



Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

A Member of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod

Worship Schedule: Sunday 9:00am

Education Hour: Sunday @ 10:30am

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We, the members of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, believing the Bible to be God's inspired and inerrant Word, acknowledging that Jesus Christ is Lord, and affirming that we are saved by Grace through faith in Him alone, offer the following as our statement of mission:

Empowered by the Holy Spirit and loving our neighbors as ourselves, we, as ambassadors for Christ, must strive to make disciples of all nations; Using the gifts the Lord has given to each of us, we must help the saints to grow in unity of faith through regular worship attendance, the partaking of the Sacraments, the study of God's Word, and by ministering to the spiritual needs of others; we will persevere in prayer and thanksgiving for all the opportunities and blessings which God places before us.

**Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity
September 19, 2021**

Opening Versicles (common)

- L** This is the day which the Lord has made;
C **let us rejoice and be glad in it.**
L From the rising of the sun to its setting,
C **the name of the Lord is to be praised.**
- L** Better is one day in Your courts than a thousand elsewhere;
C **I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of the wicked.**
- L** Make me to know Your ways, O Lord.
C **Teach me Your paths.**
L Sanctify us in Your truth.
C **Your Word is truth.**
- L** From the rising of the sun to its setting,
C **the name of the Lord is to be praised.**
C **Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

Old Testament Canticle

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C

Refrain



C The Lord God is my strength and my song, and
 He has be - come my sal - va - tion.
 With joy will you draw wa - ter from the
 wells of sal - va - tion. And you will say in that
 day: "Give thanks to the Lord, call up - on His name,
 make known His deeds a - mong the peo - ples, pro -



claim that His name is ex - alt - ed.”

Refrain



The Lord God is my strength and my song, and



He has be - come my sal - va - tion.



Sing prais - es to the Lord, for He has done



glo - rious - ly; let this be made known in all the



earth. Shout, and sing for joy, O in -



hab - i - tants of Zi - on, for great in your midst is the



Ho - ly One of Is - ra - el.

Refrain



The Lord God is my strength and my song, and



He has be - come my sal - va - tion.



Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son

and to the Ho - ly Spir - it;

as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and will

be for - ev - er. A - men.

Refrain

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He has be - come my sal - va - tion.

Children's Message

Readings from Holy Scripture

Old Testament Reading: 1 Kings 17:17-24

Psalm 30; antiphon: v. 5b

^{5b}Weeping may tarry for the night,
but joy comes with the morning.

¹I will extol you, O LORD, for you have drawn me up
and have not let my foes rejoice over me.

²**O LORD my God, I cried to you for help,
and you have healed me.**

³O LORD, you have brought up my soul from Sheol;
you restored me to life from among those who go down to the pit.

⁴**Sing praises to the LORD, O you his saints,
and give thanks to his holy name.**

⁵For his anger is but for a moment,
and his favor is for a lifetime.

Weeping may tarry for the night,
but joy comes with the morning.

⁶**As for me, I said in my prosperity,
"I shall never be moved."**

⁷By your favor, O LORD,
you made my mountain stand strong;

you hid your face;

I was dismayed.

**⁸To you, O LORD, I cry,
and to the Lord I plead for mercy:**

⁹“What profit is there in my death,
if I go down to the pit?

Will the dust praise you?

Will it tell of your faithfulness?

**¹⁰Hear, O LORD, and be merciful to me!
O LORD, be my helper!”**

¹¹You have turned for me my mourning into dancing;
you have loosed my sackcloth
and clothed me with gladness,

¹²that my glory may sing your praise and not be silent.

O LORD my God, I will give thanks to you forever!

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*

and to the Holy | Spirit;

as it was in the be- | ginning,*

is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

^{5b}Weeping may tarry for the night,
but joy comes with the morning.

Epistle: Ephesians 3:13-21

Holy Gospel: Luke 7:11-17

Responsory (common)

L Forever, O Lord, Your Word is firmly set in the heavens.

C Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.

L Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and keep it.

C Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.

L Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

C Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.

Ten Commandments

C You shall have no other gods.

You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God.

Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy.

Honor your father and your mother.

You shall not murder.

You shall not commit adultery.

You shall not steal.

You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor.

You shall not covet your neighbor's house.

You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his manservant or maidservant,
his ox or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.

Apostles' Creed

C I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.

And 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 sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.

From thence 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.

