

Welcome to Resurrection Lutheran

Sept. 20, 2020

16th Sunday after Pentecost



In Christ the Cornerstone...Living His Word, Sharing His Love

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AS WE GATHER -

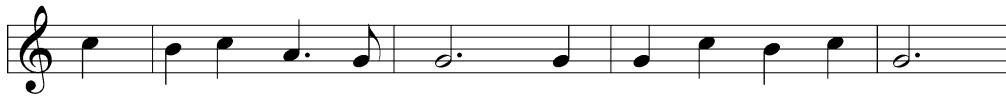
A part of us expects justice from God. We think that fairness ought to reign—that each of us should get what we deserve. But this is a dead end. God does not give us what we deserve but acts with mercy and grace beyond belief. He is scandalously generous and lavish with us—giving us what we do not deserve and have not earned. We are tempted to ask God for equity and what we deserve, but God is determined to give us so much more in Christ. Only in faith can we learn to let God be God, to honor His generosity with the only response He desires: faith and thanksgiving. Today we pray the Lord to break through to our hearts and minds with His abundant grace and to rejoice that He is more than fair—He is merciful!

+ Confession and Absolution +

807 When Morning Gilds the Skies



1 When morn-ing gilds the skies, My heart, a - wak - ing, cries,
 2 When mirth for mu - sic longs, This is my song of songs:
 3 No love - lier an - ti - phon In all high heav'n is known
 4 Ye na - tions of man - kind, In this your con - cord find:
 5 Sing, suns and stars of space, Sing, ye that see His face,



"May Je - sus Christ be praised!" When eve - ning shad - ows fall,
 "May Je - sus Christ be praised!" God's ho - ly house of prayer
 Than "Je - sus Christ be praised!" There to the e - ter - nal Word
 "May Je - sus Christ be praised!" Let all the earth a - round
 Sing, "Je - sus Christ be praised!" God's whole cre - a - tion o'er,



This rings my cur - few call: "May Je - sus Christ be praised!"
 Hath none that can com - pare With "Je - sus Christ be praised!"
 The e - ter - nal psalm is heard: "May Je - sus Christ be praised!"
 Ring joy - ous with the sound: "May Je - sus Christ be praised!"
 Both now and ev - er - more Shall Je - sus Christ be praised!

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P In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C who made heaven and earth.

P If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

C But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.

P Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

C Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore 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

Spoken here during non-communion service

Psalm 143:1–2; antiphon: v. 9

P I will offer to you the sacrifice of thanksgiving
C and call on the name of the LORD

P What shall I render to the LORD
C for all his benefits to me?

P I will lift up the cup of salvation
C and call on the name of the LORD.

P Precious in the sight of the LORD
C is the death of his saints.

P O LORD, I am your servant;
C I am your servant, the son of your maidservant. You have loosed my bonds

**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.**

P I will offer to you the sacrifice of thanksgiving
C and call on the name of the LORD.

Kyrie

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C Lord, have mer - cy; Christ, have mer - cy; Lord, have mer - cy.



C 1 To God on high be glo - ry And peace to all the earth;
 2 To You, O sole - be - got - ten, The Fa - ther's Son, we pray;
 3 For You a - lone are ho - ly; You on - ly are the Lord.



Good-will from God in heav - en Pro - claimed at Je - sus' birth!
 O Lamb of God, our Sav - ior, You take our sins a - way.
 For - ev - er and for - ev - er, Be wor - shiped and a - dored;



We praise and bless You, Fa - ther; Your ho - ly name, we sing—
 Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus; Re - ceive our heart - felt cry,
 You with the Ho - ly Spir - it A - lone are Lord Most High,



Our thanks for Your great glo - ry, Lord God, our heav'n - ly King.
 Where You in pow'r are seat - ed At God's right hand on high—
 In God the Fa - ther's glo - ry. "A - men!" our glad re - ply.

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray.

