

Faith Lutheran Church
July 2nd 2023

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

July 2nd 2023

Liturgy: Setting One, WS page 1

Speaker:

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Organist:

Pamela Schulz

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PRE-SERVICE DEVOTION

Psalm 119:153-160

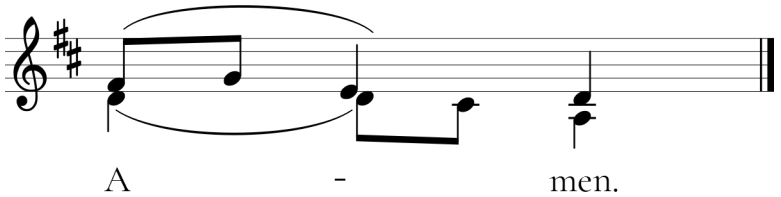
Consider my affliction and deliver me, For I do not forget Your law. ¹⁵⁴ Plead my cause and redeem me; Revive me according to Your word. ¹⁵⁵ Salvation is far from the wicked, For they do not seek Your statutes. ¹⁵⁶ Great are Your tender mercies, O LORD; Revive me according to Your judgments. ¹⁵⁷ Many are my persecutors and my enemies, Yet I do not turn from Your testimonies. ¹⁵⁸ I see the treacherous, and am disgusted, Because they do not keep Your word. ¹⁵⁹ Consider how I love Your precepts; Revive me, O LORD, according to Your lovingkindness. ¹⁶⁰ The entirety of Your word is truth, And every one of Your righteous judgments endures forever.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

1:1-3 Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty

INVOCATION

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



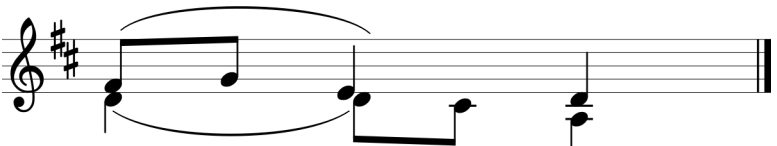
CONFESSION OF SINS

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 Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer: we confess that we are sinful by nature, and have sinned against

You in our thoughts, words, and actions. We have not loved You above all things. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Have mercy on us, and, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ, forgive us our sins.

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.



Lord, have mercy on us. Christ, have mercy



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



Glo-ry to God in the high - est, and
peace to all peo-ple on earth. Lord God,
heav-enly king, al - might - y God and Fa - ther; We
wor - ship You, we give You thanks, we
praise You for Your glory. Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly
Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God:
You take away the sin of the world; have mer-cy on
us. You are seated at the right hand of the Fa-ther; re-

ceiveour prayer For You alone are the Ho-ly One,
 You alone are the Lord, You alone are the Most High,
 Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it, in the glo-ry of
 God the Fa - ther. A - men.

p Let us pray . . . Almighty God, by the working of Your Holy Spirit, grant that we may gladly hear Your Word proclaimed among us and follow its directing; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with the You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

A - men.

THE WORD

Jeremiah 28:5-9 ⁵ Then the prophet Jeremiah spoke to the prophet Hananiah in the presence of the priests and in the presence of all the people who stood in the house of the LORD, ⁶ and the prophet Jeremiah said, "Amen! The LORD do so; the LORD perform your words which you have prophesied, to bring back the vessels of the LORD'S house and all who were carried away captive, from Babylon to this place. ⁷ "Nevertheless hear now this word that I speak in your hearing and in the hearing of all the people: ⁸ "The prophets who have been before me and before you of old prophesied against many countries and great kingdoms-- of war and disaster and pestilence. ⁹ "As for the prophet who prophesies of peace, when the word of the prophet comes to pass, the prophet will be known *as* one whom the LORD has truly sent."

Romans 7:1-13 Or do you not know, brethren (for I speak to those who know the law), that the law has dominion over a man as long as he lives? ² For the woman who has a husband is bound by the law to *her* husband as long as he

lives. But if the husband dies, she is released from the law of *her* husband. ³ So then if, while *her* husband lives, she marries another man, she will be called an adulteress; but if her husband dies, she is free from that law, so that she is no adulteress, though she has married another man. ⁴ Therefore, my brethren, you also have become dead to the law through the body of Christ, that you may be married to another-- to Him who was raised from the dead, that we should bear fruit to God. ⁵ For when we were in the flesh, the sinful passions which were aroused by the law were at work in our members to bear fruit to death. ⁶ But now we have been delivered from the law, having died to what we were held by, so that we should serve in the newness of the Spirit and not *in* the oldness of the letter. ⁷ What shall we say then? *Is* the law sin? Certainly not! On the contrary, I would not have known sin except through the law. For I would not have known covetousness unless the law had said, "You shall not covet!" ⁸ But sin, taking opportunity by the commandment, produced in me all *manner of evil* desire. For apart from the law sin *was* dead. ⁹ I was alive once without the law, but when the commandment came, sin revived and I died. ¹⁰ And the commandment, which *was* to *bring* life, I found to *bring* death.

