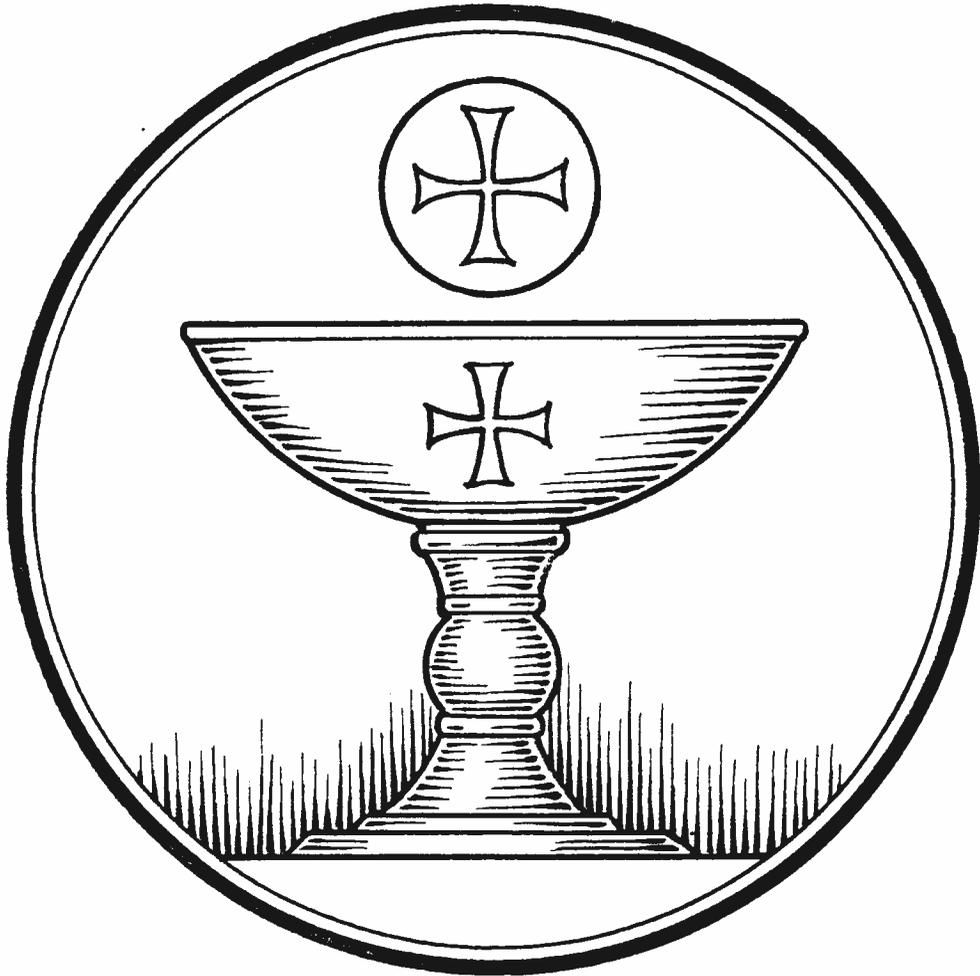


# Bethlehem Evangelical Lutheran Church

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*A congregation of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod*



***SECOND SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY***

Confirmation Sunday

*Divine Service – Setting Three*

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## 585 Lord Jesus Christ, with Us Abide



1 Lord Je - sus Christ, with us a - bide, For round us  
2 In these last days of great dis - tress Grant us, dear  
3 To hope grown dim, to hearts turned cold Speak tongues of  
4 May glo - rious truths that we have heard, The bright sword



falls the e - ven - tide. O let Your Word,  
Lord, true stead - fast - ness That we keep pure  
fire and make us bold To shine Your Word  
of Your might - y Word, Spurn Sa - tan that



that sav - ing light, Shine forth un - dimmed in - to the night.  
till life is spent Your ho - ly Word and Sac - ra - ment.  
of sav - ing grace In - to each dark and love - less place.  
Your Church be strong, Bold, u - ni - fied in act and song.

