

# Peace Lutheran Church

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### **DIVINE SERVICES**

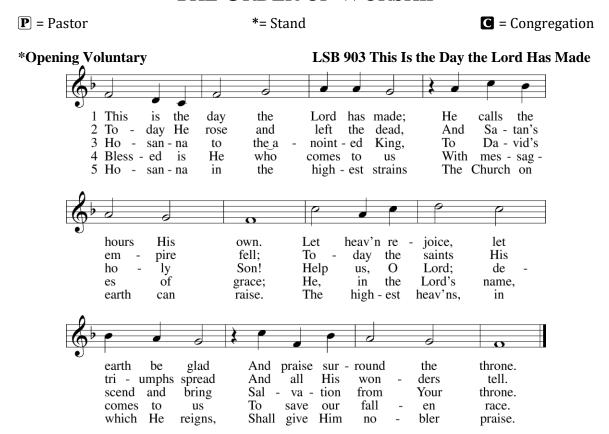
Saturday: 5:00 p.m.; Sunday: 8:00, 9:20, & 10:30 a.m.

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# THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

# AUGUST 8, 2021

# THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

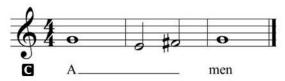


 ${\it The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.}$ 

## \*Invocation

**P** In the name of the Father and of the 

→ Son and of the Holy Spirit.



- P You open your hand;
- You satisfy the desire of every living thing.
- **P** Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good!
- **C** Blessèd is the man who takes refuge in him!
- **P** Oh, fear the LORD, you his saints,
- **C** For those who fear him have no lack!
- **P** The young lions suffer want and hunger;
- **B**ut those who seek the LORD lack no good thing.

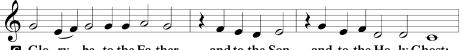
### \*Confession of Sins

- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

## \*Absolution



## \*Gloria Patri



**©** Glo-ry be to the Fa-ther and to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost;



as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end. A-men.

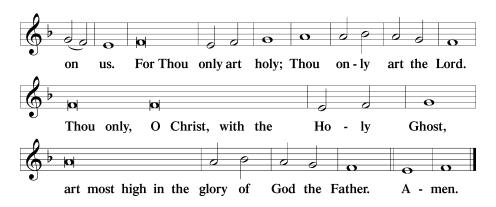






### \*Gloria in Excelsis





## \*Salutation and Collect of the Day





# **Old Testament Reading**

I Kings 19:1–8

<sup>1</sup>Ahab told Jezebel all that Elijah had done, and how he had killed all the prophets with the sword. <sup>2</sup>Then Jezebel sent a messenger to Elijah, saying, "So may the gods do to me and more also, if I do not make your life as the life of one of them by this time tomorrow." <sup>3</sup>Then he was afraid, and he arose and ran for his life and came to Beersheba, which belongs to Judah, and left his servant there.

<sup>4</sup>But he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness and came and sat down under a broom tree. And he asked that he might die, saying, "It is enough; now, O LORD, take away my life, for I am no better than my fathers." <sup>5</sup>And he lay down and slept under a broom tree. And behold, an angel touched him and said to him, "Arise and eat." <sup>6</sup>And he looked, and behold, there was at his head a cake baked on hot stones and a jar of water. And he ate and drank and lay down again. <sup>7</sup>And the angel of the LORD came again a second time and touched him and said, "Arise and eat, for the journey is too great for you." <sup>8</sup>And he arose and ate and drank, and went in the strength of that food forty days and forty nights to Horeb, the mount of God.

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

<sup>17</sup>This I say and testify in the Lord, that you must no longer walk as the Gentiles do, in the futility of their minds. <sup>18</sup>They are darkened in their understanding, alienated from the life of God because of the ignorance that is in them, due to their hardness of heart. <sup>19</sup>They have become callous and have given themselves up to sensuality, greedy to practice every kind of impurity. <sup>20</sup>But that is not the way you learned Christ!— <sup>21</sup>assuming that you have heard about him and were taught in him, as the truth is in Jesus, <sup>22</sup>to put off your old self, which belongs to your former manner of life and is corrupt through deceitful desires, <sup>23</sup>and to be renewed in the spirit of your minds, <sup>24</sup>and to put on the new self, created after the likeness of God in true righteousness and holiness.

