



*Fourth Sunday after Pentecost*

*St. John's Lutheran Church*

*Red Bud, Illinois*

*June 19-20, 2021 5 p.m. and 8 a.m.*



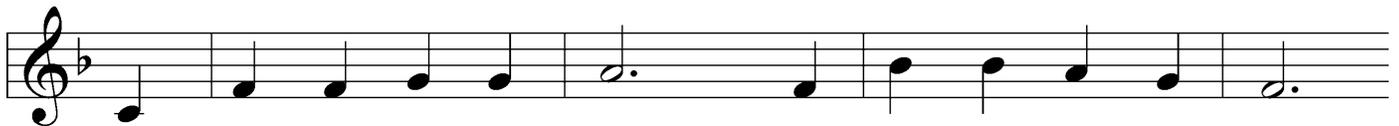
PRELUDE: "Eternal Father, Strong to Save" arranged by Charles Callahan

**THE RINGING OF THE BELL** calls us to holy worship.

**OPENING HYMN: 863 "Our Father, by Whose Name"**



1 Our Fa - ther, by whose name All fa - ther-hood is known,  
2 O Christ, Thy - self a child With - in an earth - ly home,  
3 O Spir - it, who dost bind Our hearts in u - ni - ty,



Who dost in love pro - claim Each fam - i - ly Thine own,  
With heart still un - de - filed, Thou didst to man-hood come;  
Who teach - est us to find The love from self set free,



Bless Thou all par - ents, guard - ing well, With con - stant love as  
Our chil - dren bless in ev - 'ry place That they may all be -  
In all our hearts such love in - crease That ev - 'ry home by



sen - ti - nel, The homes in which Thy peo - ple dwell.  
hold Thy face, And know - ing Thee may grow in grace.  
this re - lease May be the dwell - ing place of peace.

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*Divine Service One, page 151ff.*

**CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION:** page 151 (*please stand if you are able*)

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

P In the name of the Father and of the (+) Son and of the Holy Spirit. **CAmen.**

P If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

**C But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

- C** Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We 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. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. 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.
- 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.

**INTROIT:** Psalm 107



They cried to the LORD in their | trou-ble, and He delivered them from | their dis-tress.  
 He made the | storm be still,                      and the waves of the | sea were hushed.  
 They were glad that the waters were | qui-et, and He brought them to their desired | ha-ven.  
 Thank the LORD for His | stead-fast love, for His works to the chil- | dren of men!  
 Extol Him in the congregation of | the peo-ple, and praise Him in the assembly of | the el-ders.  
 Glory be to the Father and | to the Son      and to the Holy | Spir-it;  
 as it was in the be- | gin-ning,                      is now, and will be forever. | A-men.  
 They cried to the LORD in their | trou-ble, and He delivered them from | their dis-tress.

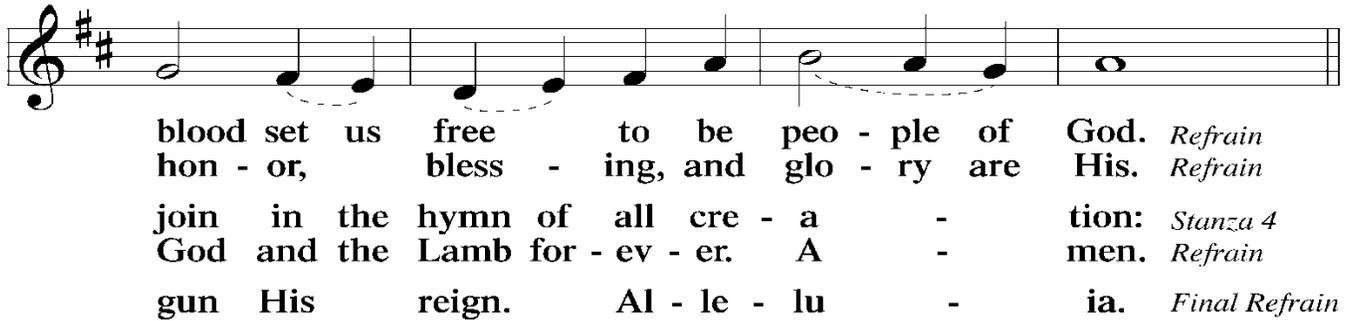
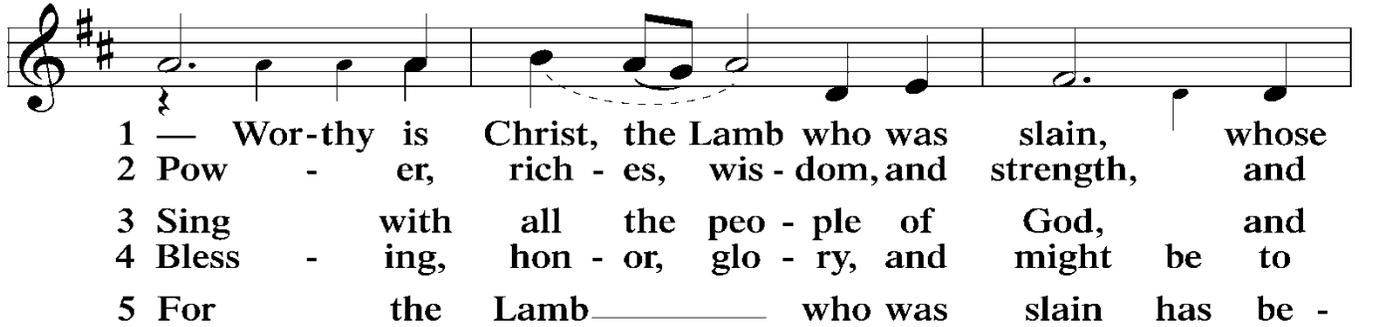
**KYRIE:** pages 152-153 (*we sing the responses*)

- A** In peace let us pray to the Lord.      **C**      **Lord, have mercy.**
- A** For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.
- C** **Lord, have mercy.**
- A** For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord. **C**      **Lord, have mercy.**
- A** For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.      **C**      **Lord, have mercy.**
- A** Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.      **C**      **Amen.**

**HYMN OF PRAISE:** "This Is the Feast" page 155

*Refrain*

**C**      This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God.



### SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY:

P: The Lord be with you. C: (*sung*) And also with you.

