

Sunday August 9th, 2026; Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost
Our Savior's Lutheran Church

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9:00 a.m. Divine Service

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Divine Service Three; LSB 184

**The Mission of Our Savior's Lutheran Church and School is
'connecting families in Christ' by proclaiming the forgiveness of
sin in the Gospel and the Sacraments.**

NOTES TO ENHANCE YOUR WORSHIP AT OSL:

How can we talk about the meaningfulness of worship with our friends and family? One of the highlights of the Divine Service would be our Sacraments. And what makes them so special? They are the promises of God! The Lord, our God, vows to be present for us, to fight for us, and to place His Name on us in the waters of Holy Baptism. Having become children of heaven is a pretty special moment indeed. And the Father as a great Provider wants to make sure we are fed and nourished, thus He invites us to the table. Another divine vow is given to the believer. By the body and blood of God's Son, our sins are forgiven, as the promises declare. Where do we find the special moment of Holy Communion? Take note of the words of institution. There you have the words of Christ from the Last Supper. Jesus speaks His final testament, and it is these powerful words of God which make the meal a sacramental union with the gifts of the cross. Now you have real presence! Where Jesus is, salvation is found.

Opening Hymn: "From All That Dwell Below the Skies" #816

1 From all that dwell below the skies
Let the Creator's praise arise;
Alleluia, alleluia!
Let the Redeemer's name be sung
Through ev'ry land by ev'ry tongue.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

2 Eternal are Thy mercies, Lord;
Eternal truth attends Thy Word.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Thy praise shall sound from shore to shore
Till suns shall rise and set no more.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

△3 All praise to God the Father be,
All praise, eternal Son, to Thee.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Whom with the Spirit we adore
Forever and forevermore:
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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+ Confession and Absolution +

Invocation

LSB 184

- P** In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen.

Exhortation

- P** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
C **who made heaven and earth.**
- P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
C **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

"Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination."

Confession of Sins

- P** O almighty God, merciful Father,
C **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

LSB 185

- P** Upon this your confession, ... name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen.

+ Service of the Word +

Introit

- I will bless the LORD at | all times;*
his praise shall continually be | in my mouth.
I sought the LORD, and he | answered me*
and delivered me from | all my fears.
Those who look to him are | radiant,*
and their faces shall never | be ashamed.
This poor man cried, and the LORD | heard him*
and saved him out of all his | troubles.
The angel of the LORD encamps around those who | fear him,*
and de- | livers them.
Oh, taste and see that the | LORD is good!*
Blessèd is the man who takes ref- | uge in him!

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

- I will bless the LORD at | all times;*
his praise shall continually be | in my mouth.

Kyrie

LSB 186

C Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Gloria in Excelsis

LSB 187

P Glory be to God on high:
C and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.
We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee,
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.
O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.
O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.
For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.
Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Salutation and Collect of the Day

LSB 189

P The Lord be with you.
C And with thy spirit.

P Let us pray. Almighty and most merciful God, preserve us from all harm and danger that we, being ready in both body and soul, may cheerfully accomplish what You want done; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Old Testament Reading

Job 38:4-18

[The Lord said to Job:] "Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding.

Who determined its measurements—surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone, when the morning stars sang together and all the sons of God shouted for joy?

"Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb, when I made clouds its garment and thick darkness its swaddling band, and prescribed limits for it and set bars and doors, and said, 'Thus far shall you come, and no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stayed'?

"Have you commanded the morning since your days began, and caused the dawn to know its place, that it might take hold of the skirts of the earth, and the wicked be shaken out of it? It is changed like clay under the seal, and its features stand out like a garment. From the wicked their light is withheld, and their uplifted arm is broken.

"Have you entered into the springs of the sea, or walked in the recesses of the deep? Have the gates of death been revealed to you, or have you seen the gates of deep darkness? Have you comprehended the expanse of the earth? Declare, if you know all this."

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

Gradual

Fear the LORD, | you his saints,*
for those who fear him lack | nothing!
Many are the afflictions of the | righteous,*
but the LORD delivers him out | of them all.

