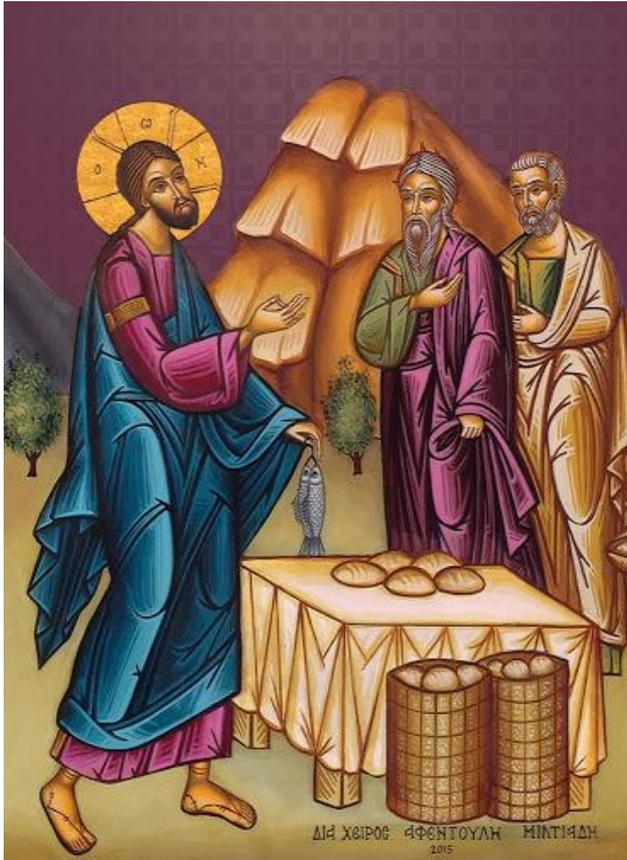


St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church
The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod
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Sunday School: 9:00 a.m.

Adult Bible Class: 9:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship: 10:00 a.m.

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To God Be the Glory!

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

August 14, 2022

HOLY COMMUNION Our congregation believes and confesses that in Holy Communion not only does Jesus give us forgiveness; He also miraculously gives us His actual body and blood.

We seek to receive our Lord's Supper according to the guidelines God has established in His Word. God's Word states that the Sacrament is to be an expression of like-mindedness in faith (same in doctrine) and that only those should commune who are worthy to receive it (who have been properly instructed and are truly repentant).

In keeping with God's instruction, and out of deep love for the souls of His people, we invite visiting members of other Missouri Synod Lutheran congregations, who are members in good standing, to receive Holy Communion with us after announcing their intent to the pastor. Visitors who are not members of a Missouri Synod Lutheran congregation are asked to please refrain from the Sacrament at this time. Thank you.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Liturgy: Divine Service 1, pg. 151

Hymns: 868, 730, 788, 686, 701, 918

Organist: Ruth Fiscus

Acolyte: Skyler Mennenga

Ushers: Mark Granzow, Dr. Doug Quam

THIS WEEK AS GOD LEADS US TOGETHER

Monday: 8:30-11:30a.m. LWML Sewing Day

Tuesday: 7:00p.m. Adult Instruction Class

Thursday: 6:30p.m. Mission Circle

Next Sunday: 9:00a.m. Christian Education Classes

10:00a.m. Worship w/ Holy Communion

Acolyte: Aleighia Roberts

Ushers: Mark Granzow, Dr. Doug Quam

LWML SEWING DAY: We will meet on Monday, August 15th from 8:30-11:30a.m. to put together some more quilts. All are invited to join in on the fun and fellowship we share during these times. We have a need for everyone who is willing to help.

MISSION CIRCLE will meet on Thursday, August 18th at 6:30p.m. The hostess is Joan Hoelscher. All ladies are welcome to attend.

ADULT INSTRUCTION: We have begun an adult instruction class this summer which started Tuesday, July 19th at 7:00p.m. The classes run about 50 minutes. There are a total of 12 classes. The classes will provide instruction on the basic teachings of the Lutheran Church. They are geared especially for non-members who are curious about Lutheran teaching and who may wish to join the Church, but they are open to anyone wishing to attend.

UKRAINE FUND We will be collecting for the LCMS Ministry for the Ukraine refugees and also for Alexander and his family during these stressful times. Any help towards this project is greatly appreciated!

BIRTHDAYS: Tues.-Brandon Winter; Wed.-Arlo Ziebell; Thurs.-Beth Quam; Fri.-Nancy Doering, Tyler Splinter.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES: Today-Matt & Trisha Zoske (18); Wed.-Jay & Jennifer Sheldahl (20), Marvin & Delores Morgart (37).

¹¹Cast me not away from your | presence,*
and take not your Holy Spirit | from me.

¹²**Restore to me the joy of your sal- | vation,*
and uphold me with a willing | spirit.**

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

⁹Hide your face | from my sins,*
and blot out all my in- | iquities.

2 SAMUEL 22:26-34

²⁶"With the merciful You will show Yourself merciful; With a blameless man You will show Yourself blameless;

²⁷With the pure You will show Yourself pure; And with the devious You will show Yourself shrewd.

²⁸You will save the humble people; But Your eyes are on the haughty, that You may bring them down.

²⁹"For You are my lamp, O Lord; The Lord shall enlighten my darkness.

³⁰For by You I can run against a troop; By my God I can leap over a wall.

³¹As for God, His way is perfect; The word of the Lord is proven; He is a shield to all who trust in Him.

³²"For who is God, except the Lord? And who is a rock, except our God?

³³God is my strength and power, And He makes my way perfect.

³⁴He makes my feet like the feet of deer, And sets me on my high places.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

1 CORINTHIANS 10:6-13

⁶Now these things became our examples, to the intent that we should not lust after evil things as they also lusted.

⁷And do not become idolaters as were some of them. As it is written, "The people sat down to eat and drink, and rose up to play."

⁸Nor let us commit sexual immorality, as some of them did, and in one day twenty-three thousand fell;

⁹nor let us tempt Christ, as some of them also tempted, and were destroyed by serpents;

¹⁰nor complain, as some of them also complained, and were destroyed by the destroyer.

¹¹Now all these things happened to them as examples, and they were written for our admonition, upon whom the ends of the ages have come.

¹²Therefore let him who thinks he stands take heed lest he fall.

¹³No temptation has overtaken you except such as is common to man; but God is faithful, who will not allow you to be tempted beyond what you are able, but with the temptation will also make the way of escape, that you may be able to bear it.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

LUKE 16:1-9

¹He also said to His disciples: "There was a certain rich man who had a steward, and an accusation was brought to him that this man was wasting his goods.

²So he called him and said to him, 'What is this I hear about you? Give an account of your stewardship, for you can no longer be steward.'

³Then the steward said within himself, 'What shall I do? For my master is taking the stewardship away from me. I cannot dig; I am ashamed to beg.

⁴I have resolved what to do, that when I am put out of the stewardship, they may receive me into their houses.'

⁵So he called every one of his master's debtors to him, and said to the first, 'How much do you owe my master?'

⁶And he said, 'A hundred measures of oil.' So he said to him, 'Take your bill, and sit down quickly and write fifty.'

⁷Then he said to another, 'And how much do you owe?' So he said, 'A hundred measures of wheat.' And he said to him, 'Take your bill, and write eighty.'

⁸So the master commended the unjust steward because he had dealt shrewdly. For the sons of this world are more shrewd in their generation than the sons of light.

⁹And I say to you, make friends for yourselves by unrighteous mammon, that when you fail, they may receive you into an everlasting home.