

We have escaped
like a bird
from the snare...
the snare is broken,
and we have escaped.

Psalm 124:7, NRSV

PRE-SERVICE DEVOTION

Psalm 124

“If it had not been the LORD who was on our side,” Let Israel now say -- “If it had not been the LORD who was on our side, When men rose up against us, Then they would have swallowed us alive, When their wrath was kindled against us; Then the waters would have overwhelmed us, The stream would have gone over our soul; Then the swollen waters Would have gone over our soul.” Blessed be the LORD, Who has not given us as prey to their teeth. Our soul has escaped as a bird from the snare of the fowlers; The snare is broken, and we have escaped. Our help is in the name of the LORD, Who made heaven and earth.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Speakers: Pastor Matthew Ude

Organists: Barry Hay & Ann Sprengeler

Liturgy: Setting One, WS page 1

large print bulletins available, ask the ushers

Services are streamed live to the TV in the kitchen (channel 4).

Hymn 761 — In You is Gladness

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 the 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.

- C  Lord, have mercy on us. Christ,
have mercy on us. Lord, have mercy on us.
- C  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 . . . Almighty God, in Your mercy guide
the course of this world so that Your Church may
joyfully serve You in godly peace and quietness;
through Jesus Christ your son, our Lord, who lives,
and reigns with You and the Holy Ghost, one God,
forevermore.
- C  A-men.

THE WORD

Job 38:1-11 Then the LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind, and said: 2 “Who is this who darkens counsel By words without knowledge? 3 Now prepare yourself like a man; I will question you, and you shall answer Me. 4 “Where were you when I laid the foundations of the earth? Tell Me, if you have understanding. 5 Who determined its measurements? Surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? 6 To what were its foundations fastened? Or who laid its cornerstone, 7 When the morning stars sang together, And all the sons of God shouted for joy? 8 “Or who shut in the sea with doors, When it burst forth and issued from the womb; 9 When I made the clouds its garment, And thick darkness its swaddling band; 10 When I fixed My limit for it, And set bars and doors; 11 When I said, ‘This far you may come, but no farther, And here your proud waves must stop!’

2 *Corinthians 6:1-13* We then, as workers together with Him also plead with you not to receive the grace of God in vain. 2 For He says: “In an acceptable time I have heard you,

And in the day of salvation I have helped you.” Behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation. 3 We give no offense in anything, that our ministry may not be blamed. 4 But in all things we commend ourselves as ministers of God: in much patience, in tribulations, in needs, in distresses, 5 in stripes, in imprisonments, in tumults, in labors, in sleeplessness, in fastings; 6 by purity, by knowledge, by longsuffering, by kindness, by the Holy Spirit, by sincere love, 7 by the word of truth, by the power of God, by the armor of righteousness on the right hand and on the left, 8 by honor and dishonor, by evil report and good report; as deceivers, and yet true; 9 as unknown, and yet well known; as dying, and behold we live; as chastened, and yet not killed; 10 as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing all things. 11 O Corinthians! We have spoken openly to you, our heart is wide open. 12 You are not restricted by us, but you are restricted by your own affections. 13 Now in return for the same (I speak as to children), you also be open.

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 NICENE CREED

All 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-begot-
ten 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.

Hymn 782 — Evening and Morning

SERMON

Mark 4:35-41 On the same day, when evening had come, He said to them, “Let us cross over to the other side.” 36 Now when they had left the multitude, they took Him along in the boat as He was. And other little boats were also with Him. 37 And a great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that it was already filling. 38 But He was in the stern, asleep on a pillow. And they awoke Him and said to Him, “Teacher, do You not care that we are perishing?” 39 Then He arose and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, “Peace, be still!” And the wind ceased and there was a great calm. 40 But He said to them, “Why are you so fearful? How is it that you have no faith?” 41 And they feared exceedingly, and said to one another, “Who can this be, that even the wind and the sea obey Him!”

Sleep through the storm with Jesus in the boat

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.

Hymn 649 — Jesus Savior Pilot Me

OFFERING

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.

P The Lord be with you.


C  And also with you.

P Lift up your hearts.

C  We lift them up to the Lord


P It is right and beneficial that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God [the Preface for the season] Therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven,

we magnify Your glorious Name, evermore
praising You and saying:

C  Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heav'n and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna
in the highest, hosanna in the highest. Blest is He
who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the
highest, hosanna in the highest.

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

In the same way He took the cup, after supper, gave
thanks, and gave it to them saying, "Drink of it, all
of you. This cup is the new covenant in My blood,
which is shed 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!

C  Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy upon us. Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy upon us. Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; grant us You peace.


THE DISTRIBUTION

304 and 309

We ask that only members of Faith Lutheran Church or the CLC come forward to receive the Lord's Supper. Visitors are welcome to speak to the pastor after the service.