Epistle

Romans 10:5-17

Moses writes about the righteousness that is based on the law, that the person who does the commandments shall live by them. But the righteousness based on faith says, "Do not say in your heart, 'Who will ascend into heaven?'" (that is, to bring Christ down) or "'Who will descend into the abyss?'" (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). But what does it say? "The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart" (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved. For the Scripture says, "Everyone who believes in him will not be put to shame." For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all, bestowing his riches on all who call on him. For "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

But how are they to call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!" But they have not all obeyed the gospel. For Isaiah says, "Lord, who has believed what he has heard from us?" So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.

R This is the Word of the Lord

C Thanks be to God.

Alleluia

LSB 190

C Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Holy Gospel

Matthew 14:22-33

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fourteenth chapter.

C Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

Immediately [Jesus] made the disciples get into the boat and go before him to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up on the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, but the boat by this time was a long way from the land, beaten by the waves, for the wind was against them. And in the fourth watch of the night he came to them, walking on the sea. But when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were terrified, and said, "It is a ghost!" and they cried out in fear. But immediately Jesus spoke to them, saying, "Take heart; it is I. Do not be afraid."

And Peter answered him, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." He said, "Come." So Peter got out of the boat and walked on the water and came to Jesus. But when he saw the wind, he was afraid, and beginning to sink he cried out, "Lord, save me." Jesus immediately reached out his hand and took hold of him, saying to him, "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?" And when they got into the boat, the wind ceased. And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, "Truly you are the Son of God."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Apostles' Creed

LSB 192

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.

Hymn of the Day “Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me” #722

1 Lord, take my hand and lead me
Upon life's way;
Direct, protect, and feed me
From day to day.
Without Your grace and favor
I go astray;
So take my hand, O Savior,
And lead the way.

2 Lord, when the tempest rages,
I need not fear,
For You, the Rock of Ages,
Are always near.
Close by Your side abiding,
I fear no foe,
For when Your hand is guiding,
In peace I go.

3 Lord, when the shadows lengthen
And night has come,
I know that You will strengthen
My steps toward home.
Then nothing can impede me,
O blessed Friend;
So take my hand and lead me
Unto the end.

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Sermon

Offering

(Children are welcome to come forward and leave their offering in the basket.)

Offertory

LSB 192

☞ Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

Prayer of the Church

Guidance For Guests Regarding Communion:

We deeply regret the divisions that are so obvious today both among Christians and even among Lutherans. We believe that the faith confessed at our baptismal font, from the pulpit, and at our communion rail should be the same. For this to be true, we ask that those who commune with us first learn the faith confessed in this church and publicly declare an acceptance of it. If you would like to learn what we confess, please speak with Pastor Gadbow. Communicant members in good standing in sister congregations of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod or the American Association of Lutheran Churches are welcome to commune with us are our guests, but, as a courtesy, please make your intentions known to an elder or the pastor if you have never done so before.

+ Service of the Sacrament +

Preface

LSB 194

P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spirit.

P Lift up your hearts.

C We lift them up unto the Lord.

P Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.

C It is meet and right so to do.

P It is truly meet, right, and... praising You and saying:

Sanctus

LSB 195

C Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth;
heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

Lord's Prayer

LSB 196

C Our Father...

The Words of Our Lord

LSB 197

Pax Domini

LSB 197

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C Amen.

Agnus Dei

LSB 198

C O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of
the world, have mercy upon us.
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of
the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.

Distribution

“O Word of God Incarnate” #523

1 O Word of God incarnate,
O Wisdom from on high,
O Truth unchanged, unchanging,
O Light of our dark sky:
We praise You for the radiance
That from the hallowed page,
A lantern to our footsteps,
Shines on from age to age.

2 The Church from You, dear Master,
Received the gift divine;
And still that light is lifted
O'er all the earth to shine.
It is the chart and compass
That, all life's voyage through,
Mid mists and rocks and quicksands
Still guides, O Christ, to You.

3 O make Your Church, dear Savior,
A lamp of burnished gold
To bear before the nations
Your true light as of old!
O teach Your wand'ring pilgrims
By this their path to trace
Till, clouds and darkness ended,
They see You face to face!