- 5 Restrain, O Lord, the human pride  
That seeks to thrust Your truth aside  
Or with some man-made thoughts or things  
Would dim the words Your Spirit sings.
- 6 Stay with us, Lord, and keep us true;  
Preserve our faith our whole life through—  
Your Word alone our heart's defense,  
The Church's glorious confidence.

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### Invocation (Please stand)

- P** In the name of the Father and of the  $\text{✠}$  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.  
**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  $\text{†}$  Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

### Introit (sung responsively with the pastor)



The LORD was | my support\*  
in the day of my ca- | lamity.

**He brought me out into a | broad place;\*  
he rescued me, because he delight- | ed in me.**

I love you, O | LORD, my strength.\*

The LORD is my rock and my fortress and my de- | liverer.

**For you save a humble | people,\*  
but the haughty eyes | you bring down.**

This God—his way is | perfect;\*  
the word of the | LORD proves true.

**For this I will praise you, O LORD, among the | nations,\*  
and sing | to your name.**

*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.*

The LORD was | my support\*  
in the day of my ca- | lamity.

**He brought me out into a | broad place;\*  
he rescued me, because he delight- | ed in me.**

### Kyrie



**C** Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

## Gloria in Excelsis



Glory be to God on high: and on earth peace, good - will toward  
men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,  
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.  
O Lord God, heav'n - ly King, God the Fa - ther Al - mighty.  
O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;  
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up - on us.  
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re - ceive our prayer.  
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up -  
on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on - ly art the Lord.  
Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,



art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

## Salutation and Collect of the Day



**P** The Lord be with you.



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



**P** Let us pray.

**P** O Lord, since You never fail to help and govern those whom You nurture in Your steadfast fear and love, work in us a perpetual fear and love of Your holy name; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



**G** A - men.

## Sit

### Old Testament Reading

*Proverbs 9:1–10*

<sup>1</sup>Wisdom has built her house; she has hewn her seven pillars. <sup>2</sup>She has slaughtered her beasts; she has mixed her wine; she has also set her table. <sup>3</sup>She has sent out her young women to call from the highest places in the town, <sup>4</sup>“Whoever is simple, let him turn in here!” To him who lacks sense she says, <sup>5</sup>“Come, eat of my bread and drink of the wine I have mixed. <sup>6</sup>Leave your simple ways, and live, and walk in the way of insight.” <sup>7</sup>Whoever corrects a scoffer gets himself abuse, and he who reproves a wicked man incurs injury. <sup>8</sup>Do not reprove a scoffer, or he will hate you; reprove a wise man, and he will love you. <sup>9</sup>Give instruction to a wise man, and he will be still wiser; teach a righteous man, and he will increase in learning. <sup>10</sup>The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One is insight.

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

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Gradual

In my distress I called | to the LORD,\*  
and he | answered me.  
Deliver me, O LORD, from | lying lips,\*  
from a de- | ceitful tongue.

## Epistle

*1 John 3:13–18*

<sup>13</sup>Do not be surprised, brothers, that the world hates you. <sup>14</sup>We know that we have passed out of death into life, because we love the brothers. Whoever does not love abides in death. <sup>15</sup>Everyone who hates his brother is a murderer, and you know that no murderer has eternal life abiding in him. <sup>16</sup>By this we know love, that he laid down his life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the brothers. <sup>17</sup>But if anyone has the world's goods and sees his brother in need, yet closes his heart against him, how does God's love abide in him? <sup>18</sup>Little children, let us not love in word or talk but in deed and in truth.

