



OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

A Community Transformed By Christ To Be Christ In The World
501 East 23rd Street Hibbing, MN 55746 (218) 263-7422

+Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

June 23, 2024

Prayer request and visitor cards can be found in the pew rack.

(*) Denotes when to stand, if you are able. **Boldface** readings are spoken together.

Prelude *Evening and Morning, Sunset and Dawning* Ebeling/Smith
Nadine Berg

Welcome and Announcements

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

***Confession and Forgiveness**

God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

Most merciful God, **we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of ☩ Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith. **Amen.**

Greeting

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

***Kyrie**

1. Ky - ri - e e - lei - son. Ky - ri - e e - lei - son.
2. Chris - te e - lei - son. Chris - te e - lei - son.
3. Ky - ri - e e - lei - son. Ky - ri - e e - lei - son.

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***Hymn of Praise**

Glory to God

Glo-ry to God in the high - est, and peace to God's peo-ple on
earth. Lord God, heav-en-ly King, al-might-y God and Fa-ther, we
wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo-ry.

***Prayer of the Day**

O God of creation, **eternal majesty, you preside over land and sea, sunshine and storm. By your strength pilot us, by your power preserve us, by your wisdom instruct us, and by your hand protect us, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

Reading

2 Corinthians 6:1-13

Paul and his fellow workers experience great hardships and even rejection while carrying out their missionary work. Nevertheless, Paul continuously proclaims that God has not rejected us but is graciously working for our salvation.

A reading from 2 Corinthians.

¹As we work together with him, we urge you also not to accept the grace of God in vain. ²For he says,

“At an acceptable time I have listened to you,
and on a day of salvation I have helped you.”

See, now is the acceptable time; see, now is the day of salvation! ³We are putting no obstacle in anyone’s way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, ⁴but as servants of God we have commended ourselves in every way: through great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, ⁵beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; ⁶by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, holiness of spirit, genuine love, ⁷truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; ⁸in honor and dishonor, in ill repute and good repute. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; ⁹as unknown, and yet are well known; as dying, and see—we are alive; as punished, and yet not killed; ¹⁰as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing everything.

¹¹We have spoken frankly to you Corinthians; our heart is wide open to you. ¹²There is no restriction in our affections, but only in yours. ¹³In return—I speak as to children—open wide your hearts also.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm

Psalm 107:1-3, 23-32

You stilled the storm and silenced the waves of the sea.

(Ps. 107:29)

- ¹Give thanks to the LORD, for the LORD is good,
for God's mercy endures forever.
- ²**Let the redeemed of the LORD proclaim
that God redeemed them from the hand of the foe,**
- ³gathering them in from the lands;
from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.
- ²³**Some went down to the sea in ships,
plying their trade in deep waters.**
- ²⁴They beheld the works of the LORD,
God's wonderful works in the deep.
- ²⁵**Then God spoke, and a stormy wind arose,
which tossed high the waves of the sea.**
- ²⁶They mounted up to the heavens and descended to the depths;
their souls melted away in their peril.
- ²⁷They staggered and reeled like drunkards,
and all their skill was of no avail.
- ²⁸Then in their trouble they cried to the LORD,
and you delivered them from their distress.
- ²⁹**You stilled the storm to a whisper
and silenced the waves of the sea.**
- ³⁰Then were they glad when it grew calm,
when you guided them to the harbor they desired.
- ³¹**Let them give thanks to you, LORD, for your steadfast love
and your wonderful works for all people.**
- ³²Let them exalt you in the assembly of the people;
in the council of the elders, let them sing hallelujah!

Children's Message

Pastor Kevin Olson

*Gospel Acclamation



***Gospel**

Mark 4:35-41

Jesus' calming of the storm on the sea reveals his power over evil, since the sea represents evil and chaos. The boat on the sea is a symbol of the church and invites us to trust God amid life's turbulence.

The holy gospel according to Mark. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

³⁵When evening had come, Jesus said to the disciples, "Let us go across to the other side." ³⁶And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. ³⁷A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. ³⁸But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" ³⁹He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. ⁴⁰He said to them, "Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?" ⁴¹And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?"