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“Thy Body, Given for Me, O Savior” #619

1 Thy body, giv'n for me, O Savior,
Thy blood which Thou for me didst shed,
These are my life and strength forever,
By them my hungry soul is fed. Refrain

**Refrain: Lord, may Thy body and Thy blood
Be for my soul the highest good!**

2 With Thee, Lord, I am now united;
I live in Thee and Thou in me.
No sorrow fills my soul, delighted
It finds its only joy in Thee. Refrain

3 Who can condemn me now? For surely
The Lord is nigh, who justifies.
No hell I fear, and thus securely
With Jesus I to heaven rise. Refrain

4 Though death may threaten with disaster,
It cannot rob me of my cheer;
For He who is of death the master
With aid and comfort e'er is near. Refrain

5 My heart has now become Thy dwelling,
O blessèd, holy Trinity.
With angels I, Thy praises telling,
Shall live in joy eternally. Refrain

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“God Loved the World So That He Gave” #571

1 God loved the world so that He gave
His only Son the lost to save,
That all who would in Him believe
Should everlasting life receive.

2 Christ Jesus is the ground of faith,
Who was made flesh and suffered death;
All then who trust in Him alone
Are built on this chief cornerstone.

3 God would not have the sinner die;
His Son with saving grace is nigh;
His Spirit in the Word declares
How we in Christ are heaven's heirs.

4 Be of good cheer, for God's own Son
Forgives all sins which you have done;
And, justified by Jesus' blood,
Your Baptism grants the highest good.

5 If you are sick, if death is near,
This truth your troubled heart can cheer:
Christ Jesus saves your soul from death;
That is the firmest ground of faith.

△6 Glory to God the Father, Son,
And Holy Spirit, Three in One!
To You, O blessed Trinity,
Be praise now and eternally!

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Nunc Dimittis

LSB 199

☩ Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people, a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Thanksgiving

LSB 200

**☩ O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,
☩ and His mercy endureth forever.**

Post-Communion Collect

LSB 201

**☩ Let us pray. We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
☩ Amen.**

Salutation & Benedicamus

LSB 201

**☩ The Lord be with you.
☩ And with thy spirit.

☩ Bless we the Lord.
☩ Thanks be to God.**

Benediction

LSB 202

**☩ The Lord bless you...
☩ Amen, amen, amen.**

Closing Hymn "Praise the One Breaks the Darkness" #849

1 Praise the One who breaks the darkness
With a liberating light;
Praise the One who frees the pris'ners,
Turning blindness into sight.
Praise the One who preached the Gospel,
Healing ev'ry dread disease,
Calming storms, and feeding thousands
With the very Bread of peace.

2 Praise the One who blessed the children
With a strong, yet gentle, word;
Praise the One who drove out demons
With the piercing, two-edged sword.
Praise the One who brings cool water
To the desert's burning sand;
From this Well comes living water,
Quenching thirst in ev'ry land.

3 Let us praise the Word Incarnate,
Christ, who suffered in our place.
Jesus died and rose victorious
That we may know God by grace.
Let us sing for joy and gladness,
Seeing what our God has done;
Let us praise the true Redeemer,
Praise the One who makes us one.

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+To God Alone be the Glory+



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Happenings

Back to School Drive – Today is the last day to donate to Common Cup's annual back to school drive. Gift cards can be given to Dale Ewald. Cash or checks can be placed in your regular offering envelope—just be sure to write "School Supplies" or "Common Cup" on the outside of the envelope. Any way you choose to donate, your gift will be greatly appreciated.

Altar Guild - needs at least one or two more people to help with communion. If you are willing to help, please contact Roxann Siedschlag at 320-296-1629.

Men, You're Invited -to the 3rd Annual Spearhead Summit: "Blind Faith" on Saturday, August 15th at Hosanna Church in Mankato beginning at 8:15 a.m. Tickets are \$30 and include breakfast, teaching sessions, and worship. Guest speaker is Al Robertson from *Duck Dynasty*. For tickets, call 800-810-5559 or register at KinshipRadio.org.

