

CALAMUS LUTHERAN PARISH

Faith Lutheran Church

8:00 a.m.

Our Savior's Lutheran Church

10:30 a.m.

Time after Pentecost

September 29, 2019

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: “Immortal, Invisible,
God Only Wise” – ELW 834**

*** 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 two pages)*

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: O God, rich in mercy, you look with compassion on this troubled world. Feed us with your grace, and grant us the treasure that comes only from you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

You may be seated.

WORD

Old Testament Reading: Jeremiah 32:1-3,6-15

L: A reading from Jeremiah.

The word that came to Jeremiah from the LORD in the tenth year of King Zedekiah of Judah, which was the eighteenth year of Nebuchadnezzar. ² At that time the army of the king of Babylon was besieging Jerusalem, and the prophet Jeremiah was confined in the court of the guard that was in the palace of the king of Judah, ³ where King Zedekiah of Judah had confined him. Zedekiah had said, “Why do you prophesy and say: Thus says the LORD: I am going to give this city into the hand of the king of Babylon, and he shall take it;

Jeremiah said, The word of the LORD came to me: ⁷ Hanamel son of your uncle Shallum is going to come to you and say, “Buy my field that is at Anathoth, for the right of redemption by purchase is yours.” ⁸ Then my cousin Hanamel came to me in the court of the guard, in accordance with the word of the LORD, and said to me, “Buy my field that is at Anathoth in the land of Benjamin, for the right of possession and redemption is yours; buy it for yourself.” Then I knew that this was the word of the LORD.

⁹ And I bought the field at Anathoth from my cousin Hanamel, and weighed out the money to him, seventeen shekels of silver. ¹⁰ I signed the deed, sealed it, got witnesses, and weighed the money on scales. ¹¹ Then I took the sealed deed of purchase, containing the terms and conditions, and the open copy; ¹² and I gave the deed of purchase to Baruch son of Neriah son of Mahseiah, in the presence of my cousin Hanamel, in the presence of the witnesses who signed the deed of purchase, and in the presence of all the Judeans who were sitting in the court of the guard. ¹³ In their presence I charged Baruch, saying, ¹⁴ Thus says the Lord of hosts, the God of Israel: Take these deeds, both this sealed deed of purchase and this open

deed, and put them in an earthenware jar, in order that they may last for a long time. 15 For thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel: Houses and fields and vineyards shall again be bought in this land.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 91:1-6,14-16 (responsively)

You who live in the shelter of the Most High,
who abide in the shadow of the Almighty,

**² will say to the LORD, “My refuge and my fortress;
my God, in whom I trust.”**

**³ For he will deliver you from the snare of the fowler
and from the deadly pestilence;**

**⁴ he will cover you with his pinions,
and under his wings you will find refuge;
his faithfulness is a shield and buckler.**

**⁵ You will not fear the terror of the night,
or the arrow that flies by day,**

**⁶ or the pestilence that stalks in darkness,
or the destruction that wastes at noonday.**

Those who love me, I will deliver;

I will protect those who know my name.

¹⁵ When they call to me, I will answer them;

I will be with them in trouble,

I will rescue them and honor them.

**¹⁶ With long life I will satisfy them,
and show them my salvation.**

New Testament Reading: 1 Timothy 6:6-19

L: A reading from 1 Timothy.

First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for everyone, ² for kings and all who are in high positions, so that we may lead a

quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and dignity. ³ This is right and is acceptable in the sight of God our Savior, ⁴ who desires everyone to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. ⁵ For there is one God;

there is also one mediator between God and humankind,
Christ Jesus, himself human,

