

**CALAMUS LUTHERAN PARISH**

**Our Savior's Lutheran Church**

**8:00 a.m.**

**Faith Lutheran Church**

**10:30 a.m.**

**Time after Pentecost**

**October 23, 2016**

Prelude

Ringling of the Bell

Welcome and Announcements

**HOLY COMMUNION**

*Evangelical Lutheran Worship, Setting 7, page 175*

**CHOIR:** "Just a Little Talk with Jesus" by Cleavant Derricks

**\*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, the only Sovereign, who dwells in light; Christ Jesus, who came to save sinners; the Holy Spirit, who lives within us.

**C: Amen.**

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.  
*Silence is kept for reflection.*

P: God of overflowing grace,

**C: we come to you with repentant hearts. Forgive us for shallow thankfulness. Forgive us for passing by the ones in need. Forgive us for setting our hopes on fleeting treasures. Forgive us our neglect and thoughtlessness. Bring us home from the wilderness of sin, and strengthen us to serve you in all that we do and say; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

P: There is joy in heaven over every sinner who repents. By the grace of God in Christ Jesus, who gave himself up for us all, your sins are forgiven and you are made free. Rejoice with the angels and with one another! We are home in God's mercy, now and forever.

**C: Amen.**

**GATHERING**

**\*GATHERING SONG: "You Are Mine" – Hymn 581**

**\*GREETING**

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C: And also with you.**

\***♪KYRIE: "Lord, have mercy on us..."** – Pages 175—176

\***♪HYMN OF PRAISE: "Gloria, gloria, gloria..."** pages 176—177

**\*PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Holy God, our righteous judge, daily your mercy surprises us with everlasting forgiveness. Strengthen our hope in you, and grant that all the peoples of the earth may find their glory in you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C: Amen.**

**WORD**

**First Reading: Jeremiah 14:7—10; 19—22**

L: A reading from Jeremiah.

Although our iniquities testify against us,  
act, O LORD, for your name's sake;

our apostasies indeed are many,  
and we have sinned against you.

O hope of Israel,

its savior in time of trouble,

why should you be like a stranger in the land,  
like a traveler turning aside for the night?

Why should you be like someone confused,  
like a mighty warrior who cannot give help?

Yet you, O LORD, are in the midst of us,  
and we are called by your name;

do not forsake us!

Thus says the LORD concerning this people:

Truly they have loved to wander,  
they have not restrained their feet;

therefore the LORD does not accept them,  
now he will remember their iniquity

and punish their sins.

Have you completely rejected Judah?

Does your heart loathe Zion?

Why have you struck us down  
so that there is no healing for us?  
We look for peace, but find no good;  
for a time of healing, but there is terror instead.  
We acknowledge our wickedness, O LORD,  
the iniquity of our ancestors,  
for we have sinned against you.  
Do not spurn us, for your name's sake;  
do not dishonor your glorious throne;  
remember and do not break your covenant with us.  
Can any idols of the nations bring rain?  
Or can the heavens give showers?  
Is it not you, O LORD our God?  
We set our hope on you,  
for it is you who do all this.

L: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 84:1—7**

How lovely is your dwelling place,  
O LORD of hosts!

**My soul longs, indeed it faints  
for the courts of the LORD;  
my heart and my flesh sing for joy  
o the living God.**

Even the sparrow finds a home,  
and the swallow a nest for herself,  
where she may lay her young,  
at your altars, O LORD of hosts,  
my King and my God.

**Happy are those who live in your house,  
ever singing your praise.**

Happy are those whose strength is in you,  
in whose heart are the highways to Zion.

**As they go through the valley of Baca  
they make it a place of springs;  
the early rain also covers it with pools.**

They go from strength to strength;  
the God of gods will be seen in Zion.

## **Second Reading: 2 Timothy 4:6—8; 16—18**

L: A reading from 2 Timothy.

As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

At my first defense no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

L: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**\*♫GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: "Alleluia, alleluia, ..." – page 179**

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

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

## **Gospel: Luke 18:9—14**

He also told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: "Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.' But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted."

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

**CHILDREN'S SERMON** – Pastor William Runaas, Jr.

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*(Please remain seated for the hymn)*

**HYMN OF THE DAY: "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"** – Hymn 631

**\*CONFESSION OF FAITH – APOSTLES' CREED**

P: Using the words of the Apostles' Creed, let us confess our holy faith:

**C: 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 from the dead.**

**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 catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen**

**\*THE PRAYERS** (*Each petition ends: P: Lord, in your mercy,  
C: hear our prayer.*)

**\*PEACE**

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C: And also with you.**

**MEAL**

**OFFERING**

**PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS**

### **\*OFFERTORY PRAYER**

P: Let us pray.

**C: Merciful God, as grains of wheat scattered upon the hills were gathered together to become one bread, so let your church be gathered together from the ends of the earth into your kingdom, for yours is the glory through Jesus Christ, now and forever. Amen.**

### **\*GREAT THANKSGIVING – pages 180—181**

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 our thanks and praise.**

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

**C: ♪ "Holy, holy, holy, Lord..." – page 181**

### **\*WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

#### **\*THE 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.**

### **INVITATION TO COMMUNION**

P: Take hold of the life that really is life.

