

Sunday, August 30, 2026; Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Our Savior's Lutheran Church

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Divine Service Four; LSB 203

**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 Our Savior's Lutheran:

One of my favorite moments in the life of Jesus is when He offers the woman at the well living water in John 4. "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is that is saying to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would have asked him, and he would have given you living water." The beauty of the exchange is that this Samaritan woman was actually looking for the Messiah, but she had no idea who she was talking to. And Jesus offers her water that becomes a spring inside the believer welling up to eternal life. Does Jesus offer this very same water today? Most certainly, as it was prophetic for Jesus to say, "If anyone thirsts, let him come to me and drink." Thirst and hunger, while normal human reactions, are also spiritual reactions to a sin filled world. Our souls hunger and thirst for the gifts of God, and Jesus reveals that those who believe in Him, "Out of his heart will flow rivers of living water." The Holy Spirit is the cause of this, as He is living and active in the very Scriptures that are proclaimed every Sunday. Thus, the Lord's holy sanctuary becomes an oasis as springs of living water flow freely by the grace of God!

Opening Hymn: "Jesus, Lead Thou On" #718

1 Jesus, lead Thou on
Till our rest is won;
And although the way be cheerless,
We will follow calm and fearless.
Guide us by Thy hand
To our fatherland.

2 If the way be drear,
If the foe be near,
Let not faithless fears o'ertake us;
Let not faith and hope forsake us;
For through many a woe
To our home we go.

3 When we seek relief
From a long-felt grief,
When temptations come alluring,
Make us patient and enduring.
Show us that bright shore
Where we weep no more.

4 Jesus, lead Thou on
Till our rest is won.
Heav'nly leader, still direct us,
Still support, console, protect us,
Till we safely stand
In our fatherland.

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Confession and Absolution

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

C Amen.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C who made heaven and earth.

P If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

C But with You there is forgiveness; therefore, You are feared.

P Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

C Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.

P Almighty God ...

C Amen.

+ Service of the Word +

Introit

Delight yourself | in the LORD,*

and he will give you the desires | of your heart.

Commit your way | to the LORD,*

trust in him, and | he will act.

He will bring forth your righteousness | as the light,*

and your justice as the | noonday.

Be still before the LORD and wait patiently | for him;*

fret not yourself over the one who prospers in his way, over the man who carries out evil de- | vices!

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.

Delight yourself | in the LORD,*

and he will give you the desires | of your heart.

Kyrie

LSB 204

C Lord, have mercy;
Christ, have mercy;
Lord, have mercy.

C

**1 To God on high be glory
And peace to all the earth;
Goodwill from God in heaven
Proclaimed at Jesus' birth!
We praise and bless You, Father;
Your holy name, we sing—
Our thanks for Your great glory,
Lord God, our heav'nly King.**

**2 To You, O sole-begotten,
The Father's Son, we pray;
O Lamb of God, our Savior,
You take our sins away.
Have mercy on us, Jesus;
Receive our heartfelt cry,
Where You in pow'r are seated
At God's right hand on high—**

**3 For You alone are holy;
You only are the Lord.
Forever and forever,
Be worshiped and adored;
You with the Holy Spirit
Alone are Lord Most High,
In God the Father's glory.
"Amen!" our glad reply.**

Text: Stephen P. Starke

Salutation and Collect of the Day**P** The Lord be with you.**C** And also with you.

P Let us pray. Almighty God, Your Son willingly endured the agony and shame of the cross for our redemption. Grant us courage to take up our cross daily and follow Him wherever He leads; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.**Old Testament Reading****Jeremiah 15:15-21**

O LORD, you know; remember me and visit me, and take vengeance for me on my persecutors. In your forbearance take me not away; know that for your sake I bear reproach.

