

LUTHERAN CHAPEL



REVELATION 14:1-5, 12-13 AND JOHN 6:56-69

“THE WORDS OF ETERNAL LIFE”

*The scandal of eating and drinking Jesus' blood,
of Jesus being the Bread of Life, leads many to leave Him.
Yet His word is eternal life for all who trust Him still.*

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SERVICE OF WORD AND PRAYER

***BOLD** indicates congregational responses.*

** Indicates that all who are able should stand to honor God.*

GATHER

WELCOME

PRELUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

Presentation of Backpack Tags

Amy Carpenter

Prayers of the People

Pastor: Steady and comforting God, with you, every transition and new start is a reminder of your goodness, for you are always creating fresh, amazing things in us and through us. Though we are sad about summer's ending, we are grateful for this school year. Especially this one. After all we've faced, overcome, and released with the past year of COVID-19, we come to this year changed, with new levels of gratitude, hope, and connection carved in us.

We appreciate the opportunity to learn and grow, knowing it is one of the biggest privileges we have. And the gift of physically being with friends and teachers for school this year feels like a holy hug. With thanks and love, we now offer everything we are to you, asking for your blessing.

We pray as and for students of all ages, abilities, and backgrounds. We pray for our hearts and all they hold—excitement and nervousness, disappointment and hope. We give you all our loves and fears. We pray for steady self-esteem and deepening resilience.

***All:** Loving God, hold us and our prayers.*

Pastor: We pray for our minds, that they will expand in wonder and celebration, learning not just from the books studied but the people beside us. Open our minds with a willingness to be changed in unexpected ways, and settle our thoughts in peaceful places.

All: *Loving God, hold us and our prayers.*

Pastor: We pray for our hands, that they will reach out to help welcome and care. Bless our hands with patience and dedication as they grip pencils and type on keyboards, swish paint brushes and clap in song, grip monkey bars and lunch box handles, spin wheelchair tires and basketballs.

All: *Loving God, hold us and our prayers.*

Pastor: We pray for our mouths, that they will speak words bringing life and connection. Help us use our mouths to honor the dignity and belovedness of all. Remind us to open our mouths for deep belly breaths when we're feeling anxious or afraid.

All: *Loving God, hold us and our prayers.*

Pastor: We pray for our feet, that they will move toward those different from us and help others in safe ways. Plant our feet next to those who feel alone, and bless our steps down hallways and sidewalks. We know you are with us wherever our feet go or stay.

All: *Loving God, hold us and our prayers.*

Pastor: We pray for our eyes, that they may see ourselves and others with compassion. Point our eyes toward those who are forgotten or struggling. Grow us in flexibility to see from all kinds of angles. Bless what and how we see, whether we're looking at a screen, a whiteboard, or the beauty of a person's face. And help us see with the most important eyes—the eyes of the Spirit within us.

All: *Loving God, hold us and our prayers.*

Pastor: We pray for our ears, that they will genuinely listen to all voices, especially those that haven't been listened to much. When things get noisy, help us listen extra carefully for your voice. Help us hear with the most important ears—the ears of the Spirit within us.

All: *Loving God, hold us and our prayers.*

Pastor: We say a special prayer for parents, as the start of a new school year is always another leap of faith. Wrap them with your reassuring love as they entrust their children and trust in you. When questions remain unanswered, and the realm of control is finite, bless them with peace and the promise you are right there with their child, whether heading to preschool or driving to college.

All: *Loving God, hold us and our prayers.*

Pastor: We also pray now for teachers, staff, and administrators. Bless these faithful servants with courage and confidence, knowing you are in their classroom with a steady hand on their shoulder. Give them peace, patience, and balance in the pressures they

face, and bravery to build structures and systems which justly serve all your children. Give them delight in the young ones before them, and recognition of the sweet ways children are also teachers.

