

**CALAMUS LUTHERAN PARISH**

**Our Savior's Lutheran Church**

**8:00 a.m.**

**Faith Lutheran Church**

**9:30 a.m.**

**Time after Pentecost**

**July 21, 2019**

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**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

Ring of the Bell

Welcome and Announcements

**HOLY COMMUNION**

*Setting: "Now the Feast and Celebration" and  
"Service of the Word" (ELW page 211)*

**GATHERING**

(\* *Indicates to please stand as you are able.*)

**\* CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

**P:** Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God,  
who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

**C: Amen.**

**P:** Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, 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.

**C: Amen.**

P: Gracious God,

**C: Have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

P: God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

**C: Amen.**

**\* GATHERING HYMN: “Dearest Jesus, at Your Word”**

– Hymn 520

**\* 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** (next page)

## Refrain

*Congregation:*

Now the feast and cel - e - bra - tion,  
all of cre - a - tion sings for joy  
to the God of life and love and  
free - dom: praise and glo - ry for ev -  
er - more!

## Verse 1

*Congregation or Congregation 1:*

1. Now is the feast of the Lamb once  
slain, whose blood has freed and u -  
nit-ed us to be one great peo - ple of  
God. *to Refrain*

## Verse 2

*Congregation or Congregation 2:*

2. Pow - er and rich-es, wis - dom and  
might, all hon - or and glo - ry to Christ  
for ev - er. *to Refrain*

## Verse 3

*Congregation:*

3. For God has come to dwell with us, to  
make us peo - ple of God; to make  
all things new. *to Refrain*

## \* PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Eternal God, you draw near to us in Christ, and you make yourself our guest. Amid the cares of our lives, make us attentive to your presence, that we may treasure your word above all else, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C: Amen.**

*You may be seated.*

## WORD

### Old Testament Reading: Amos 8:1-12

L: A reading from Amos.

This is what the Lord GOD showed me—a basket of summer fruit. <sup>2</sup> He said, “Amos, what do you see?” And I said, “A basket of summer fruit.” Then the LORD said to me,

“The end has come upon my people Israel;

I will never again pass them by.

<sup>3</sup> The songs of the temple shall become wailings in that day,” says the Lord GOD;

“the dead bodies shall be many,  
cast out in every place. Be silent!”

<sup>4</sup> Hear this, you that trample on the needy,  
and bring to ruin the poor of the land,

<sup>5</sup> saying, “When will the new moon be over  
so that we may sell grain; and the sabbath,  
so that we may offer wheat for sale?

We will make the ephah small and the shekel great,  
and practice deceit with false balances,

<sup>6</sup> buying the poor for silver  
and the needy for a pair of sandals,  
and selling the sweepings of the wheat.”

<sup>7</sup> The LORD has sworn by the pride of Jacob:  
Surely I will never forget any of their deeds.

<sup>8</sup> Shall not the land tremble on this account,  
and everyone mourn who lives in it,  
and all of it rise like the Nile, and be tossed about  
and sink again, like the Nile of Egypt?

<sup>9</sup> On that day, says the Lord GOD,  
I will make the sun go down at noon,  
and darken the earth in broad daylight.

<sup>10</sup> I will turn your feasts into mourning,

and all your songs into lamentation;  
I will bring sackcloth on all loins,  
and baldness on every head;  
I will make it like the mourning for an only son,  
and the end of it like a bitter day.  
<sup>11</sup> The time is surely coming, says the Lord GOD,  
when I will send a famine on the land;  
not a famine of bread, or a thirst for water,  
but of hearing the words of the LORD.  
<sup>12</sup> They shall wander from sea to sea, and from north to  
east;  
they shall run to and fro, seeking the word of the LORD,  
but they shall not find it.

L: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

### **Psalm 52**

Why do you boast, O mighty one,  
of mischief done against the godly?

All day long

**<sup>2</sup> you are plotting destruction.**

**Your tongue is like a sharp razor,  
you worker of treachery.**

<sup>3</sup> You love evil more than good,  
and lying more than speaking the truth.

**<sup>4</sup> You love all words that devour, O deceitful tongue.**

<sup>5</sup> But God will break you down forever;  
he will snatch and tear you from your tent;  
he will uproot you from the land of the living.

**<sup>6</sup> The righteous will see, and fear,  
and will laugh at the evildoer, saying,**

<sup>7</sup> “See the one who would not take refuge in God,  
but trusted in abundant riches, and sought refuge in wealth!”

<sup>8</sup> **But I am like a green olive tree in the house of God.**

I trust in the steadfast love of God forever and ever.

<sup>9</sup> **I will thank you forever,  
because of what you have done.**

**In the presence of the faithful  
I will proclaim your name, for it is good.**

**\* GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

*Congregation:*

Al-le-lu - ia, al-le-lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we  
go? You have the words of e - ter - nal  
life. Al - le - lu - ia!