P: Let us pray. C: Almighty God, in Your mercy guide the course of this world so that Your Church may joyfully serve You in godly peace and quietness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen. (*please be seated*)

(Saturday) **DUET:** “Precious Lord, Take My Hand” *L. Hudak and J. Kellerhouse*  
 (Sunday) **ANTHEM:** “Precious Lord, Take My Hand” (LSB 739) *Summer Singers*

**THE OLD TESTAMENT READING: Job 38:1-11**

Then the LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind and said: “Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? Dress for action like a man; I will question you, and you make it known to Me. Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell Me, if you have understanding. Who determined its measurements—surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone, when the morning stars sang together and all the sons of God shouted for joy? Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb, when I made clouds its garment and thick darkness its swaddling band, and prescribed limits for it and set bars and doors, and said, ‘Thus far shall you come, and no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stayed’?”

P: This is the Word of the Lord.      **C: Thanks be to God.**

**THE GRADUAL:**

Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised, **and His greatness is unsearchable.**  
 On Your wondrous works I will meditate, **and I will declare Your greatness.**

**THE EPISTLE READING: 2<sup>nd</sup> Corinthians 6:1-13**

Working together with Him, then, we appeal to you not to receive the grace of God in vain. For He says, “In a favorable time I listened to you, and in a day of salvation I have helped you.” Behold, now is the favorable time; behold, now is the day of salvation. We put no obstacle in anyone’s way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, but as servants of God we commend ourselves in every way: by great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, the Holy Spirit, genuine love; by truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; through honor and dishonor, through slander and praise.

We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; as unknown, and yet well known; as dying, and behold, we live; as punished, and yet not killed; as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, yet possessing everything. We have spoken freely to you, Corinthians; our heart is wide open. You are not restricted by us, but you are restricted in your own affections. In return (I speak as to children) widen your hearts also.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.      **C: Thanks be to God.**

*(please stand if you are able)* **ALLELUIA and VERSE:** (page 156) *(sung)*

**Al-le-lu-ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life.**

**Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.**

**THE HOLY GOSPEL:****Mark 4:35-41**

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the 4<sup>th</sup> chapter. **C:** (*sung*) **Glory to You, O Lord.**

On that day, when evening had come, Jesus said to them, "Let us go across to the other side." And leaving the crowd, they took Him with them in the boat, just as He was. And other boats were with Him. And a great windstorm arose, and the waves were breaking into the boat, so that the boat was already filling. But He was in the stern, asleep on the cushion. And they woke Him and said to Him, "Teacher, do You not care that we are perishing?" And He awoke and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. He said to them, "Why are you so afraid? Have you still no faith?" And they were filled with great fear and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even wind and sea obey Him?"

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord. **C:** (*sung*) **Praise to You, O Christ.**

**OUR CONFESSION OF FAITH: The Nicene Creed**

**I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen. (*please be seated*)**

**HYMN OF THE DAY: 717 "Eternal Father, Strong to Save"**

*(We replace stanzas 2 & 3 with the alternate stanzas 2 & 3 on the top of the next page.)*

**SERMON: "God's on Deck; Have no Fear!" Mark 4:35-41**

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH** (*please stand if you are able*)

*(Each petition ends, "Lord, in Your mercy," and we respond, "hear our prayer.")*

**HEALING AND COMFORT:** Ed Luttmann, Elroy Stellhorn, Larry Ebers, Bob Carnahan, Dennis Deterding, Rhonda Schaefer, James Ratz; *Family and Friends of St. John's Members:* Lori Voges, Doug Whelan, Bob Rothley, Bruce Schneider, Michelle Dillon, Terry Heller, Dave Steffan, Alvin Buss, Shelbie Ratz. *Help us keep this list current!*

**MILITARY:** (*Please call with names.*) Army- Casey Vallett, Tanner Valleroy, Nathan Koen, Tim Healy, Jacob Adams, Donald Roberts, Matthew Kraus, Paul Craft, Jr., Austin Scheibe, Trevor Buckner, Jessica DeMarco, Benjamin Boeder, Christopher Dupertius, Garrett Carnahan, Tyler Wahlman, Gavin Roche-Voss, Joshua Cox; Navy- Brad Koester, Carl Muehler; Air Force- Gage Baldwin, Brian Hubbard, Jason Nehrt, Curt Hatten, Terry Koester, David Livingston, Matt Sabo, Ryan Kozarich; Marines-Alex Renner, Cody Koch, Tailor Neuhaus, Josh Butterworth, Keenan Turnure

**EMERGENCY PERSONNEL:** Fire/EMS- Tom Beshoar, Kevin Biffar, Chad Crafton, Steven Falkenhain, Chad Grohmann, Curt Guebert, Scot Heller, Blake Koppel, Chad Langrehr, Kenny Langrehr, Matt Liefer, Kevin Miller, Alan Piel, Jason Rippelmeyer, Brad Stechmesser, Mike VanDorn; Police- Abigail Brundage, Ralph Sievers, Chris Hewitt, Nick Mounts, Jason Palm, Doug Brennan (*Please call our office with names*)

