



OUR SAVIOUR'S

LUTHERAN CHURCH

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!

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SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

(YEAR C)

OCTOBER 5, 2025 • 10:00 A.M.



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Our Members, Guests and Visitors

We are all on a journey of faith;

God does not expect us to make the journey alone.

Our Office Hours are Monday through Friday, 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

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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 Guest Connect Card on the back of your pew and place it in the offering plate.
- If you have any prayer requests, needs, or concerns, please complete the blue card on the back of your pew and place it in the offering plate.
- All who are baptized and desire to share in the Body and Blood of our Lord are welcome to receive Communion.
- As no ordained pastor is present today, our worship will include distribution of those elements set apart earlier by Rev. Christinia Seibel. In this sense, the Lord's Body and Blood offered today is an extension of the celebration of the Sacrament of the Altar at that time.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN ~ "DEAR LORD AND FATHER OF MANKIND" VSS 1-4 (LBW #506)

Dear Lord and Father of mankind,
Forgive our fev'rish ways;
Reclothe us in our rightful mind;
In purer lives thy service find,
In deeper rev'rence, praise.

Oh, Sabbath rest by Galilee,
Oh, calm of hills above,
Where Jesus knelt to share with thee
The silence of eternity,
Interpreted by love!

In simple trust like theirs who heard,
Beside the Syrian sea,
The gracious calling of the Lord,
Let us, like them, without a word
Rise up and follow thee.

Drop thy still dews of quietness,
Till all our strivings cease;
Take from our souls the strain and stress,
And let our ordered lives confess
The beauty of thy peace.

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**

APOSTOLIC GREETING 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 P. 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.
Amen

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

PRAYER OF THE DAY

"See Insert"

^C **Amen**

Please be seated

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

FIRST READING ~ HABAKKUK 1:1-4; 2:1-4

"See Insert"

^R This is the Word of the Lord! ^C **Thanks be to God!**

PSALMODY ~ PSALM 62 (CHANTED)

"See Insert"

SECOND READING ~ 2 TIMOTHY 1:1-14

"See Insert"

^R This is the Word of the Lord! ^C **Thanks be to God!**

CHILDREN'S SONG ~ "IF YOU'RE HAPPY AND YOU KNOW IT"

If you're happy and you know it
Say "Amen!" Amen!
If you're happy and you know it
Say "Amen!" Amen!

If you're happy and you know it
Then your life will surely show it
If you're happy and you know it
Say "Amen!" Amen!

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

^P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke the 17th Chapter. ^C **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Luke 17:1-10

^P The Gospel of the Lord. ^C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

Please be seated

SERMON ~ BLAINE DAVIS

THE RIGHTEOUS SHALL LIVE BY FAITH

Please stand

HYMN OF THE DAY ~ "HOW FIRM A FOUNDATION" (LBW #507)

How firm a foundation,
O saints of the Lord,
Is laid for your faith in His excellent Word!
What more can he say than to you he has
said
Who unto the Savior for refuge have fled?

Fear not, I am with you, oh,
be not dismayed,
For I am your God,
and will still give you aid;
I'll strengthen you, help you,
and cause you to stand,
Upheld by my righteous,
omnipotent hand.

When through fiery trials your pathway
shall lie,
My grace, all-sufficient,
shall be your supply;
The flame shall not hurt you; I only design
Your dross to consume and your gold to
refine.

Throughout all their lifetime my people
shall prove,
My sovereign eternal unchangeable love;
And then, when gray hairs shall their
temples adorn,
Like lambs they shall still in my bosom
be borne.

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 Hades.

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 down before You, O Lord;
All of my hopes, all of my plans,
my heart and my hands are lifted to You.