Lord God, heavenly Father, since we cannot stand before You relying on anything we have done, help us trust in Your abiding grace and live according to Your Word; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 55:6-9

⁶"Seek the LORD while he may be found;
 call upon him while he is near;
⁷let the wicked forsake his way,
 and the unrighteous man his thoughts;
 let him return to the LORD, that he may have compassion on him,
 and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.
⁸For my thoughts are not your thoughts,
 neither are your ways my ways, declares the LORD.
⁹For as the heavens are higher than the earth,
 so are my ways higher than your ways
 and my thoughts than your thoughts."

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

¹²I want you to know, brothers, that what has happened to me has really served to advance the gospel, ¹³so that it has become known throughout the whole imperial guard and to all the rest that my imprisonment is for Christ. ¹⁴And most of the brothers, having become confident in the Lord by my imprisonment, are much more bold to speak the word without fear. . . .

¹⁹For I know that through your prayers and the help of the Spirit of Jesus Christ this will turn out for my deliverance, ²⁰as it is my eager expectation and hope that I will not be at all ashamed, but that with full courage now as always Christ will be honored in my body, whether by life or by death. ²¹For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain. ²²If I am to live in the flesh, that means fruitful labor for me. Yet which I shall choose I cannot tell. ²³I am hard pressed between the two. My desire is to depart and be with Christ, for that is far better. ²⁴But to remain in the flesh is more necessary on your account. ²⁵Convinced of this, I know that I will remain and continue with you all, for your progress and joy in the faith, ²⁶so that in me you may have ample cause to glory in Christ Jesus, because of my coming to you again.

²⁷Only let your manner of life be worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that whether I come and see you or am absent, I may hear of you that you are standing firm in one spirit, with one mind striving side by side for the faith of the gospel, ²⁸and not frightened in anything by your opponents. This is a clear sign to them of their destruction, but of your salvation, and that from God. ²⁹For it has been granted to you that for the sake of Christ you should not only believe in him but also suffer for his sake, ³⁰engaged in the same conflict that you saw I had and now hear that I still have.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Alleluia and Verse



- P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twentieth chapter.
C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

¹[Jesus said:] “The kingdom of heaven is like a master of a house who went out early in the morning to hire laborers for his vineyard. ²After agreeing with the laborers for a denarius a day, he sent them into his vineyard. ³And going out about the third hour he saw others standing idle in the marketplace, ⁴and to them he said, ‘You go into the vineyard too, and whatever is right I will give you.’ ⁵So they went. Going out again about the sixth hour and the ninth hour, he did the same. ⁶And about the eleventh hour he went out and found others standing. And he said to them, ‘Why do you stand here idle all day?’ ⁷They said to him, ‘Because no one has hired us.’ He said to them, ‘You go into the vineyard too.’ ⁸And when evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his foreman, ‘Call the laborers and pay them their wages, beginning with the last, up to the first.’ ⁹And when those hired about the eleventh hour came, each of them received a denarius. ¹⁰Now when those hired first came, they thought they would receive more, but each of them also received a denarius. ¹¹And on receiving it they grumbled at the master of the house, ¹²saying, ‘These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat.’ ¹³But he replied to one of them, ‘Friend, I am doing you no wrong. Did you not agree with me for a denarius? ¹⁴Take what belongs to you and go. I choose to give to this last worker as I give to you. ¹⁵Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or do you begrudge my generosity?’ ¹⁶So the last will be first, and the first last.”

- P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.
C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

Apostles' Creed

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- 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.

Children's Message

565 Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ



1 Thy works, not mine, O Christ, Speak glad - ness to this heart;
2 Thy wounds, not mine, O Christ, Can heal my bruised soul;
3 Thy cross, not mine, O Christ, Has borne the crushing load
4 Thy death, not mine, O Christ, Has paid the ransom due;
5 Thy right - teous - ness, O Christ, A - lone can cover me;



They tell me all is done, They bid my fear depart.
Thy stripes, not mine, contain The balm that makes me whole.
Of sins that none could bear But the incarnate God.
Ten thousand deaths like mine Would have been all too few.
No right - teous - ness avails Save that which is of Thee.