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

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Please stand

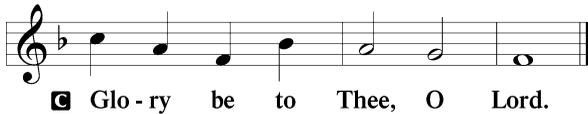
## Alleluia



## Holy Gospel

*Luke 14:15–24*

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



<sup>15</sup>When one of those who reclined at table with [Jesus] heard these things, he said to him, “Blessed is everyone who will eat bread in the kingdom of God!” <sup>16</sup>But he said to him, “**A man once gave a great banquet and invited many.** <sup>17</sup>**And at the time for the banquet he sent his servant to say to those who had been invited, ‘Come, for everything is now ready.’** <sup>18</sup>**But they all alike began to make excuses. The first said to him, ‘I have bought a field, and I must go out and see it. Please have me excused.’** <sup>19</sup>**And another said, ‘I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to examine them. Please have me excused.’** <sup>20</sup>**And another said, ‘I have married a wife, and therefore I cannot come.’** <sup>21</sup>So the servant came and reported these things to his master. Then the master of the house became angry and said to his servant, ‘Go out quickly to the streets and lanes of the city, and bring in the poor and crippled and blind and lame.’ <sup>22</sup>And the servant said, ‘Sir, what you commanded has been done, and still there is room.’ <sup>23</sup>And the master said to the servant,



Sit

## 510 A Multitude Comes from the East and the West



1 A mul - ti - tude comes from the east and the west  
2 O God, let us hear when our Shep - herd shall call  
3 All tri - als shall be like a dream that is past,  
4 The heav - ens shall ring with an an - them more grand



To sit at the feast of sal - va - tion  
In ac - cents per - sua - sive and ten - der,  
For - got - ten all trou - ble and mourn - ing.  
Than ev - er on earth was re - cord - ed.



With A - bra - ham, I - saac, and Ja - cob, the blest,  
That while there is time we make haste, one and all,  
All ques - tions and doubts have been an - swered at last,  
The blest of the Lord shall re - ceive at His hand



O - bey - ing the Lord's in - vi - ta - tion.  
And find Him, our might - y de - fend - er.  
When ris - es the light of that morn - ing.  
The crown to the vic - tors a - ward - ed.



Have mer - cy up - on us, O Je - sus!  
Have mer - cy up - on us, O Je - sus!  
Have mer - cy up - on us, O Je - sus!  
Have mer - cy up - on us, O Je - sus!

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Sermon

Offertory



☐ Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -



new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -



way from Thy pres-ence, and take not Thy Ho-ly Spir-it  
 from me. Re-store un-to me the joy of Thy sal-va-  
 tion, and up-hold me with Thy free spir-it. A-men.

*Offering will be taken at the end of the service upon leaving the church*

## Rite of Confirmation (10:00 a.m. Service)

### Confirmation Address

- P** Beloved in the Lord, our Lord Jesus Christ said to His apostles: “All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age.” You have been baptized and catechized in the Christian faith according to our Lord’s bidding. Jesus said, “Whoever confesses Me before men, I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven. But whoever denies Me before men, I will also deny before My Father who is in heaven.” Lift up your hearts, therefore, to the God of all grace and joyfully give answer to what I now ask you in the name of the Lord.

### Profession of Faith

- P** Do you this day in the presence of God and of this congregation acknowledge the gifts that God gave you in your Baptism?  
**R** *Yes, I do.*
- P** Do you renounce the devil?  
**R** *Yes, I renounce him.*
- P** Do you renounce all his works?  
**R** *Yes, I renounce them.*
- P** Do you renounce all his ways?  
**R** *Yes, I renounce them.*
- P** Do you believe in God, the Father Almighty?  
**R** *Yes, I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.*

**P** Do you believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord?

**R** *Yes, I believe 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.*

**P** Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?

**R** *Yes, 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.*

**P** Do you hold all the prophetic and apostolic Scriptures to be the inspired Word of God?

**R** *I do.*

**P** Do you confess the doctrine of the Evangelical Lutheran Church, drawn from the Scriptures, as you have learned to know it from the Small Catechism, to be faithful and true?

