



*Faith Lutheran Church
July 24th 2022*

WELCOME

Thank you for worshipping with us today.
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as you leave the church today.

TODAY'S SERVICE

July 24, 2022

Liturgy: Setting Two, WS page 12

Speaker:

Pastor John Schierenbeck

Organist:

Ann Sprengeler

Liturgy: *Worship Supplement 2000* compiled and edited by John C Reim

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PRE-SERVICE DEVOTION

Psalm 119:81-88

My soul faints for Your salvation, But I hope in Your word. ⁸² My eyes fail *from searching* Your word, Saying, "When will You comfort me?" ⁸³ For I have become like a wineskin in smoke, *Yet* I do not forget Your statutes. ⁸⁴ How many *are* the days of Your servant? When will You execute judgment on those who persecute me? ⁸⁵ The proud have dug pits for me, Which *is* not according to Your law. ⁸⁶ All Your commandments *are* faithful; They persecute me wrongfully; Help me! ⁸⁷ They almost made an end of me on earth, But I did not forsake Your precepts. ⁸⁸ Re-
vive me according to Your lovingkindness, So that I may keep the testimony of Your mouth.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

#367 "Hail, Thou Once Despised Jesus"

by Author unknown, c. 1757

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,

Who hast borne our sin and shame,

By whose merits 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.

Every sin may be forgiven

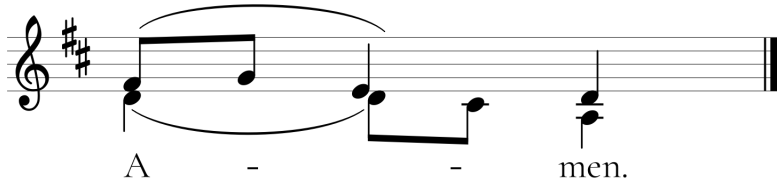
Through the virtue of Thy blood;
Open is the gate of heaven,
Peace is made 'twixt man and God.

3. Jesus, hail, enthroned in glory,
There forever to abide!
All the heavenly host 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, power, and blessing
Thou art worthy to receive;
Loudest praises, without ceasing,
Meet it is for us to give.
Help, ye bright angelic spirits,
Bring your sweetest, noblest lays;
Help to sing our Savior's merits,
Help to chant Immanuel's praise.

INVOCATION

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



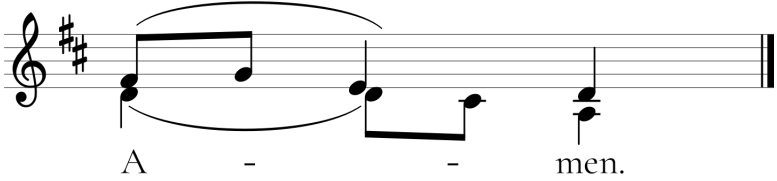
CONFESSION OF SINS

p We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve him as his dear children. But we have disobeyed him and deserve only his wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to him and plead for his mercy.

all Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth, In countless ways I have sinned against you and do not deserve to be called your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray; Have mercy on me according to your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.

p

God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, he has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.





Glo - ry to God, we
Lord Je - sus Christ, the
A - lone, O Christ, You



give You thanks and praise; Of heav'n - ly
Fa - ther's on - ly Son, You bore for
on - ly are the Lord, At God's right



joy and peace on earth we sing. We wor-ship
us the load of this world's sin. O Lamb of
hand in maj-es - ty most high: Who, with the

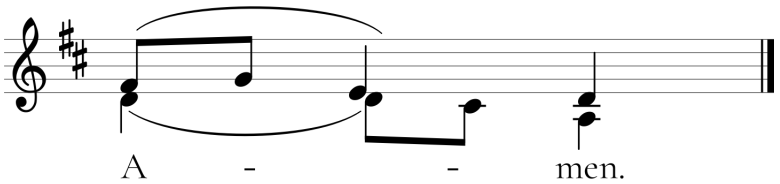


You, to You our hearts we raise, Lord God, al-
God, Your glo - rious vic - t'ry won, Re - ceive our
Spir - it worshiped and a - dored, With all the



might - y Fa - ther, heav'n - ly King
prayer, grant us Your peace with - in.
heav'n - ly host we glo - ri - fy.

p Let us pray . . . O Lord, let Your merciful ears be attentive to the prayers of Your servants and by Your Word and Spirit teach us how to pray that our petitions may be pleasing before You; through Jesus Christ, Your son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



