

Today we receive the gift of the **Sacrament of Holy Communion**. Communion is an expression of faith and agreement. If you're our guest this morning, we don't want to place you in a position of agreement with our beliefs before you've had opportunity to study them. Therefore, if you're not a member of a Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod congregation, we invite you to speak with our pastor about this special opportunity, and request that you not partake of Communion today. Any guest, though, is welcome to receive a blessing at the Communion rail. Simply cross your arms over your chest to indicate to Pastor that you wish this blessing. Thank you, and God's richest blessings to you!

537 Beautiful Savior



Stand

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

Invocation

 \blacksquare In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

Exhortation

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- 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.
- 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.

Confession of Sins

- **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.

Absolution

- 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.

Introit

- P Your word is a lamp to my feet
- **C** and a light to my path.
- **P** The LORD is my portion;
- **C** I promise to keep your words.
- **P** I entreat your favor with all my heart;
- **C** be gracious to me according to your promise.
- **P** When I think on my ways,

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- **C** I turn my feet to your testimonies;
- **P** I hasten and do not delay
- **C** to keep your commandments.
- **P** The earth, O LORD, is full of your steadfast love;
- **C** teach me your statutes!



0 10 0 Ο 0 the only begotten Son, O Lord, Christ; Je - sus O O Ο O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son the Father, of 0 O O 0 θ that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up - on us. ο O 0 Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer. ο O O 0 Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up -0 0 Ο 0 ð O For Thou only art holy; Thou on - ly art the Lord. on us. 0 O O Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost, Ο 0 Θ art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men. Salutation and Collect of the Day **P** The Lord be with you. **C** And with spir thy it.



P O Lord, grant us the Spirit to hear Your Word and know the one thing needful that by Your Word and Spirit we may live according to Your will; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Sit

Old Testament Reading

Genesis 18:1–10a

The LORD appeared to [Abraham] by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the door of his tent in the heat of the day. He lifted up his eyes and looked, and behold, three men were standing in front of him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent door to meet them and bowed himself to the earth and said, "O Lord, if I have found favor in your sight, do not pass by your servant. Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree, while I bring a morsel of bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant." So they said, "Do as you have said." And Abraham went quickly into the tent to Sarah and said, "Quick! Three seahs of fine flour! Knead it, and make cakes." And Abraham ran to the herd and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to a young man, who prepared it quickly. Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them. And he stood by them under the tree while they ate.

They said to him, "Where is Sarah your wife?" And he said, "She is in the tent." The LORD said, "I will surely return to you about this time next year, and Sarah your wife shall have a son."

A This is the Word of the Lord.



Gradual

- P How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news,
- **C** who publish peace and bring good news of salvation.
- P Their voice has gone out to all the earth,
- **C** and their words to the ends of the world.

Epistle

Colossians 1:21-29

You, who once were alienated and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, he has now reconciled in his body of flesh by his death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach before him, if indeed you continue in the faith, stable and steadfast, not shifting from the hope of the gospel that you heard, which has been proclaimed in all creation under heaven, and of which I, Paul, became a minister.

Now I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am filling up what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the church, of which I became a minister according to the stewardship from God that was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known, the mystery hidden for ages and generations but now revealed to his saints. To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ. For this I toil, struggling with all his energy that he powerfully works within me.

A This is the Word of the Lord.



Stand







Now as they went on their way, Jesus entered a village. And a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching. But Martha was distracted with much serving. And she went up to him and said, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Tell her then to help me." But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Apostles' Creed

C 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.



Sermon

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Presentation of Offerings

If you were unable to place your offering in the basket on the stand at the back of the church before the service, a second basket will be in the same place following the service to receive offerings.



Prayer of the Church

- **P** Lord, in Your mercy,
- **C** hear our prayer.

Preface



- **C** And with thy spirit.
- **P** Lift up your hearts.
- **C** We lift them up unto the Lord.

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

C It is meet and right so to do.

Proper Preface (Full)

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:



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; 196

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

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 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."



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633 At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing



- 5 Mighty Victim from the sky, Hell's fierce pow'rs beneath You lie; You have conquered in the fight, You have brought us life and light. Alleluia!
- Now no more can death appall, Now no more the grave enthrall; You have opened paradise, And Your saints in You shall rise. Alleluia!
- 7 Easter triumph, Easter joy! This alone can sin destroy; From sin's pow'r, Lord, set us free, Newborn souls in You to be. Alleluia!

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8 Father, who the crown shall give,Savior, by whose death we live,Spirit, guide through all our days:Three in One, Your name we praise.Alleluia!

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Post-Comm	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.				
С	Amen.				
Salutation		LSB 201			
P	The Lord be with you. And with thy spirit.				
Benedicamus LSB 202					
A C	Bless we the Lord. Thanks be to God.				
Benediction 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 + give you peace.				
С	Amen.				