**R** *I do.*

**P** Do you intend to hear the Word of God and receive the Lord's Supper faithfully?

**R** *I do, by the grace of God.*

**P** Do you intend to live according to the Word of God, and in faith, word, and deed to remain true to God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, even to death?

**R** *I do, by the grace of God.*

**P** Do you intend to continue steadfast in this confession and Church and to suffer all, even death, rather than fall away from it?

**R** *I do, by the grace of God.*

**P** We rejoice with thankful hearts that you have been baptized and have received the teaching of the Lord. You have confessed the faith and been absolved of your sins. As you continue to hear the Lord's Word and receive His blessed Sacrament, He who has begun a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ.

**C** **Amen.**

## Confirmation Blessing

**P** *Isaac Harkless, Grant Mishler, Benjamin Schueler, Ian Tolson, the almighty God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given you the new birth of water and of the Spirit and has forgiven you all your sins, strengthen you with His grace to life † everlasting.*

**R** *Amen.*

## Collect for confirmation

**P** Let us pray.

Lord God, heavenly Father, we thank and praise You for Your great goodness in bringing these Your sons and daughters to the knowledge of Your Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ, and enabling them both with the heart to believe and with the mouth to confess His saving name. Grant that, bringing forth the fruits of faith, they may continue steadfast and victorious to the day when all who have fought the good fight of faith shall receive the crown of righteousness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

## Collect for confirmation

**P** Almighty and most merciful Father, in the waters of Holy Baptism You have united Your children in the suffering and death of Your Son Jesus Christ, cleansing them by His blood. Renew in them the gift of Your Holy Spirit, that they may live in daily contrition and repentance with a faith that ever clings to their Savior. Deliver them from the power of Satan and preserve them from false and dangerous doctrines, that they may remain faithful in hearing Christ's Word and receiving His body and blood. By the Lord's Supper strengthen them to believe that no one can make satisfaction for sin but Christ alone. Enable them to find joy and comfort only in Him, learning from this Sacrament to love You and their neighbor and to bear the cross with patience and joy until the day of the resurrection of their bodies to life immortal; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

## The Peace

**P** Peace ✠ be with you.

**C** Amen.

## Prayer of the Church (Please stand)

# Service of the Sacrament

## Preface



**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 un - to the Lord, our God.



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

### Proper Preface (Abbreviated)

**P** It is truly meet, right, and salutary . . . evermore praising You and saying:

### Sanctus



**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;



heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,



ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He,



bless - ed is He, bless - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

### Lord's Prayer

**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

**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  $\dagger$  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  $\dagger$  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



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



**C** A - men.

### Agnus Dei



**O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the**



**world, have mer - cy up - on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that**

tak - est a - way the sin of the world, have mer - cy up - on us.

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a - way the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. A - - men.

## Distribution

**Today we celebrate the Lord's Supper** in our worship. Bethlehem Lutheran Church administers this Holy Supper in accordance with the Holy Scriptures and the Lutheran Confessions. It is celebrated in the confidence that we receive, along with the Bread and Wine, the very Body and Blood of Jesus through which we receive the forgiveness of sins. Furthermore, the communicants as a body of believers make a confession of the unity of their faith. Those desiring to receive the Sacrament with us, who are not communicant members of Bethlehem or of a sister congregation of the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod, are asked to please speak with the Pastor before the service.

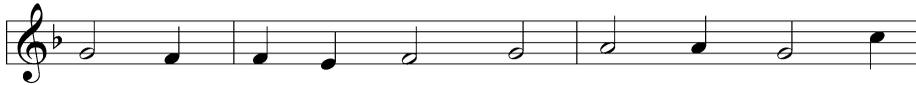
*For the distribution of Holy Communion Pastor will wear a mask.*

*Please:*

- when released from your pew by the Elders, go to the far end of the railing on the side you are sitting on,
- do not kneel,
- extend your hand to receive the host/wafer.
- If taking an individual cup place empty glass in the basket on your way back to your seat.
- return to your seat when Pastor has pronounced the blessing for you or your individual family unit

