

OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

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A Community Transformed By Christ To Be Christ In The World

+Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

July 7, 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 Partita On "Lobe den Herren" movements I,II,III 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.**

*Gathering Hymn

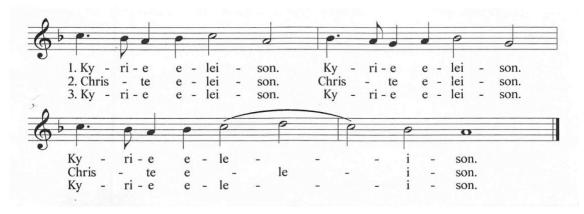
How Firm a Foundation

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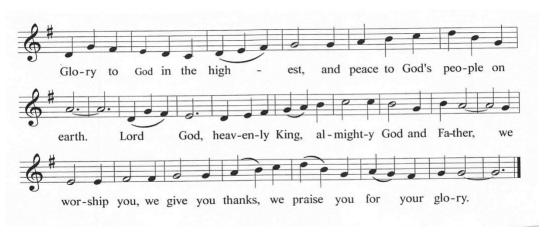
*Greeting

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** Lord have mercy....Christ have mercy....Lord have mercy



*Hymn of Praise



*Prayer of the Day

God of the covenant, in our baptism you call us to proclaim the coming of your kingdom. Give us the courage you gave the apostles, that we may faithfully witness to your love and peace in every circumstance of life, in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Reading 2 Corinthians 12:2-10

Christians do not boast of their own accomplishments. Rather, Christian boasting focuses attention on how the power of Christ is present in our lives, especially in times of weakness and vulnerability. No matter what our circumstances in life, Christ's grace is sufficient for us.

A reading from 2 Corinthians.

 2 I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. ³ And I know that such a person—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows—4 was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. ⁵On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. ⁶ But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, ⁷ even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. ⁸Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, ⁹ but he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness." So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. ¹⁰ Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong.

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Children's Message

Pastor Kevin C. Olson

*Gospel Acclamation



*Gospel Mark 6:1-13

At home and abroad, Jesus and his disciples encounter resistance as they seek to proclaim God's word and relieve affliction.

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

¹ Jesus came to his hometown, and his disciples followed him.² On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, "Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! ³ Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?" And they took offense at him. ⁴ Then Jesus said to them, "Prophets are not without honor, except in their hometown, and among their own kin, and in their own house." ⁵ And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. ⁶ And he was amazed at their unbelief.

Then he went about among the villages teaching. ⁷ He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. ⁸ He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; ⁹ but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. ¹⁰ He said to them, "Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. ¹¹ If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them." ¹² So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. ¹³ They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

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

Sermon Boo'd off the Stage

Pastor Kevin C. Olson

*Hymn of the Day Lord, You Give the Great Commission #579 (vs. 1,4,5 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

One in the communion of saints and in the power of the Holy Spirit, we join our voices in prayer.

A brief silence.

Glorious God, you bend down to wash the feet of your disciples. Let the servant church arise in our teaching, our praying, our healing, and our doing. Make all your faithful people powerful in weakness and strong in grace. In your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Holy God, holy and merciful: into your outstretched arms we commend ourselves and all for whom we pray, trusting in the one who is the way, the truth, and the life, Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

*Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

Reception of Offering Partita on "Lobe den Herren" movement IV Nadine Berg

*Offertory Response We Give Thee But Thine Own #686 vs. 1&2 (ELW)

*Offering Prayer

God of all creation, all you have made is good, and your love endures forever. You bring forth bread from the earth and fruit from the vine. Nourish us with these gifts, that we might be for the world signs of your gracious presence in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Communion

All who believe that God is present in this meal are invited to share in the celebration of the Lord's Supper. Grape juice is available upon request. With their parents permission, all children are also invited to commune. Come forward with your hands cupped to receive. Children not communing are encouraged to come forward to receive a blessing. Communion will be brought to those unable to come to the chancel in the front pew and handicap row.

*Great Thanksgiving

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The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

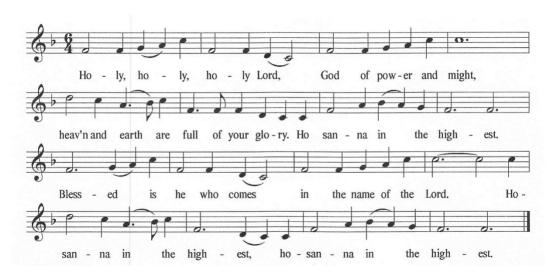
We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

*Preface

*Holy, Holy, Holy



Words of Institution

*Lord's Prayer

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*Lamb of God



*Communion Hymns Great is Thy Faithfulness #733 (ELW)
The Church of Christ, in Every Age #729 (ELW)
God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending #678 (ELW)

*Prayer after Communion

O God, we give you thanks that you have set before us this feast, the body and blood of your Son. By your Spirit strengthen us to serve all in need and to give ourselves away as bread for the hungry, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*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

Bless, O God, the Journey

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*Dismissal

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

Postlude

Finale C. L. Koch

Nadine Berg

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ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP

Pastor: Kevin C. Olson

Acolytes: Elijah Teske/Jonah Teske

Lector: Kara Ronning Choir Director: Roy Berg Organist: Nadine Berg

Videographer: Dustin Davidson/John Law Ushers: Roy & Ada Hobbs/Jim McDonald

Tellers: Greg Kujala/Tim Rasch Altar Guild: Suzanne Clark

NEWS & NOTES



Today's radio broadcast is sponsored by the Larry Baldwin family in memory of Dick & Eleanor Baldwin's Anniversary. *Thank you*.

Best wishes to Richard Moyer who will be celebrating his birthday on Friday. 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

Sharík/Farseth Scholarshíp 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 (oslchibb@mchsi.com)

Organs in Revue

Wednesdays at noon:

July 10:	Tom Hamilton	Hibbing High School Auditorium
Julv 17:	Lanae Ronchetti	St. James Episcopal Church, Hibbing

OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

Today,7th

9am Worship/Communion 10am Coffee & Fellowship 9am Radio Broadcast **1240 AM WMFG**

11:15am Side Lake Chapel

Tuesday,9th

10am Staff

4pm Property Cmte

Wednesday, 10th

8:30am Bible Study 1pm Food shelf

Thursday, 11th

10am Women's Bible Study

Friday, 12th

1pm Food shelf