



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.

**Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity
September 15, 2024**

The Greeting of Peace

Opening Song:

“Shine Jesus Shine”

GSLC 8

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

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Refrain



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



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



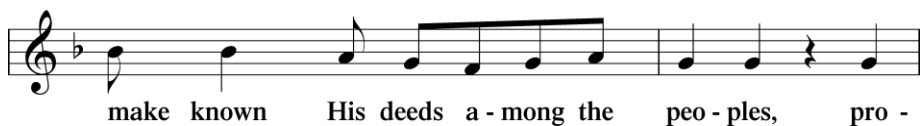
With joy will you draw wa - ter from the



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: **1 Kings 17:17-24**

Psalm 30 (antiphon v. 5b)

Weeping may tarry for the night,
 but joy comes with the | morning.

1I will extol you, O LORD, for you have | drawn me up*
 and have not let my foes rejoice | over me.

2O LORD my God, I cried to | you for help,*
 and you have | healed me.

3O LORD, you have brought up my soul | from Sheol;*
 you restored me to life from among those who go down | to the pit.

4Sing praises to the LORD, O | you his saints,*
 and give thanks to his | holy name.

5For his anger is but for a moment,
 and his favor is for a | lifetime.*

Weeping may tarry for the night,

but joy comes with the | morning.

6As for me, I said in my pros- | perity,*

“I shall nev- | er be moved.”

7By your favor, O LORD,

you made my mountain | stand strong;*

you hid your face;

I | was dismayed.

8To you, O | LORD, I cry,*

and to the Lord I plead for | mercy:

9“What profit is there in my death,

if I go down | to the pit?*

Will the dust praise you?

Will it tell of your | faithfulness?

10Hear, O LORD, and be merci- | ful to me!*

O LORD, be my | helper!”

11You have turned for me my mourning into | dancing;*

you have loosed my sackcloth

and clothed me with | gladness,

12that my glory may sing your praise and not be | silent.*

O LORD my God, I will give thanks to you for- | ever!

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.

Weeping may tarry for the night,

but joy comes with the | morning.

Epistle Reading: **Ephesians 3:13-21**

Holy Gospel: **Luke 7:11-17**

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

**☩ 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

**☩ 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 Lord's Prayer

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

The Second Petition

Thy Kingdom Come.

Your Kingdom Come.

What does this mean?

The kingdom of God certainly comes by itself without our prayer, but we pray in this petition that it may come to us also.

How does God's kingdom come?

God's kingdom comes when our heavenly Father gives us His Holy Spirit, so that by His grace we believe His holy Word and lead godly lives here in time and there in eternity.

Sermon

Sermon Hymn: **"The Will of God is Always Best"** **LSB 758**

Offering

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 seasonable 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 O Lord, we pray that Your grace may always go before and follow after us, that we may continually be given to all good works; 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 Canticle

LSB 266

Refrain

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.

Refrain

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

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

Closing Song:
Acknowledgments

“Christ is Risen”

GSLC 61

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The Exhortation

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.

33. What is suggested in the Exhortation?

“Let us draw near”, i.e., The entrance to the Divine Sanctuary is always open to us, our great High Priest and Reconciliation being there to receive us. This approach is the mark of a true believer. Read Heb. 10:22.

“With a true heart,” i.e., Properly prepared to confess; not hypocritical or double-minded; conscious of our depravity of our failings. Read Psalm 32:5 and I John 1:8, 9.

“And confess our sins”, etc. This we do in the following Confession.

“Beseeching Him . . . forgiveness.” This we do in the Prayer for Grace.

An Explanation of the Common Service: Order of The Service or The Communion, pg. 21-22: #33.

**Those Serving today and
next week Sept. 15th & 22nd**

9/15

Music: Beth Steuck

Acolyte: Kaden Peterson

Elder:

