

**Third Sunday after Pentecost**  
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**Divine Service-Setting Three-LSB 184**



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**GUESTS:** The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as he says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but his very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with him and with one another. Our Lord invites to his table those who trust his words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as he forgives and loves us, that they may show forth his death until he comes. Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, are asked first to speak with the pastor or an elder.

The following questions are helpful in preparing for attendance at the Lord's Supper.

- *Have I been baptized in the name of the Triune God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit?*
- *Do I believe that I am a sinful human being with no hope of eternal life except for God's mercy in Christ?*
- *Do I believe that Jesus Christ is God's Son and my precious Savior?*
- *Do I believe that He is personally present in the Sacrament of Holy Communion with His Body and Blood (Real Presence)?*
- *Am I in fellowship with this congregation (Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod)?*
- *Do I intend by the power of the Holy Spirit to live a Godly life?*

**Confession and Absolution**

## Opening Hymn #708 Lord, Thee I Love with All My Heart

- 1 Lord, Thee I love with all my heart;  
I pray Thee, ne'er from me depart,  
With tender mercy cheer me.  
Earth has no pleasure I would share.  
Yea, heav'n itself were void and bare  
If Thou, Lord, wert not near me.  
And should my heart for sorrow break,  
My trust in Thee can nothing shake.  
Thou art the portion I have sought;  
Thy precious blood my soul has bought.  
Lord Jesus Christ, my God and Lord, my God and Lord,  
Forsake me not! I trust Thy Word.
- 2 Yea, Lord, 'twas Thy rich bounty gave  
My body, soul, and all I have  
In this poor life of labor.  
Lord, grant that I in ev'ry place  
May glorify Thy lavish grace  
And help and serve my neighbor.  
Let no false doctrine me beguile;  
Let Satan not my soul defile.  
Give strength and patience unto me  
To bear my cross and follow Thee.  
Lord Jesus Christ, my God and Lord, my God and Lord,  
In death Thy comfort still afford.
- 3 Lord, let at last Thine angels come,  
To Abr'ham's bosom bear me home,  
That I may die unfearing;  
And in its narrow chamber keep  
My body safe in peaceful sleep  
Until Thy reappearing.  
And then from death awaken me,  
That these mine eyes with joy may see,  
O Son of God, Thy glorious face,  
My Savior and my fount of grace.  
Lord Jesus Christ, my prayer attend, my prayer attend,  
And I will praise Thee without end.

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*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

**P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

- P** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,  
**C** **who made heaven and earth.**
- P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,  
**C** **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

- P** O almighty God, merciful Father,  
**C** **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**
- P** Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C** **Amen.**

## Service of the Word

### Introit

*Psalm 85:8–10, 13; antiphon: v. 7*

Show us your steadfast love, O LORD,  
**and grant us your salvation.**  
 Let me hear what God the LORD will speak,  
 for he will speak peace to his people, to his saints; but let them not turn back to folly.  
 Surely his salvation is near to those who fear him,  
**that glory may dwell in our land.**  
 Steadfast love and faithfulness meet;  
**righteousness and peace kiss each other.**  
 Righteousness will go before him  
**and make his footsteps a way.**  
**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.**  
 Show us your steadfast love, O LORD,  
**and grant us your salvation.**

### Kyrie (sung)

*LSB 186*

- C** **Lord, have mercy upon us.**  
**Christ, have mercy upon us.**  
**Lord, have mercy upon us.**

### Gloria in Excelsis (sung)

*LSB 187*

- P** Glory be to God on high:  
**C** **and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.**  
**We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee,**

we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.  
 O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.  
 O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;  
 O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
 that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.  
 Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.  
 Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.  
 For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.  
 Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,  
 art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

### Salutation and Collect of the Day

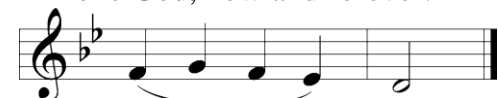
**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.

