33

R: This is the Word of the Lord!

C: Thanks be to God!

PSALM 138

- R: ¹I will give thanks to you, O LORD, with my whole heart; before the gods I will sing your praise.
- C: ²I will bow down toward your holy temple and praise your Name, because of your love and faithfulness;
- R: ³For you have glorified your name and your word above all things.
- C: 4When I called, you answered me; you increased my strength within me.
- R: ⁵All the kings of the earth will praise you, O LORD, when they have heard the words of your mouth.
- C: 6They will sing of the ways of the LORD, that great is the glory of the LORD.
- R: ⁷Though the LORD be high, he cares for the lowly; he perceives the haughty from afar.
- C: 8Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you keep me safe; you stretch forth your hand against the fury of my enemies; your right hand shall save me.
- R: ⁹The LORD will make good his purpose for me; O LORD, your love endures forever; do not abandon the works of your hands.

SECOND READING

COLOSSIANS 2:6-15

R: This is the Word of the Lord!

C: Thanks be to God.

Please stand (in body or in spirit)

GOSPEL CANTICLE ~ "THY WORD"

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

... and a light unto my path.

THE HOLY GOSPEL

- P: The Holy Gospel according to Luke the 11th Chapter.
- C: Glory to you, O Lord.

Luke 11:1-13

- P: The Gospel of the Lord.
- C: Praise to You, O Christ.

Please be seated

SERMON ~ PASTOR MARTIN MOORE

Our Father Gives Gifts to His Children

Please stand (in body or in spirit)

HYMN OF THE DAY ~ "CHILDREN OF THE HEAVENLY FATHER" (LBW #474)

Children of the heavenly Father Safely in His bosom gather Nestling bird nor star in heaven Such a refuge e'er was given

God His own doth tend and nourish
In His holy courts they flourish
From all evil things He spares them
In His mighty arms He bears them
To pre

Neither life nor death shall ever From the Lord His children sever Unto them His grace He showeth And their sorrows all He knoweth

Though He giveth or He taketh God His children ne'er forsaketh His the loving purpose solely To preserve them pure and holy

APOSTLES' CREED

I BELIEVE in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I BELIEVE in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I BELIEVE in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

P: Confident in God's steadfast love through Jesus Christ and guided by the Holy Spirit, let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs.

After each portion of the prayers:

- P: Lord, in your mercy,
- C: Hear our prayer.

The prayers conclude:

- P: Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.
- C: Amen

Please be seated

OFFERING & OFFERTORY MUSIC

Please stand (in body or in spirit)

THE DOXOLOGY ~ "I OFFER MY LIFE"

All that I am, all that I have I lay down before You, O Lord; All of my hopes, all of my plans, my heart and my hands are lifted to You. What can we give that You have not given; And what do we have that is not already Yours? All we possess are these lives we're living, and that's what we give to You, Lord.

Lord, I offer my life to You, everything I've been through, use it for Your glory, Lord, I offer my days to You, Lord, I offer You my life.

Lord, I offer my life to You, everything I've been through, use it for Your glory, Lord, I offer my days to You, lifting my praise to You as a pleasing sacrifice, lifting my praise to You as a pleasing sacrifice, Lord, I offer You my life.

POST OFFERTORY PRAYER

- P: Let us pray. Merciful Father,
- C: We offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us—our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Please remain standing

The Holy Meal

THE SHARING OF THE PEACE

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

We come to the table at the gracious invitation of the Lord, receiving the body and blood of Christ for the forgiveness of our sins. So come to this table—you who have much faith, and you who would like to have more; you who have been to the Sacraments often, and you who have not been in a long time; you who have tried to follow Jesus in the world, and you who have failed—come. It is Christ who invites us to meet Him here. Adults and children not receiving communion are welcome to come forward for a blessing.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING ~ P. 88 LBW

P: The Lord be with you. C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts. C: We lift them up to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **C: It is right to give him thanks** and praise.

- P: It is indeed good, right, and salutary that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks to You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God. Through Jesus Christ, your dear Son, our Lord and Savior, who ascending above the heavens and sitting at your right hand, poured out the Holy Spirit as he had promised upon the chosen disciples, causing the whole earth to rejoice. Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all of the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Your glorious name; evermore praising You and saying:
- C: Holy, holy, holy Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might: Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.
- P: Therefore, gracious Father, with this bread and cup we remember the life our Lord offered for us. And, believing the witness of His resurrection, we await His coming in power to share with us the great and promised feast.
- C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.
- P: Send now, we pray, your Holy Spirit, the spirit of our Lord and of His resurrection, that we who receive the Lord's body and blood may live to the praise of your glory and receive our inheritance with all your saints in light.
- C: Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.
- P: In the night in which He was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave

thanks, broke it, and gave it to His disciples, saying, 'Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.'

Again, after supper, He took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying, 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.'

