



Faith Lutheran Church  
August 14<sup>th</sup> 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 14, 2022

Liturgy: Setting Two, WS page 12

**Speaker:**

Pastor Matthew Ude

**Organist:**

Ann Sprengeler

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

*Confession and Absolution* – **Text:** From *Christian Worship: A Lutheran Hymnal*. © 1993  
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# PRE-SERVICE DEVOTION

## *Psalm 119:81-88*

<sup>81</sup> KAPH. My soul faints for Your salvation,  
But I hope in Your word. <sup>82</sup> My eyes fail *from*  
*searching* Your word, Saying, "When will You  
comfort me?" <sup>83</sup> For I have become like a  
wineskin in smoke, *Yet* I do not forget Your  
statutes. <sup>84</sup> How many *are* the days of Your  
servant? When will You execute judgment on  
those who persecute me? <sup>85</sup> The proud have  
dug pits for me, Which *is* not according to  
Your law. <sup>86</sup> All Your commandments *are*  
faithful; They persecute me wrongfully; Help  
me! <sup>87</sup> They almost made an end of me on  
earth, But I did not forsake Your precepts. <sup>88</sup>  
Revive me according to Your lovingkindness,  
So that I may keep the testimony of Your  
mouth.

# SERVICE OF THE WORD

## Thy Strong Word Did Cleave the Darkness

By: Martin H. Franzmann

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*The first two verses will be sung by Benjamin Lillo,  
the congregation is invited to join in for verses 5 and 6*

Benjamin Lillo:

1. Thy strong word did cleave the darkness;

At Thy speaking it was done.

For created light we thank Thee,

While Thine ordered seasons run. Alleluia, alleluia,

Praise to Thee who light dost send!

Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia without end!

2. Lo, on those who dwelt in darkness,

Dark as night and deep as death,

Broke the light of Thy salvation,  
Breathed Thine own life-breathing breath.  
Alleluia, alleluia,  
Praise to Thee who light dost send!  
Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia without end!

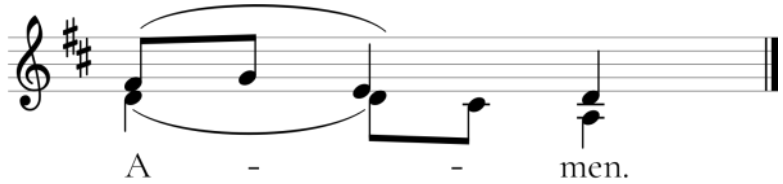
**Congregation:**

5. Give us lips to sing Thy glory,  
Tongues thy mercy to proclaim,  
Throats that shout the hope that fills us,  
Mouths to speak Thy holy name. Alleluia, alleluia!  
May the light which thou dost send  
Fill our songs with alleluias, Alleluia without end!

6. God the Father, light-creator,  
To Thee laud and honor be.  
To Thee, Light of Light begotten,  
Praise be sung eternally. Holy Spirit, light-revealer,  
Glory, glory be to Thee. Mortals, angels, now and ever  
Praise the holy Trinity!

## 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



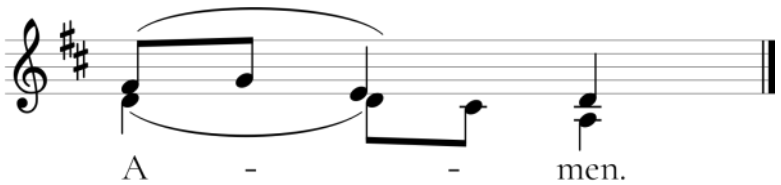
You, to You our hearts we raise, Lord God, al-  
God, Your glo-rious vic-t'ry won, Re - ceive our  
Spir - it worshiped and a - dored, With all the



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 . . . Lord Jesus Christ fill the hearts of Your called servants that their lips may proclaim the glory of Your resurrection and Your people may see Your face through their teaching; through You, who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