To whom save Thee, Who canst alone For sin atone, Lord, shall I flee?

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Sermon

Prayer of the Church

- P** In peace, let us pray to the Lord and offer to Him the petitions and supplications of a people confident of His promise to hear and answer us with mercy.

Brief silence

That we may seek the Lord while He may be found, call upon Him in the day of salvation, and be prepared by His mercy for the Day of Judgment, let us pray to the Lord:

- C** Lord, have mercy.

- P** That we may delight in the light of Christ and His salvation, and that sinners may find refuge in His mercy and comfort in His forgiveness, let us pray to the Lord:

- C** Lord, have mercy.

- P** That we may hear the voice of God speaking in His Word and be nurtured by faithful pastors who preach and teach this Gospel, let us pray to the Lord:

- C** Lord, have mercy.

- P** That this Word may be the foundation of the home, that husband and wife may be united in this faith and hope, and that their children may hear and be nurtured in this Word by faithful parents, let us pray to the Lord:

- C** Lord, have mercy.

- P** That the Church may nurture the lives of our children in Sunday school and catechism classes, and that we may all be grounded in the doctrine of Scripture through the study of God's Word, let us pray to the Lord:

- C** Lord, have mercy.

- P** That the Lord may bless missionaries far and near, that He may nurture newly planted congregations, and that He may renew those congregations in distress, that those from every nation and culture may be united with us in faith and life, let us pray to the Lord:

- C** hear our prayer.

- P** That we may enjoy the blessing of good government, faithful leaders, peace in our land and peace among the nations, and that we may be good citizens and neighbors, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **hear our prayer.**
- P** That the sick may be healed, the troubled know peace, the grieving be comforted and the dying be delivered to everlasting life in Christ, and especially for _____; and that we may all be delivered from fear, anxiety and despair by God's gracious care, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **hear our prayer.**
- P** That we may commune in faith, that no unrepentant sin may hinder our reception of Christ's body and blood, and that the fruits of this communion may be reflected in a manner of life in keeping with who we are as God's children by Baptism and faith, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **hear our prayer.**
- P** That we may honor the Lord with praise and thanksgiving and bring to the Lord the tithes and offerings of a grateful people, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **hear our prayer.**
- P** That we may not forget the witness of the faithful who lived and died in Christ, and that we may at last be joined with them in the marriage supper of the Lamb in His Kingdom without end, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **hear our prayer.**
- P** Hear the prayers of Your people, O Lord, and grant to us all things good and wholesome and keep from us all things harmful. Give us contentment, that trusting in Your mercy we may delight in Your saving will where the last are made first by Your generosity and grace; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.
- C** **Amen.**

Lord's Prayer

Spoken here during Non-Communion Service

- 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.



Offering

781 We Give Thee But Thine Own



- 1 We give Thee but Thine own, What - e'er the gift may be;
2 May we Thy boun - ties thus As stew - ards true re - ceive
3 Oh, hearts are bruised and dead, And homes are bare and cold,
4 To com - fort and to bless, To find a balm for woe,



All that we have is Thine a - lone, A trust, O Lord, from Thee.
And glad - ly, as Thou bless - est us, To Thee our first-fruits give!
And lambs for whom the Shep-herd bled Are stray - ing from the fold.
To tend the lone and fa - ther-less Is an - gels' work be - low.

- 5 The captive to release,
To God the lost to bring,
To teach the way of life and peace,
It is a Christ-like thing.
- 6 And we believe Thy Word,
Though dim our faith may be:
Whate'er for Thine we do, O Lord,
We do it unto Thee.

