



FOR ALL THINGS  
ARE POSSIBLE WITH  
GOD.

# WELCOME

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Thank you for worshipping with us today.

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as you leave the church today.

## TODAY'S SERVICE

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*Speakers:*

Pastor Matthew Ude

*Organists:*

Barry Hay & Ann Sprengeler

*Liturgy:*

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# PRE-SERVICE DEVOTION

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*Psalm 119:9-16 BETH.*

How can a young man cleanse his way? By taking heed according to Your word. <sup>10</sup> With my whole heart I have sought You; Oh, let me not wander from Your commandments! <sup>11</sup> Your word I have hidden in my heart, That I might not sin against You! <sup>12</sup> Blessed *are* You, O LORD! Teach me Your statutes! <sup>13</sup> With my lips I have declared All the judgments of Your mouth. <sup>14</sup> I have rejoiced in the way of Your testimonies, As *much as* in all riches. <sup>15</sup> I will meditate on Your precepts, And contemplate Your ways. <sup>16</sup> I will delight myself in Your statutes; I will not forget Your word.

# SERVICE OF THE WORD

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Hymn 428    I Am Trusting Thee Lord Jesus

## INVOCATION

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

c      A-men.

# 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.

**c  A-men.**

♪ Lord, have mercy on us.

Christ, have mercy on us.

Lord, have mercy on us.

♪ Glory to God in the highest, and peace to all people on earth. Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father: We worship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God: You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. You are seated at the right hand of the Father; receive our prayer. For You alone are the Holy One, You alone are the Lord, You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

p Let us pray . . . O God, Your divine wisdom sets in order all things in heaven and on earth. Put away from us all things hurtful and give us those things that are beneficial for us; through Jesus Christ your son, our Lord, who lives, and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forevermore.

c ♪ A-men.

# THE WORD

*Ecclesiastes 5:10-20* He who loves silver will not be satisfied with silver; Nor he who loves abundance, with increase. This also is vanity. <sup>11</sup> When goods increase, They increase who eat them; So what profit have the owners Except to see *them* with their eyes? <sup>12</sup> The sleep of a laboring man is sweet, Whether he eats little or much; But the abundance of the rich will not permit him to sleep. <sup>13</sup> There is a severe evil *which* I have seen under the sun: Riches kept for their owner to his hurt. <sup>14</sup> But those riches perish through misfortune; When he begets a son, *there is* nothing in his hand. <sup>15</sup> As he came from his mother's womb, naked shall he return, To go as he came; And he shall take nothing from his labor Which he may carry away in his hand. <sup>16</sup> And this also is a severe evil-- Just exactly as he came, so shall he go. And what profit has he who has labored for the wind? <sup>17</sup> All his days he also eats in darkness, And *he has* much sorrow and sickness and anger. <sup>18</sup> Here is what I have seen: *It is* good and fitting *for one* to eat and drink, and to enjoy the good of all his labor in which he toils under the sun all the days of his life which God gives him; for it is his heritage. <sup>19</sup> As for every man to

whom God has given riches and wealth, and given him power to eat of it, to receive his heritage and rejoice in his labor-- this is the gift of God. <sup>20</sup> For he will not dwell unduly on the days of his life, because God keeps *him* busy with the joy of his heart.

**Hebrews 4:1-13** Therefore, since a promise remains of entering His rest, let us fear lest any of you seem to have come short of it. <sup>2</sup> For indeed the gospel was preached to us as well as to them; but the word which they heard did not profit them, not being mixed with faith in those who heard *it*. <sup>3</sup> For we who have believed do enter that rest, as He has said: "So I swore in My wrath, 'They shall not enter My rest,'" although the works were finished from the foundation of the world. <sup>4</sup> For He has spoken in a certain place of the seventh *day* in this way: "And God rested on the seventh day from all His works"; <sup>5</sup> and again in this *place*: "They shall not enter My rest." <sup>6</sup> Since therefore it remains that some *must* enter it, and those to whom it was first preached did not enter because of disobedience, <sup>7</sup> again He designates a certain day, saying in David, "Today," after such a long time, as it has been said: "Today, if you will hear His voice, Do not harden your hearts." <sup>8</sup> For if Joshua had given them rest, then He would not afterward



have spoken of another day. <sup>9</sup> There remains therefore a rest for the people of God. <sup>10</sup> For he who has entered His rest has himself also ceased from his works as God *did* from His. <sup>11</sup> Let us therefore be diligent to enter that rest, lest anyone fall according to the same example of disobedience. <sup>12</sup> For the word of God is living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart. <sup>13</sup> And there is no creature hidden from His sight, but all things *are* naked and open to the eyes of Him to whom we *must* give account.

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

c **♪ Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**These words are written that we may believe that  
Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God.**

**Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

# THE APOSTLES' CREED

all 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.


651 Be Still My Soul

# SERMON

*Mark 10:23-31* Then Jesus looked around and said to His disciples, "How hard it is for those who have riches to enter the kingdom of God!" <sup>24</sup> And the disciples were astonished at His words. But Jesus answered again and said to them, "Children, how hard it is for those who trust in riches to enter the kingdom of God! <sup>25</sup> "It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God." <sup>26</sup> And they were greatly astonished, saying among themselves, "Who then can be saved?" <sup>27</sup> But Jesus looked at them and said, "With men *it is* impossible, but not with God; for with God all things are possible." <sup>28</sup> Then Peter began to say to Him, "See, we have left all and followed You." <sup>29</sup> So Jesus answered and said, "Assuredly, I say to you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or father or mother or wife or children or lands, for My sake and the gospel's, <sup>30</sup> "who shall not receive a hundredfold now in this time-- houses and brothers and sisters and mothers and children and lands, with persecutions-- and in the age to come, eternal life. <sup>31</sup> "But many *who are* first will be last, and the last first."