Come, take your place at the table.

### **COMMUNION**

**♪ "O Lamb of God..." – pages 182—183**

**Hymns sung during distribution:**

**Hymn 679: "For the Fruit of All Creation"**

**Hymn 606: "Our Father, We Have Wandered"**

**\*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.

We come again to you, O God, giving you thanks that in this feast of mercy you have embraced us and healed us, making us one in the body of Christ. Go with us on our way. Equip us for every good work, that we may continue to give you thanks by embracing others with mercy and healing; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C:Amen.**

**SENDING**

**\*BLESSING**

P: God Almighty send you light and truth to keep you all the days of your life.

The hand of God protect you;  
the holy angels accompany you;  
and the blessing of almighty God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be with you now and forever.

**C: Amen**

**\*SENDING SONG: "Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer" – Hymn 618**

**\*DISMISSAL:**

P: Go in peace. Remember the poor.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

Ring of the Bell

Postlude

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**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. Gluten-free wafers and white grape juice are available during Holy Communion. Please indicate to the Assisting Minister if this is your preference.

<b>Organist:</b>	Our Savior's:	Jason Bousselot
<b>Pianist:</b>	Faith:	Rachel Bousselot
<b>Altar Ministry:</b>	Faith:	Terri and Dave Bousselot
<b>Greeter:</b>	Faith:	Ruth Braet
<b>Acolyte:</b>	Our Savior's:	Riley Bruns
	Faith:	Brayden Williams
<b>Lector:</b>	Our Savior's:	Dan Burke
	Faith:	Ruth Braet
<b>Communion Assistant:</b>		
	Our Savior's:	Deb Detlefs
	Faith:	Terri Bousselot
<b>Ushers:</b>	Our Savior's:	Brian Bousselot, Joe Morehead
	Faith:	David Bousselot, Terri Bousselot, Garrette Perrone, Hannah Perrone
<b>Cleaners:</b>	Our Savior's:	Dan and Cindy Burke

**Welcome to our guests and visitors.** We are happy to have you worship with us this morning. We invite you to return and worship with us again.

There is a **"cry room"** available in the back of each church, if you would like to make use of the accommodations.

**Those to keep in prayer this week:** George Tulley, Dennis Pewe, Ken Meier, Will Wade, Chris Forret, Dan Montgomery, Mary Ann Washburn Stuedemann, Lauren Dudley, Ethan Friedrich, Scott Fisher, Elizabeth Goddard, Scott McConnell, Vicki Sharp; For the homebound: Hazel Richards, Ron Gasper, Alice Schroeder, Florence Petersen, Geri Schutt, Joel Olson, Bob Barnard and Myrna Kay Petersen; and for Emily Olive, preparing for a 9—11 month deployment to Kuwait.

**The second of two First Communion classes will be held Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at Faith Church.**

**Confirmation Class** meets on Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. at Faith Church.

**Meryne Henning will host Naomi Circle** this Friday, October 28 at 10:00 a.m. at Grand Haven, 201 E. Franklin, Eldridge. Please bring a sack lunch.

If you are wanting to contact Pastor Bill, please use his cell phone number: 319-231-5262. Thank you.



**Sunday, November 6, the Christian Church celebrates “All Saints Sunday.”** On this day, we remember with thanksgiving those saints who have gone before us. At our baptism, God made us saints, as well, and wrapped us in the pure, white robes of eternal life. **There is a sign-up sheet in both churches to add the names of those dear to you who have died since November 1, 2015.** Or you may phone the names in to the church office (246-2622).

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Reformation Sunday, October 30  
8:00 Worship – Our Savior's Church  
9:25 Sunday School, God Squad and Adult Class at Faith Church  
10:30 Worship – Faith Church  
First Communion Celebration at Faith and Our Savior's  
Pancake and Sausage Brunch follows  
10:30 Worship at Faith Church

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**Trick or Trunk! October 31 – 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. –  
Faith Church  
Soup & Sandwich Supper sponsored by the God Squad**

### **This Week At A Glance**

Today	8:00 a.m. -	Worship Service at Our Savior's
	9:25 a.m. -	Sunday School/GS/AC at Faith Church
	10:30 a.m. -	Worship Service at Faith Church
Tuesday	6:30 p.m. -	First Communion Class at Faith Church
Wednesday	6:00 p.m. -	Confirmation Class at Faith Church
Friday	10:00 a.m. -	Naomi Circle at Meryne Henning's
Sunday:	8:00 a.m. -	Worship Service at Our Savior's
	9:25 a.m. -	Sunday School/GS/AC at Faith Church
	10:30 a.m. -	Worship Service at Faith Church
	11:30 a.m. -	Pancake/Sausage Brunch at Faith Church

#### **Our Savior's:**

Worship Attendance, October 16..... 34

#### **Faith:**

Worship Attendance, October 16..... 37

Offering, October 16..... \$904.00

Needed Weekly to Meet Budget ..... \$2,182.00

Sunday School Attendance, October 16 ..... N/A

God Squad Attendance, October 16..... N/A

Adult Class Attendance, October 16..... 12

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