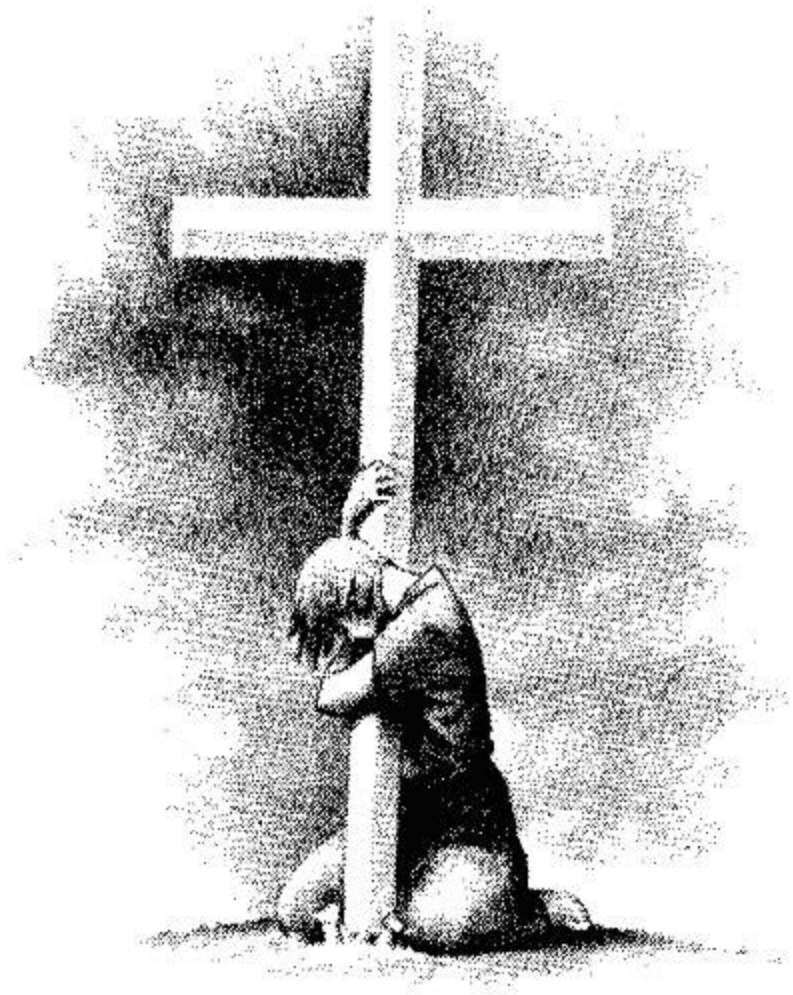


Faith Lutheran Church
August 28th 2022



WELCOME

Thank you for worshipping with us today.
Please sign the guest register in the entry
as you leave the church today.

TODAY'S SERVICE

August 28th, 2022

Liturgy: Common Service

Speaker: Jonah Albrecht

Organist: Ann Sprengeler

PRE-SERVICE DEVOTION

Psalm 131

1 My heart is not proud, LORD, my eyes are not haughty; I do not concern myself with great matters or things too wonderful for me. 2 But I have calmed and quieted myself, I am like a weaned child with its mother; like a weaned child I am content. 3 Israel, put your hope in the LORD both now and forevermore.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

#4 "God Himself is Present"

by: Gerhardt Tersteegen (1729)

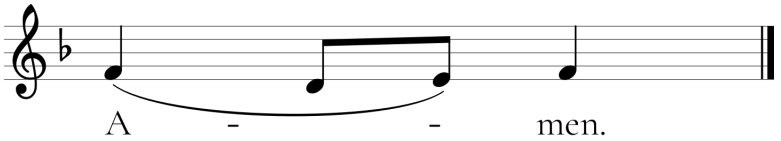
1 God Himself is present: Let us now adore Him
And with awe appear before Him.
God is in His temple— All within keep silence,
Prostrate lie with deepest rev'rence.
Him alone God we own,
Him, our God and Savior;
Praise His name forever.

2 God himself is present:
Hear the harps resounding;
See the hosts the throne surrounding!
"Holy, holy, holy"— Hear the hymn ascending,
Songs of saints and angels blending.
Bow thine ear To us here:
Hear, O Christ, the praises
That Thy Church now raises.