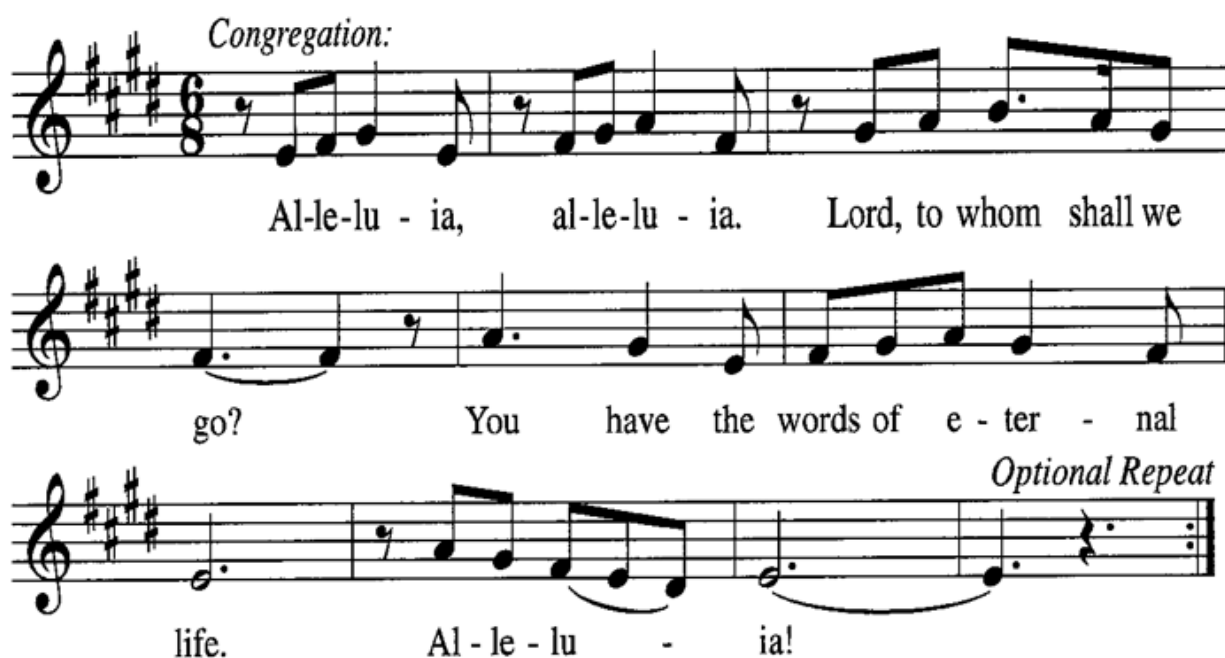
⁶ who gave himself a ransom for all
—this was attested at the right time. ⁷ For this I was appointed a herald and an apostle (I am telling the truth, I am not lying), a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

* 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 sixteen.

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

*** Gospel Luke 16: 19-31**

“There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. ²⁰ And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, ²¹ who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man’s table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. ²² The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. ²³ In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. ²⁴ He called out, ‘Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames.’ ²⁵ But Abraham said, ‘Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. ²⁶ Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us.’ ²⁷ He said, ‘Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father’s house— ²⁸ for I have five brothers—that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment.’ ²⁹ Abraham replied, ‘They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them.’ ³⁰ He said, ‘No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.’ ³¹ He said to him, ‘If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead.’”

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

You may be seated.

CHILDREN’S SERMON – Pastor Bill

SERMON – Pastor Bill

You may remain seated for the hymn.