## THE WORD

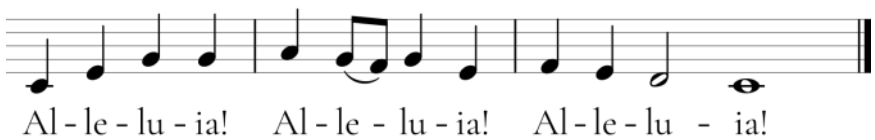
**Jeremiah 23:16-29** <sup>16</sup> Thus says the LORD of hosts: "Do not listen to the words of the prophets who prophesy to you. They make you worthless; They speak a vision of their own heart, Not from the mouth of the LORD. <sup>17</sup> They continually say to those who despise Me, 'The LORD has said, "You shall have peace "'; And to everyone who walks according to the dictates of his own heart, they say, 'No evil shall come upon you.'" <sup>18</sup> For who has stood in the

counsel of the LORD, And has perceived and heard His word? Who has marked His word and heard it? <sup>19</sup> Behold, a whirlwind of the LORD has gone forth in fury-- A violent whirlwind! It will fall violently on the head of the wicked. <sup>20</sup> The anger of the LORD will not turn back Until He has executed and performed the thoughts of His heart. In the latter days you will understand it perfectly. <sup>21</sup> "I have not sent these prophets, yet they ran. I have not spoken to them, yet they prophesied. <sup>22</sup> But if they had stood in My counsel, And had caused My people to hear My words, Then they would have turned them from their evil way And from the evil of their doings. <sup>23</sup> "Am I a God near at hand," says the LORD, "And not a God afar off? <sup>24</sup> Can anyone hide himself in secret places, So I shall not see him?" says the LORD; "Do I not fill heaven and earth?" says the LORD. <sup>25</sup> "I have heard what the prophets have said who prophesy lies in My name, saying, 'I have dreamed, I have dreamed!' <sup>26</sup> "How long will *this* be in the heart of the prophets who prophesy lies? Indeed *they are* prophets of the deceit of their own heart, <sup>27</sup> "who try to make My people forget My name by their dreams which everyone tells his neighbor, as their fathers forgot My name for Baal. <sup>28</sup> "The prophet who has a dream, let him

tell a dream; And he who has My word, let him speak My word faithfully. What is the chaff to the wheat?" says the LORD. <sup>29</sup> "Is not My word like a fire?" says the LORD, "And like a hammer *that* breaks the rock in pieces?"

**Luke 10:16-20** <sup>16</sup> "He who hears you hears Me, he who rejects you rejects Me, and he who rejects Me rejects Him who sent Me." <sup>17</sup> Then the seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, even the demons are subject to us in Your name." <sup>18</sup> And He said to them, "I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. <sup>19</sup> "Behold, I give you the authority to trample on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall by any means hurt you. <sup>20</sup> "Nevertheless do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you, but rather rejoice because your names are written in heaven."

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



# 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.

## INSTALLTION OF TEACHERS

**Rebecca Lillo and Alison Brown**

## LSB 711 Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us

Music available on page 26

1 Savior, like a shepherd lead us;  
Much we need Your tender care.  
In Your pleasant pastures feed us,  
For our use Your fold prepare.  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,  
You have bought us; we are Yours.  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,  
You have bought us; we are Yours.

2 We are Yours; in love befriend us,  
Be the guardian of our way;  
Keep Your flock, from sin defend us,  
Seek us when we go astray.  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,  
Hear us children when we pray.  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,  
Hear us children when we pray.

## CHILDREN'S SERMON

3 You have promised to receive us,  
Poor and sinful though we be;  
You have mercy to relieve us,  
Grace to cleanse, and pow'r to free.  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,  
Early let us turn to You.  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,  
Early let us turn to You.

4 Early let us seek Your favor,  
Early let us do Your will;  
Blessed Lord and only Savior,  
With Your love our spirits fill.  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,  
You have loved us, love us still.  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,  
You have loved us, love us still.