**MAY THE LORD REMOVE FROM OUR  
HEARTS AND LIVES THOSE THINGS  
THAT KEEP US FROM HIM**

Even the wisest among us often set our hearts on the useless things of this world. We pray that God through the power of His word may tear away from us the things we love in this world. In this way he might set our hearts to love the riches of Christ, teaching us to trust that He will provide everything we need now and in eternity.

c  Create in me a clean heart, O God.  
 Renew a right spirit within me.  
 Cast me not away from Your presence.  
 Take not Your Holy Spirit from me.  
 Restore to me the joy of Your salvation.  
 Uphold me with Your free Spirit.

## Seek Ye First (Lutheran Service Book 712)



1 Seek ye first the king - dom of God, And His  
 2 Ask and it shall be giv - en un - to you, Seek and  
 3 Man does not live by bread a - lone, But by

right - teous - ness. And all these things shall be  
 ye shall find. Knock and the door shall be  
 ev - 'ry word That pro - ceeds from the

add - ed un - to you! Al - le - lu, al - le - lu - ia!  
 o - pened un - to you,  
 mouth of the Lord,

# OFFERING AND OFFERING HYMN: 442:2

- c     ♪ Grant us hearts, dear Lord, to yield  
Thee gladly, freely, of Thine own;  
With the sunshine of Thy goodness  
melt our thankless hearts of stone  
  
Till our cold and selfish natures,  
warmed by Thee, at length believe  
That more happy and more blessed  
'Tis to give than to receive

## 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.

c  **A-men A-men A-men.**

**36 Now Thank We All Our God (MFH page 104)**

## Announcements

### Sunday 10/21

9am Worship Service  
    Children's Sermon  
10am Sunday School  
10:15am Bible Class  
5pm Faith Alive

### Monday 10/22

NO MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE  
CLASS

### Wednesday 10/24

4pm Confirmation Class

### Thursday 10/25

10:30am Bible Class  
7pm Voters' Meeting

### Saturday 10/27

Bonfire at Dumke's Campground

### Sunday 10/28

9am Worship Service  
10am Sunday School  
10:15am Bible Class  
3pm Joint Reformation Service

## UPCOMING

Oct 21<sup>st</sup> – Faith Alive  
Oct 25<sup>th</sup> – Voters' Meeting  
Oct 27<sup>th</sup> – Campfire and  
Haunted Trail at Dumkes'  
Oct 28<sup>th</sup> – Joint Reformation  
Festival in Middleton  
Nov 2 – 7am Churches of  
Milwaukee Tour  
Nov 11<sup>th</sup> – Mission Festival  
Nov 16-17 – Music Booth at Craft  
Fair

## ENVELOPE COMMITTEE

**This Week:** Team #4: Mitch  
Newton, Andy Kohn

**Next Week:** Team #5: Mark  
Kempenaar, Jim Kok

## OCTOBER USHERS

Greg Jones, Bob McElroy, Jim  
Hanneman, Owen Jones

## FRUITS OF FAITH

Attendance: 81  
Bible Class: 12  
Sunday School: 12



## **NO MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE CLASS**

### **JOINT REFORMATION SERVICE**

Joint Reformation service will take place in Middleton, WI. The address is Peace Thru Christ 3232 West Point Rd, Middleton WI.

October 28<sup>th</sup> at 3pm.

Refreshments will be served following the service. Please sign up on the bulletin board if you are planning to come.

### **VOTERS' MEETING OCT 25TH**

On the agenda for the upcoming Voter's Meeting

Principal / Teacher call

Winter Church Calendar

Time of Christmas Eve service

Ratify membership of Great Albrecht

Called Workers' Salaries

## **SCHOOL CLEANING**

The church is looking for someone to clean the school on a semi weekly basis. Please talk to Marsha Brown if interested or if you know someone who might be interested.

### **CRAFT FAIR**

Faith is planning a music booth at the fall craft fair again. Nov 16 – 17. Sign up to play music at the booth on the bulletin board.

### **CAMPFIRE / SCARY TRAIL**

Campfire and scary hay ride at Dumkes' campground Oct 27<sup>th</sup>.

The kids will be taken for a ride through the woods where they will meet with surprises, but nothing too scary or inappropriate. More information on bulletin board.

We are especially looking for high school and college kids who available to help with the planning and setup.

## CALL NEWS

Dr. Daniel Schierenbeck, member at Living Word in Blue Springs, MO, has accepted the call to serve as Professor at Immanuel Lutheran College in Eau Claire, WI. This call is to replace Prof. Paul Schaller who is retiring at the end of June 2019.

Morning Star 25th Anniversary: Morning Star in Fairchild, WI, will be celebrating 25 years of CLC services on Sunday, November 4.

Trinity Lutheran, Spokane WA, has called the Rev. John Hein, pastor of Grace Lutheran, Fridley MN.

The Rev. George Dummann, pastor of Salem Lutheran, Eagle Lake MN, has returned the call to Bethel Lutheran, Morris MN.





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