Ushers: Darwin Leek & Mark Henkelman

Counters: David Sturrock

Servers: NA

9/22

Music: Beth Steuck

Acolyte: Axel Evans

Elder: David Berner

Ushers: Darwin Leek & Mark Henkelman

Counters: Peggy Peterson

Servers: NA

This Week at Good Shepherd

9/15/24 – 9/22/24

Sunday

9am – Service of Praise & Preaching –
Praise Band

10:30am – Education Hour

Monday

Pastor @ Bd of Directors Retreat –
Owatonna

8:30am – Matins/Coop

Tuesday

Pastor @ Retreat – Owatonna

7pm – AA Meeting

7:30pm – BJJ Club

Wednesday

7am – Men's Bible Study @
McDonald's

Friday

5:30am – BJJ Club

Saturday

6am – BJJ Club

7:3am – Men's Breakfast

8am – Men's Book Study

Sunday

9am – Divine Service

10:30am – Education Hour

If you do not forgive, do not think that God forgives you. But if you forgive, you have the comfort and assurance that you are forgiven in heaven – not on account of your forgiving (for he does it altogether freely, out of pure grace, because he has promised it, as the gospel teaches) but instead because he has set this up for our strengthening and assurance as a sign along with he promise that matches this petition in Luke 6[:37], "Forgive, and you will be forgiven". Therefore Christ repeats it immediately after the Lord's Prayer, saying in Matthew 6[14], "If you forgive others their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you..."

The Book of Concord – The Lord's Prayer, 94-95

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: **Ecclesiastes 3:20; Revelation 20:14-15**

Catechism: **Daily Prayers: Table of Duties – To Wives**

Daily Readings:

Sunday: **2 Chron. 34:1-4, 8-11, 14-33; Nah 1:1-3:19; Col. 2:8-23**

Monday: **2 Chron. 35:1-7, 16-25; Col. 3:1-25**

Tuesday: **2 Chron. 36:1-23; Col. 4:1-18**

Wednesday: **Neh. 1:1-2:10; 1 Tim. 1:1-20**

Thursday: **Neh. 2:11-20; 4:1-6; 1 Tim. 2:1-15**

Friday: **Neh. 4:7-23; 1 Tim. 3:1-16**

Saturday: **Neh. 5:1-16; 6:1-9, 15-16; 1 Tim. 4:1-16**

Readings for next Sunday: **Proverbs 25:6-14; Ephesians 4:1-6; Luke 14:1-11**

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

- **Birthdays:** Wyatt Brockberg 9/16; Rachel Berner 9/16; Brayden Ust 9/18; Carol Nienkerk 9/18; Spencer Petrich 9/19; Josiah Nelson 9/20; Oliver Bartz 9/21
- **Anniversaries:** Shawn & Michelle Bingham 9/16; Rollie & Jean Peirce 9/17
- **Sickness/illness/Recovery (members):** Judson Brockberg; Carolyn Bayerkohler; Charles Holland; Barb Werner; Rev. Carl Berner; Carol Nienkerk; Joanne Christoffer; Jon Gullickson; David Sturrock; Ruth Timm; Jon Gerken; Jean Peirce; Esther Schrunck; Larry Pratt; Karen Klatt
- **Sickness/illness/Recovery (friends and family):** Hewie Mau, brother of Nancy Pratt; Cindy Bingham, sister-in-law of Michelle Bingham; Brandon Athens, friend of Denny and Kathy Brockberg; Alan and Sherry Park, friends of Carrie Davis; Don Casey, father of Carrie Davis; Sasheen, daughter of Gay Brockberg; Myrna Rokeh, grandmother of Ashley Peterson; David and Kim St. John, friends of Monique Konrad; Sarah Johnson, friend of Lisa Haen; Karen Geske; Carole Rudig, caretaker of Esther Schrunck; Laura Kero, aunt of Gwen Sturrock; Lena Peterson, mother of Travis Peterson; Anita Johnson, sister of Kathy Brockberg; Diane, Aunt of Lisa Haen; Floyd Brecheisen, brother of Gay Brockberg; Hester, sister of David Sturrock; Tobias Haugen, grandson of Mavis Ochsendorf; Bonnie, mother of Lisa Haen
- **Accepted Calls:** Rev. Ed Borchardt to Zion, Hardwick
- **Family of:** Lorraine Gullickson
- **With Child:** Sarah Stefanic

HYMN OF THE MONTH: **LSB #713 "From God Can Nothing Move Me"**

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

Homeschool Co-op - Join us for Matins and Bible history!

Spiritual Discipline for September: Attend Divine Service and education hour every week.

Join us for Bible Study as we begin to work through the Book of Proverbs.

Our next men's book study will be on Saturday, September 21 at 7:30. We will begin a study of *Extreme Ownership* by Jocko Willink and Leif Babin. See Pastor for a copy.

Rev. Ed Borchardt will be installed as pastor of Zion in Hardwick today at 2pm. All are welcome to attend.

Screenitfirst.com is a website dedicated to helping parents find good literature for their children and root out the bad. This site helps parents find the right book at the right time to build healthy minds. Check out their resources and become a part of this community.

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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