# SERMON

**1 Corinthians 3:7-15** <sup>7</sup> So then neither he who plants is anything, nor he who waters, but God who gives the increase. <sup>8</sup> Now he who plants and he who waters are one, and each one will receive his own reward according to his own labor. <sup>9</sup> For we are God's fellow workers; you are God's field, *you are* God's building. <sup>10</sup> According to the grace of God which was given to me, as a wise master builder I have laid the foundation, and another builds on it. But let each one take heed how he builds on it. <sup>11</sup> For no other foundation can anyone lay than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ. <sup>12</sup> Now if anyone builds on this foundation *with* gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw, <sup>13</sup> each one's work will become clear; for the Day will declare it, because it will be revealed by fire; and the fire will test each one's work, of what sort it is. <sup>14</sup> If anyone's work which he has built on *it* endures, he will receive a reward. <sup>15</sup> If anyone's work is burned, he will suffer loss; but he himself will be saved, yet so as through fire.



# BUILDING TO LAST

Jesus is the fixed point for your focus.

Jesus is the solid foundation for your labor.

Jesus is the constant vision for your hope.

(sermon notes on page 25)



The musical score is written in a single system with five staves. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The melody is written on a treble clef. The lyrics are: "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."

# INSTALLATION OF VICAR JONAH ALBRECHT

## #261 "Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Thy Word"

by Martin Luther, 1483-1546

1. Lord, keep us steadfast in Thy Word;  
Curb those who fain by craft and sword  
Would wrest the Kingdom from Thy Son  
And set at naught all He hath done.
2. Lord Jesus Christ, Thy power make known,  
For Thou art Lord of lords alone;  
Defend Thy Christendom that we  
May evermore sing praise to Thee.
3. O Comforter of priceless worth.  
Send peace and unity on earth.  
Support us in our final strife  
And lead us out of death to life.

## OFFERING 441:1-2

1. We give Thee but Thine own,  
Whate'er the gift may be;  
All that we have is Thine alone,  
A trust, O Lord, from Thee.

2. May we Thy bounties thus  
As stewards true receive  
And gladly, as Thou blessest us,  
To Thee our first-fruits give!

## 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.



## In Christ Alone

by Keith Getty



1. In Christ a - lone my hope is found,
2. In Christ a - lone, who took on flesh,
3. There in the ground His bod-y lay,
4. No guilt in life, no fear in death,



He is my light, my strength, my song;  
full-ness of God in help - less babe!  
Light of the world by dark - ness slain;  
this is the pow'r of Christ in me;



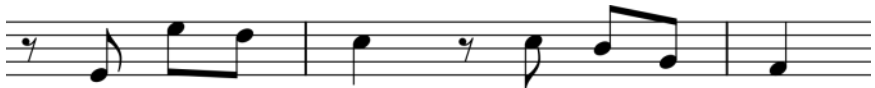
This Cor - ner - stone,                      this sol - id      Ground,  
 This gift of love                      and right - eous - ness,  
 Then, burst - ing forth                      in glo - rious      Day,  
 From life's first cry                      to fi - nal              breath,



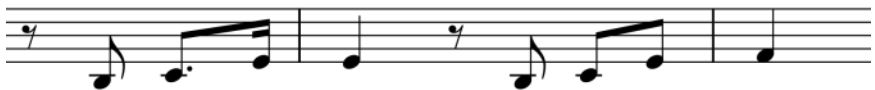
firm through the fierc - est drought\_ and storm  
 scorned by the ones He came\_ to save.  
 up from the grave He rose\_ a - gain!  
 Je - sus com - mands my des - ti - ny.



What heights of love,                      what depths of peace,  
 Till on that cross                      as Je - sus died,  
 And as He stands                      in vic - to - ry,  
 No pow'r of hell,                      no scheme of man,



when fears are stilled,                      when striv - ings      cease.  
 the wrath of God                      was sat - is - fied.  
 sin's curse has lost                      its grip on me;  
 can ev - er pluck                      me from His hand;



My Com - fort - er,                      my All in All,  
 For ev - 'ry sin                      on Him was laid;  
 For I am His                      and He is mine,  
 Till He re - turns                      or calls me home,



here in the love of Christ\_ I stand.  
 Here in the death of Christ\_ I live.  
 bought with the pre - cious blood\_ of Christ.  
 here in the pow'r of Christ\_ I'll stand!