All: *Loving God, hold us and our prayers.*

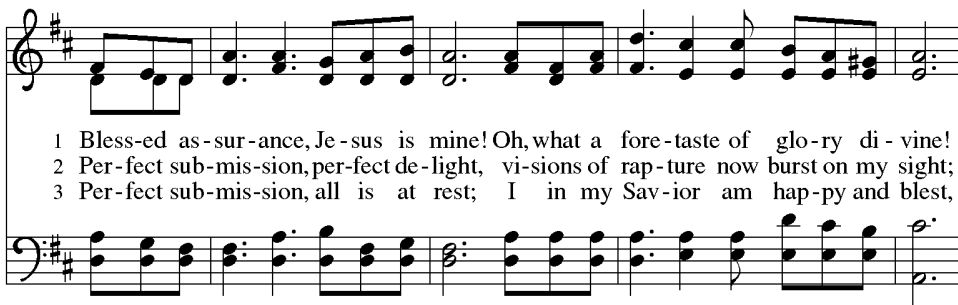
Pastor: We pray for health and wholeness, fun and growth, surprise and amazement, for this school year ahead, knowing you will hold us all the way through.

All: *We thank you, God, and love you. Amen.*

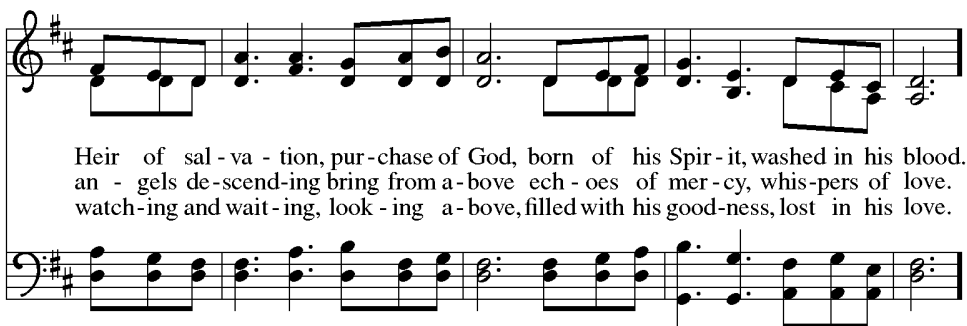
GREETING

P: We gather together in the name of the Father, + the Son and the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

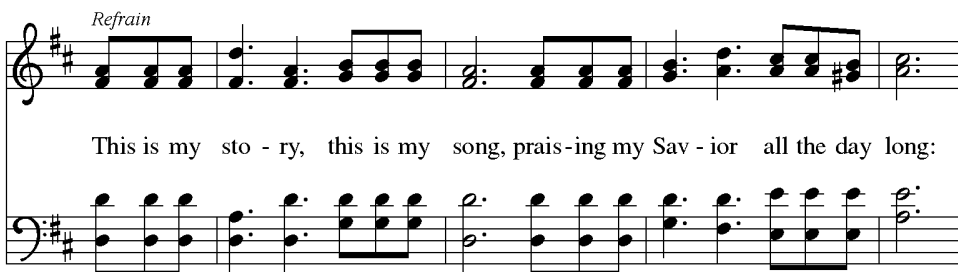


1 Bless-ed as-sur-ance, Je-sus is mine! Oh, what a fore-taste of glo-ry di-vine!
 2 Per-fect sub-mis-sion, per-fect de-light, vi-sions of rap-ture now burst on my sight;
 3 Per-fect sub-mis-sion, all is at rest; I in my Sav-ior am hap-py and blest,



Heir of sal-va-tion, pur-chase of God, born of his Spir-it, washed in his blood.
 an-gels de-scend-ing bring from a-bove ech-oes of mer-cy, whis-pers of love.
 watch-ing and wait-ing, look-ing a-bove, filled with his good-ness, lost in his love.

Refrain



This is my sto-ry, this is my song, prais-ing my Sav-ior all the day long:



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PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Let us pray.

C: Holy God, your word feeds your people with life that is eternal. Direct our choices and preserve us in your truth, that, renouncing what is false and evil, we may live in you, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

FIRST LESSON

JOSHUA 24:1-2a, 14-18

In the Near East, covenant means “agreement” or “alliance.” It describes relationships and is the primary word used to characterize the relationship between God and Israel. By delivering Israel, God has already begun the relationship. Joshua calls upon the people to respond.

¹Then Joshua gathered all the tribes of Israel to Shechem, and summoned the elders, the heads, the judges, and the officers of Israel; and they presented themselves before God.