Your words were found, and I ate them, and your words became to me a joy and the delight of my heart, for I am called by your name, O LORD, God of hosts. I did not sit in the company of revelers, nor did I rejoice; I sat alone, because your hand was upon me, for you had filled me with indignation. Why is my pain unceasing, my wound incurable, refusing to be healed? Will you be to me like a deceitful brook, like waters that fail? Therefore thus says the LORD:

"If you return, I will restore you, and you shall stand before me. If you utter what is precious, and not what is worthless, you shall be as my mouth. They shall turn to you, but you shall not turn to them. And I will make you to this people a fortified wall of bronze; they will fight against you, but they shall not prevail over you, for I am with you to save you and deliver you, declares the LORD. I will deliver you out of the hand of the wicked, and redeem you from the grasp of the ruthless."

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 12:9-21

Let love be genuine. Abhor what is evil; hold fast to what is good. Love one another with brotherly affection. Outdo one another in showing honor. Do not be slothful in zeal, be fervent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints and seek to show hospitality.

Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Live in harmony with one another. Do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly. Never be conceited. Repay no one evil for evil, but give thought to do what is honorable in the sight of all. If possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave it to the wrath of God, for it is written, "Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord." To the contrary, "if your enemy is hungry, feed him; if he is thirsty, give him something to drink; for by so doing you will heap burning coals on his head." Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

R This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Alleluia and Verse

C Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

C These things are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God.

C Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Holy Gospel

Matthew 16:21-28

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

C Glory to You, O Lord.

From that time Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and suffer many things from the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, "Far be it from you, Lord! This shall never happen to you." But he turned and said to Peter, "Get behind me, Satan! You are a hindrance to me. For you are not setting your mind on the things of God, but on the things of man."

Then Jesus told his disciples, "If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me. For whoever would save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will find it. For what will it profit a man if he gains the whole world and forfeits his life? Or what shall a man give in return for his life? For the Son of Man is going to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay each person according to what he has done. Truly, I say to you, there are some standing here who will not taste death until they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

Nicene Creed

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C I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Hymn of the Day “Hail, Thou Once Despised Jesus” #531

1 Hail, Thou once despised Jesus!
Hail, Thou Galilean King!
Thou didst suffer to release us;
Thou didst free salvation bring.
Hail, Thou universal Savior,
Bearer of our sin and shame!
By Thy merit we find favor:
Life is given through Thy name.

2 Paschal Lamb, by God appointed,
All our sins on Thee were laid;
By almighty love anointed,
Thou hast full atonement made.
All Thy people are forgiven
Through the virtue of Thy blood;
Opened is the gate of heaven,
Reconciled are we with God.

3 Jesus, hail! Enthroned in glory,
There forever to abide;
All the heav’nly hosts adore Thee,
Seated at Thy Father’s side.
There for sinners Thou art pleading;
There Thou dost our place prepare,
Ever for us interceding
Till in glory we appear.

4 Worship, honor, pow’r, and blessing
Thou art worthy to receive;
Highest praises, without ceasing,
Right it is for us to give.
Help, ye bright angelic spirits,
All your noblest anthems raise;
Help to sing our Savior’s merits,
Help to chant Immanuel’s praise!

Text (sts. 1, 3–4): Hymns Addressed to the Holy, Holy, Holy, Triune God, 1757, London, alt.; (sts. 2–4): A Collection of Psalms and Hymns, 1760, London, alt.
Text: Public domain

Sermon

Offering

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

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

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P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Lift up your hearts.

C We lift them 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 truly good, right, and salutary ... You and saying:

Sanctus

LSB 208

C Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth adored;
Heav'n and earth with full acclaim shout the glory of Your name.
Sing hosanna in the highest, sing hosanna to the Lord;
Truly blest is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

Lord's Prayer

LSB 209

C Our Father...

The Words of Our Lord

LSB 209

Pax Domini

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P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C Amen.

Agnus Dei

LSB 210

C

1 O Jesus Christ, true
Lamb of God,
You take the sin of the world away;
O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
Have mercy on us, Lord, we pray.

2 O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
You take the sin of the world away;
Have mercy on us, Jesus Christ,
And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.

Distribution

“All for Christ I Have Forsaken” #753

1 All for Christ I have forsaken
And have taken up my cross;
Worldly joy, its fame and fortune,
Now I count as worthless dross.