575 My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less 1 My hope built noth - ing less Than Je is on sus' 2 When dark ness veils His love - ly face. Ι rest on 3 His oath, His cov blood Sup -e _ nant and port me 4 When He shall come with trum - pet sound, Oh, Ι may blood and No righ teous ness; it of mer my His 'ry high and un chang ing grace; In ev When in the flood; earth - ly rag ing ev 'ry found, Clothed righ - teous then in Him be in His Ι claim But whol - ly lean Je sus' own on _ name. gale an - chor holds storm - y My with - in the veil. gives way, He then is all my hope and stay. prop lone. Re - deemed to stand be - fore His throne! ness a -Refrain 6 On Christ, the sol-id rock, I stand; All oth-er ground is sink-ing sand. Text: Edward Mote, 1797-1874, alt. Tune: John Stainer, 1840-1901 Text and tune: Public domain

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Please Pray For:				
Shut-In Members	Requested Prayers			
Joanne Field Ron Herold Darlene Lynch	Kelly Foster (Alex's dad) (healing) Connor Wilkum (Greg Slater's coworker's son) (health) David Feltz (Michael Feltz's dad) (healing)			
Lori Zimmermann	Joni Beaumont (healing) Ellen Figueira (cancer treatment)			
Members In The Military: Josh Brauer, Max Thode, Addison Brown				

Serving					
Sunday, July 20		Sunday, July 27			
Elder:	Mike Figueira	Elder:	Bryan Brauer		
Ushers:	Tom & Janet Bodin, Aidan Bushre	Ushers:	Tom & Janet Bodin, Aidan Bushre		
Greeter:	Joan Slater	Greeter:	Kathy Wendt		
Music:	Rick Oblamski	Music:	Rick Oblamski		
Altar:	Deb Coonen	Altar:	Jeraldine Dobbs		
Pastor:	Pastor Wangerin	Pastor:	Pastor Walther		

LCMS Stewardship Ministry

Luke 10:40b – "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone?" Martha is doing the right thing but in the wrong order. Her service to the Lord is good, but she has let it get ahead of hearing His Word. Mary has placed the Word first, which is good. Is there any doubt that she will rise once she has heard the Word and get to serving as well? Isn't that what hearing the Word always leads us to do? We listen, then respond. We believe, and thus we act!



The Next 2 Weeks At CTL				
SUNDAY, 7/20	SUNDAY, 7/27			
9:00 am – Worship Service	9:00 am – Worship Service			
MONDAY, 7/21	MONDAY, 7/28			
Pastor Bushre's Vacation Continues	Pastor Bushre's Vacation Continues			
TUESDAY, 7/22	TUESDAY, 7/29			
WEDNESDAY, 7/23	WEDNESDAY, 7/30			
THURSDAY, 7/24	THURSDAY, 7/31			
1:00 pm – Summit Woods	1:00 pm – Summit Woods (Schmidt)			
FRIDAY, 7/25	FRIDAY, 8/1			
SATURDAY, 7/26	SATURDAY, 8/2			

Announcements

PASTOR'S VACATION – Pastor Bushre will be on vacation July 14-August 2. Please reach out to your elder or the church office if you need assistance during this time. Thank you to Pastor Wangerin for leading us in worship today and Pastor Walther on July 27.

FINAL FLOWER FUNDRAISER RESULTS – Thank you to everyone who went out and shopped in person at Shady Lane in support of our fundraiser. With 25% of those sales, the total profit from our fundraiser is \$1,929.30! We were able to purchase a new shade structure for our back patio area and now just need some help getting it up! If you're able to help with assembly, please let Julie know! Thank you!

REGISTRATION FOR 2025/2026 PRESCHOOL IS STILL OPEN – We are still enrolling for the coming school year. Please grab a brochure and share the information with friends, neighbors, and family to help us reach out and share God's Word with our community.

LWML FALL RETREAT – SEPTEMBER 26-27, 2025 – The retreat will be held at Embassy Suites in Brookfield. Since it's local, we'd love to get a group together to attend! <u>CTL will cover half the cost for members to attend.</u> More information and registration forms are available on the bulletin board. Please turn in you registration form, along with your portion of the payment (\$40), to the church office by September 4th. We also plan to have a Ladies Night here at CTL on September 4th to prepare for the retreat and gather items.

Members Celebrating This Week	 Birthdays – David Palmer, Linda McNulty, Doug Bayerlein, Addison Brown Baptism Birthdays – Robert Gardner, Marina Manske, Caroline Ryan, Julia Janssen 		
Last Week's Attendance	Sunday 9:00 am Worship – 33 / 29		
Weekly Tithes & Offerings (Excludes Early Childhood)	2025 Yearly Budget - \$192,000.00From the 28th SundayOfferings needed per week - \$3,700.00Offerings received last week - \$3,377.00Offerings needed to date - \$103,600.00Image: Comparison of the comparison		
2025 Missions Supported by CTL	Christ the Life Preschool & STEAM Lab Seminarian Morgan Phillips Sent to date - \$0 Disability Ministries Sent to date: • \$250 to Lutheran Braille Workers Lutheran Counseling & Family Services Sent to date - \$500 SOS (Strength of Savior) Center Sent to date - \$500 Lutheran Women in Mission (LWML) Mites Sent to date - \$0		
Ongoing Programs Benefitting CTL	 Kwik Trip Gas/Gift Card Sales - Available in \$20, \$50, \$100, \$200, \$500 Kwik Trip Grocery Card Sales - Available in \$50 Kwik Trip Ultimate Car Wash Cards – 5 Ultimate Washes for \$35 See Deb Coonen, Joan Oberhaus, or Becki Van Allen to purchase. Funds for Friends - Please bring us your Sentry receipts from Delafield Sentry on Golf Road. These benefit our EC Programs. 		