3 O Thou Fount of blessing, Purify my spirit,
Trusting only in Thy merit. Like the holy angels,
Who behold Thy glory,
May I ceaselessly adore Thee.
Let Thy will Ever still
Rule Thy Church terrestrial
As the hosts celestial

INVOCATION

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



CONFESSION OF SINS

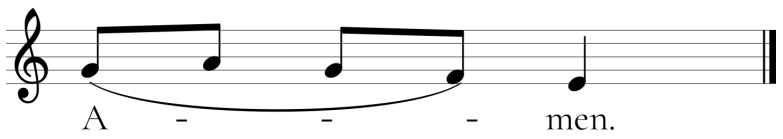
p Beloved of God: let us draw near with a true heart
and confess our sins to God our Father, asking
Him, in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to
grant us forgiveness.

all Holy and merciful Father, I confess that I am by nature sinful and that I have disobeyed you in my thoughts, words, and actions. I have done what is evil and failed to do what is good. for this I deserve your punishment both now and in eternity. But I am truly sorry for my sins, and trusting in my Savior Jesus Christ, I pray: Lord, have mercy on me, a sinner.



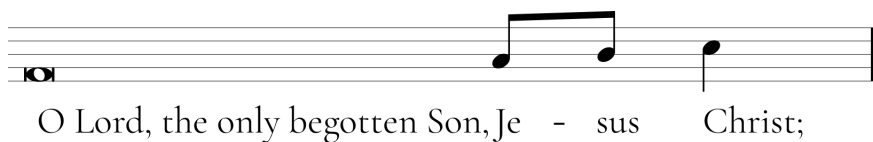
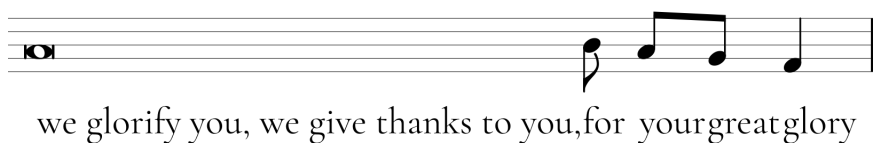
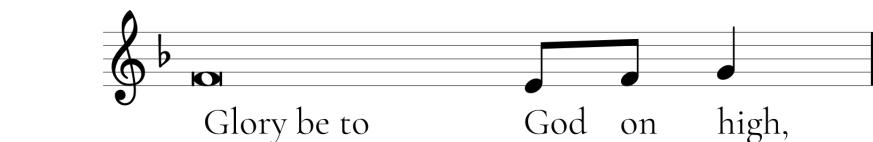
Lord, have mer-cy on us, Christ, have mer -
cy on us, Lord, have mer - cy on us.

p God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given His only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.



A - - - men.

p In the peace of forgiveness, let us praise the Lord.





you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.



You take away the sin of the world; receive our prayer.



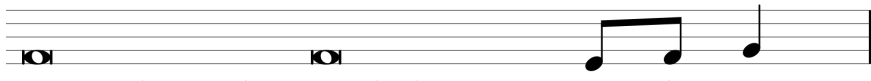
You sit at the right hand of God the Father;



have mercy on us, For you only are holy;



you only are the Lord.



You only, O Christ, with the Holy Spirit,

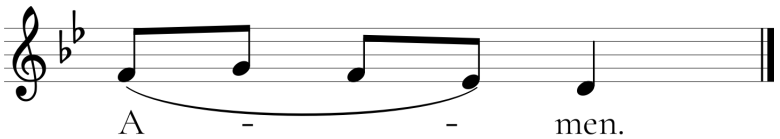


are most high in the glory of God the Father. A-men.

p The Lord be with you.



p Let us pray . . . Oh Lord, of grace and mercy, teach us by Your Holy Spirit to follow the example of your Son in true humility, that we may withstand the temptations of the devil and with pure hearts and minds avoid ungodly pride; through the same Jesus Christ , our lord who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



