



Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

A Member of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod

Worship Schedule: Sunday 9:00am

Education Hour: Sunday @ 10:30am

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We, the members of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, believing the Bible to be God's inspired and inerrant Word, acknowledging that Jesus Christ is Lord, and affirming that we are saved by Grace through faith in Him alone, offer the following as our statement of mission:

Empowered by the Holy Spirit and loving our neighbors as ourselves, we, as ambassadors for Christ, must strive to make disciples of all nations; Using the gifts the Lord has given to each of us, we must help the saints to grow in unity of faith through regular worship attendance, the partaking of the Sacraments, the study of God's Word, and by ministering to the spiritual needs of others; we will persevere in prayer and thanksgiving for all the opportunities and blessings which God places before us.

**Eleventh Sunday after Trinity
August 20, 2023**

Opening Versicles (common)

- L** This is the day which the Lord has made;
- C** **let us rejoice and be glad in it.**
- L** From the rising of the sun to its setting,
- C** **the name of the Lord is to be praised.**

- L** Better is one day in Your courts than a thousand elsewhere;
- C** **I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of the wicked.**
- L** Make me to know Your ways, O Lord.
- C** **Teach me Your paths.**
- L** Sanctify us in Your truth.
- C** **Your Word is truth.**

- L** From the rising of the sun to its setting,
- C** **the name of the Lord is to be praised.**


- C** **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.**

Old Testament Canticle

LSB 261

Refrain

C The Lord God is my strength and my song, and
He has be - come my sal - va - tion.
With joy will you draw wa - ter from the
wells of sal - va - tion. And you will say in that
day: "Give thanks to the Lord, call up - on His name,



make known His deeds a - mong the peo - ples, pro -



claim that His name is ex - alt - ed."

Refrain
The Lord God is my strength and my song, and



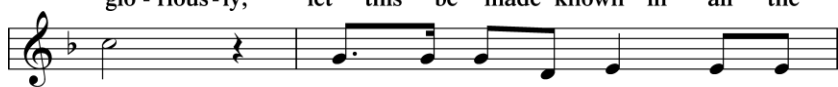
He has be - come my sal - va - tion.



Sing prais - es to the Lord, for He has done



glo - rious - ly; let this be made known in all the



earth. Shout, and sing for joy, O in -



hab - i - tants of Zi - on, for great in your midst is the



Ho - ly One of Is - ra - el.

Refrain
The Lord God is my strength and my song, and



He has be - come my sal - va - tion.



Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son

and to the Ho - ly Spir - it;

as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and will

be for - ev - er. A - men.

Refrain

The Lord God is my strength and my song, and

He has be - come my sal - va - tion.

Children's Message

Readings from Holy Scripture

Old Testament Reading: Genesis 4:1-15

Psalms 50:7-23; antiphon: v. 14

¹⁴Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving,
and perform your vows to the Most High,

⁷Hear, O my people, and I will speak;
O Israel, I will testify against you.
I am God, your God.

⁸**Not for your sacrifices do I rebuke you;
your burnt offerings are continually before me.**

⁹I will not accept a bull from your house
or goats from your folds.

¹⁰**For every beast of the forest is mine,
the cattle on a thousand hills.**

¹¹I know all the birds of the hills,
and all that moves in the field is mine.

¹²**"If I were hungry, I would not tell you,
for the world and its fullness are mine.**

¹³Do I eat the flesh of bulls
or drink the blood of goats?

¹⁴**Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving,
and perform your vows to the Most High,**

¹⁵and call upon me in the day of trouble;
I will deliver you, and you shall glorify me.”

¹⁶**But to the wicked God says:**

**“What right have you to recite my statutes
or take my covenant on your lips?**

¹⁷For you hate discipline,
and you cast my words behind you.

¹⁸**If you see a thief, you are pleased with him,
and you keep company with adulterers.**

¹⁹“You give your mouth free rein for evil,
and your tongue frames deceit.

²⁰**You sit and speak against your brother;
you slander your own mother’s son.**

²¹These things you have done, and I have been silent;
you thought that I was one like yourself.

But now I rebuke you and lay the charge before you.

²²**“Mark this, then, you who forget God,
lest I tear you apart, and there be none to deliver!**

²³The one who offers thanksgiving as his sacrifice glorifies me;
to one who orders his way rightly
I will show the salvation of God!”

**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.**

¹⁴Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving,
and perform your vows to the Most High,

Epistle: Ephesians 2:1-10

Holy Gospel: Luke 18:9-14

Responsory (common)

L Forever, O Lord, Your Word is firmly set in the heavens.

C **Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.**

L Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and keep it.

C **Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.**

L Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

C **Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.**

Ten Commandments

- C** **You shall have no other gods.
You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God.
Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy.**

Honor your father and your mother.
You shall not murder.
You shall not commit adultery.
You shall not steal.
You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor.
You shall not covet your neighbor's house.
You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his manservant or maidservant,
his ox or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.