**P** Let us pray.

Lord of all power and might, author and giver of all good things, graft into our hearts the love of Your name and nourish us with all goodness that we may love and serve our neighbor; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



**C** A - men.

### Old Testament Reading

*1 Kings 19:9b-21*

Behold, the word of the LORD came to [Elijah], and he said to him, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" <sup>10</sup>He said, "I have been very jealous for the LORD, the God of hosts. For the people of Israel have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword, and I, even I only, am left, and they seek my life, to take it away." <sup>11</sup>And he said, "Go out and stand on the mount before the LORD." And behold, the LORD passed by, and a great and strong wind tore the mountains and broke in pieces the rocks before the LORD, but the LORD was not in the wind. And after the wind an earthquake, but the LORD was not in the earthquake. <sup>12</sup>And after the earthquake a fire, but the LORD was not in the fire. And after the fire the sound of a low whisper. <sup>13</sup>And when Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his cloak and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. And behold, there came a voice to him and said, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" <sup>14</sup>He said, "I have been very jealous for the LORD, the God of hosts. For the people of Israel have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword, and I, even I only, am left, and they seek my life, to take it away." <sup>15</sup>And the LORD said to him, "Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus. And when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael to be king over Syria. <sup>16</sup>And Jehu the son of Nimshi you shall anoint to be king over Israel, and Elisha the son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah you shall anoint to be prophet in your place. <sup>17</sup>And the one who escapes from the sword of Hazael shall Jehu put to death, and the one who escapes from the sword of Jehu shall Elisha put to death. <sup>18</sup>Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him."

<sup>19</sup>So he departed from there and found Elisha the son of Shaphat, who was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen in front of him, and he was with the twelfth. Elijah passed by him and cast his cloak upon him. <sup>20</sup>And he left the oxen and ran after Elijah and said, "Let me kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow you." And he said to him, "Go back again, for what have I done to

you?” <sup>21</sup>And he returned from following him and took the yoke of oxen and sacrificed them and boiled their flesh with the yokes of the oxen and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he arose and went after Elijah and assisted him.

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Epistle

*Galatians 5:1, 13–25*

<sup>1</sup>For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery. . . .

<sup>13</sup>For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another. <sup>14</sup>For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” <sup>15</sup>But if you bite and devour one another, watch out that you are not consumed by one another.

<sup>16</sup>But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. <sup>17</sup>For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do. <sup>18</sup>But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law. <sup>19</sup>Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, <sup>20</sup>idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, <sup>21</sup>envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. <sup>22</sup>But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, <sup>23</sup>gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. <sup>24</sup>And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.

<sup>25</sup>If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit.

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Alleluia

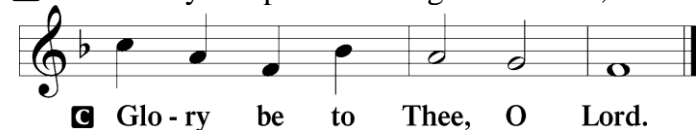
*LSB 190*



## Holy Gospel

*Luke 9:51–62*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the ninth chapter.

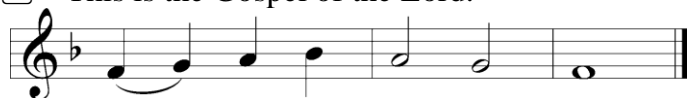


<sup>51</sup>When the days drew near for [Jesus] to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. <sup>52</sup>And he sent messengers ahead of him, who went and entered a village of the Samaritans, to make preparations for him. <sup>53</sup>But the people did not receive him, because his face was set toward Jerusalem. <sup>54</sup>And when his disciples James and John saw it, they said, “Lord, do you want us to tell fire to come down from heaven and consume them?” <sup>55</sup>But he turned and rebuked them. <sup>56</sup>And they went on to another village.