2 Who is sweeter than Christ Jesus?
No good thing in Him I lack!
Hand to plow, at peace I follow
Where He leads me . . . why look back?

3 Gone the past, unknown the future—
Grace supplies my daily breath;
Strong in Christ through death’s dark valley,
Firm and faithful unto death.

4 When God takes me home to heaven,
Should this be the day I die,
God will keep my spouse and children
As the apple of His eye.

5 Though the road ahead be thorny,
Though dark clouds all light obscure,
Though my cross-shaped path grows steeper,
With the Lord, I am secure.

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“Lord Jesus Christ, You Have Prepared” #622

1 Lord Jesus Christ, You have prepared
This feast for our salvation;
It is Your body and Your blood,
And at Your invitation
As weary souls, with sin oppressed,
We come to You for needed rest,
For comfort, and for pardon.

2 Although You did to heav’n ascend,
Where angel hosts are dwelling,
And in Your presence they behold
Your glory, all excelling,
And though Your people shall not see
Your glory and Your majesty
Till dawns the judgment morning,

3 Yet, Savior, You are not confined
To any habitation;
But You are present even now
Here with Your congregation.
Firm as a rock this truth shall stand,
Unmoved by any daring hand
Or subtle craft and cunning.

4 We eat this bread and drink this cup,
Your precious Word believing
That Your true body and Your blood
Our lips are here receiving.
This Word remains forever true;
All things are possible with You,
For You are Lord Almighty.

5 Though reason cannot understand,
Yet faith this truth embraces:
Your body, Lord, is even now
At once in many places.
I leave to You how this can be;
Your Word alone suffices me;
I trust its truth unailing.

6 Lord, I believe what You have said;
Help me when doubts assail me.
Remember that I am but dust,
And let my faith not fail me.
Your supper in this vale of tears
Refreshes me and stills my fears
And is my priceless treasure.

7 Grant that we worthily receive
Your supper, Lord, our Savior,
And, truly grieving for our sins,
May prove by our behavior
That we are thankful for Your grace
And day by day may run our race,
In holiness increasing.

8 For Your consoling supper, Lord,
Be praised throughout all ages!
Preserve it, for in ev’ry place
The world against it rages.
Grant that this sacrament may be
A blessed comfort unto me
When living and when dying.

Text: Samuel Kinner, 1603–68; tr. Emanuel Cronenwett, 1841–1931, alt.
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“Be Still, My Soul, before the Lord” #771

1 Be still, my soul, before the Lord,
For God is always near.
Before your mind is moved to pray,
God listens and will hear.

2 You need not multiply your words
Nor pray with practiced art.
Beyond all speech, God understands
The hunger of your heart.

3 Wait, then, in quiet confidence,
Your anxious thoughts at rest.
God knows your needs before you ask
And works for what is best.

4 Be still, my soul, before the Lord;
On God in patience wait.
God’s love, unseen, surrounds your life;
God’s help will not be late.

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Nunc Dimittis

C 1 O Lord, now let Your servant
Depart in heav’nly peace,
For I have seen the glory
Of Your redeeming grace:
A light to lead the Gentiles
Unto Your holy hill,
The glory of Your people,
Your chosen Israel.

LSB 211

2 All glory to the Father,
All glory to the Son,
All glory to the Spirit,
Forever Three in One;
For as in the beginning,
Is now, shall ever be,
God’s triune name resounding
Through all eternity.

Post-Communion Collect

P 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.
C Amen.

LSB 212

Benedicamus

P Let us bless the Lord.
C Thanks be to God.

LSB 212

Benediction

P The Lord ...
C Amen.

LSB 212

Closing Hymn: “Christ Be My Leader” #861

1 Christ be my Leader by night as by day;
Safe through the darkness, for He is the way.
Gladly I follow, my future His care,
Darkness is daylight when Jesus is there.

2 Christ be my Teacher in age as in youth,
Drifting or doubting, for He is the truth.
Grant me to trust Him; though shifting as sand,
Doubt cannot daunt me; in Jesus I stand.

3 Christ be my Savior in calm as in strife;
Death cannot hold me, for He is the life.
Nor darkness nor doubting nor sin and its stain
Can touch my salvation: with Jesus I reign.