**HYMN OF THE DAY: “My God, How
Wonderful Thou Art” – ELW 863**

*** 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: Lord in your mercy,
C: hear our prayer.)*

*** 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

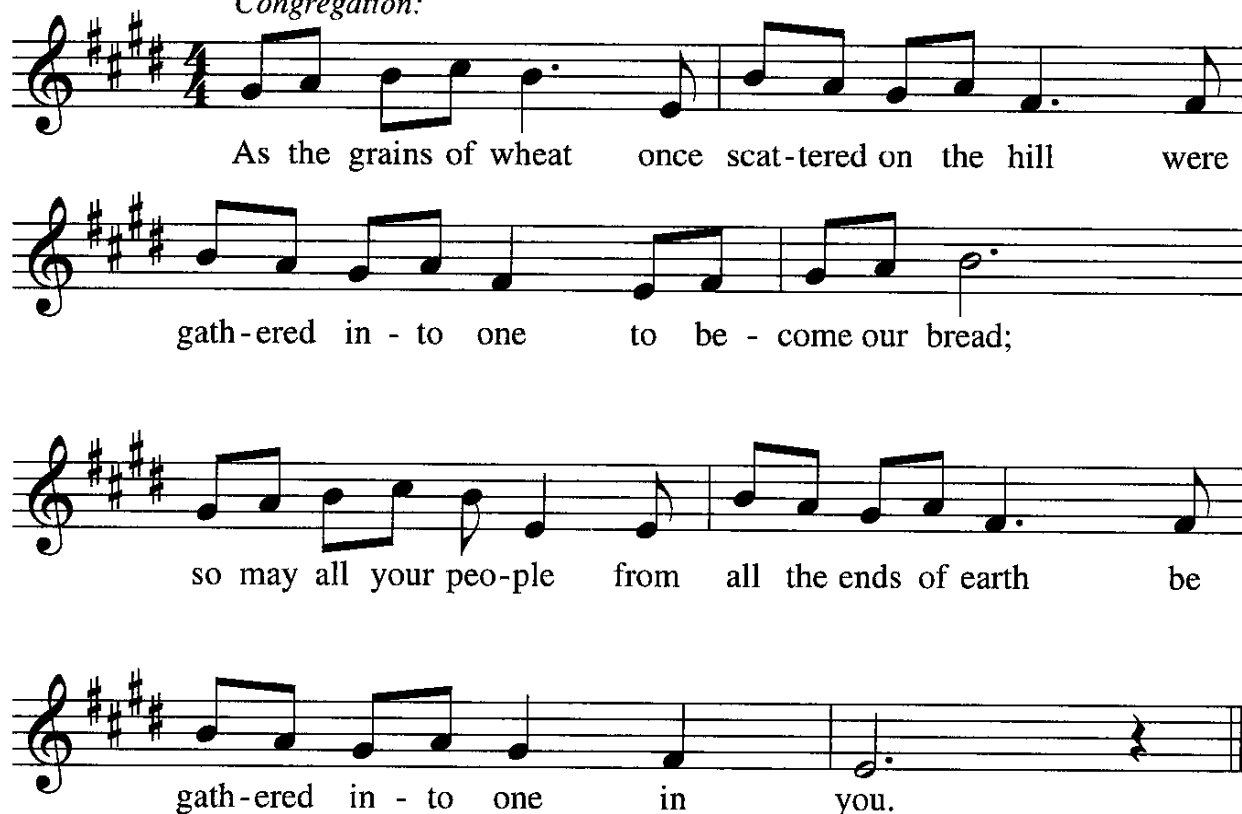
OFFERING

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

* OFFERTORY *(next page)*

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: God our provider,

C: we bring nothing into this world and we can take nothing out of it. Accept the gifts you have first given us, which we bring to your table, and with them the offering of our lives. Nourish us now with the life that really is life, revealed to us in Jesus Christ, our Savior and 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; 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: Jesus welcomes sinners and eats with them.

Come, take your place at the feast.

You may be seated.

SERVICE MUSIC

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Lamb of God

The musical score is written on four staves in treble clef with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The melody is simple and hymn-like. The lyrics are written below the notes.

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

Sung During Distribution: “Let Us Break Bread Together”