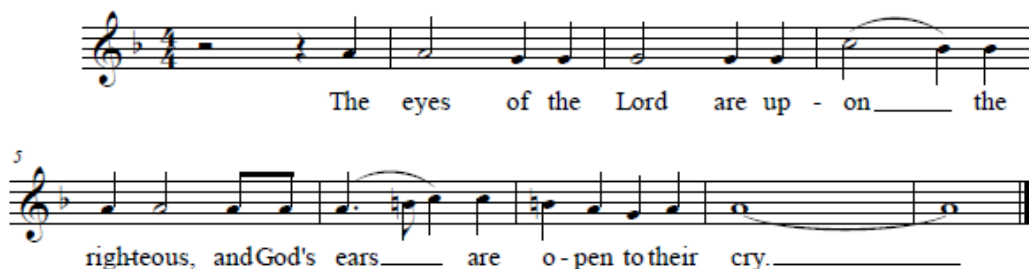
^{2a}And Joshua said to all the people, ¹⁴“Now therefore revere the LORD, and serve him in sincerity and in faithfulness; put away the gods that your ancestors served beyond the River and in Egypt, and serve the LORD. ¹⁵Now if you are unwilling to serve the LORD, choose this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served in the region beyond the River or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you are living; but as for me and my household, we will serve the LORD.”

¹⁶Then the people answered, “Far be it from us that we should forsake the LORD to serve other gods; ¹⁷for it is the LORD our God who brought us and our ancestors up from the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, and who did those great signs in our sight. He protected us along all the way that we went, and among all the peoples through whom we passed; ¹⁸and the LORD drove out before us all the peoples, the Amorites who lived in the land. Therefore we also will serve the LORD, for he is our God.”

L: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God.

Congregational refrain:



- ¹⁵The eyes of the Lord are upon the righteous,
 And God's ears are open to their cry,
¹⁶The face of the Lord is against those who do evil,
 To erase the remembrance of them from the earth.

Refrain:

- ¹⁷The righteous cry, and the Lord hears them
 And delivers them from all their troubles.
¹⁸The Lord is near to the broken-hearted
 And saves those whose spirits are crushed.

Refrain:

- ¹⁹Many are the troubles of the righteous,
 But the Lord delivers them from every one.
¹²God will keep safe all their bones;
 Not one of them shall be broken.

Refrain:

- ²¹Evil will bring death to the wicked
 And those who hate the righteous will be punished.
²²O Lord, You redeem the life of Your servants,
 And those who put their trust in You will not be punished..

Refrain:

STORY OF SALVATION LESSON

REVELATION 14:1-5, 12-13

John of Pamos calls on all who trust in Christ to endure. What does it mean to endure? How do we endure day by day until the Last Day?

¹Then I looked, and there was the Lamb, standing on Mount Zion! And with him were one hundred forty-four thousand who had his name and his Father's name written on their foreheads. ²And I heard a voice from heaven like the sound of many waters and like the sound of loud thunder; the voice I heard was like the sound of harpists playing on their harps, ³and they sing a new song before the throne and before the four living creatures and before the elders. No one could learn that song except the one hundred forty-four thousand who have been redeemed from the earth. ⁴It is these who have not defiled themselves with women, for they are virgins; these follow the Lamb wherever he goes. They have been redeemed from humankind as first fruits for God and the Lamb, ⁵and in their mouth no lie was found; they are blameless.

¹²Here is a call for the endurance of the saints, those who keep the commandments of God and hold fast to the faith of Jesus.

¹³And I heard a voice from heaven saying, "Write this: Blessed are the dead who from now on die in the Lord." "Yes," says the Spirit, "they will rest from their labors, for their deeds follow them."

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

John 1:1, Luke 24:32



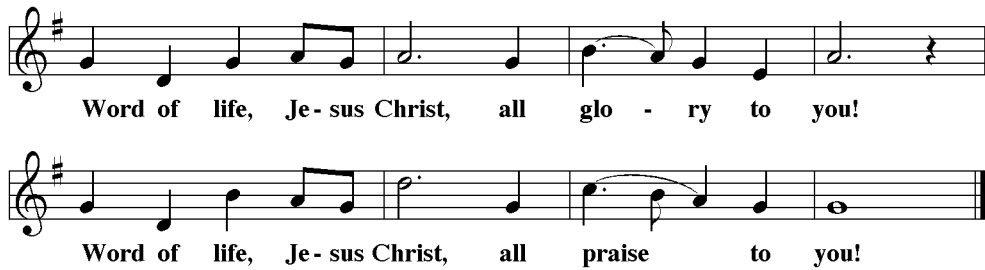
Word of life, Je- sus Christ, all glo - ry to you!