<sup>25</sup>Therefore, having put away falsehood, let each one of you speak the truth with his neighbor, for we are members one of another. <sup>26</sup>Be angry and do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, <sup>27</sup>and give no opportunity to the devil. <sup>28</sup>Let the thief no longer steal, but rather let him labor, doing honest work with his own hands, so that he may have something to share with anyone in need. <sup>29</sup>Let no corrupting talk come out of your mouths, but only such as is good for building up, as fits the occasion, that it may give grace to those who hear. <sup>30</sup>And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption. <sup>31</sup>Let all bitterness and wrath and anger and clamor and slander be put away from you, along with all malice. <sup>32</sup>Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.

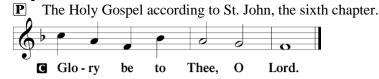
<sup>1</sup>Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children. <sup>2</sup>And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

## \*Alleluia



\*Holy Gospel John 6:35–51



<sup>35</sup>Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst. <sup>36</sup>But I said to you that you have seen me and yet do not believe. <sup>37</sup>All that the Father gives me will come to me, and whoever comes to me I will never cast out. <sup>38</sup>For I have come down from heaven, not to do my own will but the

will of him who sent me. <sup>39</sup>And this is the will of him who sent me, that I should lose nothing of all that he has given me, but raise it up on the last day. <sup>40</sup>For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who looks on the Son and believes in him should have eternal life, and I will raise him up on the last day."

<sup>41</sup>So the Jews grumbled about him, because he said, "I am the bread that came down from heaven." <sup>42</sup>They said, "Is not this Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How does he now say, 'I have come down from heaven'?" <sup>43</sup>Jesus answered them, "Do not grumble among yourselves. <sup>44</sup>No one can come to me unless the Father who sent me draws him. And I will raise him up on the last day. <sup>45</sup>It is written in the Prophets, 'And they will all be taught by God.' Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me— <sup>46</sup>not that anyone has seen the Father except he who is from God; he has seen the Father. <sup>47</sup>Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever believes has eternal life. <sup>48</sup>I am the bread of life. <sup>49</sup>Your fathers ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. <sup>50</sup>This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. <sup>51</sup>I am the living bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh."



\*Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life + everlasting. Amen.



**Sermon** "A Hard Teaching" (John 6:35-51)

**Sermon Notes:** 

#### Anthem

In Thee is Gladness

In Thee is gladness Amid all sadness, Jesus, sunshine of my heart. By Thee are given The gifts of heaven, Thou the true Redeemer art.

Our souls Thou wakest, Our bonds Thou breakest; Who trusts Thee surely Has built securely; He stands forever: Alleluia!

Our hearts are pining To see Thy shining, Dying or living To Thee are cleaving; Naught can us sever: Alleluia!

# \*Prayer of the Church

## \*Lord's Prayer

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.

## \*Benediction

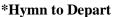
The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and + give you peace.







# LSB 507 Holy, Holy, Holy



# \*Silent Prayer

# **Closing Voluntary**

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## SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY:

Preacher: Pastor Jon C. Furgeson Liturgist: Pastor Robert M. Brown

Organist: 5:00 & 9:20: Alice Kastens; 8:00 & 10:30: Kendra Ruesler

Choir: Chancel Singers

Choir Dir.: Burnell Hackman, DMM

KFUO-YouTube Announcer/Audio Engineer/Video Engineer: Rick Goodman/Jeanette Mattingly/Bob Uthoff

Elders: 5:00: Rich Behnke, Greg Wirtel; 8:00: Vern Bollman, Rick Goodman; 9:20: Aaron Baese,

Dave Carlson; <u>10:30</u>: Jeff Akers

Ushers: 5:00: Kevin Beutelmann, Bill Petrovic, Jesse Schryver, Gary Stinnett, Greg Wirtel; 8:00: Joe

Sneed, Jon Caron, David Dippold, Joe Doskal, Tyler Rainey, Tyler Sneed, Brian Stumpf; 9:20: John Roesch, Charles Rolf, Joe Roesch, Bill Schlegel, Gerry Schramm, Ed Stackle; 10:30: Mike Murphy, Caleb Mirly, Andrew Oster, Lynn Oster, Roger Rakers, Matt Thiel, Bob

Uthoff, Rob Uthoff, Ken Werkmeister

Greeters: 8:00: Rick and Tammy Goodman; 9:20 & 10:30: Greg and Lois Ebmeyer

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 8, 2021**

TODAY'S EDUCATION HOUR: 9:15-10:15a.m.