<sup>57</sup>As they were going along the road, someone said to him, “I will follow you wherever you go.” <sup>58</sup>And Jesus said to him, “Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head.” <sup>59</sup>To another he said, “Follow me.” But he said, “Lord, let me first go and bury my father.” <sup>60</sup>And Jesus said to him, “Leave the dead to bury their own dead. But as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God.” <sup>61</sup>Yet another said, “I will follow you, Lord, but let me first say

farewell to those at my home.” <sup>62</sup>Jesus said to him, “No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.”

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



**C** Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

## Nicene Creed

**C** I believe in one God,  
the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth  
and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the only-begotten Son of God,  
begotten of His Father before all worlds,  
God of God, Light of Light,  
very God of very God,  
begotten, not made,  
being of one substance with the Father,  
by whom all things were made;  
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven  
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary  
and was made man;  
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.  
He suffered and was buried.  
And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures  
and ascended into heaven  
and sits at the right hand of the Father.  
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead,  
whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord and giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,  
who spoke by the prophets.  
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,  
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,  
and I look for the resurrection of the dead  
and the life  $\text{✝}$  of the world to come. Amen.

## 688 “Come, Follow Me,” the Savior Spake

- 1 “Come, follow Me,” the Savior spake,  
“All in My way abiding;  
Deny yourselves, the world forsake,  
Obey My call and guiding.  
O bear the cross, whate’er betide,  
Take My example for your guide.

2 “I am the light, I light the way,  
A godly life displaying;  
I bid you walk as in the day;  
I keep your feet from straying.  
I am the way, and well I show  
How you must sojourn here below.

3 “My heart abounds in lowliness,  
My soul with love is glowing;  
And gracious words My lips express,  
With meekness overflowing.  
My heart, My mind, My strength, My all,  
To God I yield, on Him I call.

4 “I teach you how to shun and flee  
What harms your soul’s salvation,  
Your heart from ev’ry guile to free,  
From sin and its temptation.  
I am the refuge of the soul  
And lead you to your heav’nly goal.”

5 Then let us follow Christ, our Lord,  
And take the cross appointed  
And, firmly clinging to His Word,  
In suff’ring be undaunted.  
For those who bear the battle’s strain  
The crown of heav’nly life obtain.

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## Sermon

- P** The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.  
**C** Amen.

## Offering

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## Offertory (sung)

*LSB 192*

- C** Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.  
Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.  
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

## Prayer of the Church

- P** Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.
- In peace, let us pray to the Lord.
- C** Lord, have mercy.
- P** For the gift of divine peace and of pardon, let us pray to the Lord.
- C** Lord, have mercy.
- P** For the Holy Church 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.
- P** For this nation, that God’s gracious Word have free course and that His righteousness prevails, let us pray to the Lord.
- C** Lord, have mercy.
- P** For all people, that we be preserved from discord and strife, that God grant us protection in every time of need, let us pray to the Lord.
- C** Lord, have mercy.

**P** For all those in need, for the hungry and homeless, for the widowed and orphaned, for the sick and dying, and for those who care for them, let us pray to the Lord.

**C** Lord, have mercy.

*Individual petitions may be added here.*

**P** 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.

## Service of the Sacrament

### Preface

LSB 194

**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.

**P** Lift up your hearts.



**C** We lift them up un - to the Lord.

**P** Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.



**C** It is meet and right so to do.

**P** It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who, out of love for His fallen creation, humbled Himself by taking on the form of a servant, becoming obedient unto death, even death upon a cross. Risen from the dead, He has freed us from eternal death and given us life everlasting. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

### Sanctus (*sung*)

LSB 195

**C** Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth;  
heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory.  
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

### Lord's Prayer

LSB 196

**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 Words of Our Lord

LSB 197

- P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: “Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.”

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: “Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

## Pax Domini

LSB 197

- P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.



**G** A - men.

## Agnus Dei (*sung*)

LSB 198

- C** O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.  
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.  
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace.  
Amen.