Word of life, Je- sus Christ, all praise to you!



Our hearts burn with - in us while you o - pen to us the Scrip- tures.

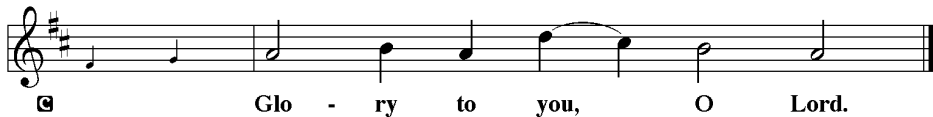


*GOSPEL

JOHN 6:56-69

Those who are able may stand to honor Christ during the reading of the Gospel.

Response after the announcement:



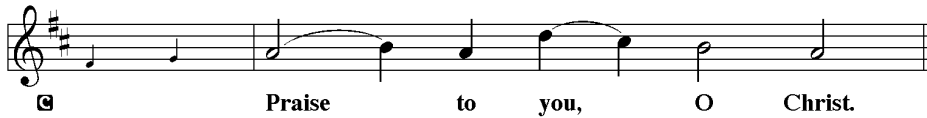
The “hard saying” that offends Jesus’ disciples is his claim that his followers must eat his flesh and drink his blood. The followers who return to their old lives know something about how odd this sounds. Simon Peter, on the other hand, knows something about the scarcity of living, gracious words. He asks the most important question: “To whom shall we go?”

[Jesus said,] ⁵⁶“Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. ⁵⁷Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. ⁵⁸This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever.” ⁵⁹He said these things while he was teaching in the synagogue at Capernaum.

⁶⁰When many of his disciples heard it, they said, “This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?” ⁶¹But Jesus, being aware that his disciples were complaining about it, said to them, “Does this offend you? ⁶²Then what if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before? ⁶³It is the spirit that gives life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life. ⁶⁴But among you there are some who do not believe.” For Jesus knew from the first who were the ones that did not believe, and who was the one that would betray him. ⁶⁵And he said, “For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted by the Father.”

⁶⁶Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him. ⁶⁷So Jesus asked the twelve, “Do you also wish to go away?” ⁶⁸Simon Peter answered him, “Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. ⁶⁹We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God.”

P: The Gospel of the Lord.



MESSAGE

“The Words of Eternal Life”

Endurance

People Are Upset at Jesus

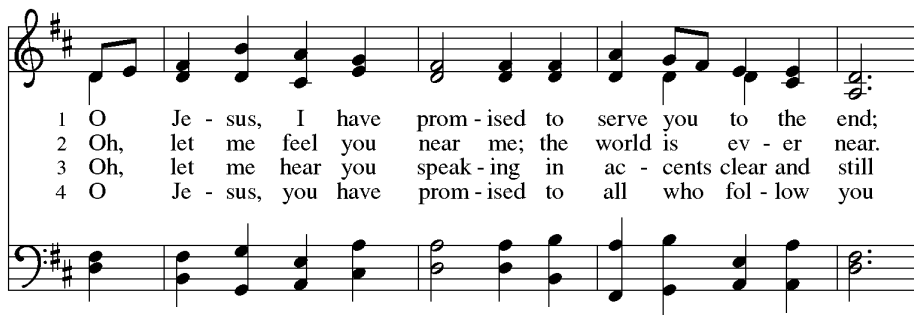
Lord, to Whom Shall We Go? You Have the Words of Eternal Life

The Law is an aspect in the Word that shows our brokenness, sin and need for Jesus’ saving power: What are the results of complaining? How can you go from 5000 followers to maybe 12 in one day?

The Gospel is an aspect in the Word that gives strength, wisdom and hope in Jesus’ ultimate saving power: Jesus gives the words of eternal life to all who believe.

