

**CALAMUS LUTHERAN PARISH**

**Our Savior's Lutheran Church**

**8:00 a.m.**

**Faith Lutheran Church**

**9:30 a.m.**

**Time after Pentecost**

**June 23, 2013**

**Welcome in Jesus' name.**

Please consider using the prelude as a time for meditation and silent prayer. This is the ideal time for quiet preparation, as we come to worship God.

Prelude

Ringling of the Bell

Welcome and Announcements

During this morning's worship service, an *Order for Healing* will be offered. This is a brief and ancient ritual used within the Christian Church around the world. At the appointed time, you are invited to come forward to knee (if able) and receive anointing with oil. In this ritual, we plead to God for healing – personal healing, healing on behalf of a friend or loved one, and healing on behalf of our broken world.

**HOLY COMMUNION**

***Evangelical Lutheran Worship***

***(\* Please stand if you are able)***

**CHILDREN'S SERMON** - Pastor Sarah Kretzmann

**\*OPENING HYMN: *For by Grace You Have Been Saved*** – Hymn 598

**WORD**

**P:** The Holy Gospel according to Saint Luke, the eighth chapter.

**C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

**Gospel: Luke 8:26—39**

Then they arrived at the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. As he stepped out on land, a man of the city who had demons met

him. For a long time he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me"-- for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.) Jesus then asked him, "What is your name?" He said, "Legion"; for many demons had entered him. They begged him not to order them to go back into the abyss.

Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding; and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So he gave them permission. Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned.

When the swineherds saw what had happened, they ran off and told it in the city and in the country. Then people came out to see what had happened, and when they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they were afraid. Those who had seen it told them how the one who had been possessed by demons had been healed. Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them; for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned. The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but Jesus sent him away, saying, "Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you." So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

**C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

**SERMON** – Pastor Sarah Kretzmann

*Silence for reflection*

**\*HYMN OF THE DAY: *Baptized and Set Free*** – Hymn 453

## **ORDER FOR HEALING**

P: Father in heaven, for Jesus' sake, send your Holy Spirit upon\_\_\_\_\_; drive away all sickness of body and spirit; mend that which is broken; deliver him/her from the power of evil; and preserve him/her in true

faith, that they may be assured of the power of Christ's forgiveness of sins and resurrection of the dead.

**Response: Amen**

**\*PEACE**

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

**C: And also with you.**

**MEAL**

**OFFERING**

**PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS**

**\*OFFERTORY PRAYER**

P: Let us pray.

**C: God of mercy and grace, the eyes of all wait upon you, and you open your hand in blessing. Fill us with good things at your table, that we may come to the help of all in need, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and Lord. Amen**

**\*WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**\*LORD'S PRAYER**

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.**

**COMMUNION** (*continuous Communion*)

**Hymns Sung During Distribution:**

**Hymn 525: *You Are Holy***

**Hymn 483: *Here Is Bread***

**Hymn 492: *Eat This Bread, Drink this Cup***

**Hymn 496: *One Bread, One Body***

**\*POST COMMUNION BLESSING**

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

**C: Amen**

## **\*POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

P: Let us pray.

O God, as a mother comforts her child, so you comfort your people, carrying us in your arms and satisfying us with this food and drink, the body and blood of Christ. Send us now as your disciples, announcing peace and proclaiming that the reign of God has come near; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C: Amen**

## **SENDING**

### **\*BLESSING**

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord's face shine upon you with grace and mercy.

The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

**C: Amen**

**\*SENDING SONG: *Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness* – Hymn**  
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### **\*DISMISSAL:**

P: Go in peace. Proclaim the good news.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

Ring of the Bell

Postlude

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<b>Organist:</b>	Jason Bousselot
<b>Altar Ministry:</b>	Faith: Doreen Henning, Ashley Steffens
<b>Greeter:</b>	Faith: Rusty Porth
<b>Acolyte:</b>	Our Savior's: Riley Bruns
	Faith: Karragan Whitman (CA), Kale Whitman
<b>Communion Assistant:</b>	Faith: Andrea Shelton
	Our Savior's: Deb Detlefs
<b>Ushers:</b>	Our Savior's: Mark Olson, Dan Burke, Sherry Lahann, Tait Steines
	Faith: Hal Shelton, Eric Sands, Diane Sievers, Lonnie Sievers
<b>Cleaners:</b>	Our Savior's: Darin & Skye Doerscher Paul & Carla Olson

**Holy Communion is celebrated today.** All who are baptized into Christ Jesus are invited forward to receive Holy Communion. Those not communing may come forward to receive a blessing. Communion will be continuous. Please proceed forward at the direction of the ushers. White grape juice is available during Holy Communion. Please indicate to the Assisting Minister if this is your preference.

**Welcome to our guests and visitors.** We are glad to have you worship with us this morning. Thank you for worshipping with us; please come back to worship with us again.

**Those to keep in prayer this week:** For the family of Julie Dieckmann Hutchins, who died this week; For all those who are ill: Skye Doerscher, Kristi Reed, Candice Ogden, Richard Johnson, Claire Wallace, Julie Coopman, Nancy Schebler, Tom Wright, Caleb May, Josie Watham, Alex Luedtke, Nancy Ramige, Signe Rock, Myrtle Koslofsky, Florence Petersen, Evelyn Stueland and Myrna Kay Petersen; For Austin Miller, Christopher Holmes, Jeremy Koch, Brian Holmes and all others serving in the military.

**Parish Photo Directory:** A hard copy of the Calamus Lutheran Parish Photo Directory will be available upon request at a cost of \$6.00. This fee covers the per copy cost for printing. Please submit your name and \$6.00 to Terri Boussetot prior to August 31<sup>st</sup> to order a hard copy of the directory.

**Free Items:** Two items are available for free on a first come – first serve basis. They will be placed on the table outside of Jeannene's office door until July 31<sup>st</sup>. If not adopted by that time, they will be disposed.

1. A used parish printer which copies and scans, but does not fax.
2. A used phone

**We need more baskets for the 2013 Faith Church Basket Raffle!** Approximately 35 baskets are ready to go – but last year we had over 90!! **Can you help?** The raffle will be Saturday, July 13 in conjunction with Calamus Fun Days. In the vestibule at Faith Church, I have volunteer sign-up sheets for helpers at the raffle that day. All help is greatly appreciated. We need to keep donated baskets coming in that need

wrapping. Remember to drop them off at Faith. If you need basket ideas, please call me at 563-212-3352. If you would rather donate money for the raffle, please give it to Jeannene at the church office now. We will not have time to shop for items the week of the raffle. Dawn Dosland, Basket Raffle Chairwoman

**This Week At A Glance**

Today	8:00 a.m. -	Worship Service at Our Savior's Church
	9:30 a.m. -	Worship Service at Faith Church
Sunday	8:00 a.m. -	Worship Service at Our Savior's Church
	9:30 a.m. -	Worship Service at Faith Church

**Our Savior's:**

Worship Attendance, June 16 ..... 55

**Faith:** Worship Attendance, June 16 ..... 57

Offering, Sunday, June 16..... \$1,130.00

Needed Weekly to Meet Budget ..... \$1,808.00

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