- P: Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray:
- C: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen

LAMB OF GOD \sim *P. 92 LBW*

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Please be seated

DISTRIBUTION

COMMUNION HYMNS:

"THE HEART OF WORSHIP"

When the music fades, All is stripped away, I've made it,

And I simply come; Longing just to bring When it's all about You,

Something that's of worth

That will bless your heart.

I'll bring you more than a song,

For a song in itself

Is not what You have required.

You search much deeper within

Though the way things appear;

You're looking into my heart.

Chorus:

I'm coming back to the heart of worship, And it's all about You, All about You, Jesus. I'm sorry, Lord, for the thing All about You, Jesus.

King of endless worth, No one could express How much You deserve.

Though I'm weak and poor,

All I have is Your, Ev'ry single breath..

I'll bring you more than a song,

For a song in itself

Is not what You have required. You search much deeper within Though the way things appear;

You're looking into my heart.

Chorus

"Now Thank We All Our God" (LBW #534)

Now thank we all our God With hearts and hands and voices, Who wondrous things has done, In whom his world rejoices; Who, from our mothers' arms, Has blest us on our way With countless gifts of love, And still is ours today.

Oh, may this bounteous God Through all our life be near us, With ever joyful hearts And blessed peace to cheer us, And keep us in his grace, And guide us when perplexed, And free us from all harm In this world and the next.

All praise and thanks to God The Father now be given, The Son, and him who reigns With them in highest heaven, The one eternal God, Whom earth and heav'n adore; For thus it was, is now, And shall be evermore.

"BECAUSE HE LIVES"

God sent His Son,
They called Him Jesus;
He came to love, heal and forgive.
He bled and died to buy my pardon;
An empty grave is there to prove my
Savior lives.

Chorus:

Because He lives I can face tomorrow. Because He lives, all fear is gone. Because I know He holds the future, And life is worth the living Just because He lives. How sweet to hold our newborn baby, And feel the pride and joy he gives; But greater still the calm assurance; This child can face uncertain days Because Christ lives.

Chorus

And then one day, I'll cross that river; I'll fight life's final war with pain.
And then, as death gives way to vict'ry, I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know
He reigns.
Chorus

"HE TOUCHED ME"

Shackled by a heavy burden, 'neath a load of guilt and shame. Then the hand of Jesus touched me And now I am no longer the same.

Chorus:

He Touched me, oh, He touched me. And oh, the joy that floods my soul.

Something happened And now I know, He touched me and made me whole.

Since I met this blessed Savior,
Since he cleansed and made me whole,
I will never cease to praise Him.
I'll shout it while eternity rolls.
Chorus

COMMUNION BLESSING

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen

POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE ~ "SONG OF SIMEON"
Glory be to God in heaven; peace, goodwill to all the earth.
Mighty God of all creation, Father of surpassing worth;
We exalt you, we adore you, we lift high our thanks and praise;
Saints and angels bow before you; here on earth our songs we raise.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

P: Let us pray. We give you thanks almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; and we pray that in your mercy you would strengthen us, through this gift, in faith toward you and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen

BENEDICTION ~P. 95 LBW

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

In the name of the Father,

♣ Son, and Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

CLOSING HYMN ~ "WE ALL ARE ONE IN MISSION" (WOV #755, Vs 1&3)

We all are one in mission; we all are one in call, Our varied gifts united by Christ, the Lord of all. A single great commission compels us from above To plan and work together that all may know Christ's love.

Now let us be united, and let our song be heard. Now let us be a vessel for God's redeeming Word. We all are one in mission; we all are one in call, Our varied gifts united by Christ, the Lord of all.

DISMISSAL

P: The Lord be with you! Go and serve in Jesus' name.

C: Thanks be to God.

ANNOUNCEMENT

We will be having our Potluck next Sunday after worship on July 31st. Please sign up to bring a dish, to help with set up, or clean up.

POSTLUDE

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Our Worship Servants This Morning:

Greeters: Cliff and Sally Dengerud

Acolytes: Annabelle and Penelope Davis

Ushers: Bill Videtto and Terry Ball

Cantor: Blaine Davis Reader: Karin Davis

Communion Assistant: Becky Chambers

Projectionist: Toby Fite

Upcoming Activities at OSLC

Tuesday: Quilters 9:00 a.m. Thursday: Adult Bible Study 10:00 a.m.

CODA 6:00 p.m.

Saturday: Altar Guild Team 5

Sunday: Choir 9:15 a.m.

Worship 10:00 a.m. Potluck Luncheon 11:30 a.m.

Stewardship

July 17, 2022

Average Monthly Expenses:	\$ 23,740	Attendance Last Week	6
Prior July Offerings:	\$ 12,144	2022 Average Attendance	98
Offerings on July 17th:	\$ 1,979	<u> </u>	
Other Weekly Offerings:	<u>\$ 970</u>		
Total Weekly Offerings:	\$ 2,949		
Total July Offerings:	\$ 15,093		
2022 Offering to Date:	\$163,180		