## Distribution

### 819 Sing Praise to God, the Highest Good

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| <p>1 Sing praise to God, the highest good,<br/>The author of creation,<br/>The God of love who understood<br/>Our need for His salvation.<br/>With healing balm our souls He fills<br/>And ev'ry faithless murmur stills:<br/>To God all praise and glory!</p> <p>2 What God's almighty pow'r has made,<br/>In mercy He is keeping.<br/>By morning glow or evening shade<br/>His eye is never sleeping.<br/>Within the kingdom of His might<br/>All things are just and good and right:<br/>To God all praise and glory!</p> <p>3 We sought the Lord in our distress;<br/>O God, in mercy hear us.<br/>Our Savior saw our helplessness<br/>And came with peace to cheer us.<br/>For this we thank and praise the Lord,<br/>Who is by one and all adored:<br/>To God all praise and glory!</p> | <p>4 He never shall forsake His flock,<br/>His chosen generation;<br/>He is their refuge and their rock,<br/>Their peace and their salvation.<br/>As with a mother's tender hand,<br/>He leads His own, His chosen band:<br/>To God all praise and glory!</p> <p>5 All who confess Christ's holy name,<br/>Give God the praise and glory.<br/>Let all who know His pow'r proclaim<br/>Aloud the wondrous story.<br/>Cast ev'ry idol from its throne,<br/>For God is God, and He alone:<br/>To God all praise and glory!</p> |
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### 430 My Song Is Love Unknown

- 1 My song is love unknown,  
My Savior's love to me,  
Love to the loveless shown  
That they might lovely be.  
Oh, who am I  
That for my sake  
My Lord should take  
Frail flesh and die?
- 2 He came from His blest throne  
Salvation to bestow;  
But men made strange, and none  
The longed-for Christ would know.  
But, oh, my friend,  
My friend indeed,  
Who at my need  
His life did spend!
- 3 Sometimes they strew His way  
And His sweet praises sing;  
Resounding all the day  
Hosannas to their King.  
Then "Crucify!"  
Is all their breath,  
And for His death  
They thirst and cry.
- 4 Why, what hath my Lord done?  
What makes this rage and spite?  
He made the lame to run,  
He gave the blind their sight.  
Sweet injuries!  
Yet they at these  
Themselves displease  
And 'gainst Him rise.

- 5 They rise and needs will have  
My dear Lord made away;  
A murderer they save,  
The Prince of Life they slay.  
Yet cheerful He  
To suff'ring goes  
That He His foes  
From thence might free.
- 6 In life no house, no home  
My Lord on earth might have;  
In death no friendly tomb  
But what a stranger gave.  
What may I say?  
Heav'n was His home  
But mine the tomb  
Wherein He lay.
- 7 Here might I stay and sing,  
No story so divine!  
Never was love, dear King,  
Never was grief like Thine.  
This is my friend,  
In whose sweet praise  
I all my days  
Could gladly spend!

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### 619 Thy Body, Given for Me, O Savior

- 1 Thy body, giv'n for me, O Savior,  
Thy blood which Thou for me didst shed,  
These are my life and strength forever,  
By them my hungry soul is fed. **Refrain**

*ref Lord, may Thy body and Thy blood  
Be for my soul the highest good!*

- 2 With Thee, Lord, I am now united;  
I live in Thee and Thou in me.  
No sorrow fills my soul, delighted  
It finds its only joy in Thee. **Refrain**

- 3 Who can condemn me now? For surely  
The Lord is nigh, who justifies.  
No hell I fear, and thus securely  
With Jesus I to heaven rise. **Refrain**
- 4 Though death may threaten with disaster,  
It cannot rob me of my cheer;  
For He who is of death the master  
With aid and comfort e'er is near. **Refrain**
- 5 My heart has now become Thy dwelling,  
O blessèd, holy Trinity.  
With angels I, Thy praises telling,  
Shall live in joy eternally. **Refrain**

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## Nunc Dimittis (*sung*)