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+To God Alone be the Glory+



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Bulletin Bloopers -

Pastor will be on vacation next week. The church secretary is happy to take massages while he is gone.

Happenings

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

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 or (952) 913-0908 or shirleedl@hotmail.com.

Mark Your Calendar! - First Lutheran Church in Glencoe is hosting a salad luncheon on Friday, September 25th, from 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM. More information to follow.

Fall Kick Off – is coming! Many of our programs that were on hiatus over the summer will be resuming in September. Watch the upcoming bulletins and newsletter for more information.

Parents of College Students and Military Personnel – Please submit your child's address to the church office. We would love to keep in touch with them and send them words of encouragement while they are away.

Labor Day – is Monday, September 7th. The office and the ELC will be closed for the holiday.

New Room - Roxann Field has been moved to room 155 in the Fern Pathway neighborhood at Harmony River. This is in the memory care assisted living area.

Rally Sunday – is fast approaching (Sunday, September 13th) and we need your help to make it another successful event. There is a sign-up sheet located on the doors in the hallway near the bookstore. We are looking for food donations as well as lots of helping hands. We plan on eating around 11:15 a.m. – immediately following education hour. Please sign up to help as you are able. 😊

B-I-N-G-O!! – There will be Bingo following the Rally Day dinner. Plan to stay for fellowship and the chance to win a prize!

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•	Mavis Abraham	Strength and healing
•	Mary Anderson	Strength and healing following surgery
•	Eric Bach	Health concerns
•	Alice Boller	Strength and healing
•	Vonnie Broten	Strength and healing
•	Wayne Dahl	Multiple Myeloma
•	(Friend of Vicki Lee-Lasley)	
•	Mary Hyatt	Cancer
•	(Sister of Nancy Hecksel)	
•	Sharon Jenkins	Strength and healing
•	Dave Lee	Strength and healing
•	Randy Lee	Brain injury
•	(Son of Vicki Lasley and Nephew of Tom & Gwen Dahl)	
•	Family of Becky Mathews	Death of her sister, Lori McElmury
•	Jennifer Rohy	Cancer/Chemotherapy
•	(Sister of Dave Rohy)	
•	Pearl Schwarz	Strength and healing
•	Marlin Schauer	Healing from back surgery
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•	IF YOU HAVE ANY PRAYER CONCERNS:	
•	Please fill out a prayer request form found at the Prayer Box at the	
•	back of the church and drop it in the Prayer Box or in the collection	
•	plate. Please remember to call the church office 587-3318 when you or	
•	a family member or friend is sufficiently healed to be removed from	
•	the list. Thank you.	
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Next Week's Readings:

Ezekiel 33:7-9

Romans 13:1-10

Matthew 18:1-20

This Week's Highlights

Sunday (8/30) **Loose Offering – Red Stocking**

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 (8/31)

8:00 a.m. Bible Study

Tuesday (9/1)

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

Wednesday (9/2)

6:30 p.m. Midweek service

Thursday (9/3)

4:30 p.m. ELC Committee

Friday (9/4) **Pastor's Day Off**

1:30 p.m. Friendship Club
5:00 p.m. Cable TV Broadcast; Channel 8-Mediacom, Channel 10–Nuvera

Saturday (9/5)

Sunday (9/6) **Loose Offering – Habitat for Humanity**

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

Next Week's Worship Leaders

Elder: Jeff Siedschlag
Acolyte: Seth Gadbaw
Ushers: Group 4
Altar Guild: Darlene Kuehl/Jackie Morris

Today's Worship Leaders

Pastor: Rev. Daniel Gadbaw
Organist: Shirlee Landskroener
Elder: John Gillard
Acolyte: John Gillard
Ushers: Group 2
Altar Guild: Barb Pischke/Sandy Stuber/Brenda Zackrison

Happy Birthday This Week To:

Friday, 9/4 Mike Metzger, Mike Niesche

Happy Anniversary This Week To:

Wednesday, 9/2 John & Gail Gillard 48 Years