So What? When have you been persecuted, disrespected, or just avoided for the Name of Jesus? Do you recognize trials are part of what it means to follow Jesus? Choose to receive the gift of Holy Communion frequently if not weekly.

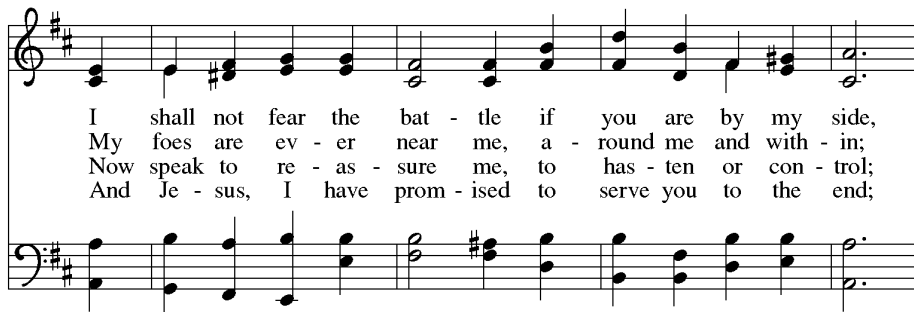




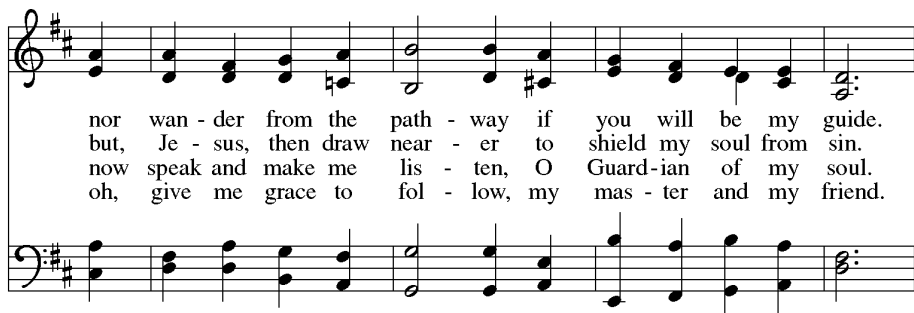
1 O Je - sus, I have prom - ised to serve you to the end;
 2 Oh, let me feel you near me; the world is ev - er near.
 3 Oh, let me hear you speak - ing in ac - cents clear and still
 4 O Je - sus, you have prom - ised to all who fol - low you



re - main for - ev - er near me, my mas - ter and my friend.
 I see the sights that daz - zle, the tempt - ing sounds I hear.
 a - bove the storms of pas - sion, the mur - murs of self - will.
 that where you are in glo - ry your ser - vant shall be too.



I shall not fear the bat - tle if you are by my side,
 My foes are ev - er near me, a - round me and with - in;
 Now speak to re - as - sure me, to has - ten or con - trol;
 And Je - sus, I have prom - ised to serve you to the end;



nor wan - der from the path - way if you will be my guide.
 but, Je - sus, then draw near - er to shield my soul from sin.
 now speak and make me lis - ten, O Guard - ian of my soul.
 oh, give me grace to fol - low, my mas - ter and my friend.

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

P: In Christ, you have heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation.

C: We believe in Him and are marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit.

Ephesians 1:13-14

P: Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith.

***THE APOSTLES' CREED**

All are invited to confess our faith in God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. If you have not received the gift of baptism or would like to affirm your faith in Jesus and join His mission here, please indicate on the attendance registry and talk to an usher or the pastor.

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.

P: Build yourselves up on your most holy faith:

C: pray in the Holy Spirit. *Jude 20*

P: Keep yourselves in the love of God;

C: look forward to the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ. *Jude 21*

P: If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation:

C: Everything old has passed away; behold, everything has become new!

2 Corinthians 5:17

P: God has given us the ministry of reconciliation. Therefore, let us be reconciled to God and to one another.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

P: Gracious God,

C: have mercy on us. In Your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone. Uphold us by Your Spirit so that we may live and serve You in newness of life, to the honor and glory of Your holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

P: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

C: Amen.

