



Our Saviour's Lutheran Church

Sharing God's Love with All!

Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost

October 16, 2016, 9:15 am

Welcome

Gathering Hymn.....*Gather Us In*.....#532

Here in this place the new light is streaming, now is the darkness vanished away; see in this space our fears and our dreamings brought here to you in the light of this day. Gather us in, the lost and forsaken, gather us in, the blind and the lame; call to us now, and we shall awaken, we shall arise at the sound of our name.

We are the young, our lives are a myst'ry, we are the old who yearn for your face; we have been sung throughout all of hist'ry, called to be light to the whole human race. Gather us in, the rich and the haughty, gather us in, the proud and the strong; give us a heart, so meek and so lowly, give us the courage to enter the song.

Here we will take the wine and the water, here we will take the bread of new birth, here you shall call your sons and your daughters, call us anew to be salt for the earth. Give us to drink the wine of compassion, give us to eat the bread that is you; nourish us well, and teach us to fashion lives that are holy and hearts that are true.

Greeting

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

Confession (Let us pray together)

P: Let us confess our sins in the presence of God and of one another.
(Silence is kept for reflection) God of overflowing grace:

C: We come to you with repentant hearts. Forgive us for shallow thankfulness. Forgive us for passing by the ones in need. Forgive us for setting our hopes on fleeting treasures. Forgive us our neglect and thoughtlessness. Bring us home from the wilderness of sin, and strengthen us to serve you in all that we do and say; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Forgiveness

P: There is joy in heaven over every sinner who repents. By the grace of God in (+) Christ Jesus, your sins are forgiven and you are made free. Rejoice with the angels and with one another! We are home in God's mercy, now and forever.

C: Amen.

****Order of Service - Page 147 in the Hymnal****

Kyrie (Each petition will end with P: "Let us pray to the Lord"; please respond **C: "Lord, have mercy"**.)

Canticle of Praise.....This is the Feast of Victory for Our God.....Page 149

Prayer of the Day

C: O Lord God, tireless guardian of your people, you are always ready to hear our cries. Teach us to rely day and night on your care. Inspire us to seek your enduring justice for all this suffering world, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Psalm.....Psalm 19

Reading.....Exodus 20:1-21

New Commandments.....Pastor Dorothy Sandahl

Hymn of the Day.....*We Are Called*.....#720

**Come! Live in the light! Shine with the joy and the love of the Lord!
We are called to be light for the kingdom, to live in the freedom of the
city of God.**

**Refrain: We are called to act with justice, we are called to love tenderly;
we are called to serve one another, to walk humbly with God.**

**Come! Open your heart! Show your mercy to all those in fear! We are
called to be hope for the hopeless so hatred and blindness will be no
more. Refrain**

**Sing! Sing a new song! Sing of that great day when all will be one!
God will reign, and we'll walk with each other as sisters and brothers
united in love. Refrain**

Apostles Creed.....Page 105

Prayers of Intercession (Each petition will end with P: “Lord in your
mercy”; please respond **C: “Hear our prayers”**.)

Sharing of the Peace

Offering

Offering Hymn.....*Lord I Lift Your Name on High*.....#857

Lord, I lift your name on high; Lord, I love to sing your praises. I'm so glad you're in my life, I'm so glad you came to save us. You came from heaven to earth to show the way, from the earth to the cross, my debt to pay, from the cross to the grave, from the grave to the sky; Lord, I lift your name on high.

Offering Prayer

P: We give you all thanks and praise, O God, for you rule forever in faithfulness and in you is salvation with eternal glory. Enable us to be your arms and legs in the world.

C: Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving.....Page 152

Words of Institution

P: For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup, we proclaim the mystery of faith.

C: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Lord's Prayer.....Page 154

Holy Communion

Special Music.....Senior Choir

Communion Hymn 1.....*We Come To The Hungry Feast*#479

We come to the hungry feast, hungry for a word of peace. To hungry hearts unsatisfied, the love of God is not denied. We come, we come to the hungry feast.