+thanksgiving for the birth of a daughter to James and Jamie (Schaefer) Ratz on June 14

+thanksgiving for our fathers, especially those who have raised us in the Christian faith

+blessings upon the wheat harvest, safety in the fields this week, rain for the coming crops

**OFFERTORY:** pages 159-160

**What shall I render to the Lord for all His benefits to me?**

**I will offer the sacrifice of thanksgiving and will call on the name of the Lord.**

**I will take the cup of salvation and will call on the name of the Lord.**

**I will pay my vows to the Lord now in the presence of all His people,  
in the courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Jerusalem.**

**SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT:** page 160ff.

### Preface

P The Lord be with you. C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts. C **We lift them to the Lord.**

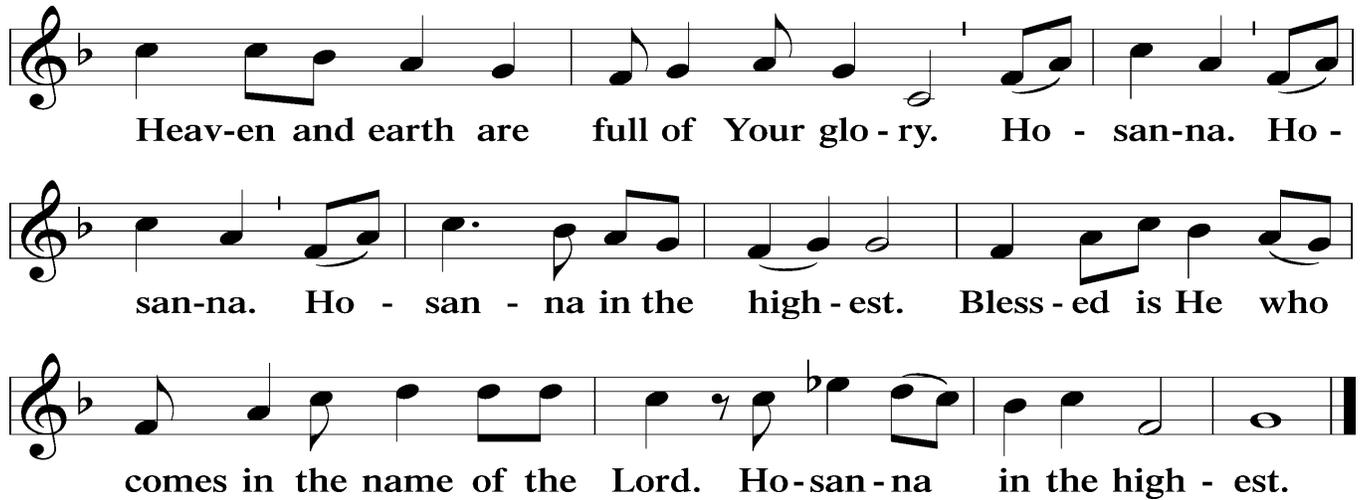
P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. C **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

### Proper Preface

It is truly good, 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 on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting 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

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might:



Heav-en and earth are full of Your glo-ry. Ho-san-na. Ho-san-na. Ho-san-na in the high-est. Bless-ed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high-est.

### Prayer of Thanksgiving

Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross. Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **C Amen.**

### Lord's Prayer, the Words of Our Lord and the Pax Domini

P Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

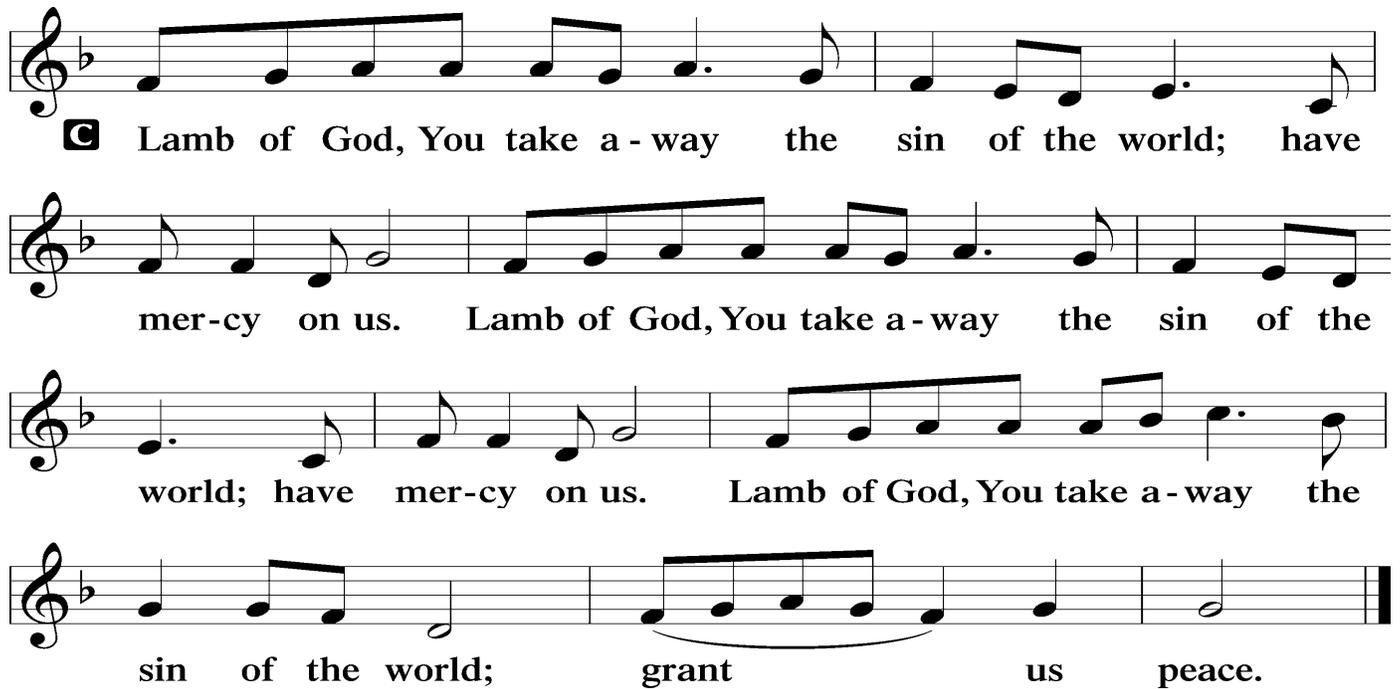
**C Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