ANTHEM

“Bread, in Mercy Broken”

CHANCEL CHOIR

Garry A. Cornell / R. Heber

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Bread of the world in mercy broken,
Wine of the soul in mercy shed,
By whom the words of life are spoken,
And in whose death our sins are dead;

Look on the heart in sorrow broken,
Look on the tears by sinners shed;
And be thy feast to us the token
That by thy grace our souls are fed;
Our souls are fed.

Bread of the world in mercy broken,
Wine of the soul in mercy shed,
By whom the words of life are spoken,
And in whose death our sins are dead,
And in whose death our sins are dead.

THE SHARING OF THE PEACE

Matthew 5:22-24: Ephesians 4:1-3

P: Sisters and brothers, rejoice. Mend your ways, encourage one another, agree with one another, live in peace. *2 Corinthians 13:11*

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

PRAYER

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

1 Timothy 2:1-4

P: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

A brief silence may be kept. Each prayer will conclude: Lord in Your mercy, and the congregation may respond **Hear our prayers.**

Prayers are commended in Jesus' Name.

P: All these prayers and whatever else You see that we need we ask in the Name of Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

*THE LORD'S PRAYER

Matthew 6:9-13

P: Lord, remember us in Your kingdom, and teach us to pray:

**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.**

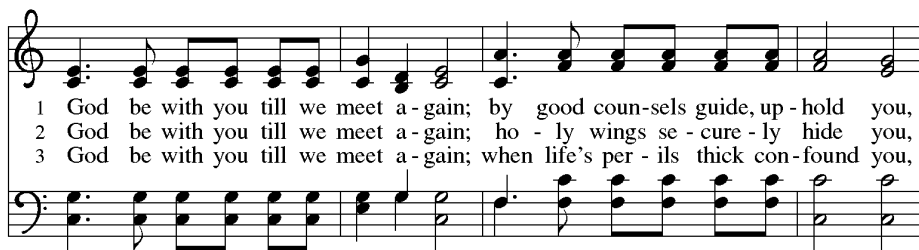
SENDING

*THE BLESSING

Numbers 6:24-26

P: The LORD bless you and keep you. The LORD make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The LORD look upon you with favor and give you peace. In the Name of the Father, + the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

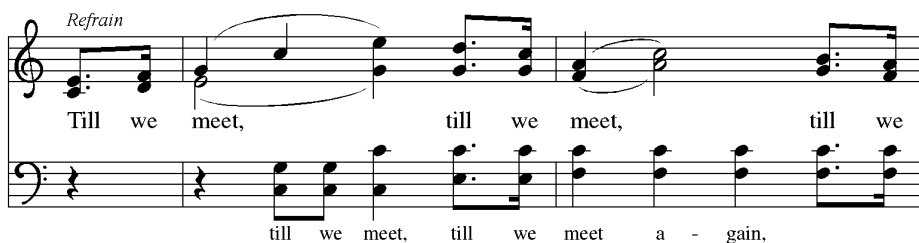
C: Amen.



1 God be with you till we meet a - gain; by good coun-sels guide, up - hold you,
 2 God be with you till we meet a - gain; ho - ly wings se - cure - ly hide you,
 3 God be with you till we meet a - gain; when life's per - ils thick con-found you,



with a shep-herd's care en - fold you;
 dai - ly man - na still pro - vide you; God be with you till we meet a - gain.
 put un - fail - ing arms a - round you;



Refrain
 Till we meet, till we meet, till we
 till we meet, till we meet a - gain,



meet at Je - sus' feet; till we meet, till we
 till we meet, till we meet, till we



meet, God be with you till we meet a - gain.
 meet a - gain,

***DISMISSAL**

P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

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OUR ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the Glory of God by Terry & Trish Ratchford in honor of their grandchildren, Alex & Olivia Berghello.

The Blessing of the Backpacks liturgy was obtained from Illustrated Ministry, LLC.

PARISH NEWS

COMMUNION PRESENTERS AND CLEANUP VOLUNTEERS: With the return to our traditional services we are looking for communion presenters to be a part of the service. We are also in need of volunteers to help with clean-up on the Sundays that bread is served (once a month). Please contact Jonathan Carpenter by email or phone (johnnycarpenter@yahoo.com / 704-575-9901) so that he can add your name to the list. The schedule will be communicated as we get started. Thank you for your service!