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+ Service of the Sacrament +

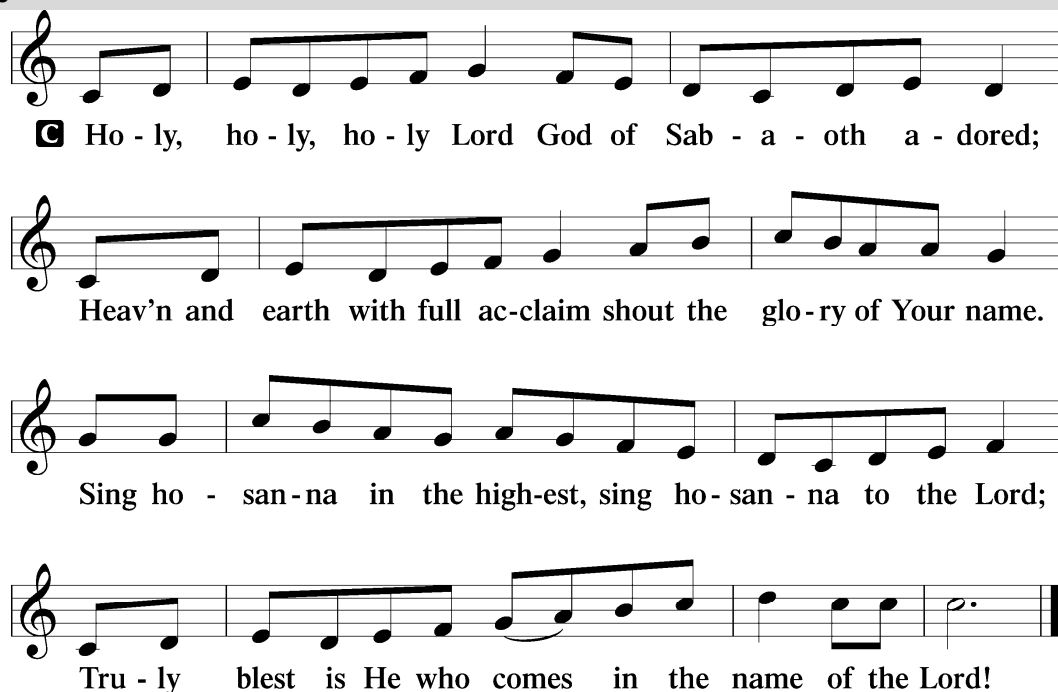
Preface

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- P** The Lord be with you.
C And also with you.
- P** Lift up your hearts.
C We lift them to the Lord.
- P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
C It is right to give Him thanks and praise.
- P** It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, for the countless blessings You so freely bestow on us and all creation. Above all, we give thanks for Your boundless love shown to us when You sent Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, into our flesh and laid on Him our sin, giving Him into death that we might not die eternally. Because He is now risen from the dead and lives and reigns to all eternity, all who believe in Him will overcome sin and death and will rise again to new life. 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

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C Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth a - dored;
Heav'n and earth with full ac-claim shout the glo-ry of Your name.
Sing ho - san-na in the high-est, sing ho - san - na to the Lord;
Tru - ly blest is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

Prayer of Thanksgiving

- P** Blessed are You, O Lord our God, king of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

In Your righteous judgment You condemned the sin of Adam and Eve, who ate the forbidden fruit, and You justly barred them and all their children from the tree of life. Yet, in Your great mercy, You promised salvation by a second Adam, Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, and made His cross a life-giving tree for all who trust in Him.

We give You thanks for the redemption You have prepared for us through Jesus Christ. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may faithfully eat and drink of the fruits of His cross and receive the blessings of forgiveness, life, and salvation that come to us in His body and blood.

Hear us as we pray in His name and as He has taught us:

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 ✠ 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."