## 623 Lord Jesus Christ, We Humbly Pray

1 Lord Je - sus Christ, we hum - bly pray That we may  
 2 Give us, who share this won - drous food, Your bod - y  
 3 By faith Your Word has made us bold To seize the  
 4 One bread, one cup, one bod - y, we, Re - joic - ing  
 5 Lord Je - sus Christ, we hum - bly pray: O keep us



feast on You to - day; Be - neath these forms of  
bro - ken and Your blood, The grate - ful peace of  
gift of love re - told; All that You are we  
in our u - ni - ty, Pro - claim Your love un -  
stead - fast till that day When each will be Your



bread and wine En - rich us with Your grace di - vine.  
sins for - giv'n, The cer - tain joys of heirs of heav'n.  
here re - ceive, And all we are to You we give.  
til You come To bring Your scat - tered loved ones home.  
wel - comed guest In heav - en's high and ho - ly feast.

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### 683 Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me



1 Je - sus, Thybound - less love to me No thought can reach, no  
2 O grant that noth - ing in my soul Maydwell, but Thy pure  
3 This love un - wea - ried I pur - sue And daunt - less - ly to  
4 In suf - f'ring be Thy love my peace, In weak - ness be Thy



tongue de - clare; U - nite my thank - ful heart to Thee,  
love a - lone; Oh, may Thy love pos - sess me whole,  
Thee as - pire. Oh, may Thy love my hope re - new,  
love my pow'r; And when the storms of life shall cease,



And reign with - out a ri - val there! Thine whol - ly, Thine a -  
My joy, my trea - sure, and my crown! All cold - ness from my  
Burn in my soul like heav'n - ly fire! And day and night, be  
O Je - sus, in that fi - nal hour, Be Thou my rod and



lone I am; Be Thou a - lone my con - stant flame.  
heart re - move; My ev - 'ry act, word, thought be love.  
all my care To guard this sa - cred trea - sure there.  
staff and guide, And draw me safe - ly to Thy side!

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## 617 O Lord, We Praise Thee



1 O Lord, we praise Thee, bless Thee, and a - dore Thee,  
 2 Thy ho - ly bod - y in - to death was giv - en,  
 3 May God be - stow on us His grace and fa - vor



In thanks - giv - ing bow be - fore Thee. Thou with Thy  
 Life to win for us in heav - en. No great - er  
 That we fol - low Christ our Sav - ior And live to -



bod - y and Thy blood didst nour - ish Our weak souls that  
 love than this to Thee could bind us; May this feast there -  
 geth - er here in love and u - nion Nor de - spise this



they may flour - ish: O Lord, have mer - cy!  
 of re - mind us! O Lord, have mer - cy!  
 blest Com - mu - nion! O Lord, have mer - cy!



May Thy bod - y, Lord, born of Mar - y, That our  
 Lord, Thy kind - ness did so con - strain Thee That Thy  
 Let not Thy good Spir - it for - sake us; Grant that



sins and sor - rows did car - ry, And Thy blood for us plead  
 blood should bless and sus - tain me. All our debt Thou hast paid;  
 heav'n - ly - mind - ed He make us; Give Thy Church, Lord, to see

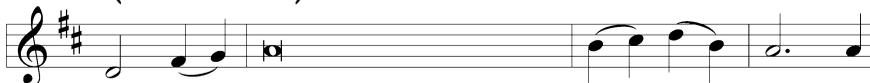


In all tri - al, fear, and need: O Lord, have mer - cy!  
 Peace with God once more is made: O Lord, have mer - cy!  
 Days of peace and u - ni - ty: O Lord, have mer - cy!

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## Nunc Dimittis (Please stand)



**C** Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac -

cord-ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,

which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,

a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy

peo - ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry be to the Father and

to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,

is now, and ev - er shall be, world without end. A - men.