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.

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 Ten Commandments

As the head of the family should teach it in a simple way to his household.

The Fourth Commandment

Honor your father and your mother.

What does this mean?

We should fear and love God so that we do not despise or anger our parents and other authorities, but honor them, serve and obey them, love and cherish them.

Sermon Hymn: "Oh, How Great Is Your Compassion" LSB #559

Offering – Praise band musical selection

Prayer

LSB 265

L In peace let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

L For the gift of divine peace and of pardon, with all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

L For the holy Christian Church, here and scattered throughout the world, and for the proclamation of the Gospel and the calling of all to faith, let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

L For this nation, for our cities and communities, and for the common welfare of us all, let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

L For reasonable weather and for the fruitfulness of the earth, let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

L For those who labor, for those whose work is difficult or dangerous, and for all who travel, let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

L For all those in need, for the hungry and homeless, for the widowed and orphaned, and for all those in prison, let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

L For the sick and dying and for all those who care for them, let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

L For . . . [*additional bids for prayer may be inserted here*] . . . let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

L Finally, for these and for all our needs of body and soul, let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Collect of the Day

L Almighty and everlasting Father, You give Your children many blessings even though we are undeserving. In every trial and temptation grant us steadfast confidence in Your loving-kindness and mercy; 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 the Word

- L** Blessed Lord, You have caused all Holy Scriptures to be written for our learning. Grant that we may so hear them, read, mark, learn, and take them to heart that, by the patience and comfort of Your holy Word, we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C** Amen.

Morning Prayer

- C** I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please You. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

New Testament Canticale

LSB 266



C Christ has been raised from the dead! Al - le -



lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.



Christ our Pass - o - ver Lamb has been sac - ri - ficed.



Raised from the dead, He will nev - er die a - gain.



Death has no more do - min - ion o - ver Him.



Christ has been raised from the dead! Al - le -



lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

Dy - ing, Christ dies to sin, once for all. Liv - ing, He
 lives to God. Count your - selves as dead to
 sin and a - live to God in Christ Je - sus, our Lord.
Refrain
 Christ has been raised from the dead! Al - le -
 lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

Blessing

- L** Let us bless the Lord.
- C** **Thanks be to God.**
- L** The almighty and merciful Lord, the Father, the ✠ Son, and the Holy Spirit, bless and preserve you.
- C** **Amen.**

Closing Song:

“Nothing But the Blood”

GSLC 5

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What is the kingdom of God? Answer: Simply what we heard above in the Creed, namely, that God sent his Son, Christ our Lord, into the world to redeem and deliver us from the power of the devil, to bring us to himself, and to rule us as a king of righteousness, life, and salvation against sin, death, and an evil conscience. To this end he also gave his Holy Spirit to deliver this to us through his holy Word and to enlighten and strengthen us in faith by his power.

The Book of Concord – The Large Catechism, The Lord’s Prayer, Second Petition, 51

**Those Serving today and
next week August 20th & August 27th**

8/20

Music: Praise Band

Acolyte: Kaden Peterson

Elder:

Ushers: Sturrock Family

Counters: Peggy Peterson

Servers: Beth Steuck

8/27

Music: Praise Band

Acolyte: Grant Lingl

Elder: Scott Peterson

Ushers: Sturrock Family

Counters: Randy Thordson

Servers: PFPR

Attendance for Sunday

August 13, 2023

Sunday: 83

Communicants: 51

**This Week at Good Shepherd
August 20th – 27th**

Sunday

9am – Service of Prayer & Preaching –

Praise Band

10:30am – Educational Hour

Tuesday

3:30pm – REM

5:30pm – Board of Elders

7pm – AA Meeting

Wednesday

7am – Men’s Bible Study @ McDonald’s

Thursday

Pastor’s Day Off/Office Closed

3:30pm – REM

Sunday

9am – Divine Service III

10:30am – Educational Hour

Jesus once said to the Pharisees that the gold of the temple is sanctified by the temple. So the holiness of the temple dictated that those things pertaining to it were also holy.

Jesus also said, referring to Himself, “One greater than the temple is here”. Now if Jesus’ holiness is greater than the holiness of the temple, surely those things pertaining to Jesus Himself are also holy.

In the Holy Supper Christ Himself is truly present, for He said, “This is My Body. “Therefore, according to His own words, it is His true Body which sits on the Paten (the plate) which sits on the altar. For the bread is as much Christ’s Body as His Body on the cross. Since this is so, it is surely appropriate to give highest reverence to His Body there, according to this Faith. Therefore the people of God rightly bend the knee, to honor and adore Him where He is truly found.

Layman’s Guide to the Liturgy: By Parts. – Why do we bow or kneel to the altar? Pg. 41, para. 1-3.

The Congregation at Prayer
How to use this bulletin for daily prayer all week long.