THE WORD

Proverbs 25:2-10 ² *It is the glory of God to conceal a matter, But the glory of kings is to search out a matter.* ³ *As the heavens for height and the earth for depth, So the heart of kings is unsearchable.* ⁴ *Take away the dross from*

silver, And it will go to the silversmith *for* jewelry. ⁵ Take away the wicked from before the king, And his throne will be established in righteousness. ⁶ Do not exalt yourself in the presence of the king, And do not stand in the place of the great; ⁷ For *it is* better that he say to you, "Come up here," Than that you should be put lower in the presence of the prince, Whom your eyes have seen. ⁸ Do not go hastily to court; For what will you do in the end, When your neighbor has put you to shame? ⁹ Debate your case with your neighbor, And do not disclose the secret to another; ¹⁰ Lest he who hears *it* expose your shame, And your reputation be ruined.

Hebrews 13:1-17 Let brotherly love continue. ² Do not forget to entertain strangers, for by so *doing* some have unwittingly entertained angels. ³ Remember the prisoners as if chained with them-- those who are mistreated-- since you yourselves are in the body also. ⁴ Marriage *is* honorable among all, and the bed undefiled; but fornicators and adulterers God will judge. ⁵ *Let your* conduct *be* without covetousness; *be* content with such things as you have. For He Himself has said, "I will never leave you nor forsake

you." ⁶ So we may boldly say: "The LORD is my helper; I will not fear. What can man do to me?" ⁷ Remember those who rule over you, who have spoken the word of God to you, whose faith follow, considering the outcome of *their* conduct. ⁸ Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever. ⁹ Do not be carried about with various and strange doctrines. For *it is* good that the heart be established by grace, not with foods which have not profited those who have been occupied with them. ¹⁰ We have an altar from which those who serve the tabernacle have no right to eat. ¹¹ For the bodies of those animals, whose blood is brought into the sanctuary by the high priest for sin, are burned outside the camp. ¹² Therefore Jesus also, that He might sanctify the people with His own blood, suffered outside the gate. ¹³ Therefore let us go forth to Him, outside the camp, bearing His reproach. ¹⁴ For here we have no continuing city, but we seek the one to come. ¹⁵ Therefore by Him let us continually offer the sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of *our* lips, giving thanks to His name. ¹⁶ But do not forget to do good and to share, for with such sacrifices God is well pleased. ¹⁷ Obey those who rule over you, and be submissive, for they watch out for your souls, as those who must give account. Let them

do so with joy and not with grief, for that would be unprofitable for you.

p Blessed are they who hear the Word of God and keep it!



THE NICENE CREED

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 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.

AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM

Finley Arden Krueger

#409 "Let Us Ever Walk With Jesus"

by Sigmund Von Birken

1 Let us ever walk with Jesus,
Follow His example pure,
Flee the world, which would deceive us
And to sin our souls allure.
Ever in His footsteps treading,
Body here, yet soul above,
Full of faith and hope and love,
Let us do the Father's bidding.
Faithful Lord, abide with me;
Savior, lead, I follow Thee.

2 Let us suffer here with Jesus,
To His image e'er conform;
Heaven's glory soon will please us,
Sunshine follow on the storm.
Tho' we sow in tears of sorrow,
We shall reap with heav'nly joy;
And the fears that now annoy
Shall be laughter on the morrow.
Christ, I suffer here with Thee;
There, oh, share Thy joy with me!

3 Let us also die with Jesus.
His death from the second death,
From our soul's destruction, frees us,
Quickens us with life's glad breath.
Let us mortify, while living,
Flesh and blood and die to sin;
And the grave that shuts us in
Shall but prove the gate to heaven.
Jesus, here I die to Thee
There to live eternally.

4 Let us gladly live with Jesus;
Since He's risen from the dead,
Death and grave must soon release us.
Jesus, Thou art now our Head,
We are truly Thine own members;
Where Thou livest, there live we.
Take and own us constantly,
Faithful Friend, as Thy dear brethren.
Jesus, here I live to Thee,
Also there eternally.