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."

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

### Agnus Dei

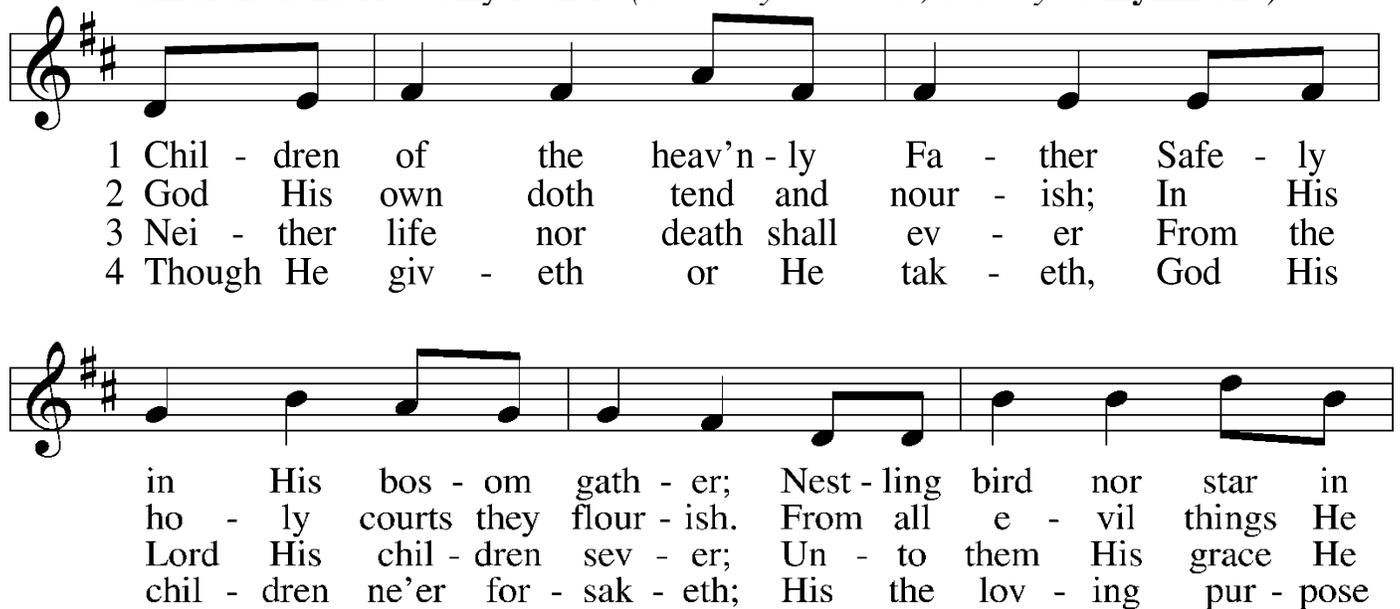


Lamb of God, You take a - way the sin of the world; have  
 mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a - way the sin of the  
 world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a - way the  
 sin of the world; grant us peace.

**DISTRIBUTION HYMNS:** (*please be seated*)

(Lord Jesus, I pray You to make me, unworthy as I am, worthy through Your grace; so that Your body and Your blood may be for me a strengthening of my faith, a proof of my forgiveness, a closer union with You and Your people, an increase of holiness, the basis of a glad resurrection, and a pledge of my everlasting life. Amen.)

“Children of the Heavenly Father” (*Saturday as a duet; Sunday as Hymn 725*)



1 Chil - dren of the heav'n - ly Fa - ther Safe - ly  
 2 God His own doth tend and nour - ish; In His  
 3 Nei - ther life nor death shall ev - er From the  
 4 Though He giv - eth or He tak - eth, God His

in His bos - om gath - er; Nest - ling bird nor star in  
 ho - ly courts they flour - ish. From all e - vil things He  
 Lord His chil - dren sev - er; Un - to them His grace He  
 chil - dren ne'er for - sak - eth; His the lov - ing pur - pose



heav - en      Such a ref - uge      e'er was      giv - en.  
 spares them;      In His might - y      arms He      bears them.  
 show - eth,      And their sor - rows      all He      know - eth.  
 sole - ly      To pre - serve them      pure and      ho - ly.

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### 862 "Oh, Blest the House"



1 Oh,      blest the house, what - e'er      be - fall,      Where Je - sus  
 2 Oh,      blest that house where faith      is found      And all in  
 3 Oh,      blest the par - ents who give heed      Un - to their  
 4 Oh,      blest that house; it pros - pers      well.      In peace and  
 5 Then here will      I and mine to - day      A sol - emn



Christ is all in all!      A home that is not whol - ly  
 hope and love a - bound;      They trust their God and serve Him  
 chil - dren's fore - most need      And wea - ry not of care or  
 joy the par - ents dwell,      And in their chil - dren's lives is  
 prom - ise make and say:      Though all the world for - sake His



His—      How sad and      poor and dark it is!  
 still      And do in      all His ho - ly will!  
 cost.      May none to      them and heav'n be lost!  
 shown      How rich - ly      God can bless His own.  
 Word,      I and my      house will serve the Lord!