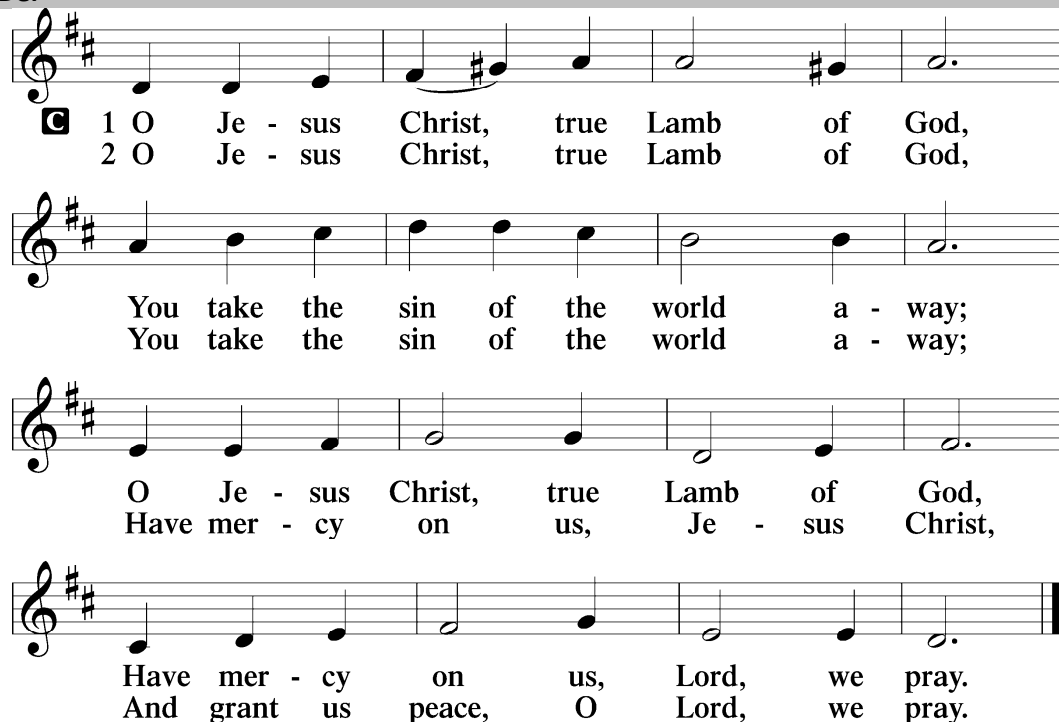
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- P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.
C Amen.

Agnus Dei

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C 1 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
2 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
You take the sin of the world a - way;
You take the sin of the world a - way;
O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus Christ,
Have mer - cy on us, Lord, we pray.
And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.

631 Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face to Face



1 Here, O my Lord, I see Thee face to face;
 2 Here would I feed up - on the bread of God,
 3 This is the hour of ban - quet and of song;
 4 I have no help but Thine; nor do I need



Here would I touch and han - dle things un - seen;
 Here drink with Thee the roy - al wine of heav'n;
 This is the heav'n - ly ta - ble spread for me;
 An - oth - er arm but Thine to lean up - on.



Here grasp with firm - er hand the e - ter - nal grace,
 Here would I lay a - side each earth - ly load,
 Here let me feast and, feast - ing, still pro - long
 It is e - nough, my Lord, e - nough in - deed;

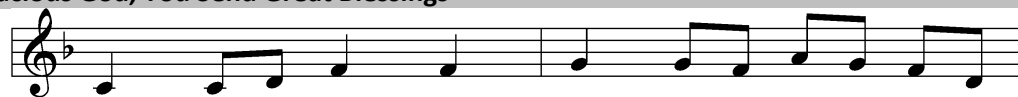


And all my wea - ri - ness up - on Thee lean.
 Here taste a - fresh the calm of sin for - giv'n.
 The brief bright hour of fel - low - ship with Thee.
 My strength is in Thy might, Thy might a - lone.