SERMON

Luke 14:7-14 7 When he noticed how the guests picked the places of honor at the table, he told them this parable: 8 “When someone invites you to a wedding feast, do not take the place of honor, for a person more distinguished than you may have been invited. 9 If so, the host who invited both of you will come and say to you, ‘Give this person your seat.’ Then, humiliated, you will have to take the least important place. 10 But when you are invited, take the lowest place, so that when your host comes, he will say to you, ‘Friend, move up to a better place.’ Then you will be honored in the presence of all the other guests. 11 For all those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted.” 12 Then Jesus said to his host, “When you give a luncheon or dinner, do not invite your friends, your brothers or sisters, your relatives, or your rich neighbors; if you do, they may invite you back and so you will be repaid. 13 But when you give a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind, 14 and you will be blessed. Although they cannot repay you, you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous.

ONLY JESUS HAS TRUE HUMILITY

By nature we are only able to produce a false humility before God. Only Jesus displays true humility. By His great love and mercy that humility is given to us and because of His humility we will be exalted by God in the resurrection of the just.

(sermon worksheet on page 31)



Create in me a clean heart, O God,



and re - new a right spir - it with - in me.



Cast me not a - way from your pres - ence, and



take not your Ho - ly Spir - it from me. Re - store un - to



me the joy of your sal - va - tion, and up -



hold me with your free Spir - it. A - men.

#311:1,2,4 "Jesus Christ, Our Blessed Savior"

by John Huss, 1415

1 Jesus Christ, our blessed Savior,
Turned away God's wrath forever;
By His bitter grief and woe
He saved us from the evil Foe.

2 As His pledge of love undying
He, this precious food supplying,
Gives His body with the bread
And with the wine the blood He shed.

4. Praise the Father, who from heaven
Unto us such food hath given
And, to mend what we have done,
Gave into death His only Son.

OFFERING HYMN #792

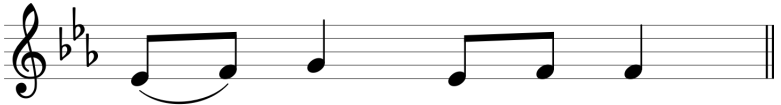
Let all things now living a song of thanksgiving
To God the creator triumphantly raise.
Who fashioned and made us, protected and stayed us,
Who still guides us on to the end of our days.
His banners are o'er us, His light goes before us,
A pillar of fire shining forth in the night.
Till shadows have vanished and darkness is banished
As forward we travel from light into light.

Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

all 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.

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

p The Lord be with you.



And al - so with you.

p Lift up your hearts.



We lift them up un - to the Lord.

p Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.



It is good and right so to do.

p It is truly good and right that we should at all times and in all places give you thanks, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who promised that wherever two or three come together in His name, there He is with them to shepherd His flock till He comes again in glory. Therefore, with all the saints on earth and hosts of heaven, we praise your holy name and join their glorious song;

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord
 God of heav - en - ly hosts; heav'n and earth are full
 of your glo - ry. Hosan - na, ho-san - na, ho-san-na
 in the high - est. bless-ed is he, bless-ed is he,
 bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
 Hosan - na, ho-san - na, ho-san-na in the high - est.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

p Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night He was betrayed, took bread; and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to His disciples, saying, “Take and eat; This is My body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of Me.”

Then He took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, “Drink from it, all of you; this is My blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

The peace of the Lord be with you always!



O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a-way the



sin of the world; have mer - cy on us.



O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the

sin of the world; have mer - cy on us.

O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the

world; grant us your peace. A - - men.

THE DISTRIBUTION

Prayers for before and after communion are available on page 118 of your hymnal.

Lord, now you let your servant depart in peace

ac - cord - ing to your word.

For my eyes have seen your salvation, which you have

prepared be - fore the face of all people,
 a light to light-en the Gen - tiles and the
 glo - ry of your peo-ple Is - ra-el.

THANKSGIVING

p O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good.

And his mercy endures for - ev - er.

p We give thanks, almighty God, that you have re-
 freshed us with this holy supper. We pray that
 through it you will strengthen our faith in you and
 increase our love for one another. We ask this in the
 name of Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and
 reigns with you the Holy Spirit, one God, now and
 forever.

A - - - men.

THE BENEDICTION

p The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.



#764 "God of Grace and God of Glory"

by: Henry E. Fosdick (1878-1969)

1 God of grace and God of glory,
on your people pour your pow'r;
crown your ancient Church's story,
bring its bud to glorious flow'r.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage
for the facing of this hour, for the facing of this hour.