Chorus

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,
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?
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

PASSING OF THE PEACE

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

At this time, we invite you to share the peace of the Lord with your neighbors

THE HOLY MEAL

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 right and salutary that we should at all times and in all places offer thanks and praise to you, O Lord, holy Father, through Christ our Lord; who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. And so, with the Church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

SANCTUS

^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.**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

^P Whenever we gather for the celebration of Holy Communion, we hear again the wonderful story of God's mighty acts, and of the love shown to us in the death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. With thanksgiving, we remember that 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.*

^P 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 For as often as we eat of this bread and drink of this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death, until he comes.

^C **Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

^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 We are given assurance of our Lord's presence through the gift of His Holy Spirit. Now, we receive this same bread of life and this same cup of blessing, that we may be strengthened through these gifts.
- ^P Let us pray: Almighty Father, whose dear Son instituted the Sacrament of his Body and Blood: Mercifully grant that we may receive it thankfully in remembrance of Jesus Christ our Lord, who in these holy mysteries gives us a pledge of eternal life; and who lives and reigns for ever and ever. ^C **Amen**
- ^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 ~ 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

"AMAZING GRACE (MY CHAINS ARE GONE)"

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me.
I once was lost, but now I'm found,
Was blind, but now I see.

The Lord has promised good to me;
His word my hope secures.
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures.

Chorus x 2

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved.
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed.

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow;
The sun forbear to shine.
But God, who called me here below,
Will be forever mine,
Will be forever mine,
You are forever mine.

Chorus:

*My chains are gone, I've been set free!
My God, my Savior, has ransomed me.
And like a flood, His mercy rains
Unending love amazing grace.*

"O LIVING BREAD FROM HEAVEN" (LBW #197)

O living Bread from heaven,
How well you feed your guest!
The gifts that you have given
Have filled my heart with rest.
Oh, wondrous food of blessing,
Oh, cup that heals our woes!
My heart, this gift possessing,
With praises overflows!

My Lord, you here have led me
Within your holiest place,
And here yourself have fed me
With treasures of your grace;
For you have freely given
What earth could never buy,
The bread of life from heaven,
That now I shall not die.

You gave me all I wanted;
This food can death destroy.
And you have freely granted
The cup of endless joy.
My Lord, I do not merit
The favor you have shown,
And all my soul and spirit
Bow down before your throne.

Lord, grant me then, thus strengthened
with heav'nly food, while here
my course on earth is lengthened,
to serve with holy fear.
And when you call my spirit
to leave this world below,
I enter, through your merit,
where Jesus unmingled flow.

"MY JESUS I LOVE THEE"

My Jesus I love Thee
I know Thou art mine
For Thee all the follies of sin I resign
My gracious Redeemer
my Savior art Thou
If ever I loved Thee my Jesus 'tis now

I love Thee because
Thou hast first loved me
And purchased my pardon
on Calvary's tree
I love Thee for wearing the thorns
on Thy brow
If ever I loved Thee my Jesus 'tis now

I'll love Thee in life
I will love Thee in death
And praise Thee as long as
Thou lendest me breath
And say when the death dew lies cold
on my brow
If ever I loved Thee my Jesus 'tis now
In mansions of glory and
endless delight
I'll ever adore Thee in heaven
so bright
I'll sing with the glittering crown
on my brow
If ever I loved Thee my Jesus 'tis now

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 ~ LBW P. 95

^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 ~ "MY FAITH LOOKS UP TO THEE" (LBW #479)

My faith looks up to thee,
Thou Lamb of Calvary, Savior divine!
Now hear me while I pray,
Take all my guilt away,
Oh, let me from this day
Be wholly thine!

May thy rich grace impart
Strength to my fainting heart,
My zeal inspire;
As thou hast died for me,
Oh, may my love to thee
Pure, warm, and changeless be,
A living fire!

While life's dark maze I tread
And griefs around me spread,
Be thou my guide;
Bid darkness turn to day,
Wipe sorrow's tears away,
Nor let me ever stray
From thee aside.

When ends life's transient dream,
When death's cold, sullen stream
Shall o'er me roll;
Blest Savior, then, in love
Fear and distrust remove;
Oh, bear me safe above,
A ransomed soul!