Adult Bible Class (Sanctuary Hall): led by Pastor Furgeson and Rob Uthoff Women's Bible Class (Commons Conf. Room): led by Janice McCreary

Sunday School: Meet in the Gymnasium

Youth Bible Class (Youth Room): led by Christina Stackle, DCE

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS MEETING today at 11:30a.m. in the Kitchen Meeting Room.

<u>A NEW BIBLE CLASS</u>, led by Pastor Robert Gadeken, began last Sunday and will continue every Sunday at 7:00p.m., meeting weekly in Sanctuary Hall. The first topic is The Small Catechism for Adults. Bring a Bible and whatever version of the Catechism you have, or use the one in the hymnal.

<u>EARLY CHILDHOOD</u> has half or full day openings available for children ages 3 to 5 years. Please contact Sue Velten at earlychildhood@peacelutheranstl.org.

<u>REFIT</u>, a dance-fitness class, began last week and meets each Tuesday, from 9:00-10:00am in the gymnasium. For more information, please contact Chris Nickelson or Terri Buckley. Come when you can – don't worry if you miss a week!

<u>ALASKA MISSION</u> is collecting pens, pencils, crayons, markers, and glue (sticks or plastic bottles) through Sunday, August 22 – <u>NEW ITEMS ONLY PLEASE</u>. Items may be dropped off in the Alaska Missions box in the Commons. We appreciate your support.

<u>THE CHOIRS OF PEACE</u> will present a concert "Music for a Sunday Afternoon" at 3:00p.m. on Sunday, August 29. The Concert will feature our two Pandemic Choirs who have provided live worship music throughout the epidemic and will feature both sacred and secular music. Come spend the afternoon listening to choral music presented by fellow members who have given so much time providing music for worship this past year and a half.

<u>SURVIVING SPOUSES BREAKFAST</u> will meet this Thursday, August 12, at 9:00a.m. at the Denny's on Lindbergh. If you have any questions, contact Joyce Schutte.

<u>NATIONAL YOUTH GATHERING STUDENT & PARENT MEETING</u> is Sunday, August 15, at 11:30am in the gymnasium. This meeting is for students going into 8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grades, and their parents.

<u>LADIES CLUB</u> will hold its next get-together on Tuesday, August 17, at 7:00p.m. Open to all female members of Peace, 18 and older, this social organization will meet on the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00p.m. Questions? Contact Pat Uthoff.

<u>LADIES GUILD</u> join us on Thursday, August 19, at 11:00am for lunch and to plan our events for the year. Due to Covid, ladies, please bring your own lunch. We support LWML, Concordia Seminary Guild and other organizations within our church. Questions: Contact Julia Petrovic.

YOUNG ADULT GAME NIGHT is Friday, August 20, at 7:00p.m. in the gym. Please bring your favorite board games.

<u>PEACE MARRIED COUPLES CLUB ADULT PROM</u> is Saturday, August 21, at 6:00pm in the gym. Cost: \$10/single, \$20/couple. Tickets will be available for purchase at the Welcome Center before and after all services, July 31-August 15, or contact Linda Kohm.

<u>SUNDAY SCHOOL ORIENTATION DAY</u> will be Sunday, August 22. At 9:00am, we invite children and their parents to come to Sunday School. We will begin in the gymnasium together. Parents will then have an opportunity to meet and talk with their children's teachers, while the children have activities in the gymnasium. (Pre-school and Kindergarten students will have activities in their classrooms.) For questions or more information, please contact Alexia Arensmeier.

## CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 8, 2021

Sunday, August 8: 11:30 – Sunday School Teacher Meeting

11:45 – Every One His Witness Workshop

7:00 - Catechism Bible Class

Monday, August 9: 7:00 – Boar's Head Committee Meeting

Tuesday, August 10: 9:00 – Quilters

9:00 – Refit Exercise Class 6:00 – Co-Ed Volleyball

7:00 – Boy Scout Eagle Board Review

Wednesday, August 11: 7:00 – Chancel Voices Rehearsal

<u>Thursday, August 12:</u> 9:00 – Surviving Spouses Breakfast

6:00 - St. Trinity Cemetery Board Meeting

7:00 - Chancel Singers Rehearsal

Saturday, August 14: 5:00 – Worship Service w/Communion

Sunday, August 15: 8:00/9:20/10:30 – Worship Services w/Communion

9:15 – Sunday School and Bible Class

11:30 - National Youth Gathering Parent/Student Meeting

11:45 – Every One His Witness Workshop

7:00 – Catechism Bible Class