

SAVING GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH



The Tenth Sunday after Pentecost
Saturday, August 1, 2026 @ 5pm
Sunday, August 2, 2026 @ 8:30am, Live-streamed

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

Opening Hymn "Come, Thou Almighty King" **Hymn #522**

**Come, thou almighty King, Help us thy name to sing;
Help us to praise; Father all-glorious, O'er all victorious,
Come and reign over us, Ancient of Days.**

**Come, thou incarnate Word, Gird on thy mighty sword;
Our prayer attend, Come and thy people bless, And give thy Word success,
And let thy righteousness On us descend.**

**Come, holy Comforter, Thy sacred witness bear
In this glad hour! Thou, who almighty art, Now rule in ev'ry heart,
And ne'er from us depart, Spirit of pow'r.**

**To thee, great One in Three, Eternal praises be
Hence evermore! Thy sov'reign majesty May we in glory see,
And to eternity Love and adore.**

BRIEF ORDER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, and all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love You and worthily magnify Your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

"If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness." (1 John 1:8-9)

(Please observe a moment of silence for personal reflection and self-examination)

Most merciful God,

We confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean, and have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the

sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your holy name. Amen
Almighty God, in His mercy, has given His Son to die for us and, for His sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore declare to you, who do truly repent and believe in Jesus Christ, the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen**

PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you always. **And also with you.**

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with You.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty God, Your Son came down from heaven to be the true bread who gives us life. May we abide in Him, as He abides in us, that we may always receive with grateful hearts, what You have given us to Your glory, honor, and praise; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

PASTOR'S WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE WORD

FIRST READING	Isaiah 55:1-5	OT p. 671
	<i>(When Reading is concluded, the congregation responds, "Thanks be to God")</i>	
SECOND READING	Romans 9:1-5	NT p. 1032
	<i>(When Reading is concluded, the congregation responds, "Thanks be to God")</i>	
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION	"Alleluia"	p. 83
	Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?	
	You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.	
GOSPEL	Matthew 14:13-21	NT p. 893
	<i>(Before the Gospel is announced, the congregation says "Glory to you, O Lord")</i>	
	<i>(After the Gospel is concluded, the congregation says, "Praise to you, O Christ")</i>	
SERMON	"And all were filled"	Pastor
David Irgens		

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

Hymn of the Day	"O Bread of Life from Heaven"	Hymn #522
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**O Bread of life from heaven, O Food to pilgrims given,
O Manna from above: Feed with the blessed sweetness
Of your divine completeness The souls that want and need your love.**

**O Fount of grace redeeming, O River ever streaming
From Jesus' wounded side: Come now, your love bestowing
On thirsting souls, and flowing Till all are fully satisfied.**

**We love you, Jesus, tender, In all your hidden splendor
Within these means of grace. Oh, let the veil be riven,
And our clear eye in heaven Behold your glory face to face.**

RECEPTION OF OFFERING

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin, Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again 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**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

HOLY COMMUNION

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. Amen

BLESSING AND PRAYER

SENDING

**Sending Hymn
#504**

"O God, My Faithful God"

Hymn

**O God, my faithful God, True fountain ever flowing,
Without whom nothing is, All perfect gifts bestowing:
Give me a healthy frame, And may I have within
A conscience free from blame, A soul unstained by sin.**

**Give me the strength to do With ready heart and willing
Whatever you command, My calling here fulfilling—
To do it when I ought, With all my strength—and bless
Whatever I have wrought, For you must give success.**

**Keep me from saying words That latter need recalling;
Guard me, lest idle speech May from my lips be falling;
But when, within my place, I must and ought to speak,
Then to my words give grace, Lest I offend the weak.**

**When dangers gather round, Oh, keep me calm and fearless;
Help me to bear the cross When life seems dark and cheerless;
Help me, as you have taught, To love both great and small,
And, by your Spirit's might, To live at peace with all.**

BENEDICTION & DISMISSAL Go in peace and serve the Lord! **Thanks be to God!**

Psalm 17:1-7, 15 (15)

¹Hear a just cause, O LORD; attend to my cry;
give ear to my prayer from lips free of deceit.

²From you let my vindication come;
let your eyes see the right.

³If you try my heart, if you visit me by night,
if you test me, you will find no wickedness in
me;
my mouth does not transgress.

⁴As for what others do, by the word of your lips
I have avoided the ways of the violent.

⁵My steps have held fast to your paths;
my feet have not slipped.

⁶I will call upon you, for you will answer me, O God;
incline your ear to me, hear my words.

⁷Wondrously show your steadfast love,
O savior of those who seek refuge
from their adversaries at your right hand.

**¹⁵As for me, I shall behold your face in
righteousness;
when I awake I shall be satisfied, beholding
your likeness.**

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