DISMISSAL

P Go in Peace, serve the Lord

C **Thanks be to God**

POSTLUDE

Our Worship Servants This Morning:

Greeter:	Helen Siebert
Acolyte:	Annabelle & Penelope Davis
Ushers:	Joe Coke & Alan Cumming
Reader:	Karin Davis
Communion Assistants:	Jana Coke, Susan Buntz, Jan Moch
AV Booth:	Colten Watkins & Amy Norris

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES OCTOBER 6-12

Monday	Quilts of Valor	9:00-3:00
	Men's Group	8:00 PM
Tuesday	Quilters	9:00 AM
	Spin Class	6:00 PM
Wednesday	Natalie out of the Office	
	Polka Lessons	7:00 PM
Thursday	Bible Study	10:00 AM
	CoDA	6:00 PM
Saturday	Oktoberfest	4:00-7:00
	Altar Guild	
Sunday	Sunday School	9:00 AM
	Choir	9:00 AM
	Bible Study	9:00 AM
	Worship Service	10:00 AM
	Church Council	11:30 AM
	Confirmation	4:00 PM

Attendance

Sunday, September 28, 2025: 97
2025 Average: 86

Stewardship

Last Week's Offerings: \$ 4,770
Total for the month of Sept. \$ 21,707
2025 Total Offerings to Date: \$ 209,293

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Oktoberfest – October 11th 4:00-7:00

Polka Lessons Schedule: Oct. 8th 7:00

Sign-up sheets are in the Narthex

Ladies Night Out: October 13th 5:30 at TXM (Texas Music City Grill)

PRAYER LIST

Our Members:

Joe Coke, Limuel Norris, Linda Eck, Bill Thomas, Toby Fite, Ed Lucas, Mary Ferguson, Sam Hough, Amber Tizcareno, Jeanine Franklin, Jim & Janet Anthony, Carol Barner, Gloria Guilfoyle, Tom & Mary Criswell, Kathleen Grant, Phyllis Guysinger, Margo Williams, Larry & Joanne Hill, Sarah Lyles, Diane Polley, Curt & Joyce Peterson

Family & Friends:

Steve Hall, Paul & Grace Long, Jennifer Hendrick, Erin Gilland, Mark Malloy, Nick Lopez, Helen Wallace, Marissa Rose, Shawn Gilbertson, Marshall Hart, Blake Madewell, Joanna Garrett, Richard Grinnell

If you have any updates or changes to the prayer list, please contact
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"Dear Lord and Father of Mankind" LBW 506 Text: John G. Whittier, 1807-1892 © Tune: Frederick C. Maker, 1844-1927
"If You're Happy and You Know It" Author: Stuart Ross CCLI Song # 4551258 Catalog Learn2soar Limited
"How Firm a Foundation" LBW 507 Text: J. Rippon, A Selection of Hymns, 1787, alt. Tune: early American
"I Offer My Life" CCLI Song # 1375252 Claire Cloninger | Don Moen © 1994 Word Music, LLC (a div. of Word Music Group, Inc.) Integrity's Hosanna! Music (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing (IMI)) Juniper Landing Music (Admin. by Word Music Group, Inc.)
"Amazing Grace, My Chains are Gone" CCLI Song #68151 #68151 Authors: Chris Tomlin, John Newton, Louie Giglio Catalog Rising Springs Music / Vamos Publishing / worshiptogether.com songs
"O Living Bread From Heaven" LBW #197 Text: Johann Rist, 1606-1667; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1829-1878, alt. Tune: Samuel S. Wesley, 1810-1876
"My Jesus I Love Thee" Public Domain Authors: Adoniram Judson Gordon, William Ralph Featherstone CCLI Song # 27817; Catalog: Public Domain
"My Faith Looks Up to Thee" LBW 479 Text: Ray Palmer, 1808-1887 Tune: Lowell Mason, 1792-1872
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