2 Lo, the hosts of evil round us
scorn the Christ, assail his ways.
From the fears that long have bound us
free our hearts to faith and praise.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage
for the living of these days, for the living of these days.

3 Cure your children's warring madness;
bend our pride to your control;
shame our wanton, selfish gladness,
rich in things and poor in soul.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage
lest we miss your kingdom's goal,
lest we miss your kingdom's goal.

4 Save us from weak resignation
to the evils we deplore;
let the gift of your salvation
be our glory evermore.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage
serving you whom we adore,
serving you whom we adore.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, August 28

9 am Communion Service
4pm Bingo Night

Monday, August 29

7 pm Communion Service - Last
Monday Night Service

Sunday, September 4

9 am Worship Service

UPCOMING EVENTS

August 28 – 4pm Bingo Night

August 29 – Last Monday night service

September 6 - School Starts

September 11 – Sunday School
Teacher Installation, Sunday School
and Bible class resume

COUNTERS

This Week Team # 2

Lynn Dumke, Keith Dickerson

Next Week Team # 3

David Dillie, Darren Dillie

USHERS FOR AUGUST

Sundays

John Bobek , Kent Quade, Andy
Reyes, Bill Herbst

Mondays

Ryan Krueger, Bob Kirst, Dennis
Jones, Lynn Dumke

USHERS FOR SEPTEMBER

Jeff Jones, Mike Dumke,
Clay Bobek, Jeremy Bobek

FRUITS OF FAITH (AUGUST 21)

Sunday Service – 38
Monday Service - 23

General - \$2344
Missions - \$95
School - \$20

In memory of Ruth Pamerter \$
20.00 to Stained Glass Fund

In memory of Ruth Pamerter \$
25.00 to Kitchen Fund

In memory of Doris Walker \$ 75.00
to Building Fund

Building - \$200.00 for Boiler

ILC BOOKS

Books from the Book House at ILC are for sale on the table by the bubbler.

BINGO NIGHT

August 28th is Bingo night. Everyone coming to play should bring ONE candy bar for prizes. We will also be having a potluck during the game. For more information contact Lisa Reyes.

SS TEACHERS NEEDED

We need help with Sunday School for the coming school year. Especially we are looking for someone to teach the preschool age Sunday school group. If you think you can serve the Lord in this way please talk to the pastor.

FINANCES

We need \$5,000 for a new boiler. There is a basket in the back of the church.

CLEANING THE CHURCH

Thank you so very much to those wonderful people who helped with cleaning the school. The high parts (lights) in the kitchen and cafeteria still need to be done.

FAITH GEAR

Looking to order some Faith gear? Then check this out! Faith will be having an online store starting on 8/21 through 9/4. If you try to access the store prior to 8/21 it will be closed. If you have any questions please reach out to Korlea Thiem. The link to the store is: <http://cvsports.chipply.com/faithschool22>

SE WOMEN'S RETREAT

The women of the Southeastern Conference of the CLC will be hosting a women's retreat at Myrtle Beach, SC October 7-9, 2022. Any CLC women who would like to join us (as well as any friends you would like to bring) can obtain a registration form from their pastor or can find it on the "CLC Southeastern Women's Retreat Information" Facebook page. The registration deadline is September 1, 2022.

MAN UP

WHEN: September 22-25, 2022

WHERE: Wyalusing State Park near

Prairie du Chien, WI Registration:

\$75 (\$150 after August 31)

Deadline: August 31, 2022

manup.clclutheran.org

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Deuteronomy 30:15-20

Psalms 1

Philemon 1-21

Luke 14:25-35

CALL NEWS

Pastor James Albrecht of St. John's Lutheran Church, Okabena, MN, *is still considering* the call to Immanuel Lutheran Church, Winter Haven, FL.

Pastor Neal Radichel of Immanuel Lutheran Church, Mankato, MN, *has returned* the call to Redemption Lutheran Church, Lynnwood, WA

Sermon Worksheet - Luke 14:7-14

1. What is Humility? What is False Humility?
2. How do the Pharisees show false humility?
3. Who is the one who ultimately humbles and exalts?
4. What kind of humility do I exemplify by nature?
5. How did Jesus show true humility?
6. How do we receive Jesus' humility?



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