



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 TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST August 28, 2022

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

Divine Service, Setting Three

P = Pastor

* = Stand

C = Congregation

Opening Voluntary



The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

*Invocation

In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

*Introit

- **P** It is God who executes judgment,
- **C** Putting down one and lifting up another.
- P We give thanks to you, O God; we give thanks, for your name is near.
- **C** We recount your wondrous deeds.
- **P** At the set time that I appoint
- **C** I will judge with equity.
- **P** For not from the east or from the west
- **C** And not from the wilderness comes lifting up.
- **P** But I will declare it forever;
- **C** I will sing praises to the God of Jacob.
- **P** It is God who executes judgment,
- **C** Putting down one and lifting up another.

*Confession

- ▶ The Spirit of God calls forth sacrifices pleasing to God: brotherly love, hospitality to strangers, care for all in need, faithfulness in marriage and the family, fearless joy in the Lord, right faith, and right worship. Let us ask God to forgive our sinful neglect of faith's power to have free course in our life.
- **C** Almighty God, we confess to You that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed. We have not loved You with our entire being, and we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Alone we remain without hope, health, or help. Have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.

*Absolution

■ May the God of peace equip you with everything good that you may do His will. In the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.







Old Testament Reading

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Proverbs 25:2–10

²It is the glory of God to conceal things, but the glory of kings is to search things out. ³As the heavens for height, and the earth for depth, so the heart of kings is unsearchable. ⁴Take away the dross from the silver, and the smith has material for a vessel; ⁵take away the wicked from the presence of the king, and his throne will be established in righteousness. ⁶Do not put yourself forward in the king's presence or stand in the place of the great, ⁷for it is better to be told, "Come up here," than to be put lower in the presence of a noble. What your eyes have seen ⁸do not hastily bring into court, for what will you do in the end, when your neighbor puts you to shame?

men.

⁹Argue your case with your neighbor himself, and do not reveal another's secret,
¹⁰lest he who hears you bring shame upon you,

and your ill repute have no end.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Epistle

Hebrews 13:1–17

¹Let brotherly love continue. ²Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for thereby some have entertained angels unawares. ³Remember those who are in prison, as though in prison with them, and those who are mistreated, since you also are in the body. ⁴Let marriage be held in honor among all, and let the marriage bed be undefiled, for God will judge the sexually immoral and adulterous. ⁵Keep your life free from love of money, and be content with what you have, for he has said, "I will never leave you nor forsake you." ⁶So we can confidently say,

"The Lord is my helper; I will not fear; what can man do to me?"

⁷Remember your leaders, those who spoke to you the word of God. Consider the outcome of their way of life, and imitate their faith. ⁸Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. ⁹Do not be led away by diverse and strange teachings, for it is good for the heart to be strengthened by grace, not by foods, which have not benefited those devoted to them. ¹⁰We have an altar from which those who serve the tent have no right to eat. ¹¹For the bodies of those animals whose blood is brought into the holy places by the high priest as a sacrifice for sin are burned outside the camp. ¹²So Jesus also suffered outside the gate in order to sanctify the people through his own blood. ¹³Therefore let us go to him outside the camp and bear the reproach he endured. ¹⁴For here we have no lasting city, but we seek the city that is to come. ¹⁵Through him then let us continually offer up a sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of lips that acknowledge his name. ¹⁶Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.

¹⁷Obey your leaders and submit to them, for they are keeping watch over your souls, as those who will have to give an account. Let them do this with joy and not with groaning, for that would be of no advantage to you.

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



Luke 14:1–14

*Holy Gospel



¹One Sabbath, when [Jesus] went to dine at the house of a ruler of the Pharisees, they were watching him carefully. ²And behold, there was a man before him who had dropsy. ³And Jesus responded to the lawyers and Pharisees, saying, "Is it lawful to heal on the Sabbath, or not?" ⁴But they remained silent. Then he took him and healed him and sent him away. ⁵And he said to them, "Which of you, having a son or an ox that has fallen into a well on a Sabbath day, will not immediately pull him out?" ⁶And they could not reply to these things.