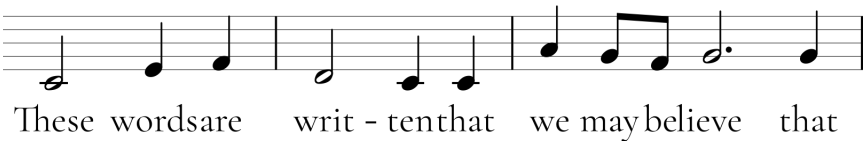
THE WORD

Zechariah 13:7-9 ⁷ "Awake, O sword, against My Shepherd, Against the Man who is My Companion," Says the LORD of hosts. "Strike the Shepherd, And the sheep will be scattered; Then I will turn My hand against the little ones. ⁸ And it shall come to pass in all the land," Says the LORD, "That two-thirds in it shall be cut off *and* die, But *one-third* shall be left in it: ⁹ I will bring the *one-third* through the fire, Will refine them as silver is refined, And test them as gold is tested. They will call on My name,

And I will answer them. I will say, 'This is My people'; And each one will say, 'The LORD is my God.'"

Galatians 3:23-29 ²³ But before faith came, we were kept under guard by the law, kept for the faith which would afterward be revealed. ²⁴ Therefore the law was our tutor *to bring us* to Christ, that we might be justified by faith. ²⁵ But after faith has come, we are no longer under a tutor. ²⁶ For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus. ²⁷ For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. ²⁸ There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male nor female; for you are all one in Christ Jesus. ²⁹ And if you *are* Christ's, then you are Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise.

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



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.

#757 Christ Triumphant, Ever Reigning

Author: Michael Saward

1 Christ triumphant, ever reigning,
Saviour, Master, King!
Lord of heaven, our lives sustaining,
hear us as we sing:

Refrain:
Yours the glory and the crown,
the high renown, the eternal name.

2 Word incarnate, truth revealing,
Son of Man on earth!
power and majesty concealing
by your humble birth: [Refrain]

3 Suffering servant, scorned, ill-treated,
victim crucified!
death is through the cross defeated,
sinners justified: [Refrain]

4 Priestly king, enthroned for ever
high in heaven above!
sin and death and hell shall never
stifle hymns of love: [Refrain]

5 So, our hearts and voices raising
through the ages long,
ceaselessly upon you gazing,
this shall be our song: [Refrain]

SERMON

Luke 9:18-24 ¹⁸ And it happened, as He was alone praying, *that* His disciples joined Him, and He asked them, saying, "Who do the crowds say that I am?" ¹⁹ So they answered and said, "John the Baptist, but some *say* Elijah; and others *say* that one of the old prophets has risen again." ²⁰ He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter answered and said, "The Christ of God." ²¹ And He strictly warned and commanded them to tell this to no one, ²² saying, "The Son of Man must suffer many things, and be rejected by the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be

killed, and be raised the third day." ²³ Then He said to *them* all, "If anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow Me. ²⁴ "For whoever desires to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake will save it.

WHO DO YOU SAY THAT I AM?



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. Take not Your Ho - ly



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



va - tion. Up - hold with Your Spir-it free.

OFFERING 788:1



Lord, You love the cheerful giver Who with
o-pen heart and hand Blesses free-ly, as a riv-er
That refreshes all the land. Grant us, then, the grace of
giving with a spirit large and true That our life and
all our liv-ing We may con-se - crate to You.

The image shows a musical score for a hymn. It consists of six staves of music. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and a common time signature. The melody is written in a simple, accessible style. The lyrics are placed below the notes, with some words hyphenated across lines. The final note of the piece is a double bar line.

PRAYERS - 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.



#355 "Thou Art the Way; to Thee Alone"

by George W. Doane, 1799-1859

1. Thou art the Way; to Thee alone
From sin and death we flee;
And he who would the Gather seek
Must seek Him, Lord, by Thee.

2. Thou art the Truth; Thy Word alone
True wisdom can impart;
Thou only canst inform the mind
And purify the heart.

3. Thou art the Life; the rending tomb
Proclaims Thy conquering arm;
And those who put their trust in Thee
Nor death nor hell shall harm.

4. Thou art the Way, the Truth, the Life;
Grant us that Way to know,
That Truth to keep, that life Life to win,
Whose joys eternal flow.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday: 9 am Worship Service

Monday: 7 pm Worship Service

Thursday July 28th: 7pm Voter's Meeting

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 28 – 7pm Quarterly Voter's Meeting

August 14 – Teacher Installation, Potluck following church, Vicar arrival

August 21 - Worship in the Woods

August 29 – Last Monday night service

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

October 9 – Mission Festival with guest speaker David Koenig

USHERS FOR JULY

Sundays

Dan Thiem, Russ Brown,
Al Henke, Gabe Henke

Mondays

Jeff Jones, Greg Jones,
Owen Jones, Mike Dumke

USHERS FOR AUGUST

Sundays

John Bobek , Kent Quade,
Andy Reyes, Bill Herbst

Mondays

Ryan Krueger, Bob Kirst,
Dennis Jones, Lynn Dumke

COUNTERS

This Week Team # 2

Lynn Dumke, Keith Dickerson

Next Week Team # 3

Dave Dillie, Darren Dillie

PASTOR ON VACATION

Pastor will be gone for the next week and a half. If there is an emergency, feel free to call pastor Mark Bernthal at (608) 213-9989.