## Thanksgiving

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

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

## Post-Communion Collect

**A** 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.

### Salutation



**P** The Lord be with you.



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

### Benedicamus

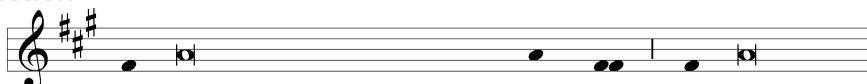


**A** Bless we the Lord.

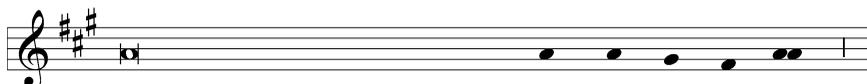


**C** Thanks be to God.

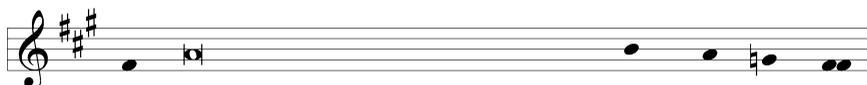
### Benediction



**P** The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make



His face shine upon you and be gra - cious un - to you.



The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ✠ give you peace.



**C** A-men, a-men, a - men.

Sit  
818 In Thee Is Gladness

1 In Thee is glad - ness A - mid all sad - ness, Je - sus,  
2 Since He is ours, We fear no pow - ers, Not of  
sun - shine of my heart. By Thee are giv - en The gifts of  
earth nor sin nor death. He sees and bless - es In worst dis -  
heav - en, Thou the true Re - deem - er art. Our souls Thou  
tress - es; He can change them with a breath. Where - fore the  
wak - est, Our bonds Thou break - est; Who trusts Thee sure - ly Has built se -  
sto - ry Tell of His glo - ry With hearts and voic - es; All heav'n re -  
cure - ly; He stands for - ev - er: Al - le - lu - ia! Our hearts are  
joic - es In Him for - ev - er: Al - le - lu - ia! We shout for  
pin - ing To see Thy shin - ing, Dy - ing or liv - ing  
glad - ness, Tri - umph o'er sad - ness, Love Him and praise Him  
To Thee are cleav - ing; Naught can us sev - er: Al - le - lu - ia!  
And still shall raise Him Glad hymns for - ev - er: Al - le - lu - ia!

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## IN HIS SERVICE

<b>Preaching</b>	Rev. Samuel Wirgau
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<b>Head Elder</b>	Lloyd Meyer
<b>Elders on Duty</b>	Dave Flesch and Lloyd Meyer
<b>Kantor</b>	Richard Brinkley
<b>Organist</b>	Emilie Meyer
<b>Altar Guild Chairman</b>	Dalene Springer
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<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Divine Service with Holy Communion</b>
	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Divine Service with Holy Communion</b> <b>“Confirmation”</b>
	11:30 a.m.	Voice of Bethlehem (WZBD 92.7)
	<b>1:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Divine Service with Holy Communion</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	7:00 p.m.	Online Bible Study

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<b>NEXT SUNDAY</b>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Divine Service with Holy Communion</b>
	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Divine Service with Holy Communion</b>
	11:30 a.m.	Voter’s Assembly Meeting
	11:30 a.m.	Voice of Bethlehem (WZBD 92.7)
	<b>2:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Divine Service with Holy Communion</b> <b>(Please note time change due to the Voter’s meeting)</b>

***Announcements can be emailed to the church secretary at [hklep@msn.com](mailto:hklep@msn.com) or by calling the church office at 597-7121.***

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

We will still livestream our 8:00a.m. Service for those unable or uncomfortable coming at this time. (<https://www.youtube.com/bethlehemlutheranchurchossian>)

I will also be available as needed to serve you Christ's gifts in an individual or smaller setting if that is what is best. You can utilize the sign up here on this link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0444aba823aaf85-bethlehem> or send me an email: [samuel.wirgau@gmail.com](mailto:samuel.wirgau@gmail.com), or call or text: 260-273-7595. You can also call the church or email Heidi and she can get that set up as well. Please know that in the public or private settings we are taking extreme precautions in order to keep everyone involved safe.