⁷Now he told a parable to those who were invited, when he noticed how they chose the places of honor, saying to them, ⁸"When you are invited by someone to a wedding feast, do not sit down in a place of honor, lest someone more distinguished than you be invited by him, ⁹and he who invited you both will come and say to you, 'Give your place to this person,' and then you will begin with shame to take the lowest place. ¹⁰But when you are invited, go and sit in the lowest place, so that when your host comes he may say to you, 'Friend, move up higher.' Then you will be honored in the presence of all who sit at table with you. ¹¹For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted."

¹²He said also to the man who had invited him, "When you give a dinner or a banquet, do not invite your friends or your brothers or your relatives or rich neighbors, lest they also invite you in return and you be repaid. ¹³But when you give a feast, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind, ¹⁴and you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you. You will be repaid at the resurrection of the just."



*Apostles' Creed

C 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.

Children's Message (8:00 & 10:30)

Christina Stackle, Director of Christian Education

Hymn of the Day LSB 842 Son of God, Eternal Savior 1 Son Source of of God. e - ter - nal Sav - ior. life and 2 As You, Lord, have lived for oth - ers, So may we for 3 Come, O Christ, and reign a - mong us, King of love and 4 Son of God. e - ter - nal Sav - ior. Source of life and Word made flesh, whose birth truth and grace, a mong us oth ers live. Free ly. have Your gifts been grant - ed; Prince of of strife Peace: Hush the storm and pas - sion, truth grace, Word made flesh, whose birth and a mong us Hal - lows all our hu - man race, You our Head, who, throned in Free-ly may Your ser - vants give. Yours the gold and Yours the Bid its cru - el dis - cords cease. By Your pa - tient vears of by Your Hal - lows all hu - man By Your pray - ing, our race: plead: Fill glo - ry, For Your own will ev - er us with Your sil - ver, Yours the wealth of land and sea; We but stew-ards toil - ing, By Your si - lent hours of pain, Quench our fe-vered will - ing That Your peo - ple should be Grant, one, O grant our love and pit - y, Heal our wrongs, and help need. our of Your boun - ty Held in sol - emn trust will be. gain. thirst of plea - sure, Stem our self - ish greed of hope's fru - i - tion: Here on earth Your will be done.

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Sermon Notes:

Gathering of the Offering

Please fill out an attendance card and pass to the end of the aisle. The ushers will collect them immediately after the offering.

Offertory Hymn	LSB 770 What a Friend We Have in .
1 What a friend we have in Je - sus, 2 Have we tri - als and temp-ta-tions? 3 Are we weak and heav - y lad - en,	Is there trou-ble an - y-where?
What a priv - i - lege to car - ry We should nev - er be dis - cour-aged- Pre - cious Sav-ior, still our ref - uge-	— Take it to the Lord in prayer.
 Oh, what peace we of - ten for - feit; Can we find a friend so faith - ful Do thy friends de-spise, for-sake thee? 	Who will all our sor-rows share?
All be-cause we do not car - r Je - sus knows our ev - 'ry weak-nes	y Ev - 'ry-thing to God in prayer!

Text: Joseph M. Scriven, 1819–86 Tune: Charles C. Converse, 1832–1918 Text and tune: Public domain

*Prayer of the Church

*Lord's Prayer

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.

*Benediction



*Silent Prayer

Closing Voluntary

Acknowledgments

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SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY:

Pastor Robert Brown	
5:00, 8:00, & 10:30: Pastor Jon Furgeson; 9:20: Pastor Robert Brown	
5:00 & 8:00: Burnell Hackman, DMM; 9:20 & 10:30: Kendra Ruesler	
KFUO AM 850 Announcer/Audio Engineer/Video Engineer: J. McCreary/B. Dressel/B. Hentchel	
5:00: Rich Behnke, Ralph Wolters; 8:00: Rick Goodman, John Hooss;	
<u>9:20</u> : Jeff Akers, Alan Hopfer; <u>10:30</u> : Kyle Hopfer, Mark Maloy	
5:00: Steve Kienstra, Art Conrad, Charles Reifschneider, Charles Rolf, Roger Uhlig;	
8:00: Dan Prange, Dan Dukesherer, Kyle Hopfer, Don Hopkins, Dan Hummert,	
Mike Wilke; <u>9:20</u> : Glenn Brinkmann, Greg Hard, Don Hopkins, John Roesch;	
<u>10:30</u> : Bryan Dressel, Bill Bryan, Lorin Dressel, Paul Huddleston, John Rastorfer,	
Jeff Teague	
8:00: Matt Reim, Will Sanders; 10:30: Addison McCarty, Katie Maloy	
8:00: Carol Gibbons; 9:20: Heather Carlson; 10:30: Gerald & Marlys Iverson	