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### 820 "My Soul, Now Praise Your Maker"



1 My soul, now praise your Mak - er! Let all with - in me  
 2 He of - fers all His trea - sure Of jus - tice, truth, and  
 3 For as a ten - der fa - ther Has pit - y on His  
 4 His grace re - mains for - ev - er, And chil - dren's chil - dren



bless His name Who makes you full par - tak - er Of  
 righ - teous - ness, His love be - yond all mea - sure, His  
 chil - dren here, God in His arms will gath - er All  
 yet shall prove That God for - sakes them nev - er Who



mer - cies more than you dare claim. For - get Him not whose  
 yearn - ing pit - y o'er dis - tress; Nor treats us as we  
 who are His in child - like fear. He knows how frail our  
 in true fear shall seek His love. In heav'n is fixed His



meek - ness Still bears with all your sin, Who heals your ev - 'ry  
 mer - it But sets His an - ger by. The poor and con - trite  
 pow - ers, Who but from dust are made. We flour - ish like the  
 dwell - ing, His rule is o - ver all; O hosts with might ex -



weak - ness, Re - news your life with - in; Whose grace and  
 spir - it Finds His com - pas - sion nigh; And high as  
 flow - ers, And e - ven so we fade; The wind but  
 cel - ling, With praise be - fore Him fall. Praise Him for -



care are end - less And saved you through the past; Who  
 heav'n a - bove us, As dawn from close of day, So  
 through them pass - es, And all their bloom is o'er. We  
 ev - er reign - ing, All you who hear His Word— Our



leaves no suf - f'rer friend - less But rights the wronged at last.  
 far, since He has loved us, He puts our sins a - way.  
 with - er like the grass - es; Our place knows us no more.  
 life and all sus - tain - ing. My soul, O praise the Lord!

*Please stand if you are able.*

**POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE:** “Thank the Lord” page 164



**C** Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev-'ry-one what He has done.



Let all who seek the Lord re - jice and proud-ly bear His name.



He re-calls His prom-is - es and leads His peo-ple forth in joy



with shouts of thanks-giv-ing. Al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia.

**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 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.**

**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.**

**CLOSING HYMN: 715 “Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me”**



1 Je - sus, Sav - ior, pi - lot me O - ver life's  
2 As a moth - er stills her child, Thou canst hush  
3 When at last I near the shore And the fear -



tem - pes - tuous sea; Un - known waves be - fore me roll,  
the o - cean wild; Bois - t'rous waves o - bey Thy will  
ful break - ers roar Twixt me and the peace-ful rest,



pass come from Thee. Je - sus, Sav - ior, pi - lot me.  
 'reign of the sea, Je - sus, Sav - ior, pi - lot me.  
 Thee say to me, "Fear not, I will pi - lot thee."



Hid - ing rock and treach - 'rous shoal. Chart and com -  
 When Thou say'st to them, "Be still!" Won - drous Sov -  
 Then, while lean - ing on Thy breast, May I hear

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### **THE POSTLUDE: "Fugue in E Minor"**

*by J.S. Bach*

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### ***This Week With Our Lord, June 20-27, 2021***

#### **SUNDAY, June 20- Happy Father's Day!**

8:00 a.m. Divine Service with Holy Communion

9:30 a.m. Summer Sunday School in new gym

9:30 a.m. Adult Bible Classes in the Fellowship Hall

10:30 a.m. Divine Service (Alternative)

#### **Monday, June 21- Jessica is out of the office on vacation this week**

7:00 p.m. Church Council meeting in the Fellowship Hall

#### **Tuesday, June 22-**

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Quilting in the Fellowship Hall

1:30 p.m. Lutheran Holy Communion Service at Garden Place

#### **Wednesday, June 23-**

9 a.m. to Noon Quilting in the Fellowship Hall

1:30 a.m. Office Staff meeting

7:30 p.m. Bible Class in the Fellowship Hall (2<sup>nd</sup> Samuel)

#### **Thursday, June 24-**

8:10 a.m. Bible Class in the Fellowship Hall (Ezekiel)

1 p.m. Meet in the church parking lot for the Sight Ministries Center

#### **Saturday, June 26-**

5:00 p.m. Divine Service Acolyte: Olivia Candler

#### **SUNDAY, June 27-**

8:00 a.m. Divine Service Acolyte: Jack Kennedy

9:30 a.m. Adult Bible Classes in the Fellowship Hall

9:30 a.m. Summer Sunday School in new gym

10:30 a.m. Divine Service with Holy Communion Acolyte: Emme Deterding

Noon Senior Youth Farewell and Welcome at Ratz Park

4 p.m. Look for our church, school & daycare staff in the Firemen's parade!

**OUR RESPONSE TO THE GOSPEL LAST WEEK:**

Worship: 257; Holy Communion: 75; Adults/Youth: NR Sunday School: 8

**WE GIVE THEE BUT THINE OWN, WHATE'ER THE GIFT MAY BE:**

We join with one another in the grace of giving. 6/13- General Fund: \$8,987; VBS: \$50; School: \$45; Debt: \$500; Automatic Giving: \$5,790. *Bring the full tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in My house. And thereby put Me to the test, says the LORD of hosts, if I will not open the windows of heaven for you and pour down for you a blessing until there is no more need.*” (Malachi 3:10)

**THE LUTHERAN HOUR:**

God is above all, but that doesn't mean material "stuff" is somehow beneath Him. Dr. Michael Zeigler talks about the unique nature of Christian spirituality. Listen to “Clearly Christian: Spiritual” (Genesis 1:31) on KFUE AM 850 Sunday at 12:30 & 5 p.m. (Bott Christian Radio on Sundays 8 a.m. on KSIV 1320AM or 91.5FM).