It's Mowing Time – Thank you to everyone who volunteered to mow the lawn so far this summer. There are, however, multiple weekends in August and September that need someone to mow. Please look at the sign-up calendar on the bulletin board across from Pastor's office and claim your weekend today!

Thank you, thank you, and thank you - for all who donated items, food, money, time, skills, and for coming to join us at the Ice Cream Social, and to share the wonderful food and fellowship. It has been said before, but it is worth repeating; we could not have done this without your help! The money will be used for missions for people who will truly benefit from your generosity. The food was so yummy and your participation was wonderful. Praise to God for it all. OSL Women's Guild.

Schedule Change – Beginning the first week in September, Pastor's day off will change from Thursdays to Fridays.

Carol Urbach – wife of former vacancy pastor Don Urbach, will be turning 90 on August 25th. Their daughter, Kris, has asked if those who remember Carol would take a moment to send her a birthday card on her special day. It would bring her great joy to hear from some old friends. Her address is:

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Musical Notes - We have several opportunities to share this gift of music in our congregation. Please consider joining the music ministry at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in one or more of the following areas.

1. **Sing in the Choir** - Please raise your voice in song with us on Sunday mornings at 8:00 AM in the Commons. We usually sing once a month as well as at Christmas and Easter. Our rehearsals will begin on Sunday, September 13th.
2. **Ring in the Bell Choir** - Come ring bells with us. We usually play once a month as well as at Christmas and Easter. Our rehearsals begin on Wednesday, September 16th at 5:30 PM in the sanctuary. Please let me know if you are planning to come and have NOT played with us before. It helps me prepare the music for the number of ringers present!!
3. **Instruments** - If you play an instrument and would like to play in our Sunday services or for our festival services, please contact Shirlee Landskroener

If you have any questions or need more information, please contact Shirlee Landskroener at shirleedl@hotmail.com or (952) 913-0908.

THIS WEEK AT OUR SAVIOR'S

Sunday (8/9) **Loose Offering – Common Cup**

6:00 a.m. Lutheran Hour, WCCO 830 AM
7:00 a.m. Lutheran Hour, KGLB 1310 AM
9:00 a.m. Divine Service with Communion
10:00 a.m. Coffee Time
10:15 a.m. Education Hour
11:00 a.m. Cable TV Broadcast; Channel 8-Mediacom, Channel 10–Nuvera

Monday (8/10)

8:00 a.m. Bible Study

Tuesday (8/11)

9:00 a.m. ELC Chapel
9:30 a.m. Pastors' Greek
4:30 p.m. ELC Committee

Wednesday (8/12)

6:30 p.m. Midweek service (with communion 2nd & 4th Wednesdays)

Thursday (8/13) Pastor's Day Off

8:45 a.m. AbleLight
9:00 a.m. Pastors' Winkel

Friday (8/14)

5:00 p.m. Cable TV Broadcast; Channel 8-Mediacom, Channel 10–Nuvera

Saturday (8/15)

Sunday (8/16) **Loose Offering –Lutherans for Life**

6:00 a.m. Lutheran Hour, WCCO 830 AM
7:00 a.m. Lutheran Hour, KGLB 1310 AM
9:00 a.m. Divine Service with Communion
10:00 a.m. Coffee Time
10:15 a.m. Education Hour
11:00 a.m. Cable TV Broadcast; Channel 8-Mediacom, Channel 10–Nuvera

Today's Worship Leaders

Pastor: Rev. Daniel Gadbaw
Organist: Shirlee Landskroener
Elder: Jeff Siedschlag
Acolyte: Andrew Barchenger
Ushers: Group 2
Altar Guild: Barb Pischke

Next Week Worship Leaders

Elder: John Gillard
Acolyte: Paisley Rannow
Ushers: Group 2
Altar Guild: Barb Pischke

Happy Birthday This Week To:

Today, 8/9 Evan Metzger
Wednesday, 8/12 Wayne Kuehl, Jvonne Larson,
Kevin Mathews, Denise Stoll
Saturday, 8/15 Michelle Metzger

Happy Anniversary This Week To:

Monday, 8/10 Tyler & Ashley Buresh 7 Years