Lord's Prayer

C 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 Lord's Prayer

As The Head Of The Family Should Teach It In A Simple Way To His Household

The Conclusion

For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever.* Amen.

*For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are Yours now and forever. * Amen*

What does this mean?

This means that I should be certain that these petitions are pleasing to our Father in heaven, and are heard by Him; for He Himself has commanded us to pray in this way and has promised to hear us. Amen, amen means "yes, yes, it shall be so."

*These words were not originally in Luther's Small Catechism.

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: "Lord of All Hopefulness" **LSB #738**

Prayer

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L In peace let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

L For the gift of divine peace and of pardon, with all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

L For the holy Christian Church, here and scattered throughout the world, and for the proclamation of the Gospel and the calling of all to faith, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

L For this nation, for our cities and communities, and for the common welfare of us all, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

L For seasonable weather and for the fruitfulness of the earth, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

L For those who labor, for those whose work is difficult or dangerous, and for all who travel, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

L For all those in need, for the hungry and homeless, for the widowed and orphaned, and for all those in prison, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

L For the sick and dying and for all those who care for them, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

L For . . . [*additional bids for prayer may be inserted here*] . . . let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

L Finally, for these and for all our needs of body and soul, let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.**

Collect of the Day

L O Lord, we pray that Your grace may always go before and follow after us, that we may continually be given to all good works; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

Collect for the Word

L Blessed Lord, You have caused all Holy Scriptures to be written for our learning. Grant that we may so hear them, read, mark, learn, and take them to heart that, by the patience and comfort of Your holy Word, we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

Morning Prayer

C I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please You. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

New Testament Cantic

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C Christ has been raised from the dead! Al - le -



lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.



Christ our Pass - o - ver Lamb has been sac - ri - ficed.



Raised from the dead, He will nev - er die a - gain.



Death has no more do - min - ion o - ver Him.



Christ has been raised from the dead! Al - le -



lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.



Dy - ing, Christ dies to sin, once for all. Liv - ing, He



lives to God. Count your - selves as dead to

sin and a-live to God in Christ Je - sus, our Lord.

Refrain
Christ has been raised from the dead! Al - le -

lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

Blessing

- L** Let us bless the Lord.
- C** **Thanks be to God.**
- L** The almighty and merciful Lord, the Father, the † Son, and the Holy Spirit, bless and preserve you.
- C** **Amen.**

Closing Song: **“Christ is Risen”** **GSLC 61**

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From this you see that the Creed is a very different teaching than the Ten Commandments. For the latter teach us what we ought to do, but the Creed tells us what god does for us and gives to us. The Ten Commandments, moreover, are written in the hearts of all people, but no human wisdom is able to comprehend the creed; it must be taught by the Holy Spirit alone. Therefore wrath and displeasure still remain upon us because we cannot fulfill what God demands of us. But the Creed brings pure grace and makes us righteous and acceptable to God. Through this knowledge we come to love and delight in all the commandments of God because we see here in the creed how God gives himself completely to us, with all his gifts and power, to help us keep the Ten commandments: the Father gives us to all creation, Christ all his works, the Holy Spirit all his gifts.

The Book of Concord – The Large Catechism, The Creed, 67-69

**Those serving the Lord today and
next week September 12th and 19th**

9/19

Music: Praise Band

Elder: Scott Peterson

Acolyte: Alex Sturrock

Ushers: Cory Brockman, Jason Manthei

Counters: David Sturrock

Servers: N/A

9/26

Music: Beth Steuck

Elder: Dan Radel

Acolyte: Carter Manthei

Ushers: Cory Brockman, Jason Manthei

Counters: Stephen Davis

Servers: N/A

Sunday September 12th, 2021

Attendance: 104

Communicants: 81

**This Week at Good Shepherd
September 12th – 19th**

Sunday

9am – Service of Prayer & Preaching –
Praise Band

10:30am – Education Hour

Monday

Tuesday

5:30pm Board of Elders

Wednesday

7am – Men's Bible Study @ McDonald's

5:30pm – Confirmation

Thursday

Church Office Closed

Friday

Saturday

Sunday

9am – Divine Service III

10:30am – Education Hour

Pastor, how are the Psalms connected with the Church Year?