**FLOWERS IN THE CHANCEL:**

To have flowers in worship please call the office at 282-3873 to notify the committee and to have proper thanks in the bulletin of those donating.

**SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL INFORMATION:**

We are holding Summer Sunday School in the school's main lobby for students four years old up to finishing grade seven. We will start at 9:30 a.m. and end 10:10 a.m. The wearing of a mask is up to parents' discretion. Opportunities to volunteer are available by contacting DCE Bill Becker.

**CONGRATULATIONS:**

God has blessed James and Jamie (Schaefer) Ratz with the birth of their daughter, Shelbie Christine, on Monday, June 14 at Mercy Hospital in St. Louis. She joins her older brother Carson at home. Thanks be to God for His gift of new life in the birth of a child!

**SUMMER SINGERS:**

“Do you like to sing? I invite everyone to take part in our “Summer Singers” group! We will sing for the following Sunday services: June 20<sup>th</sup> (8 AM); July 11<sup>th</sup> (10:30 AM); July 18<sup>th</sup> (8 AM), and August 1<sup>st</sup> (10:30 AM). We will meet a half an hour before each service in the balcony to practice the song. The songs we will sing are simple, most likely unison, but we can add some part-singing if there is interest. Children and youth are welcome to come sing too!! Let me know if you are interested!” *Mrs. Lindsey Hudak*

**GOD'S GIFT OF A NEW PASTOR:**

Rev. Brian Nowak will be installed as Pastor of St. John in Baldwin on July 4, 3 p.m. (meal following) and as Associate Pastor of St. John's in Red Bud in the 10:30 a.m. service on Sunday, July 11 (reception following in our Fellowship Hall). He will first preach for us in the Saturday, July 17 service and again on the weekend of July 31-August 1.

**NEW SECRETARY IN THE OFFICE:**

On Monday, July 19 Leslie (Langrehr) Froemling will begin work in St. John's office as our Pastoral Administrative Assistant. She is a former member of St. John's and the daughter of Ken and Lori Langrehr. She is replacing Julie Ratz who retired on June 15.

**CALLING FOR WORSHIP GREETERS:**

Our Board of Elders wants to resume our practice of greeters for our worship services. Whether you have done this in the past or would be new to this ministry service, Pastor would like to hear from you. Please call or email him if you are willing to serve St. John's in this way.

**SIGHT MINISTRY CENTER:**

We meet at 1 p.m. in our church parking lot on Thursday, June 24 to travel to the Sight Ministry Center in Baldwin.

**SENIOR YOUTH:**

Our Senior Youth members will have one meeting over the summer (June/July). It will be their new member welcome and senior adios party. This will take place on Sunday, June 27, noon, at Lions Park Pavilion.

**NURSE NEEDED FOR DAYCARE HELP:**

St. John's Lutheran Daycare is seeking an Illinois licensed nurse to do a voluntary walk through in the facility once a month for reporting purposes. If you are interested, please contact Amanda at 618-282-3873 ext. 224 or [amandaf@stjohnsredbud.org](mailto:amandaf@stjohnsredbud.org). Thank you!

**EVENING GUILD NEWS:**

**Evening Guild** will be making potato salad for the Fireman's' Picnic on Friday, June 25. We are looking for anyone and everyone to come peel and slice potatoes at the school kitchen at 9 a.m. We appreciate any and all help. LWML Summer Quarterlies are available to be picked up in the narthex of church. **Missing from church kitchen:** Two drink dispensers used for lemonade and iced tea. Please return to church kitchen.

**CPH SUMMER READING PROGRAM:**

This is a summer reading program that is all about Jesus. It encourages kids to read all summer so they build vocabulary and comprehension skills while learning more about their Savior. It runs from June 1<sup>st</sup> through August 13. Any books children read will earn them points. If they log 1,000 points by August 13, they will be entered in for a chance to win awesome prizes. For more information, please grab a flier from the Media Board in the school lobby.

**CHURCH WEEK AT RURAL KING:**

Thank you to everyone who participated in Rural King (Waterloo) Church Week. Ten percent of the receipts you submitted earned St. John's \$129.56!

**PARISH NURSE NOTE: (from LCMS *Better Health*)**

*Till (an early) Death Do Us Part-* Research suggests that single people are more likely than married people to follow a regular exercise routine. A poll by the Department of Health found that only 27% of adults questioned met the recommended 150 minutes of physical activity per week, and of those polled, 76% of the men and 63% of the women were married. Researchers suggest that less exercise among married people may be the result of "letting themselves go" as they become more comfortable with their spouse.

**THANKS** to Stanley Langrehr for his painting work in our school parking lot!

**LUTHERAN BIBLE TRANSLATORS:**

Copies of a Daily Bible Reading Guide are in the entryway. This week's readings are: June 20<sup>th</sup>- Micah 7:8-20; June 21<sup>st</sup>- Romans 9:1-18; June 22<sup>nd</sup>- Romans 9:19-10:4; June 23<sup>rd</sup>- Romans 10:5-21; June 24<sup>th</sup>- Romans 11:1-12; June 25<sup>th</sup>- Romans 11:13-24; June 26<sup>th</sup>- Romans 11:25-36.