ROOTS POOL PARTY: Members of the Roots youth group (6-12 grade) are invited to a pool party at the home of Scott and Wendy Robinson on **Saturday, August 28 at 4pm**. Amy will share more details in the Roots weekly emails.

SAVE THE DATE: Please join the Christian Ed Committee for a pickup breakfast on Sunday, **September 12 at 9 am in the Family Life Center**. There will be tables set up for congregation members to sit and socialize with friends before heading to in-person Sunday School.

FELLOWSHIP SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS: The Fellowship Class will resume Sunday school lessons on September 12th. *We have been granted the use of the Family Life Center for our new venue*. This allows us room for social distancing. Terry Ratchford will teach the first lesson. Looking forward to getting back to normal!

ATTENTION LADIES!: The Circles of Lutheran Chapel are sponsoring a special dinner for all women of the church. As we work to get our Circles active again, please join us in the Fellowship Hall on **Monday, September 13 at 6pm** for dinner. The dress for this occasion will be black, white and a splash of red. Please be creative in choosing your outfit. Wear your flashy shoes, most beautiful white and black clothing and don't forget your splash of red. Prizes will be given for most colorful, best outfit etc. We look forward to sharing food, fun, and fellowship. The Executive Committee of the WELCA will prepare and serve the food. *Please RSVP to Judy Anton 704-867-1309 (H) or Janie Peak 704-460-2064 (C) by Saturday, September 11.*

BOOK STUDY: The Prayer Team is sponsoring a book study beginning in the Fall using "*The Pursuit of God*" from A.W. Tozer. We will be meeting Wednesday evenings at 6:30 in the JOY Sunday School classroom beginning **September 15**. If interested or if you have any questions, please contact Katherine Carpenter (katherinecarpenter@yahoo.com / 704-214-2493). We look forward to spending time together in God's word and growing in His knowledge.

CHOIR RETREAT: Please join us for our *Annual Christmas Choir Retreat* on Friday, **September 17** from 7pm-10pm and Saturday, **September 18** from 10am-2pm. Supper will be provided Friday at 6:00. Hope to see you there!

GIFT OF FACEMASKS: A generous gift of free facemasks is available in the Narthex, outside the Chapel, and at the Preschool entrance. Please take what you need plus any need among friends, neighbors, etc.

MUSICAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR ADULTS: Have you ever sat in the congregation and enjoyed listening to the music? Have you ever had a desire to participate in the choirs, but were not sure how to join? Well, now is the time to put your thoughts into action!

The Hand bell choir is in need of additional players. On September 1st I will offer an “Introduction to Hand bells” class for anyone interested in learning or refreshing techniques in ringing the bells. We will practice for one hour starting at 6:00 in the basement of the church. The official start of hand bells will be on September 8 at 6:00. The hand bell choir usually rings five to six times during the months of September – May. If you have the desire to ring and can rehearse on Wednesday nights, we invite you to join us. Music reading skills are nice but not necessary. This choir has been a great “family” activity. We have had many parent / child groups to ring. Former ringers are invited to rejoin us too!

The **Chancel** choir rehearses on Sunday nights starting at 6:00. We lead the congregation in the liturgy and sing every Sunday.

We hope to be able to have the **Wind Ensemble** this year. If you play a brass or woodwind instrument, please consider joining. A schedule will be determined at a later date. This choir is also open for the youth with at least one year of band class.

We would love to add new faces and new voices to the choirs. The choir retreat will be September 17 & 18. Now would be the perfect time to start! All you have to do is show up at practice and enjoy the music! Please prayerfully consider any of our adult offerings and contact us if you have any questions. Roger and Jeanette Myers, chapelvoices@msn.com / 704.864.6230

Equipped In Jesus Christ Meal by Meal, Week by Week

The gift of Jesus in Word and Sacrament are given to us Sunday by Sunday. The big three things for us:

- Trust in Jesus changes everything. He loves you now and forever!
- Do everything in family, work, church, and community to the glory of God. Choose to make the kingdom of God the focus.
- We are made for relationships! The gathering of the Church is given for us to grow. Here is challenge and comfort for us!