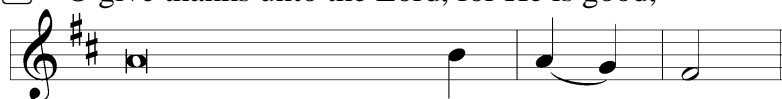
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- C** Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word,  
for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all  
people, a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel.  
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

## Thanksgiving

LSB 200

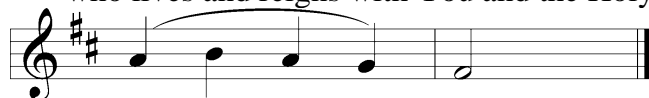
- P** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,



- C** and His mercy endureth for - ev - er.

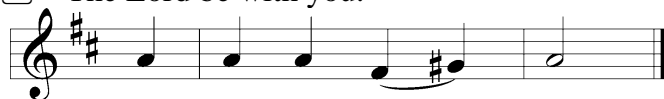
- P** Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift,  
and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith  
toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



- C** A - men.

- P** The Lord be with you.

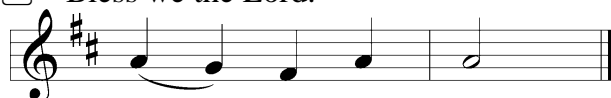


- C** And with thy spir - it.

## Benedicamus

LSB 202

- P** Bless we the Lord.

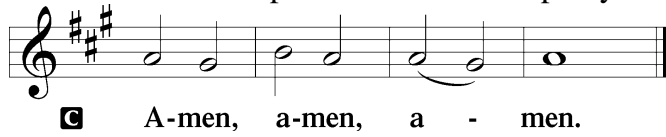


- C** Thanks be to God.

## Benediction

LSB 202

- P** The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.  
The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and  $\text{✠}$  give you peace.



## 712 Seek Ye First

- 1 Seek ye first the kingdom of God,  
And His righteousness.  
And all these things shall be added unto you!  
Allelu, alleluia!
- 2 Ask and it shall be given unto you,  
Seek and ye shall find,  
Knock and the door shall be opened unto you,  
Allelu, alleluia!
- 3 Man does not live by bread alone,  
But by ev'ry word  
That proceeds from the mouth of the Lord,  
Allelu, alleluia!

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## STEWARDSHIP CORNER

July 4<sup>th</sup> is a special time of the year when we express our gratitude for the privilege that we have to live in this great country. We recognize that our freedom has been won at great cost. Much blood was shed and many lives lost, and, at this time of year, we take time celebrate the freedoms that we enjoy as a country and honor those who fought to liberate us. Our spiritual freedom, too, was won at great cost. We were slaves to the Law which we could never fulfill, but Christ satisfied its requirements for us. He shed His blood and gave His life to pay the penalty for the sin we incurred. Let us honor Him as we express our gratitude by sharing with others the message of our freedom in Christ.

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MAY TOTALS		ATTENDANCE			
General Fund	\$50,395.41	6/22	1st	65	
Missions	\$830.00		2nd	121	
BFF	\$770.00	6/25	WOW	11	
Church Maintenance	\$190.00	TOTAL		197	
School Maintenance	\$140.00	Budgeted Income Needed Each Month			\$67,101.00
Tuition Assistance	\$145.00	General Fund Total for May			\$50,395.41
Christmas Tree Fund	\$20.00	TOTAL			-\$16,705.59
TOTAL	\$52,490.41	PLEASE NOTE: NO WOW SERVICES ON JULY 23 & AUGUST 6			
Memorials \$6350.00 included in the above total.					