**THE PRAYER CHAIN:**

Vickie Heller is our Prayer Chain Coordinator. To serve in the Prayer Chain or if you have a prayer request, please contact her at 618/521-7417 or dvheller@htc.net. Call our office to add someone to our worship prayers. *Confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective (James 5:16).*

**PRAY FOR OUR FAMILY OF FAITH AT:**

Red Bud Care Center: Larry Ebers, Wilma Wagner, Jody Winkelmann; Waterloo Garden Place- Alice Smith; Ruma R&R- Fern Schnepel, Willard Uffelmann; Waterloo Magnolia Terrace- June Lawrence; Cedarhurst Memory Care, Waterloo- Cecelia Lautenschlaeger, Elda Seders; Columbia Convalescent- David Burgdorf

**PRAY FOR OUR FAMILY OF FAITH AT GARDEN PLACE:**

Margaret Hanebutt, Dorothy Heizer, Omer/Neva Liefer, Orville Liefer, Doris Mueller, Vernon/Evelyn Muench, Lorine Reinhardt, Paul Schrieber, Gloria Stellhorn, Wilma Stellhorn, Norma Vogt, Arlin/Helen Winkelman

**PRAY FOR OUR FAMILY OF FAITH CONFINED IN-HOME:**

Robert Burgdorf, Kathryn Chunn, Don/Betty Fausz, Lou Ann Gerlach, Willie Guebert, Nancy Holmstrom, Kenneth/Geri Koester, Donald Kueker, Joyce Lopez, Ed Luttmann, Jean Menke, Edna Moeller.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!:**

6/20- Rebecca Stamm, Maverick Cowell; 6/21- Rick Stenzel, Clara Nebel; 6/22- Barbara Moeller, Danielle Conway; 6/23- Alice Smith, Donald Kueker, Randy Klausung, Amy Mulherin, Sue Todaro, Shannon Horrell, Michael Notter, Colton Liefer, Hayden Albert; 6/24- Jennifer Schweizer, Jeniffer Tepe, Becky Guebert, Tracie Jones, Tiffany Henry; 6/25- Don DeRousse, Ron Kunkelmann, Butch Stellhorn, Brent Moeller, Jack Richards; 6/26- Eunice Snyder, Cliff Crafton, Jordyn Lehr, Benjamin Heller. *Please call the office for corrections!*

**KFUO AM 850 LUTHERAN RADIO:**

KFUO Radio, AM850 & **kfu.org**, a media ministry extension of LCMS congregations, shares Christ for you on AM850 & **kfu.org** via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. You can find programs on demand at **kfu.org** and wherever you get podcasts! Find us on social media @KFUO.org, Facebook, **Twitter**, and **Instagram**. This week on KFUO and kfu.org: Worship with us in Daily Chapel services weekdays at 10:00 a.m., study Jeremiah 21-24 on Sharper Iron's "A Time to Destroy and a Time to Build" (weekdays at 8 a.m.), and study 2<sup>nd</sup> Kings 14-18 on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11 a.m.). Find these programs on demand at [kfu.org](http://kfu.org), the KFUO Radio app, or wherever you get your podcasts!

**LIFE THOUGHTS:** *(from Lutherans for Life)* [www.lutheransforlife.org](http://www.lutheransforlife.org)

Godly fathers protect, preserve and provide (Psalm 124:1-6; Job 38:4, 8-11). Godly fathers do not suggest their daughters abort surprise pregnancies. Godly fathers do not stand by and let the mothers of their children make life-ending choices. Godly fathers do not keep silent as a culture of selfishness threatens their loved ones. Godly fathers speak truth and show love and share life!

**ELDER ZONES FOR 2021:** (Chairman, Eric Fritsche)

Zone 1: D. Adams thru R. Collins- Elder Eric Fritsche (618/410-5989)

Zone 2: S. Conboy thru D/K Grohmann- Elder Larry Gielow (618/830-4689)

Zone 3: N/E Grohmann thru R/K Herriman- Elder Jacob Arbeiter (618/615-1108)

Zone 4: R. Herriman thru T/E Krick- Elder Adam Guebert (618/920-2403)

Zone 5: Wil/Martha Krick thru Janel Maes- Elder David Reinhardt (618/967-7967)

Zone 6: Pat Malik thru Lanie Pensoneau- Elder Gerald Hanebutt (618/317-4574)

Zone 7: A/A Piel thru Don Schrader- Elder Mike DeRousse (618/719-7024)

Zone 8: J/D Schrader thru B/C Turner- Elder Kevin Guebert (618/973-4356)

Zone 9: D/K Uffelmann thru Doug Zschiegner- Elder Kirk Liefer (618/559-7950)

**ISSUES, ETC.:**

Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week's topics include: What I Wish My Non-Lutheran Family Knew about the Word of God, The Nativity of John the Baptist, The Movie "Cruella," LGBTQ+ Pride Month and more. Tune in weekdays from 3-5 p.m. on KFUE 850 AM or listen at [issuesetc.org](http://issuesetc.org), the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

**CHRISTIAN MUSIC CDs AVAILABLE:**

+St. John's member Joan Voges offers music CDs from her Lilyfields Collection to us for a donation to our school's ministry. You can pick up copies from the table in the Fellowship Hall.

+Former St. John's member Bryan Perdue has a new CD of music available called, "Freely Given Freely Received." This, plus a few of his earlier CDs also are available on the table in the Fellowship Hall for a \$10 donation to our congregation's debt reduction.