*Optional Repeat*

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

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

**\* Gospel: Luke 10:38-42**

Now as they went on their way, he entered a certain village,  
where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home.

<sup>39</sup> She had a sister named Mary, who sat at the Lord’s feet and  
listened to what he was saying. <sup>40</sup> But Martha was distracted by  
her many tasks; so she came to him and asked, “Lord, do you

not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me.”<sup>41</sup> But the Lord answered her, “Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; <sup>42</sup> there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her.”

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

*You may be seated.*

**CHILDREN’S SERMON** – Pastor Bill (Noisy Offering)

**SERMON** – Pastor Bill

*You may remain seated for the hymn.*

**HYMN OF THE DAY: “O Christ, Your Heart,  
Compassionate”** – Hymn 722

**\* CONFESSION OF FAITH**

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, God's 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. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come 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.**

**\* PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

*(Each petition ends: P: Hear us, O God.*



**C: Your mercy is great.)**

**\* PEACE**

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

**C: And also with you.**

*Greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace and be seated.*

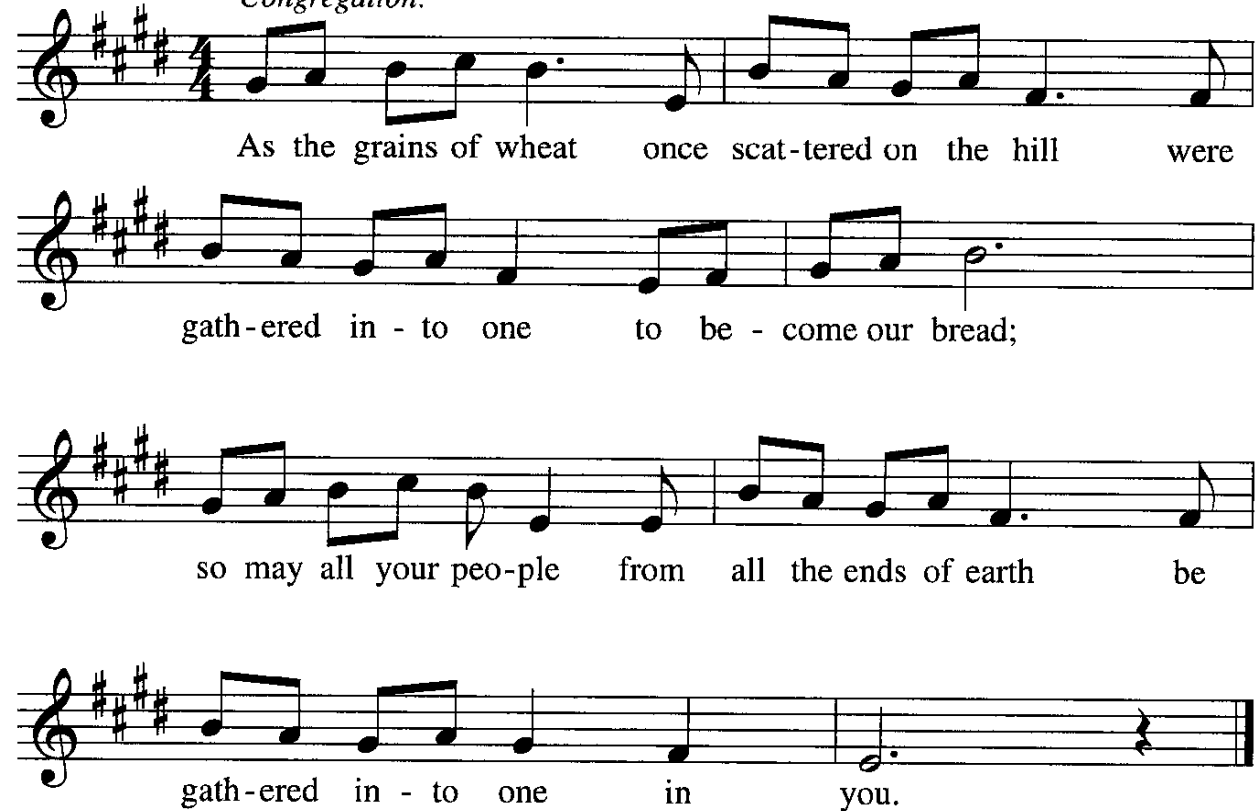
**MEAL**

**OFFERING**

**PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS**

**\* OFFERTORY**

**Refrain**  
*Congregation:*



As the grains of wheat once scat-tered on the hill were  
gath-ered in - to one to be - come our bread;  
so may all your peo-ple from all the ends of earth be  
gath-ered in - to one in you.

Verses

1. As this cup of bless - ing is shared with - in our midst  
 2. Let this be a fore - taste of all that is to come when  
*to Refrain*

may we share the pres - ence of your love.  
 all cre - a - tion shares this feast with you.