¹¹ For sin, taking occasion by the commandment, deceived me, and by it killed *me*. ¹² Therefore the law is holy, and the commandment holy and just and good. ¹³ Has then what is good become death to me? Certainly not! But sin, that it might appear sin, was producing death in me through what is good, so that sin through the commandment might become exceedingly sinful.

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



Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia!



These words are written that we may believe that



Je-sus is the Christ, the Son of God.



Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia!

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe 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 is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there 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 Sermon

769 Lift High the Cross (MFH 90)

SERMON

Matthew 10:34-42 ³⁴ "Do not think that I came to bring peace on earth. I did not come to bring peace but a sword.
³⁵ "For I have come to 'set a man against his father, a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law'; ³⁶ "and 'a man's enemies *will be* those of his *own* household!'
³⁷ "He who loves father or mother more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he who loves son or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me.
³⁸ "And he who does not take his cross and follow after Me is not worthy of Me. ³⁹ "He who finds his life will lose it, and he who loses his life for My sake will find it. ⁴⁰ "He who receives you receives Me, and he who receives Me receives Him who sent Me. ⁴¹ "He who receives a prophet in the name of a prophet shall receive a prophet's reward. And he who receives a righteous man in the name of a righteous man shall receive a righteous man's reward. ⁴² "And whoever gives one of these little ones only a cup of cold *water* in the name of a disciple, assuredly, I say to you, he shall by no means lose his reward."

CHRIST HAS CUT US OFF

From Sin | From Temptation | For Himself

(Worksheet page 18)



Create in me a cleanheart, O



God. Re - new a right spir-it with - in me. Cast me



not a - way from Your presence; take not Your Ho-ly



Spir-it from me. Re - store to me the joy of Your sal-



va - - - tion. Up -



hold me with Your free Spir - it.

409 Let Us Ever Walk With Jesus

OFFERING HYMN #572:4

As Thy prospering hand hath blest,
May we give Thee all our best
And by deeds of kindly love
For Thy mercies grateful prove,
Singing thus through all our days
Praise to God, immortal praise.

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.

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.



261 Lord Keep Us Steadfast in Thy Word (MFH 97)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, July 2

9am Worship Service

Monday, July 3

7pm Worship Service

Sunday, July 9

9am Worship Service

Monday July 10

7pm Worship Service

**NO SCHOOL BOARD THIS
MONTH**

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 17-21 VBS

July 20 Voters Meeting

August 20 Worship in the Woods

USHERS FOR JULY

John Bobek, Dan Thiem,
Al Henke, Gabe Henke

JULY MONDAY SERVICE

Jeff Jones, Owen Jones,
Greg Jones, Gary Brown

COUNTERS

This Week Team # 6

Bill Jenkins, Adam Frederick

Next Week Team # 1

David Draeger, Wayne Draeger

FRUITS OF FAITH

Sunday Service – 51

General - \$ 3195

Missions - \$ 95

Monday Service – 7

VBS REGISTRATION

Registration forms for VBS and for
VBS Camp are available on the shelf
and on our website.

VBS VOLUNTEERS

Signup sheet for VBS volunteers is
on the bulletin board.

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NEW OPPORTUNITY IN UGANDA

The Kinship Committee and CLC Board of Missions has taken on a new and exciting opportunity—supporting a group of twenty orphans in Iganga, Uganda. Pastor Daniel Mugeni and his wife, Aidah, have taken on the task of caring for these orphans, and the financial burden on them is substantial. Pastors Gurath and Bernthal were able to spend time with the Mugeni family in July of 2022 and saw firsthand both their genuine love for these children and their genuine need for financial assistance. Please consider becoming a sponsor of one of these children. The commitment is \$45/mo.

Kinship is also in need of sponsors for seminary students throughout the world. The financial commitment required to support overseas seminary students is similar, ranging from \$30 to \$50/mo.

To become a sponsor or for more information, please contact Dan Roehl at 507-381-2042 or danroehl@hotmail.com.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Zech. 9:9–12

Psalm 145:1–14

Rom. 7:14–25a

Matt. 11:25–30

CALL NEWS

Grace Lutheran Church in Fridley has called Levi Schaller to be Part-Time Kindergarten teacher in their school.

Pastor Michael Roehl of St. Paul Lutheran in Bismarck, ND is considering the call from Messiah Lutheran in Eau Claire, WI to be their third pastor.

Sermon Worksheet - Matthew 10:34-42

Pre-sermon

Would you cut off a limb to save your own life?

If you could cut anything out of your life what would it be?

What do you think Jesus would like to cut out of your life?

Sermon

What did Jesus promise to bring in the first verse of our text?

To which Old Testament prophecy is he referring?

What is the seed of the serpent?

What is the potential problem with loving others too much?

What is Jesus not suggesting?

What is Jesus warning against?

What is the one thing we should never do?

What is Jesus expecting of his disciples as he sends them out?

What is the positive aspect of this text?

What has Jesus done for you?



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