**LIFELINE SCREENING:**

Do you have high cholesterol or high blood pressure? Have members of your family suffered from these ailments? Do you have a poor diet? If you answer "yes" to any of these questions, you may want to consider being screened through the services of LifeLine Screening. LifeLine Screening uses ultrasound technology to view the plaque build-up in your carotid arteries, the main arteries that carry blood to the brain. Blockages in these arteries are a leading cause of stroke. We are pleased to host this LifeLine Screening event on 7/23/2021 at St John's Lutheran Church. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from

\$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call 1-888-653-6441 or visit

[www.lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle](http://www.lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle) or text the word circle to 797979

**VITAE FOUNDATION PRO-LIFE EVENT:**

This year's Vitae Foundation Southern Illinois Pro-Life Event is Tuesday, July 13, at Four Points by Sheraton, 319 Fountains Pkway, Fairview Heights. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. with dinner and program at 7 p.m. The cost for the dinner is \$50 (\$15 tax deductible). Registrations may be made by calling Vitae at 573-634-4316, online at [www.vitaefoundation.org](http://www.vitaefoundation.org), or by sending a check or money order to Vitae Foundation, 1731 Southridge Dr., Suite D, PO Box 791, Jefferson City, MO 65109. The featured speaker will be Will Witt, a national news and media personality. He uses his unique brand of political comedy and cultural insight to influence the next generation via digital platforms.

**UPCOMING LUTHERAN OLDER ADULT RETREAT:**

This coming Oct. 20th (Wed) & 21st (Thurs), 2021, the Southern Illinois & Missouri Districts of the LCMS will host the 19th Lutheran Older Adult Retreat at the Pere Marquette Lodge & Conference Center in Grafton. The theme will be "20/20 Perfect Cross-Eyed Vision. ("Cross Eyed" simply means that our Eyes are focused on the Cross of Christ!). Dr. Richard Bimler, expert on aging & humor, will be our Keynote Speaker. More information to come!

**CHRIST OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL- 618-853-7300**

**Math & Science Teacher Wanted:** Position available for part-time Math and Science teacher at *COS* starting in August. Contact the school for more details.

***COS* Trap Team:** The *COS* Trap Shooting Team will have a BBQ fundraiser on June 26 from 10:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Come and purchase a meal to go from the *COS* team in the Red Bud IGA parking lot.

**Annual Rummage Sale:** Our annual rummage sale will be July 16 & 17. Donations of clean, saleable items may be brought in during office hours starting June 28. If you need someone to pick up your items, please contact us to make those arrangements.

**Band Instructor Wanted:** Position available for part-time band instructor at *COS* starting in August 2021. Contact the school for more details.

**Registration for 2021-2022 is open!** If you have a student or know someone who will be high school age during the 2021-2022 school year, encourage them to consider Christ Our Savior Lutheran High school. Call 853-7300 to schedule a private tour. Learn more and download a registration form from our website, [www.coslhs.org](http://www.coslhs.org). Financial aid based on need is available.

**Office Hours:** Summer office hours will be Monday-Thursday, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.; Fridays 9:00 a.m.- noon.

**The mission of Christ Our Savior Lutheran High School is to provide a Christ-centered and academically excellent education.**

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 Matthew Foster, Principal, Christ Our Savior Lutheran High, 853-7300

Faculty and Staff

Preschool – Cindy Steele  
 Kindergarten – Betty Schmitz; Aide – Patty Schnepel  
 First Grade – Rachel Miller Second Grade – Rebekah Liefer  
 Third Grade – Stephanie Valleroy  
 Fourth Grade – Cindy Nebel (Before/After School Care)  
 Fifth Grade – Darlene Letcher Resource Teacher – Lara Vause  
 Sixth Grade Homeroom (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>) – Doreen Schnepel  
 Seventh Grade Homeroom (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>) – Nancy Whelan  
 Eighth Grade Homeroom and Athletic Director (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>) – Justin Palm  
 Custodians – Wil Krick and Bob Schramm Cooks – Jill Gross and Marilyn Oettle

Day Care

Amanda Falkenhain, Director; Kellie Shields, Assistant Director; Lisa Quinn, Ashley Brittingham, Megan Diercks, Jennifer Pfannebecker, Nicole Kadlec, Patty Brewer, Kristi Martel, Courtney Schoenbeck, Brittney Eichholz, Pam Henry, Eileen Seibold, Christy Deterding, Melissa Schilling, Kaleigh Johnston, Amy Williams, and Geraldine Thompson

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Serving Us in Worship Today

Preacher: Seminarian Wade Waterstreet Liturgist: Pastor Mark Nebel  
 Organist and Choir Director: Mrs. Lindsey Hudak  
 Guitarist: (5 p.m.) John Kellerhouse; (10:30 a.m.) Jonathan Hudak  
 Greeters: (5 p.m.) Virginia and Mark Moeller; (8 a.m.) ; (10:30 a.m.)  
 Acolytes: (5 p.m.) Christine Liefer; (8 a.m.) Sam Roscow; (10:30 a.m.) Addelyn Rahn  
 Video: Eric Fritsche Communion Cloths: Lynn Langrehr  
 Flower Servers: Alice Guebert and Becky Biffar Paraments: Ella Hemmer

*(5 p.m. and 8 a.m.)* **The Apostles' Creed: page 159**

**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.**

*The 5 p.m. & 8 a.m. services end with the Lord's Prayer, a Closing Prayer, and Benediction.*

**P** Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

**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.**

### **CLOSING COLLECT**

Pastor: O God, from whom come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works, give to us, Your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey Your commandments and also that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may live in peace and quietness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **People: Amen.**

### **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.**

### **CLOSING HYMN:**

**THE POSTLUDE: “”** *arranged by*

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