**\* OFFERTORY PRAYER**

P: Blessed are you, O God,

**C: for the greening earth given for all, for the talents we are given to share, and for this bread and wine. Transform us to be the body of Christ, that, feasting on this food and drink, our lives may reflect your generosity; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**\* GREAT THANKSGIVING**

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 God 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 and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ; who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the

hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn.

*Congregation:*

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly are you, God of pow - er and  
might; Heav - en and earth are filled with your  
glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est!  
Bless - ed is the One who comes in your name. Ho -  
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est!

### \* 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; 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: Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, gives everyone a place at the welcome table. Alleluia! Come to the feast.

*You may be seated.*

## COMMUNION

*All who are baptized into Christ Jesus are invited forward to receive Holy Communion. Those not communing may come forward to receive a blessing. 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.*

SERVICE MUSIC

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Lamb of God

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, grant us peace.

Music: *Bread of Life*, Jeremy Young, b. 1948  
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### Sung During Distribution:

“O Jesus, Joy of Loving Hearts” – Hymn 658

### \* 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

*Congregation:*



1. Praise to you, O God of mer - cy:  
2. From of old you loved and sought us:

Thanks be to you for ev - er! Rais - ing high the  
Thanks be to you for ev - er! Truth and jus - tice

weak and low - ly: Thanks be to you for ev - er!  
you have taught us: Thanks be to you for ev - er!

Strong is your faith - ful-ness, strong is your  
love, re - mem - b'ring your cov-e-nant of  
life with us. 3. Praise to you, O  
God of mer - cy: Thanks be to you for ev - er!

Rais - ing high the weak and low - ly: Thanks be to you for  
ev - er! Thanks be to you for ev - er!

**\* POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

P: O God, in this holy communion you have welcomed us into your presence, nourished us with words of mercy, and fed us at your table. Amid the cares of this life, strengthen us to love you with all our hearts, serve our neighbors with a willing spirit, and honor the earth you have made; through Christ our Lord.

**C: Amen.**

**SENDING**

**\* BLESSING**

P: Live your lives in Christ, rooted and built up in him, and abound in thanksgiving; and the blessing of the holy Trinity, one God, be upon you and remain with you forever.

**C: Amen.**

**\* SENDING HYMN: “The Lord Now Sends Us Forth”**

– Hymn 538

**\* DISMISSAL**

P: Go in peace. Christ is sending you.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

Ring of the Bell

Postlude

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**Those to keep in prayer this week:** Ruth Braet, Dale Jacobs, Darcy Aune, Ellen Bauer, Glenda Oldaker, Bus Seastrand, Michele Scheper, Everette Kerres, Chance Dexter, Bruce Aune, Kelly Meyer, Donna Ploog, Joyce McCutcheon, Colleen Clausen Olson, Christian Bousset, Barb Johnson, June Reimers, Andrea Shelton, George Tulley, Ethan Friedrich and Vicki Sharp; for the homebound: Oscar Shelton, Norman

Bousselot, Hazel Richards, Ron Gasper, Geri Schutt and Myrna Kay Petersen.

**Pastor:** Rev. William Runaas, Jr.

**Organist:** Our Savior's: Jason Bousselot or Linda Whitman

**Pianist:** Faith: Rachel Bousselot

**Altar Ministry:** Hal and Andrea Shelton

**Greeter:** Faith: Mark Witte

**Acolytes:** Our Savior's Noelle Steines

Faith: Cheyanne Katzenburger

**Lectors:** Our Savior's: Joe Morehead

Faith: Yale Christensen

**Communion Assistants:** Our Savior's: Dan Burke

Faith: Yale Christensen

**Ushers:** Our Savior's: Joe Morehead

Faith: Yale Christensen, Hal Shelton,

Pat Grau, Alan Lee

**Cleaners:** Our Savior's: Brain Bousselot and Mary Timmerman

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

#### **Week starting July 21**

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

### **School Supply Drive**

God Squad is coordinating a school supply drive. A list with suggested items is on the table at the back of each church.

All school supplies will be shared with Cal/Wheat Schools and the Carroll Assistance Center in Wheatland.

Put donated items in the baskets at each church by the end of July.

It is time to prepare **baskets** for the annual community fundraiser at Oktoberfest in Calamus on Saturday, October 12.

Baskets, containers, and items to go in the baskets are needed. You may also give a monetary donation for supplies.

Please contact Mary Timmerman or Andrea Shelton with any questions. Thank you.

**Teen Game Night**  
Friday, Aug 9; 6:00 - 8:00 at Faith  
God Squad members are encouraged to invite guests.  
NOTE: God Squad members meet at 5:00 for planning.  
God Squad will host this event on the second Friday of each month.  
Donations of snacks are welcome.

**Our Savior's** Worship Attendance, July 14, 2019.....

**Faith** Worship Attendance, July 14, 2019.....33

**Faith** Offering, July 14, 2019.....  
\$961.00

Needed weekly to meet budget.....\$2,182.00

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