## **IN OUR PRAYERS**

**All those in need of continued strength and healing** *Charlotte Dippel*  
**Confirmation blessing** *Isaac Harkless, Grant Mishler, Benjamin Schueler*  
*Ian Tolson*

**Father's Day blessing**

**The Church and its faithful workers**

*Rev. and Mrs. Steven Schumacher*

*Rachel Meyer (sister of Mr. Peter Meyer)*

**All military personnel** *Active and Inactive*

**Our members currently shut-in**

*Jackie Werling, Ruth Witte, Ilene Meyer (Ossian H.C.)*

*Lorene Rekeweg, Imogene Bultemeier, Fred Bienz (Woodcrest)*

**THE FLOWERS ADORNING THE ALTAR** this morning are given to the glory of God in honor of this year's Confirmation class.

**THE FLOWERS PLACED ON THE HYMNBOARD** have been given to the glory of God by Berenice Stoppenhagen in loving memory of her husband Raymond's birthday and sister's Violet and Maureen.

**VOTER'S ASSEMBLY - Sunday, June 28<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 a.m. in the church sanctuary.**

**THANK YOU** so very much to all of those who sent meals, offered thoughts and prayers and mailed cards. We received so much support during my surgery and healing and are so blessed to have such wonderful support. With deep appreciation, Wendy, Josh and Violet Boehm.

**LADIES AID MEMBERS:** We will plan to meet again on Wednesday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> at 1:30 p.m. Thanks for your patience and understanding.

**RIGHT TO LIFE CARNATION SALE-** Carnations will be available for pick up after the service today outside the south entrance. A suggested \$1-\$2 donation will be appreciated. Father's Day bracelets will also be available for the same suggested donation. Please help us to promote respect for life thru Right to Life of Northeast Indiana. Thank you

**VIRTUAL VBS – June 22-25, 2020** Bags are ready to be picked up for VBS from 9:30-10, 11:30-1 TODAY by the south entrance under the church awning. Canned goods will be collected at this time also. Can't wait for you all to join us virtually tomorrow! Thank you for signing up :)

**WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY** – Please join us for a Wednesday Evening Bible Study online during the month of June. This will be a live event at 7:00pm beginning next Wednesday on our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/BethlehemLutheranChurchOssianIN> Join us!

**JANITORAL BIDS FOR CHURCH AND SCHOOL ARE NOW BEING TAKEN**  
Please submit your yearly bid to our trustee chairman, Darrin Werling ASAP. Thank you

**LIGHTED GARDENS CATERING -** RSVP today for your carry-out dinner on Thursday, June 25. Menu includes: BBQ Riblette Dinner, Scalloped Potatoes, Cole Slaw, Biscuit and Orange Cremesicle Parfait. Deadline for orders is Tuesday, June 23rd call 622-4023 or email [ltgrdns@aol.com](mailto:ltgrdns@aol.com).

**The SCRIP TABLE will be closed until further notice.** If you need to place an order, please contact Melissa Price 260-433-5307.

**Offering June 14, 2020**  
**Financial Report**

<u>Average weekly need</u>	<u>\$11,342</u>
Home Fund Env.	\$7,863.77
Synod	15.00
Loose	62.01
Sunday School	
Improvement Fund	114.73
Endowment Fund	
Scholarship Fund	100.00
Music Fund	
Sound System	
Copy Machine Use	10.00
Fellowship Hall Rent	<u>90.00</u>
	\$8,255.51

<b>Home Fund Balance</b>	<b>\$8,172.52</b>
Next week bills due amt:	\$12,000
Bills due in two weeks:	\$12,000
<b>Savings Account Balance</b>	<b>\$32,099.12</b>
Borrowed from Savings:	\$20,321.00
Operating Loan Debt:	(Paid off)
<b>Phase II Roof fund balance</b>	<b>\$18,975.00</b>
<b>AC Unit fund balance</b>	<b>\$10,647.45</b>