

**CALAMUS LUTHERAN PARISH**

**Our Savior's Lutheran Church**

**8:00 a.m.**

**Faith Lutheran Church**

**9:30 a.m.**

**Time after Pentecost**

**June 25, 2017**

**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. 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.

Prelude

Ringing of the Bell

Welcome and Announcements

**HOLY COMMUNION**

*With One Voice – Setting 5, page 28*

(\* Please stand if you are able)

**\*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

**P:** Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, abounding in steadfast love toward us, healing the sick and raising the dead, showering us with every good gift.

**C: Amen.**

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

**P:** Just and gracious God,

**C: we come to you for healing and life. Our sins hurt others and diminish us; we confess them to you. Our lives bear the scars of sin; we bring these also to you. Show us your mercy, O God. Bind**

**up our wounds, forgive us our sins, and free us to love, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.**

P: The apostle Paul assures us: "When we were dead in our trespasses, God made us alive together with Christ, nailing the record of our sins to the cross." Jesus says to you, "Your sins are forgiven." Be at peace, and tell everyone how much God has done for you.

**C: Amen.**

## **GATHERING**

**\*GATHERING SONG: "We Were Baptized in Christ Jesus"-**  
Blue WOV Hymn 698

### **\*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.**

**\*🎵 HYMN OF PRAISE: "Glory to God..." – Blue WOV pages 29-30**

### **\*PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Let us pray.

Teach us, good Lord God, to serve you as you deserve, to give and not to count the cost, to fight and not to heed the wounds, to toil and not to seek for rest, to labor and not to ask for reward, except that of knowing that we do your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C: Amen.**

## **WORD**

**First Reading: Jeremiah 20:7-13**

L: A reading from Jeremiah.

O LORD, you have enticed me,  
and I was enticed;

you have overpowered me,  
and you have prevailed.  
I have become a laughingstock all day long;  
everyone mocks me.  
For whenever I speak, I must cry out,  
I must shout, "Violence and destruction!"  
For the word of the LORD has become for me  
a reproach and derision all day long.  
If I say, "I will not mention him,  
or speak any more in his name,"  
then within me there is something like a burning fire  
shut up in my bones;  
I am weary with holding it in,  
and I cannot.  
For I hear many whispering:  
"Terror is all around!  
Denounce him! Let us denounce him!"  
All my close friends are watching for me to stumble.  
"Perhaps he can be enticed,  
and we can prevail against him,  
and take our revenge on him."  
But the LORD is with me like a dread warrior;  
therefore my persecutors will stumble,  
and they will not prevail.  
They will be greatly shamed,  
for they will not succeed.  
Their eternal dishonor  
will never be forgotten.  
O LORD of hosts, you test the righteous,  
you see the heart and the mind;  
let me see your retribution upon them,  
for to you I have committed my cause.  
Sing to the LORD;  
praise the LORD!  
For he has delivered the life of the needy

from the hands of evildoers.

L: The Word of Lord.

**C:Thanks be to God.**

### **Psalm 69:7-10, 16-18**

It is for your sake that I have borne reproach,  
that shame has covered my face.

**I have become a stranger to my kindred,  
an alien to my mother's children.**

It is zeal for your house that has consumed me;  
the insults of those who insult you have fallen on me.

**When I humbled my soul with fasting,  
they insulted me for doing so.**

Answer me, O LORD, for your steadfast love is good;  
according to your abundant mercy, turn to me.

**Do not hide your face from your servant,  
for I am in distress--make haste to answer me.**

Draw near to me, redeem me,  
set me free because of my enemies.

### **Second Reading: Romans 6:1-11**

L: A reading from Romans.

What then are we to say? Should we continue in sin in order that grace may abound?

By no means! How can we who died to sin go on living in it? Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life.

For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. For whoever has died is freed from sin. But if we have died with Christ, we believe that

we will also live with him. We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. The death he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

L: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

\* **♩ GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: "Alleluia, Lord..."** –

Blue WOV page 31

P: The Holy Gospel according to Saint Matthew, the tenth chapter.

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

### **Gospel Matthew 10:24-39**

"A disciple is not above the teacher, nor a slave above the master; it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher, and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household!

"So have no fear of them; for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered, and nothing secret that will not become known. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light; and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground apart from your Father.

And even the hairs of your head are all counted. So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows.

"Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven; but whoever denies me before others, I also will deny before my Father in heaven. "Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace,

but a sword.

