

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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Youth Coordinator

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TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST (YEAR B)

JULY 28, 2024 • 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.

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Prelude - Dr. Jaeyong Lee

You may use this time for silent meditation to prepare your heart for worship

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, please fill out the yellow card on the back of your pew and place it in the offering plate later in the service.
- All who are baptized and desire to share in the Body and Blood of our Lord are welcome to receive Communion.

***"O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness;
let the whole earth stand in awe of him."***

(Psalm 96:9)

Please stand

PROCESSIONAL HYMN ~ "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.

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

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.*

*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

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. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of 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

APOSTOLIC 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 ~ "GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST" (LBW PGS 79-80)

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father: We worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God: You take away the sin of the world;

have mercy on us.

You are seated at the right hand of the Father; receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

COLLECT

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

P "See Insert" C **Amen**

Please be seated

The Service Of The Word

FIRST READING ~ GENESIS 9:8-17

R "See Insert" R This is the Word of the Lord! C **Thanks be to God!**

PSALMODY ~ PSALM 136:1-9

R "See Insert"

SECOND READING ~ EPHESIANS 3:14-21

R "See Insert" R This is the Word of the Lord! C **Thanks be to God!**

Children's Song ~ "I HAVE DECIDED TO FOLLOW JESUS"

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

Feeding our Little Lambs

Please stand

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

℞ The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark the 6th Chapter. ℣ **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Mark 6:45-56 ℞ **The Gospel of the Lord.** ℣ **Praise to You, O Christ.**

Please be seated

SERMON ~ REV. MARTIN MOORE

“The LORD sits enthroned over the flood”

Our reading from Mark 6 reveals one of the greatest comforts in the life of a Christian: while you are in the storm, Jesus is on the throne. In our fallen world we are all cast upon the unpredictable sea, all face the inevitable storm. Mark wants us to see the storm for what it is, and to trust that God is the Lord of the storm.

Please stand

Hymn Of The Day ~ We, O God, Unite Our Voices

To the Tune of: "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" (LBW #315)

We, O God, unite our voices, raised in thankful praise to Thee.
Thou, unchanging, safe hath brought us through the ever-changing sea.
Days of calm and days of conflict, nights of darkness prove Thy grace.
Hands beneath us, arms around us, and, above, Thy shining face.

Seeing then the task before us bind our hearts and hands as one.
May our labor be in union, our resolve and Thine be one.
With one spirit let us labor toward the bright horizon far.
In the midst of tempest peril be Thy cross our guiding star.

Not our choice the wind's direction, unforeseen the calm or gale.
Thy great ocean swells before us, and our ship seems small and frail.
Fierce and gleaming is Thy myst'ry drawing us to shores unknown:
Plunge us on with hope and courage 'til Thy harbor is our home.

THE 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

THE DOXOLOGY~ "I OFFER MY LIFE"

All that I am, all that I have
I lay them down before You, O Lord;
All of my hopes, all of my plans,
my heart and my hands are lifted to
You.

*Lord, I offer my days to You,
lifting my praise to You as a pleasing sacrifice,
Lord, I offer You my life.*

What can we give that You have not given;
And what do we have that is not already
Yours?

Chorus:

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

All we possess are these lives we're living,
and that's what we give to You, Lord.

Chorus

Post Offertory Prayer

P Let us pray. Merciful Father, C **We offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us – our vocations, our time, 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

PASSING OF THE PEACE

P The peace of the Lord be with you always. C **And also with you.**

DISTRIBUTION

COMMUNION HYMNS:

“I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE” (PRAISE SONG)

Chorus:

I am the Bread of Life

All who eat this Bread will never die

I am God's love revealed

I am broken that you might be healed

All who eat of this heavenly Bread

All who drink this cup of the covenant

You will live forever.

For I will raise you up.

Chorus

No one who comes to Me shall ever
hunger again.

No one who believes shall ever thirst

All that the Father draws shall come
to Me

And I will give them rest.

“IN REMEMBRANCE OF ME”

In remembrance of Me,
Eat this bread.

In remembrance of Me,
Drink this wine.

In remembrance of Me,
Pray for the time

When God's own will is done.

In remembrance of Me,
Heal the sick.

In remembrance of Me,
Feed the poor.

In remembrance of Me,
Open the door

And let your brother in,
Let him in.

Take, eat and be comforted;

Drink and remember too,

That this is My body and precious blood

Shed for you,

Shed for you.

In remembrance of Me,
Search for truth.

In remembrance of Me
Always love.

In remembrance of Me,

Don't look above,

But in your heart

Look for God

Do this in remembrance of Me.

“WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS” (LBW #439)

What a friend we have in Jesus,
all our sins and griefs to bear!

What a privilege to carry
ev'rything to God in prayer!

Oh, what peace we often forfeit;
oh, what needless pain we bear -
all because we do not carry
ev'rything to God in prayer!

Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged
take it to the Lord in prayer.

Can we find a friend so faithful
who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our ev'ry weakness
take it to the Lord in prayer.

Are we weak and heavy-laden,
cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Savior, still our refuge -
take it to the Lord in prayer.

Do your friends despise, forsake you?
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
In his arms he'll take and shield you;
you will find a solace there.

Please stand

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”

Now, Lord, you let your servant go in peace,
Your word has been fulfilled.

My own eyes have seen the Salvation,
Which you have prepared in the sight of every people.
A light to reveal you to the Nations,
And the glory of your people, Israel.
Now, Lord, you let your servant go in peace.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

^P Pour out upon us the spirit of your love, O Lord, and unite the wills of those whom you have fed with one heavenly food; through 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) Vss. 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 We've gathered, been blessed and received. Now, let us scatter, bless, and give
to the world. ^C **Amen**

POSTLUDE

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- We bid adieu to Amanda this morning as she wraps up three years as our Parish Administrator. She has been a blessing to us and will be missed. We will have an opportunity to say good-bye to her after the service over cake and refreshments.
- A committee has been formed to begin a search for a new parish administrator/financial secretary. If you are interested or know of someone who may be interested in this position, contact Bill Videtto at bjvidetto@gmail.com for details concerning essential qualifications and responsibilities.

Save the Dates:

- September 8th will be Round-up Sunday for the children and will include lunch and a pool party after church.
- October 5th is our Oktoberfest!

Our Worship Servants This Morning:

Greeter: Gloria Bielfeldt
Acolyte: Max Bothner
Ushers: Max Lewis & Preston Graham
Cantor: Blaine Davis
Reader: Travis Snyder
Communion Assistants: Jana Snyder, Carmen Nazario, & Susan Buntz
Projectionist: Toby Fite
Guest Organist: Bill Hebb

Upcoming Activities at OSLC (July 29th - August 4th)

Tuesday:	Quilters	9:00 a.m.
Thursday:	Bible Study	10:00 a.m.
	CODA	6:00 p.m.
Saturday:	Altar Guild Team #1	
Sunday:	Choir	9:15 a.m.
	Worship	10:00 a.m.

Stewardship

Average Monthly Expenses:	\$ 26,875
Last Week's Offerings:	\$ 4,495
2024 Total of July Offerings:	\$ 16,428
2024 Total Offerings to Date:	\$ 173,439
2024 Offering Budget Thru July:	\$ 186,795
Offerings Received Vs. Budget:	\$ - 13,356

Attendance

Sunday, July 21, 2024:	94
2024 Average Attendance:	104