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 28, 2022

<u>ICE CREAM SOCIAL AND CONCERT</u> The Metropolitan Brass Band will present a concert of marches, showtune and other brass band music on Sunday, September 4 at 4:00 p.m. Come early and enjoy a free-will ice cream social sponsored by Peace's Music Ministry. In order to make sure we have enough ice cream, please RSVP at www.peacestlmusic.org.

WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY RESUMES NEXT WEEK, September 7, at 7:00 p.m. The topic will be "Spiritual Warfare" and will be led by Pastor Furgeson.

<u>CHANCEL CHOIR REHEARSAL</u> begins this Thursday, September 1, at 7:00 p.m. All voice parts are needed. High Schoolers and older are invited to attend. No formal audition, but please contact director Burnell Hackman if you wish to attend as he will have a folder of music ready for you!

<u>THE BELLS OF PEACE, CHIMES OF PEACE AND ORCHESTRA OF PEACE</u> will begin rehearsals later in September, please check the music website for more details.

<u>NEW MEMBER CLASSES</u> begin on Sunday, September 11, from noon to 1:30 p.m. in Sanctuary Hall. Sign up is available on our website and on the bulletin board in the commons. A light lunch will be provided. For more information, please contact the church office.

<u>BUILDING KEY INVENTORY</u> If you have a key to the church, please contact Jack Via or John Morse. Thank you!

<u>GREEN PARK IS LOOKING FOR TUTORS</u> Green Park is starting up their tutor program again this year. This is a wonderful opportunity to work one on one with a student for about 30-45 minutes per week. If interested, please contact Beth Meyer at beth.meyer@greenparklutheranschool.org.

<u>REFIT FOR A REASON "OLD TIME ROCK N ROLL" FUNDRAISER</u> to benefit Lutheran World Relief/Crisis in Ukraine will be held this Thursday, September 1, 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. in the Peace Lutheran gym. Suggested donation - \$5. Prizes for the best costumes from the '60s to '90s.

<u>PERU MISSION TEAM</u> is taking orders at the Welcome Center for their Carry Out BBQ on September 24. Orders are limited to the first 200.

<u>MEN'S MORNING BIBLE STUDY RESUMES THIS WEEK</u> Join us at 6:00 a.m. this Thursday morning, September 1, in Sanctuary Hall. Rick Goodman will be leading the study.

<u>JUNIOR CONFIRMATION CLASS BEGINS SEPTEMBER 7</u> for $5^{th} - 8^{th}$ grade. Classes are held from 4:00 – 5:15 p.m. on Wednesdays, and will be held until Confirmation on Palm Sunday, April 2, 2023. The 7th grade class is taught by Pastor Brown and the 8th grade class is taught by Pastor Furgeson. Our DCE, Christina Stackle, will be teaching the 5th and 6th grade class. <u>Note</u>: On September 7, the 5th and 6th grade students, along with their parents, will be meeting at 5:00 p.m. in the classroom to receive additional information and class materials.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 28, 2022

Sunday, August 28:	12:00 – Every One His Witness Workshop
	6:00 – Pickleball Open Play
Monday, August 29:	6:30 - Elders
Tuesday, August 30:	9:00 – Quilters
	9:00 – Refit Exercise
	9:00 – Early Childhood Parent Orientation
	5:30 – Early Childhood Parent Orientation
Thursday, September 1:	6:00 – Men's Morning Bible Study
	5:00 – Refit for a Reason Fundraiser
	7:00 – Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	7:00 – Boy Scout Troop 584
Sunday, September 4:	11:30 – Life Ministry
	3:30 – Ice Cream Social & Concert