For I have come to set a man against his father,  
and a daughter against her mother,  
and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law;  
and one's foes will be members of one's own household.

Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me;  
and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me;  
and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it.

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

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

**SERMON** – Pastor William Runaas, Jr.

*(Congregation please remain seated for the hymn)*

**HYMN OF THE DAY: "Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus" –**

Red ELW Hymn 802

**\*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 Christ be with you always.  
**C: And also with you.**

## **MEAL**

**OFFERING**

**PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS**

**OFFERTORY** – ♪"Let the vineyards be fruitful, Lord..." –  
Blue WOV page 35

**\*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.**

**\*GREAT THANKSGIVING** - Blue WOV page 36

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, salutary, that we should at all times and in all places offer thanks and praise ...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

C: ♪ "Holy, holy, holy Lord..." - Blue WOV page 36

## **\*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.**

### **\*INVITATION TO COMMUNION**

P: Christ invites you to a place of honor at this banquet.  
Welcome to the feast.

## **COMMUNION**

♪ "Lamb of God..." – Blue WOV page 39

### **Hymns Sung During Distribution:**

Blue WOV Hymn 770: "I Was There to Hear Your Borne Cry"

Blue WOV Hymn 777: "In the Morning When I Rise"

### **\*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 CANTICLE – ♪ "Thankful hearts..." –**

Blue WOV page 40



## **\*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: "Day by Day" – Blue WOV Hymn 728**

### **\*DISMISSAL:**

P: Go in peace. Proclaim the good news.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

Ring of the Bell

Postlude

Alternate Worship Texts: *Sundays & Seasons*, copyright ©2017 Augsburg Fortress

**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.

**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:** For Ron Voss, Yogi Braet, Lonny Sievers, Craig Henning, June Reimers, Janice Berger, Andrea Shelton, Nan Anderson, Monique Bachelder, George and Joyce Tulley, Dennis Pewe, 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: Bus Seastrand, Hazel Richards, Ron Gasper, Alice Schroeder, Geri Schutt, Bob Barnard and Myrna Kay Petersen; and for Brian Holmes, grandson of Clara Wilhelm, who is serving his third deployment to Mosul, Iraq.

There is an Our Savior's congregation meeting on July 16th after service to discuss a handicap chair lift.

**Wednesday Worship Services**

July 12<sup>th</sup>

at 6:30 at Our Savior's Church

July 19<sup>th</sup>

at 6:30 at Faith Church

**Calamus Fun Days Basket Raffle**

Sign-up sheets for helpers will be in the narthex at Faith and on the table in the back of the sanctuary at Our Savior's.

**Come one, come all to the  
Parish Picnic on June 25th at the Boussetot pond.**

There will be games and fishing starting at 4:00 with the meal at 6:00. Bring your own meat to grill and a dish to share. Lemonade and water will be provided. Ask a friend to come along and join in the fun and fellowship!

Go South past Our Savior's to the first gravel road. Turn right (West) on 265th Street. Turn left (South) on 178th Avenue. Turn right (West) on 280th Street. Continue through the "S" curve. The pond is at the first place on the left.

- Organist:** Our Savior's: Jason Boussetot  
**Pianist:** Faith: Rachel Boussetot  
**Altar Ministry:** Faith: Terri and David Boussetot  
**Greeter:** Faith: Andrea Shelton  
**Acolytes:** Our Savior's: Chase Knoche and Courtney Knoche  
Faith: Ryan Dick  
**Lectors:** Our Savior's: Mark Olson  
Faith: Andrea Shelton  
**Communion Assistant:**  
Our Savior's: Deb Detlefs  
Faith: Dirk Braet  
**Ushers:** Our Savior's: Art Boussetot, Mark Olson  
Faith: Diane Sievers, Lonny Sievers,  
Brittany Hoffman, Erick Hoffman  
**Cleaners:** Our Savior's: Dan and Cindy Burke

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

**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  
                     4:00 p.m. - Parish Picnic at Boussetot Pond

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 18, 2017.....19

**Faith:**

Worship Attendance, June 18, 2017.....43

Offering, June 4, 2017.....\$1,490.00

Offering, June 18 to Meet Budget.....\$2,182.00

---

Calamus Lutheran Parish Church Office.....246-2622

Pastor's Office.....246-2558

Pastor William Runaas, Jr. Cell Phone.....319-231-5262

Pastor William Runaas, Jr. Email Address.....clparishpastor@fbcom.net

Church Email Address.....clparish@fbcom.net

Church Web Site.....www.clparish.org

---