VOTERS' MEETING AGENDA

A few the items for consideration at the July voters' meeting are listed below. Please see the July Meeting notes for further information.

Whether to put an enrollment cap on the preschool.

Approve eight weeks substitute for Jessica Krueger.

\$5000 for a new boiler

POTLUCK ON AUGUST 14

During the Sunday service on August 14th the new teachers, Allison Brown and Rebecca Lillo, will be installed. Following the service will be a potluck welcoming the new teachers and saying thanks to Miriam Bernthal and Greta Albrecht. There is a sign up sheet for the potluck on the bulletin board.

SS TEACHERS NEEDED

We need help with Sunday School for the coming school year. We could also use some volunteer substitutes. If you think you can serve the Lord in this way please talk to the pastor.

MAN UP

WHEN: September 22-25, 2022

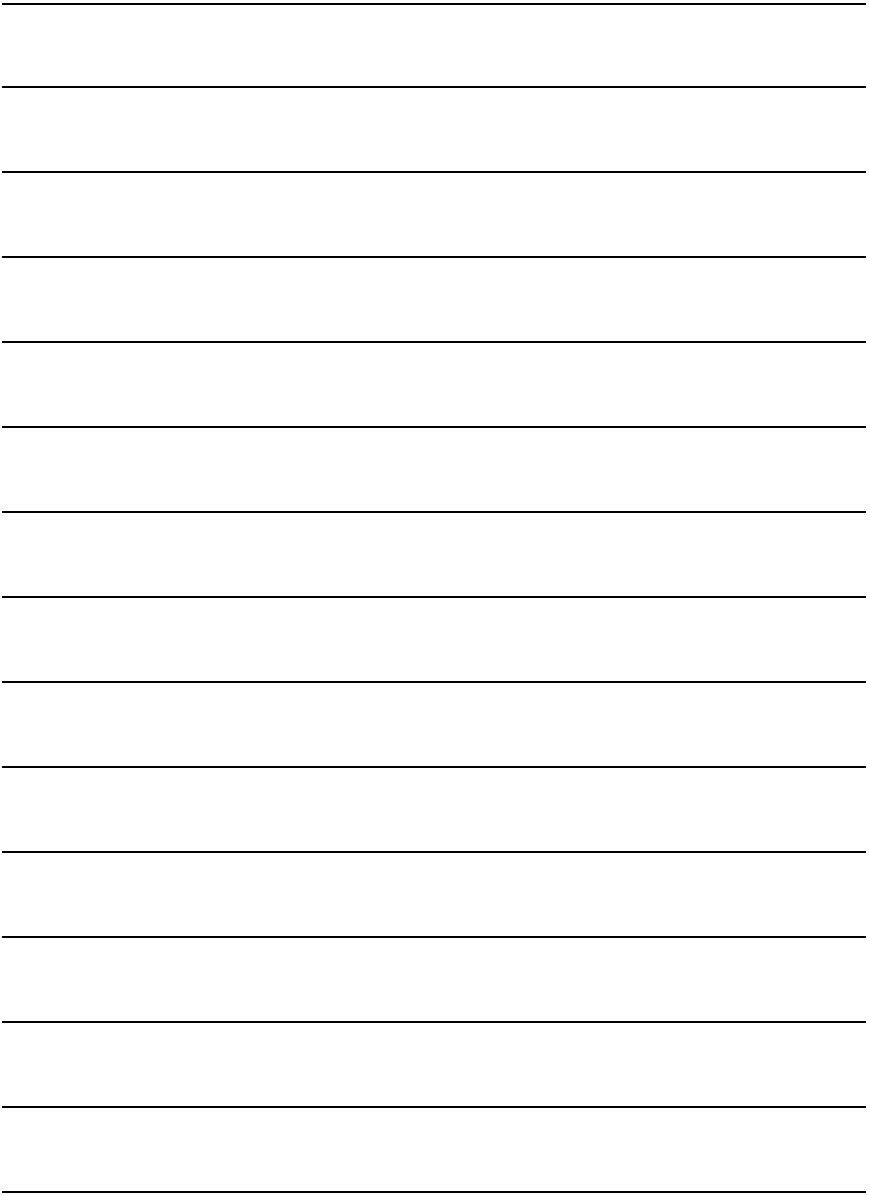
WHERE: Wyalusing State Park near Prairie du Chien, WI Registration:

\$75 (\$150 after August 31)

Deadline: August 31, 2022

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JULY MEETING NOTES ARE ON THE TABLE UNDER THE BULLETIN BOARD.





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