Allergy free wafers are offered in the small plate to the first table.

THANKSGIVING

C  Thank the Lord; sing His praise; tell ev'ry one what he has done. Let all who seek the Lord rejoice and bear Christ's holy name. Thank the Lord; Sing His praise; tell ev'ry one what He has done. Send us with Your promises, Lord; lead Your people forth in joy with shouts of thanksgiving. Thank the Lord; sing His praise; tell ev'ry one what He has done. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

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.

Hymn LSB 739 — Precious Lord, take my hand



1. Pre - cious Lord, take my hand, Lead me on, let me
2. When my way grows drear, Pre-cious Lord, lin - ger
3. When the dark - ness ap - pears And the night draws



stand; I am tired, I am weak, I am worn.
near, When my life is al - most gone,
near And the day is al - most gone,



Through the storm, through the night, Lead me on to the
Hear my cry, hear my call; Hold my hand lest I
At the riv - er I stand; Guide my feet, hold my



light. Take my hand, pre-cious Lord; lead me home.
fall. Take my hand, pre-cious Lord; lead me home.
hand, Take my hand, pre-cious Lord; lead me home.

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Calendar

THIS WEEK

Sunday 6/24

9am Worship Service
(Communion)

Monday 6/25

7pm Monday Night Service
(Communion)

Sunday 7/1

9am Worship Service

Monday 7/2

7pm Monday Night Service

UPCOMING

July 23 - 27 VBS

ENVELOPE COMMITTEE

This Week: Team

#5: Mark Kempenaar, Jim Kok

Next Week: Team

#6: Tim Gabriecscki, David Draeger

JUNE SUNDAY USHERS

John Bobek, Dan Thiem,
Clay Bobek, Andrew Reyes

JUNE MONDAY USHERS

Greg Jones, Bob Kirst,
Dennis Jones, Jim Kok

JULY SUNDAY USHERS

Paul Eserhut, Randy Strelow,
Drew Muehlenhaupt,
Cade Muehlenhaupt

JULY MONDAY USHERS

Bob McElroy, Greg Jones,
Lynn Dumke, Mike Dumke

FRUITS OF FAITH

Attendance: 57 / 24

Genevral Fund: \$3,343

Missions: \$995

Building: \$90

Announcements

GUEST AND VISITORS

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

SPOKESMAN RENEWAL

Time to renew your Lutheran Spokesman subscription. Check the appropriate box on the form on the table in the hallway. Then write out a check to "Faith Lutheran Church" and place it in the pastor's box. The rate is \$10 for a renewal, and \$5 for a new subscription.

CALL MEETING

The voters called Marie Muehlenhaupt as teacher for 3-5 and Barry Hay as principal, both are temporary one year calls.

COUNCIL NOTES

Inmates will clean buildings
on August 27th

Pastor will be gone August 7th - 14th

Paul Sullivan will preach on August 12th

VBS

Flyers for VBS and signup sheets can also be found on the table in the hallway.

SCHOOL BOARD NOTES

State grant request has been submitted.

VBS July 23-27

Faculty and school board are in favor of continuing full time kindergarten. Voters will ratify this decision at the July voters meeting.

Letter will be sent in August reminding parents of school dress code.

CANDIDATES FOR IMMANUEL

PROFESSOR CALL:

The Board of Regents for Immanuel Lutheran High School, College, and Seminary invites nominations for an individual or individuals to fill the vacancy which will be created by the retirement of Professor Paul Schaller at the end of the 2018-19 academic year. Nominations must be post marked before July 1, 2018. More details can be found on the bulletin board.

BLACK HILLS FAMILY BIBLE CAMP

Camping in the beauty of the Black Hills, studies in the beauty of God's Word.

All ages are welcome, children will need to be accompanied by a chaperon or family. There will also be many outdoor actives such as hiking, swimming, caving, fishing, kayaking, bonfires, s'mores etc...

The dates are Friday evening July 13th through Tuesday morning July 17th. If

you interested there is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board. Even if you aren't sure if you can make it you can still sign up as interested.

FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION:

Immanuel Lutheran High School, College, and Seminary has a financial aid program that helps students to attend by assisting with loans, multi-student grants, college and seminary grants, scholarships, and work study. While the scholarships are automatically applied based upon academic performance, these other items are provided upon application made by the responsible party. In order to be as helpful and as equitable to all, these forms need to be submitted by the deadline which is May 1, 2018, for the 2018-19 academic year. If any student has a potential interest in attending Immanuel, applying now ensures that you will be considered for financial assistance. While applications have already been provided to the families of current students, you may still find them at ilc.edu/resources/ under the heading "Financial Assistance Forms & Info."



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