We come to the hungry feast, hungry for a world released from hungry

people of ev'ry kind, the poor in body, poor in mind. We come, we come to the hungry feast.

We come to the hungry feast, hungry that the hunger cease, and knowing, though we eat our fill, the hunger will stay with us; still we come, we come to the hungry feast.

Communion Hymn 2.....*Here Is Bread*.....#483

Here is bread, here is wine, Christ is with us, he is with us. Break the bread, taste the wine, Christ is with us here.

Here is grace, here is peace, Christ is with us, he is with us. Know his grace, find his peace, feast on Jesus here.

Here we are, joined in one, Christ is with us, he is with us. We'll proclaim till he comes Jesus crucified.

Communion Prayer

P: We thank you that in Jesus Christ your Word has settled among us, meeting us in our brokenness and suffering and in mercy, bringing healing and a way to wholeness.

C: Amen.

Announcements

Blessing

P: Go now and live fruitfully where God has placed you. Strive to provide for others that live among us as you represent and show great love of God as faithful workers. May Christ Jesus cleanse you and make you whole; and may the Holy Spirit keep your spirits alive and your feet from stumbling.

C: Amen.

Sending Hymn.....*On Our Way Rejoicing*.....#537

On our way rejoicing gladly let us go. Christ our Lord has conquered; vanquished is the foe. Christ without, our safety; Christ within, our joy; who, if we be faithful, can our hope destroy?

Refrain: On our way rejoicing;_as we forward move,_hearken to our praises,_O blest God of love!

Unto God the Father joyful songs we sing; unto God the Savior thankful hearts we bring; unto God the Spirit bow we and adore, on our way rejoicing now and evermore. Refrain

P: Go in peace. Share God's love with all!

C: Thanks be to God.

Announcements

Confirmation Sunday: Join us on Sunday, October 23rd for a celebration worship, as this year's 9th grade students become confirmed. All friends and family are welcome to attend to praise this great accomplishment.

Harvest Dinner: Our annual Harvest Dinner will be October 30th, starting at 10:30am. Please sign up for your choice of donations; we need time, talents and treasures! We are asking \$10 be donated by each family to cover the cost of supplies and food. We are also looking for volunteers to help with the event. If you are able to assist, please sign up in the Narthex or online: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0c48aeaf2>

9a4fe3-harvest. There are also extra raffle tickets located in the office if you would like to purchase more. Thanks!

Help Needed! We are currently looking for volunteers to help with Sunday Worship activities. We need ushers, communion servers, lectors, and videographers for 2017. You can sign up for a month of your choice in the Narthex. Thanks!

Happy Birthday: Wishing a happy birthday this upcoming week to: **Stanley Johnson, Dawn Hegge, Kaye Henrickson, Douglas Oates, Kayley Blaha, Leslie Foss, Ireland Keenan, Janice Stendahl, Taylor Sylla, Rita Hegge, and Austin Staff.**

***Celebration Sunday for October will take place on November 6th ***

Please pray for the following: Barb Harms, Karl Fernholz, Roy Arneson, George Przybilla, Goodwin Anderson, Vicki Windjue, Steven Hanvold, Ralph Johnson, Lara Schansberg, Charlie Bratz, Fern Moe, Bob Guinn, Greg Pryzbilla, Nora and Lena (Engen) Hafner, and Jeff Betthausen.

Coming Up This Week:

Monday - Bible Study 6:15pm
Praise Team Practice (with Confirmands) 7:00pm

Tuesday - (Pastor in Chetek for Interim Meeting)
Quilting 8:30am
Life and Growth Meeting 5:30pm
Worship Meeting 7:00pm

Wednesday - Bible Study 9:30am
Wednesday Worship 5:30pm
(Training Confirmands for Volunteer Service)

Property and Finance Meeting 6:00pm

JCrew 6:30pm

Senior Choir Practice 7:00pm

Sunday - Worship 9:15am (Praise Team/Confirmation Sunday)

Sunday School 10:15am

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Communion Servers: Nancy

Lyngen & Donna Fernholz

Videographer: David Anderson