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Sunday, August 14

9 am Worship Service  
10:15 am Potluck  
1pm Visitation  
2pm Ruth Pamenter's Funeral

### Monday, August 15

7 pm Worship Service

### Sunday, August 21

9 am Worship Service  
11 am Worship in the Woods  
- Potluck following service

### Monday, August 15

7 pm Worship Service

## UPCOMING EVENTS

August 21 - Worship in the Woods - service starts at 11am, potluck follows

August 24 - 4pm School Registration

August 28 - 4pm Bingo Night

August 29 - Last Monday night service

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

## 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 # 6

Wayne Draeger, David Draeger

Next Week Team # 1

Dennis Jones, Greg Jones

## FRUITS OF FAITH

Sunday Service - 42

Monday Service - 25

General - \$ 2236.00

Missions - \$ 130.00

Building - \$ 200.00

## FLOWERS ON ALTAR IN MEMORY OF RUTH PAMENTER

## **MOWING**

Mowing is taken care of for the rest of the year. Thank you to everyone who helped out.

## **FINANCES**

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

## **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.

## **WORSHIP IN THE WOODS**

August 21 worship in the woods, potluck following the service. Everyone bring your own meat to grill and a dish to pass around. A map to the campground is on the bulletin board.

## **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.

## **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.

## **ILC BOOKS**

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

## **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](http://manup.clclutheran.org)

## **AUGUST MEETING NOTES ON SHELF**

### **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://cvssports.chippily.com/faithschool22>

### **NEXT WEEK'S READINGS**

Is. 66:18–23

Psalm 50:1–15

Heb. 12:4–24

Luke 13:22–30

### **CALL NEWS**

Pastor Neal Radichel of Immanuel Lutheran Church, Mankato, MN, is still considering the call to Redemption Lutheran Church, Lynnwood, WA



## Sermon Notes

What happens without focus?

What are some of the ways we lose focus on Christ?

What happens without a solid foundation?

What is it that John wanted his disciples to do?

What do you need for the labor God has given you?

In what form did God's promise to Elisha come?

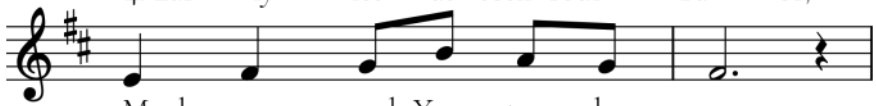
What vision has God given you as a life long promise?

# Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us - LSB 711

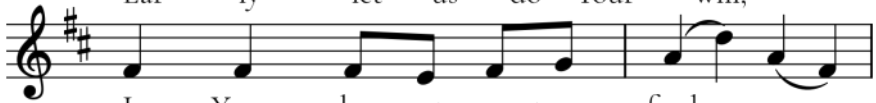
William B Bradbury



1. Sav - ior, like a shep-herd lead us;  
2. We are Yours; in love be - friend us,  
3. You have prom-ised to re - ceive us,  
4. Ear - ly let us seek Your Fa - vor,



Much we need Your ten - der care.  
Be the guard - ian of our way;  
Poor and sin - ful though we be;  
Ear - ly let us do Your will;



In Your pleas - ant pas - tures feed us,  
Keep Your flock, from sin de - fend us,  
You have mer - cy to re - lieve us,  
Bless - ed Lord and on - ly Sav - ior,



For our use Your fold pre - pare. Bless-ed  
Seek us when we go a - stray. Bless-ed  
Grace to cleanse, and pow'r to free. Bless-ed  
With Your love our spir - its fill. Bless-ed



Je - sus, bless-ed Je - sus, You have  
Je - sus, bless-ed Je - sus, Hear us  
Je - sus, bless-ed Je - sus, Ear - ly  
Je - sus, bless-ed Je - sus, You have



bought us; we are Yours. Bless-ed Je-sus, bless-ed  
chil - dren when we pray. Bless-ed Je-sus, bless-ed  
le us turn to You. Bless-ed Je-sus, bless-ed  
loved us, love us still. Bless-ed Je-sus, bless-ed



Je-sus, You have bought us; we are Yours.  
Je-sus, Hear us chil - dren when we pray.  
Je-sus, Ear - ly let us turn to You.  
Je-sus, You have loved us, love us still.



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