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon

Storms

Pastor Kevin Olson

***Hymn of the Day**

My Life Flows On in Endless Song

#763 (ELW)

***Apostles' Creed**

Along with the church, we confess our faith.

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

***Prayers of Intercession**

We come before the triune God to pray for our communities, ourselves, and our world.

A brief silence.

Equip your faithful people to approach this world with a sense of wonder. Make your church a safe place to explore big questions, troubling doubts, and honest laments. Humble our hearts to repent of the ways that communities of faith have inflicted pain or trauma.

Merciful God, **receive our prayer.**

Receive our prayers, O God, and come quickly to our aid, through the power of the Spirit and the love of Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

***Peace**

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

Reception of Offering

Impromptu Schubert/Kendall

Nadine Berg

***Offertory Response**

We Give Thee But Thine Own

#686 vs. 1&2 (ELW)

***Offering Prayer**

Blessed are you, **O God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts: our selves, our time, and our possessions. Use us, and what we have gathered, in feeding the world with your love, through the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

*** Lord's Prayer**

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***Blessing**

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.

The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace. **Amen.**

***Sending Hymn**

Precious Lord, Take My Hand

#773 (ELW)

***Dismissal**

Go in peace. Serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Arabesque

Steven Scott

Nadine Berg

ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP

Pastor: Kevin Olson
Acolyte: Aubrey Kangas/Eli Kangas
Choir Director: Roy Berg
Organist: Nadine Berg
Videographer: Dustin Davidson/John Law
Ushers: Al Lipke/Greg & Carmen Solberg
Tellers: Jan Gregorich/Larry Schmelzer
Altar Guild: Jill Klapatch/Carmen Solberg

NEWS & NOTES



Best wishes to Shirlie Osberg and Mary Hemmersbaugh who will be celebrating their birthday's this week. Shirlie today and Mary on Thursday.
Happy Birthday!!!

Administrative Assistant position is available!!

If you know of anyone who is interested in applying for this position, please send your resume' to OSLC, 501 E. 23rd St., Hibbing, MN 55746 or email it to olschibb@mchsi.com

Sharik/Farseth Scholarship applications are being accepted – deadline is August 31st. Our selection criteria would include the following – Member of Our Savior's Lutheran Church; must have completed 1 year (minimum of 30 credits) of post-secondary education within the past 3 years (include transcript); volunteer activities in school, church and community; and, academic performance. Applications are available in the office, via mail or e-mail (olschibb@mchsi.com) .

OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

Today, 23rd

9am Worship
10am Coffee & Fellowship
9am Radio Broadcast
1240 AM WMFG
11:15am Chapel of the Pines

Monday, 24th

9am Quilting – Potluck

Tuesday, 25th

10am Staff
11:30am Hymn Planning
6:30pm Worship Cmte

Wednesday, 26th

8:30am Bible Study
1pm Food shelf

Friday, 28th

1pm Food shelf



*We are in need of radio broadcast sponsorships. Please call the office at 218-263-7422 to schedule.
Thank you*



Organs in Revue

Wednesdays at noon:

June 26: Variety ProgramOur Savior's Lutheran Church,
Hibbing
July 3: NO RECITAL
July 10: Tom HamiltonHibbing High School Auditorium
July 17: Lanae RonchettiSt. James Episcopal Church, Hibbing
July 24: Amy SzumalFaith United Lutheran Church, Iron
July 31: Brian KappBlessed Sacrament Catholic Church, Hibbing
August 7: Karen SandeFirst Lutheran Church, Hibbing
August 14: Kristen WeikumOur Savior's Lutheran Church, Virginia

`The **Columbarium** at Our Savior's offers perpetually endowed care for the remains of those members and their family who choose cremation. It is a place of peace, solitude, and prayer restoring the ancient practice of church burial.
If you would like to learn more about the columbarium, please make an appointment with Cindy in the church office by calling
218-263-7422.



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Would you like our congregation to pray for any issues, problems, or health concerns you have? We believe in the power of prayer and know that our petitions are heard and answered. Please call the church office at 218-263-7422 and we will pass your request on to the Prayer Chain.