CALENDAR			
Monday	6/30	6:00pm	Board of Christian Education
Wednesday	7/2	6:00pm	WOW-Patriotic Worship Service
Sunday	7/6	8:30 & 10:30am	Worship w/Communion <i>Mite Box Sunday</i>
<b>Pastor Kaiser will be at the LCMS Michigan District convention through Tuesday, June 24<sup>th</sup>. If the need for pastoral care should arise during this time, please call or text his cell at (989)318-3950.</b>			

SCHEDULED SUMMER OFFICE HOURS			
Pastor Kaiser		Lisa	
Monday	9:00am-2:00pm	Tuesday	9:00am-1:00pm
Wednesday	9:00am-12:00pm	Thursday	9:00am-1:00pm
Thursday	9:00am-12:00pm	(989)662-6093	
Cell: (989)318-3950 <b>Call or text anytime.</b>		<b>All bulletin announcements must be submitted by Thursday morning to churchsecretary@trinitymonitor.org</b>	

**NOW HIRING:** Trinity Lutheran School is looking to better serve our families by bringing back our After School Care program. We are looking for two individuals who are 18 years of age or older, has some experience working with groups of children, and available Monday-Friday from 3:00-6:00pm. If interested, send resume to director Rebecca Setula at [rsteffey@trinitymonitor.org](mailto:rsteffey@trinitymonitor.org).

We are also looking for a full-time elementary teacher to join our school family. Applicants should love Jesus and have a valid Michigan teaching certificate. Please share this opportunity as you see appropriate. Interested candidates can contact Karen Friebe at the school office or by email at [kfriebe@trinitymonitor.org](mailto:kfriebe@trinitymonitor.org).



**OUTDOOR WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

The 10:30 a.m. service for the following dates will be held in the pavilion.

**July 13**

**July 27**  
w/Communion

**August 10**

**August 24**  
w/Communion

*In case of inclement weather, worship will be held inside the church.*

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Join Us For A Good Old Fashioned

**Ice Cream Social**

**July 27<sup>TH</sup>**

Following our 10:30 a.m. Outdoor Worship Service.



*Hosted by the Stewardship Committee*



# Patriotic WORSHIP SERVICE

**WOW!**  
WORSHIP ON WEDNESDAY  
TRINITY MONITOR  
20 E. Salzburg Road  
Bay City, MI 48706

Celebrate Independence Day with us as we thank the Lord not only for the freedom we have in Christ, but also for American Independence.

**July 2, 2025  
6:00pm**



*So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed. -John 8:36*



## EPIC Australian Adventure

An Unforgettable Journey with Jesus

### Vacation Bible School is coming to Trinity!

**July 27<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup> 2025  
5:30-8:00 pm**

**Preschool-5<sup>th</sup> Grade**  
Students 6<sup>th</sup> grade and up are encouraged to register to be a volunteer. Use the QR code below.

We're going on an epic adventure through Australia, and you're invited! Jesus, who tells us "I am the way, and the truth, and the life" (John 14:6) will be our guide as we encounter amazing animals, lush landscapes, stunning sea life, and wondrous wilderness. With awesome planning tools, both physical and digital, VBS has truly been brought back to full force.



**Scan the QR code to register.**  
(Students & Volunteers)

SAVE THE DATE!

**42<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL  
PIG ROAST & CHICKEN BBQ WEEKEND**



**AUGUST 22-24, 2025**

LIVE MUSIC FRIDAY & SATURDAY  
OUTDOOR WORSHIP  
CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT & MORE!

Trinity Lutheran Church 20 E. Salzburg Rd. Bay City  
Sponsored by the Trinity Monitor Athletic Booster Club

### Blooper Ball Tournament

- Register your team today!
- Double Elimination
- Entry Fee \$150/Team
- Players must be at least 14 years old
- Teams may be Co-Ed



*For more information or to register a team, text Kyle at 989.239.8035*

### Weekend Events!

**Friday**  
Blooperball Games, Concessions, and Live Music!

**Saturday**  
Blooperball Games, Concessions, Chicken BBQ, Cornhole Tournament, and Live Music!

**Sunday**  
Outdoor Worship, Pig Roast, Concessions, and Championship Games!

*Bring your families and enjoy our celebration!*