- 5 Mine is the sin, but Thine the righteousness;
 Mine is the guilt, but Thine the cleansing blood;
 Here is my robe, my refuge, and my peace:
 Thy blood, Thy righteousness, O Lord my God.
- 6 Too soon we rise; the vessels disappear;
 The feast, though not the love, is past and gone;
 The bread and wine remove, but Thou art here;
 Nearer than ever; still my shield and sun.
- 7 Feast after feast thus comes and passes by,
 Yet, passing, points to that glad feast above,
 Giving sweet foretaste of the festal joy,
 The Lamb's great marriage feast of bliss and love.

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782 Gracious God, You Send Great Blessings



1 Gra - cious God, You send great bless - ings
 2 By Your Word You formed cre - a - tion
 3 In His earth - ly life, our Sav - ior
 △ 4 Heav'n - ly Fa - ther, may our car - ing



New each morn - ing all our days. For Your mer - cies
 Filled with crea - tures large and small; As we tend that
 Knew the care of faith - ful friends; May our deeds of
 Bear the im - print of Your grace; With the Son and



nev - er end - ing, For Your love we of - fer praise.
 end - less trea - sure May our care en - cir - cle all.
 ded - i - ca - tion Of - fer love that nev - er ends.
 Ho - ly Spir - it, Praise be Yours in ev - 'ry place!

Refrain



Lord, we pray that we, Your peo - ple Who Your gifts un - num - bered claim,



Through the shar - ing of Your bless - ings May bring glo - ry to Your name.

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- P** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting.
 Depart ☩ in peace.
- C** Amen.



C 1 O Lord, now let Your ser - vant De -
2 All glo - ry to the Fa - ther, All
part in heav'n - ly peace, For I have seen the
glo - ry to the Son, All glo - ry to the
glo - ry Of Your re - deem - ing grace:
Spir - it, For - ev - er Three in One;
A light to lead the be - Gen - tiles Un -
For as in the be - gin - ning, Is
to Your ho - ly hill, The glo - ry of Your
now, shall ev - er be, God's tri - une name re -
peo - ple, Your cho - sen Is - ra - el.
sound - ing Through all e - ter - ni - ty.

Post-Communion Collect

- 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** Amen.

- P** Let us bless the Lord.
C Thanks be to God.

Benediction

- 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.
C Amen.

827 Hark, the Voice of Jesus Calling



- 1 Hark, the voice of Je - sus call - ing, "Who will go and work to - day?
 2 Some take up His task in morn - ing, To their Lord re - spond - ing soon;
 3 For as rain and snow from heav - en Wa - ter seeds in dust - y soil,
 4 Hear - ken to the Lord whose com - ing Marks the time when grace shall end,



Fields are white and har - vests wait - ing— Who will bear the sheaves a - way?"
 Some are called in heat of mid - day, Oth - ers late in af - ter - noon;
 Caus - ing them to bud and flow - er, Giv - ing bread to those who toil;
 When with His an - gel - ic reap - ers He in glo - ry shall de - scend.



Loud and long the Mas - ter call - eth; Rich re - ward He of - fers thee.
 E - ven as the sun is set - ting, Some are sent in - to the fields,
 So the Lord sends forth His prom - ise, Words of life and joy and peace—
 Soon the night, the fi - nal har - vest; Soon the time for work shall cease.



Who will an - swer, glad - ly say - ing, "Here am I, send me, send me"?
 There to gath - er in the boun - ty That God's Word so rich - ly yields.
 Nev - er void to Him re - turn - ing, Bear - ing fruit with great in - crease.
 Then the souls His grace has gar - nered Shall en - joy His Sab - bath peace.