Reading God's Word and offering up our prayers to God should be part of our daily routine. Below is an outline for a simple daily devotion.

Also included is a portion of the Small Catechism for the week and the prayers of our parish.

Invocation: **In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

Introit: **Bulletin Insert**

Learn by Heart: Bible Verses: **Proverbs 18:22; 1 John 5:11**

Catechism: **Table of Duties: To Workers of All Kinds**

Daily Readings:

Sunday: **2 Sam. 12:1-25; 2 Sam. 13:1-19:43; 1 Cor. 12:1-13**

Monday: **1 Kings 1:1-4, 15-35; 1 Cor. 12:14-31**

Tuesday: **1 Kings 2:1-27; 1 Cor. 14:1-16:24; 1 Cor. 13:1-13**

Wednesday: **1 Kings 3:1-15; 1 Kings 3:16-4:34; 2 Cor. 1:1-22**

Thursday: **1 Kings 5:1-18; 1 Kings 6:1-7:50; 2 Cor. 1:23-2:17**

Friday: **1 Kings 7:51-8:21; 2 Cor. 3:1-18**

Saturday: **1 Kings 8:22-30, 46-63; 2 Cor. 4:1-18**

Readings for next Sunday: **Genesis 4:1-15; Ephesians 2:1-10 or 1 Corinthians 15:1-10; Luke 18:9-14**

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

- **Birthdays:** Scott Peterson 8/20; Esther Schrunk 8/21
- **Anniversaries:** Charles & Marie Dorschner-Holland 8/21; Larry & Nancy Pratt 8/21; Jeremy & Genevieve Marone 8/25
- **Sickness/Illness/Recovery:** Rick Geske; Randy Priem, father of Sarah Stefanic; David and Kim St. John, friends of Monique Konrad; Charles Holland; Matt Konrad; Lia Hall, Daughter of Anne Paradis; Sarah Johnson, friend of Lisa Haen; Nancy Cesar, grandmother of Pastor Stefanic; Karen Geske; Carole Rudig, caretaker of Esther Schrunk; Barb Werner; Dennis Chihansky, friend of Kathy Dahl; Laura Kero, aunt of Gwen Sturrock; Harper Thiesen, granddaughter of Gay Brockberg; Lena Peterson, mother of Travis Peterson; Rev. Carl Berner; Anita Johnson, sister of Kathy Brockberg; Mark Meffert, son of Mary Meffert; Carol Nienkirk; Joanne Christoffer; Diane, Aunt of Lisa Haen; Jon Gullickson; Lorraine Gullickson; David Sturrock; Floyd Brecheisen, brother of Gay Brockberg; Shirlene Schwab; Ruth Timm; Jon Gerken; Jean Peirce; Esther Schrunk; Hester, sister of David Sturrock; Tobias Haugen, grandson of Mavis Ochsendorf; Larry Pratt; Bonnie, mother of Lisa Haen
- **With child:** Natalie Zbaracki, cousin of Gwen Sturrock
- **Family of:** Leah Zbaracki-infant daughter of Natalie Zbaracki, cousin of Gwen Sturrock

HYMN OF THE MONTH: **"One Thing's Needful"** **LSB #536**

COLLECT (**Bulletin Insert**)

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LORD'S PRAYER

BLESSING: **The almighty and most merciful God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless and preserve us. Amen.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Spiritual Discipline for August: Memorize a Psalm.

Join us for Bible Study as we continue through the book of Jonah.

Please take a moment to read the Card of Thanks from Lia Paradis Hall on the Board in the Fellowship Hall.

Sunday school is right around the corner. We are looking for teachers, please prayerfully consider being a Sunday School teacher. We would love to have 2 teachers per class, so the time commitment isn't so much per each teacher. We are also looking for substitutes for the year! Please let Katie Brockberg know you are interested in helping by emailing her at katieslittlestars@gmail.com or calling/texting 507-828-9463 or stopping her in church! Thank you for considering being a part of the Sunday school!

Our next men's book study is scheduled for Saturday, September 23. We will begin reading through the book: "No Apologies: Why Civilization Depends on the Strength of Men" by Anthony Esolen. If interested in the book, please let Pastor know.

New Adult and Kids Devotionals on the resource table.

Bookmarks can be found on the resource table that include dates of both testaments, reminders of how to distinguish between law and gospel, and more.

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DAILY 15-MINUTE BIBLE STUDY... **The Word of the Lord Endures Forever** is a daily 15-minute verse-by-verse Bible study produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Will Weedon. Pastor Weedon will be leading a study this week on The Macedonian Call; The Conversion of Lydia; Paul and Silas in Prison and The Philippian Jailer Converted in Acts 15 and 16. You can listen at your convenience at thewordendures.org, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

If you missed being here last Sunday and would like a bulletin, they are available in the foyer on the free materials table.