It is the special office of the Antiphon to emphasize the particular fact of salvation which the Season commemorates. Thus, if the 23d Psalm is used at Matins on Septuagesima, the proper Antiphon will be one appointed for the Passion Season; for example, "He was oppressed, and He was afflicted," etc.; but if the same Psalm is used at Vespers in the Easter Season, an Easter Antiphon should be used; for example, "I laid me down and slept," etc. In brief, the Antiphon points out the fact, in the light of which, the Psalm is to be read.

An Explanation of the Service Proper: The Office of the Word, The Service: The Hymn, The Psalm. 210

The Congregation at Prayer

How to use this bulletin for daily prayer all week long.

Reading God's Word and offering up our prayers to God should be part of our daily routine. Below is an outline for a simple daily devotion.

Also included is a portion of the Small Catechism for the week and the prayers of our parish.

Invocation: **In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

Introit: **Bulletin Insert**

Learn by Heart Bible Verses: **Psalm 119:105; James 1:5**

Catechism: **The Ten Commandments: Eighth Commandment & Meaning**

Daily Readings:

Sunday: **Neh. 2:11-20; 4:1-6; 1 Tim. 2:1-15**

Monday: **Neh. 4:7-23; 1 Tim 3:1-16**

Tuesday: **Neh. 5:1-16; 6:1-9, 15-16; 1 Tim 4:1-16**

Wednesday: **Neh. 7:1-4; 8:1-18; Ezra 1:1-10:19; 1 Tim. 5:1-16**

Thursday: **Neh. 9:1-21; 1 Tim. 5:17-6:2**

Friday: **Neh. 9:22-38; Neh. 10:1-13:31; 1 Tim. 6:3-21**

Saturday: **Mal. 1:1-14; Matt. 3:1-17**

Readings for next Sunday: **Proverbs 25:6-14; Ephesians 4:1-6; Luke 14:1-11**

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

- **Birthdays:** Spencer Petrich 9/19; Josiah Nelson 9/20; Mark Stauffer 9/22; Flo Johnson 9/24;
- **Anniversaries:** Bob & Mary Meffert 9/24; Josiah & Tyler Nelson 9/24
- **Sickness/Illness/Recovery:**
- Martha Meffert, sister of Bob Meffert; Carolyn Bayerkohler; Carol Nienkirk; Joanne Christoffer; Diane, Aunt of Lisa Haen; Jon Gullickson; Lorraine Gullickson; David Sturrock; Floyd Brecheisen, brother of Gay Brockberg; Shirlene Schwab; Ruth Timm; Jon Gerken; Bob Meffert; Jean Peirce; Esther Schrunck; Karen Geske; Phyllis, sister-in-law of Bob Meffert; Hester, sister of David Sturrock; Tobias Haugen, grandson of Mavis Ochsendorf; Del Determan, friend of the Pratts; Larry Pratt; Joshua Grau, godson of Bob Meffert; Bonnie, mother of Lisa Haen
- **With Child:** Tyler Nelson; Heidi Wittmeier
- **Death:** Jim Kerr, uncle of Kerry Kerr; June Richardson, grandmother of Carrie Davis

HYMN OF THE MONTH:

#713 "From God Can Nothing Move Me"

COLLECT (**Bulletin Insert**)

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LORD'S PRAYER

BLESSING: **The almighty and most merciful God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless and preserve us. Amen.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

An orange plastic basket with tomatoes was brought in a couple weeks ago. If you would please return the basket to church and put it on the back table in the Upstairs Fellowship Hall for Dana Davis. Thank you.

Ushers Needed - looking for ushers to do 2 weeks at a time, please contact Kerry Kerr. *

MN South District LWML Mission Grant - Support for a Growing Educational Need - \$15,000 - Lutheran Special Educational Ministries (LSEM) believes all students should be able to get a Christian education regardless of their learning abilities. This grant supports continued growth in LSEM programs in the MN South District by providing training, software and testing materials and material resources to allow children with learning needs to continue attending Lutheran schools.

We will begin quarterly evening events for equipping individuals and families to teach the faith at home. Join us for the first event 5:30-7:30pm on Tuesday, 10/26 for the meal, teaching on "Singing in the Home" for adults and games for kids, followed by a vespers service. Details to be announced. Contact Josiah with questions.

Game Nights will continue the second Sunday of each month, starting Sunday, October 10th, at 6-8:00pm. Please bring your own beverage, snacks, and a game to share. Please come to watch or participate!

New Reading Material Available – New Devotionals!! Check out the table in the Narthex.

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