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Service & Stewardship

| Worship Services | Sept 20 | Sept 27 |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Counters | Chris Pierson | Chris Pierson |
| Elders (Communion Service) | Guy Baumann Kent Muller | Stephen Fjelstad Kent Paulson |
| Organist/Pianist | Darcy Muller | Karen Dooley |

Matthew 20:9 - “And when those hired about the eleventh hour came, each of them received a denarius.” Behold the generosity of God! He gives out of His grace, not what we deserve to receive. Living a godly life means living in imitation of God, and His generosity is surely one of the foundations of God’s being.

| Offering Statistics | 13-Sep | YTD |
|---|---------------|----------------|
| Received | \$ 3,660.00 | \$ 189,934.04 |
| Budgeted | \$ 5,805.77 | \$ 214,813.49 |
| Over/(Under) Budget | \$ (2,145.77) | \$ (24,879.45) |
| Above Includes E-giving, Jan-Aug: \$ 32,976.73 | | |

Prayer Requests

(Health and Healing will run two-weeks unless you extend)

| Health & Healing | Serving in the Military |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Sean David Doyle - Mike and Pat Wehde - Justin and Michelle Bridgins - Jesse Neyens - Trevor Anderson (Landon Dunker’s friend) - Bob Reister - Isaac Baumann - Gloria Baumann - ALS | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Seth Bolon - Michael Dolly - Caitlyn Glover - Isaiah Sperle |
| Ministry | His Ark |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Resurrection Lutheran Church - His Ark CCDC - Come and See - Dayspring - SF Lutheran School - Lutheran High School | <p>Morgan; parents Amy & Zach Miles & Issac; parents Scott & Tia Hazel; parents Kenny & Melissa</p> <p>STAFF: Aubrey Baumann</p> |

Resurrection Lutheran Church

| CALENDAR | | |
|----------------|--|--|
| Sunday (today) | 8:00 am LIVE 9:30 am ONLINE 10:45 am LIVE/ONLINE | Worship (1 & 3 w/Communion) Adult Bible Class - “GENESIS” Worship (2 & 4 w/Communion) |
| Monday | 5:30 pm | Women’s Bible Study |
| Tuesday | 6:30 pm | 1 st Tues: Elders 2 nd Tues: His Ark BOD 3 rd Tues: BOD |
| Wednesday | 3:45 pm 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm | His Ark Chapel, School Age Midweek |
| Thursday | 10:00 am | His Ark Chapel, 3-5 yr old’s |

- During COVID - if you desire to receive the Lord's Supper, but are uncomfortable being in larger groups, please contact Pastor Ascher or the church office to set up alternate communion options....
- **SEPTEMBER 26 - Saturday is Junior Youth Corn Maze!**
 - 3:00 PM meet at church
 - Afterwards NACHOS at Saylor's.
 - 6500 S Crane - (off 69th and Louise).
 - Contact # 608.397.9533 / and email: moesodak@gmail.com
 - \$5 to \$8 each (if we have a group of 20, it will be the lower price!)



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- ▶ Board Positions will be opening at the end of 2020
 - ▶ CHAIR
 - ▶ SECRETARY
- ▶ If you are interested in serving on this board, please let Virginia Strubbe know!

40 Days For Life Rally

TODAY. September 20th @ 7pm at Abiding Savior Free Lutheran Church. Seth Gruber will be delivering the rally message in person.

The 40 days for life vigil begins September 23rd and continues 24/7 for 40 days. For More details or to sign up for a time slot please visit www.40daysforlife.com or contact Jim Geraets at jmgeraets@sio.midco.net

Main Street Living - (www.mainstreetliving.com)

| DATE | WATCH "This is the Life" - 10:00 am | LISTEN Sioux Falls – KDLT 10:30 am |
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| 9/20 | "To Take a Life"-A devoted son's loving father is terminally ill, suffering severely and pleading to die. | Rev. Nathan Neugebauer-St. John's - Revillo SD |
| 9/27 | "Sharing the Gospel"-Sharing the Gospel is neither swift nor easy, but truly rewarding in the end. | Rev. Randy Sturzenbecher-Divine Shepherd—Black Hawk SD |

Lutheran School Updates

- **SCRIP** orders will resume at SFLS Association Congregations and Zion Lutheran Church on Sunday, Sept. 20. We will continue with a modified ordering schedule for the foreseeable future. Please visit www.siouxfallslutheran.com/scrip to view the ordering schedule.

