



## OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

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A Community Transformed By Christ To Be Christ In The World

+Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost

October 20, 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** *O, the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus* Faye Lopez Nadine Berg

**Temple Talk** *Stewardship for All Seasons* Helga Nelson

### 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**

*Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service*

#712 (ELW)

**\*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**

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In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,  
and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,  
let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

Help, save, comfort, and defend us gracious Lord.

**Amen.**

**\*Hymn of Praise**

*This is the Feast*

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Refrain:

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia.

1. **Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God. Power and riches and wisdom and strength, and honor and blessing and glory are his.**

Refrain:

2. **Sing with all the people of God and join in the hymn of all creation: Blessing and honor and glory and might be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen.**

Final Refrain:

**This is the feast of victory for our God,  
for the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

**\*Prayer of the Day**

Sovereign God, **you turn your greatness into goodness for all the peoples on earth. Shape us into willing servants of your kingdom, and make us desire always and only your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

## Reading

Hebrews 5:1-10

*Using imagery from scripture and from Jewish worship practices, Jesus is presented as the great high priest who was obedient to God's saving plan. Through his suffering and death he has become the source of eternal salvation.*

A Reading from Hebrews.

<sup>1</sup>Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. <sup>2</sup>He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; <sup>3</sup>and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. <sup>4</sup>And one does not presume to take this honor, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was.

<sup>5</sup>So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him,

"You are my Son,  
today I have begotten you";

<sup>6</sup>as he says also in another place,

"You are a priest forever,  
according to the order of Melchizedek."

<sup>7</sup>In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. <sup>8</sup>Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; <sup>9</sup>and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, <sup>10</sup>having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

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

## Anthem

*Come and Find the Quiet Center* Mark Sedio

Temple Choir

Come and find the quiet center in the crowded life we lead,  
find the room for hope to enter, find the frame where we are freed:  
clear the chaos and the clutter, clear our eyes, that we can see  
all the things that really matter, be at peace, and simply be.

Silence is a friend who claims us, cools the heat and slows the pace,  
God it is who speaks and names us, knows our being, touches base,  
making space within our thinking, lifting shades to show the sun,  
raising courage when we're shrinking, finding scope for faith begun.

In the Spirit let us travel, open to each other's pain,  
let our loves and fears unravel, celebrate the space we gain:  
there's a place for deepest dreaming, there's a time for heart to care,  
in the Spirit's lively scheming there is always room to spare!

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?  
You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

**\*Gospel**

Mark 10:35-45

*On the way to Jerusalem the disciples ask Jesus to grant them seats of honor. Jesus responds by announcing that he and his followers will "rule" through self-giving service.*

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

<sup>35</sup>James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." <sup>36</sup>And he said to them, "What is it you want me to do for you?" <sup>37</sup>And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory." <sup>38</sup>But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?" <sup>39</sup>They replied, "We are able." Then Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; <sup>40</sup>but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared."

<sup>41</sup>When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. <sup>42</sup>So Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. <sup>43</sup>But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, <sup>44</sup>and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. <sup>45</sup>For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many."

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

**Sermon**

*Promoted to Responsible Service*

Pastor Kevin C. Olson

**\*Hymn of the Day**

*Will You Let Me Be Your Servant*

#659 (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.**

## **Sacrament of Baptism**

*Rowen Lee Rocha*

Let us welcome the newly baptized.

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**We welcome you into the body of Christ and into the mission we  
share: join us in giving thanks and praise to God and bearing God's  
creative and redeeming word to all the world.**

## **\*Prayers of Intercession**

Challenged by God's Word in Christ, let us pray for the church, the world, and  
the whole creation.

*A brief silence.*

Holy One, we give thanks for all servant leaders of the church. Bless bishops,  
pastors, and deacons with humble wisdom and ground them in your love.  
God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

Into your hands, O God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in the  
saving grace you freely give, both now and forever.  
**Amen.**

## **\*Peace**

The peace of Christ be with you always.  
**And also with you.**

## **Reception of Offering**

*Morning Prayer* Gilbert Martin

*Nadine Berg*

**\*Offertory Response** *Accept, O Lord, the Gifts We Bring* #691 (vs 1 & 3, 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**

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Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might.

Heav'n and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who come in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.

#### **\*Words of Institution**

#### **\*Lord's Prayer**

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#### **\*Lamb of God**

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Lamb of God. You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;

grant us peace, grant us peace.

#### **\*Communion Hymns**

*For the Fruit of All Creation*

#679 (ELW)

*Praise and Thanksgiving*

#689 (ELW)

*For the Bread Which You Have Broken*

#494 (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**

*By Your Hand You Feed Your People*

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**\*Dismissal**

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

**Postlude**

*Love Divine*

Tedd Smith

Nadine Berg

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## **NEWS & NOTES**



Today's radio broadcast is sponsored by Carlin Hahn in celebration of the birth of his Great-grandson, Spencer.  
*Thank you.*

Best wishes to Shirley Glad who will be celebrating her birthday on Monday. *Happy Birthday!!*

Best wishes to Jeff & Barb Hart who are celebrating their 40<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary today. *Happy Anniversary!!!*

Please join us for a birthday celebration for Doris LaFraniere today after worship in the fellowship hall. Doris is celebrating her 95<sup>th</sup> birthday which was on October 13<sup>th</sup>!!!



Today we welcome through Holy Baptism Rowen Lee Rocha. Rowen is the son of Isaac and Madison Rocha. His sponsors are Isabelle Persson and Dominic Rocha.

*Congratulations and welcome to God's holy family.*



**Star of the North Maternity Home  
Iron Range is hosting Chili  
Extravaganza!**

**Oct. 26, 5:30-7:30 at Blessed  
Sacrament Catholic Church.** This

fun event is a combination chili cook-off, silent  
auction, & diaper drive. Suggested donation of  
\$10 to attend and taste chili.

Interested in competing? Call (218)206-1381.



OSLCW have decided not to have a  
Bazaar this year. Instead, there will be  
an "in-house" Lefse and bread sale on  
November 17<sup>th</sup>.

On November 24<sup>th</sup>, there will be a Pie  
social and sale during fellowship.

Watch the VOICE for more details.

In Christ, Sue Schock

**ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP**

Pastor: Kevin C. Olson

Acolytes: Sam Pinkoski/Naomi Ronning

Cantor: Paula Jackson

Choir Director: Roy Berg

Organist: Nadine Berg

Videographer: Dustin Davidson/John Law

Ushers: Keith & Cindy Eggert/Todd & Amy Rice

Tellers: Kathy Anderson/Jill Klapatch

Altar Guild: Suzanne Clark/Patty Sterle

**OPPORTUNITIES  
OF THE WEEK**

**Today, 20<sup>th</sup>**

9am Worship/Communion

10am Coffee /Fellowship

10:30am Radio Broadcast

1240 AM WMFG

**Monday, 21<sup>st</sup>**

*VOICE* deadline

9am Quilting

**Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup>**

11:30am Hymn Planning

6:30pm Worship Cmte

**Wednesday, 23<sup>rd</sup>**

8:30am Bible Study

11am Staff

1pm Food shelf

6pm Handbells

Confirmation rehearsal

7pm Confirmation

Choir

**Friday, 25<sup>th</sup>**

1pm Food shelf

**Sunday, 27<sup>th</sup>**

9am Reformation Sunday  
& Sunday School

10am Coffee/Fellowship

10:30am Radio Broadcast

1240 AM WMFG

11am Confirmation

Worship