The Holy Communion

Gather

Confession and Forgiveness: Examining yourself is humbling. Knowing forgiveness in Jesus is being set free. 1 John 1:8-9

Sacred Silence: Be still. Silence is for reflection and meditation. Psalm 46:10

Sacred Song: To praise God brings us out of self to joy in Christ. Psalm 100

Word

Listen and Claim the Word of the Lord: What is the Word saying to you? How then shall you live? Isaiah 55:10-11

Law and Gospel: Each Word of God can be divided as law and gospel. I hope you get pinched by the law and realize your sins. I hope you know the gospel that you are loved and saved in Jesus always. Hebrews 4:12-13

Creed: I believe, we believe! God is made known to us as Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit – the Three in One, a call for us to eternal relationship.

Prayers of the Church: Pray for the needs of others. In prayers we come to have tears for the brokenness and hurt and compassionate hearts like our heavenly Father. 1 Timothy 2:1-2

Meal

Sharing the Peace: Jesus' people are called to be peacemakers with one another and to share in His peace. Matthew 5:23-24

The Offering: We are blessed to be a blessing. God is the giver of all. We are His managers. Biblical wisdom is: give cheerfully (a 10% tithe is the starting point). Save for needs. Spend wisely. Avoid debt. Romans 13:10, 2 Corinthians 9:7-12

Receiving the Body and Blood of Jesus: The body of Christ is given, the blood of Christ shed for us that we may receive forgiveness and that we may abide in Him and He in us now and forever. John 6:53-56

Sending

Go in peace and serve the Lord: You trust Jesus then you know you serve the highest purpose – the Kingdom of God. Go and be the difference sharing the hope of Jesus with all. Micah 6:8

Sources: New Revised Standard Version of the Holy Bible, **Manual on the Liturgy**, Phillip Pfatteicher, **Smalcald Articles**, **Small Catechism**, Martin Luther.



DAILY PRAYER

EACH MORNING AND EVENING, PRAY TO THE LORD. (Psalm 1:2) A prayer list, daily lessons to read the Bible together each year, and a song of praise are below. The “*Our Daily Bread*” devotional is available as a booklet, an app in eBook format, daily e-mail, or podcast. Visit odb.org/subscribe.

To share prayer concerns or updates on the prayer list you can call the church office, call/text Pastor Comer (704-787-6439) or call our prayer team (Katherine Carpenter 704-214-2493). Intercessions will be for a month and then removed unless requested to continue.

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THE BIBLE IN A YEAR - Week 34: August 22 to August 29, 2021

08/22 Morning Reading: 1 Corinthians 5—Evening Reading: Psalms 110, 111, 112
08/23 Morning Reading: 1 Corinthians 6—Evening Reading: Psalms 113, 114, 115
08/24 Morning Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:1-19—Evening Reading: Psalms 116, 117, 118
08/25 Morning Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:20-40—Evening Reading: Psalms 119:1-88
08/26 Morning Reading: 1 Corinthians 8—Evening Reading: Psalms 119:89-176
08/27 Morning Reading: 1 Corinthians 9—Evening Reading: Psalms 120, 121, 122
08/28 Morning Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:1-18—Evening Reading: Psalms 123, 124, 125
08/29 Morning Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:19-33—Evening Reading: Psalms 126, 127, 128
Song Of Praise “*Awesome God*” W&P #13

Next Sunday, August 29, 2021

8:30 Holy Communion: Revelation 20:1-3, 11-15, 21:1-8 and Mark 7:1-23
9:30 Sunday School in Chapel - Study of Hebrews
10:30 Service of the Word: Revelation 20:1-3, 11-15, 21:1-8 and Mark 7:1-23 ~

“From the Human Heart”



This QR code goes straight to the Daily prayers page on the website that list the commemorations for the week.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK
SUNDAY, AUGUST 22 - SATURDAY, AUGUST 28, 2021

Sun-22	8:30 am	Early Worship w/ Communion (Chapel)
	9:30 am	Sunday School (Chapel)
	10:30 am	Worship (Sanctuary)
	8:00 pm	Faith Group (Fellowship Hall)
Mon-23	8:30 am	Preschool ~ Fall Session begins
Tues-24	8:30 am	Preschool
	10:00 am	Clothing Closet Workday
Wed-25	8:30 am	Preschool
Thur-26	8:30 am	Preschool
Sat-28	4:00 pm	Roots Pool Party