CELEBRATIONS: SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER

SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

| Name | Celebrating | Date |
|-----------------------------|-------------|--------|
| Tobey & Brenda Eich | 30 years | 1-Sep |
| Tim & Sue Wagner | 42 years | 2-Sep |
| Mike & Sarah Adamson | 7 years | 7-Sep |
| Steven & Sharon Remund | 47 years | 15-Sep |
| Maurice & Jan Jundt | 65 years | 18-Sep |
| Brian & Roxanne Swab | 22 years | 21-Sep |
| Larry & CaroleJean McKenney | 54 years | 24-Sep |
| Trent & Alycia Kielty | 12 years | 27-Sep |
| Jeffrey & Tatyana Trainer | 18 years | 29-Sep |

OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES

| Name | Celebrating | Date |
|-----------------------------|-------------|--------|
| Aaron & Holly Hall | 12 years | 4-Oct |
| Alphonse & Virginia Strubbe | 8 years | 6-Oct |
| Trevor & Janna Christiansen | 14 years | 7-Oct |
| Kevin & Lori Bierwagen | 37 years | 8-Oct |
| Paul & Kim Hoffman | 33 years | 10-Oct |
| Robert & Dawn Dineen | 8 years | 12-Oct |
| Mark & Sara Ham | 13 years | 13-Oct |
| Justin & Michelle Bridgins | 14 years | 14-Oct |
| James & Tasha Jurens | 9 years | 15-Oct |
| Todd & Dawn Honkomp | 16 years | 16-Oct |
| Joey & Sarah Mackey | 15 years | 22-Oct |

SEPT BIRTHDAY

| First | Last | Birthday |
|------------|-----------|----------|
| Brenda | Hitzemann | 2-Sep |
| Julie | Tetzlaff | 7-Sep |
| Connor | Evans | 8-Sep |
| Simon | Ng'andu | 9-Sep |
| Dawn | Dineen | 10-Sep |
| Tyler | Bailey | 12-Sep |
| Dawn | Honkomp | 12-Sep |
| Andrew | Baumann | 14-Sep |
| Kaiden | Fjelstad | 14-Sep |
| Harley | Tetzlaff | 15-Sep |
| Joshua | Olson | 16-Sep |
| Heather | Crosby | 18-Sep |
| Jesse | Neyens | 18-Sep |
| Kim | Bartel | 19-Sep |
| Sarah | Mackey | 19-Sep |
| Seth | Bolon | 20-Sep |
| Laramie | Giles | 20-Sep |
| Zia | Pierson | 20-Sep |
| Susan | Olson | 22-Sep |
| Guy | Baumann | 27-Sep |
| Rose Marie | Sroufe | 30-Sep |
| Tanner | Swab | 30-Sep |

OCT BIRTHDAY

| First | Last | Birthday |
|----------------|------------|----------|
| Timothy | Bolon | 1-Oct |
| Trent | Kielty | 1-Oct |
| Jedidiah | Strubbe | 1-Oct |
| John | Holeton | 2-Oct |
| Heather | Wald | 2-Oct |
| Allen | Robbennolt | 6-Oct |
| Gloria | Haarsma | 7-Oct |
| Blake Nicholas | Bailey | 8-Oct |
| Allison | Douglass | 8-Oct |
| Josiah | Baumann | 10-Oct |
| Michael | Baedke | 14-Oct |
| Lawrence | Kabeya | 15-Oct |
| Lan | Kuhlmann | 21-Oct |
| Dessie | Neyens | 21-Oct |
| Chris | Pierson | 22-Oct |
| Ava | Crosby | 25-Oct |
| Sue | Wagner | 25-Oct |
| Jaxon | Barta | 26-Oct |
| Cally | Sperle | 26-Oct |
| Megan | Baedke | 28-Oct |
| Tim | Wagner | 28-Oct |
| Ana | Crosby | 30-Oct |
| Michelle | Geraets | 31-Oct |
| Sharon | Remund | 31-Oct |