– ELW 471

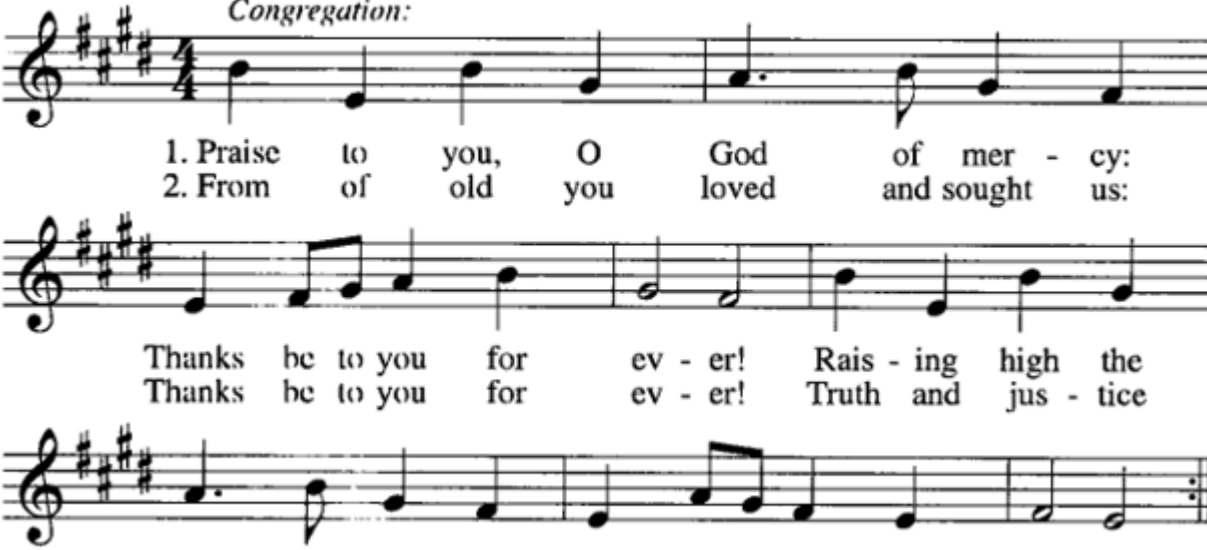
* POST COMMUNION BLESSING

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!



*** POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

P: God of blessing, at this table we have seen you face to face and in the gift of Christ's body and blood, our hearts have been refreshed. Send us now to shine with your goodness and bear witness to the one we have received: Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

SENDING

*** BLESSING**

P: May God bless and keep us. May God's face shine on us and be gracious. May God look on us with favor and give us peace.

C: Amen.

*** SENDING HYMN: “Holy God, We Praise Your Name”**

– ELW 414

*** DISMISSAL**

P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord

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, Donna Ploog, Joyce McCutcheon, Colleen Clausen Olson, Christian Boussetot, Barb Johnson, June Reimers, George Tulley, Ethan Friedrich and Vicki Sharp; for the homebound: Lucy Lee Petersen, Rusty Porth, Ed Meadows, Oscar Shelton, Norman Boussetot, Hazel Richards, Ron Gasper, Geri Schutt and Myrna Kay Petersen.

There is **Sunday School** today at 9:25 at Our Savior’s. If you are age 3 or older, there is a class for you!

Pastor: Rev. William Runaas, Jr.

Organist: Our Savior’s: Jason Boussetot or Linda Whitman

Pianist: Faith: Rachel Boussetot

Altar Ministry: Brian and Deb Tulley family

Greeter: Faith: S.S. Class

Acolytes: Our Savior’s: Ryan Olson

Faith: Alena Wilhelm

Lectors: Our Savior’s: Joe Morehead

Faith: Heather Whitman

Communion Assistants: Our Savior’s: Cindy Burke

Faith: Andrea Shelton

Ushers: Our Savior’s: Brian Boussetot

Faith: Diane Sievers, Lonny Sievers,

Ryan Dick, Eric Hoffmann

Cleaners: Our Savior’s: Shane and Amy Glover

This Week At A Glance

Week starting September 29

Sunday	8:00 a.m. – Worship Service at Faith
	9:25 a.m. – Sunday School/Confirmation at Our Savior's
	10:30 a.m. – Worship Service at Our Savior's
Tuesday	9:00 a.m. – Coffee & a Little Jesus at Heather Grau
Wednesday	6:00 p.m. – Confirmation at Faith
Sunday	8:00 a.m. – Worship Service at Faith
	9:25 a.m. – Sunday School/Confirmation at Our Savior's
	10:30 a.m. – Worship Service at Our Savior's
	Noon – God Squad Meeting at Our Savior's

Thank You

for all those that donate to the Clinton County Crop. We raised over \$600. If you would still like to donated contact Heather Grau at 563-424-0507

CROP Hunger Walk All are welcome to participate in the as part of the Calamus Lutheran Parish team on Sunday, October 6. At 10:30 at St. Paul's United Methodist Church in Grand Mound.

God Squad is the Junior High and High School Youth Committee within Calamus Lutheran Parish. It is a place for youth of the church to connect with other Christian youth and experience different ways to support Jesus' ministry with each other and our community. The group will meet at noon on Sunday, October 6, at Our Savior's for planning, lunch, activities, and fellowship. All junior high and high school youth are welcome!

God Squad will hold a Bake Sale on Sunday, October 27. Proceeds will be used to purchase gifts from the ELCA Good Gifts Program.

Halloween Soup Supper Stop by Faith Lutheran Church on Thursday, October 31, for a cup of soup and a handful or two of candy as God Squad hosts their **Annual**. The free-will donations will support the Angel Tree Project at the Carroll Assistance Center.

It is time to prepare **baskets** for the annual community fundraiser to be held at Oktoberfest in Calamus on Saturday, October 12. The proceeds will be used for a Splash Pad in the Calamus Park.

Baskets, containers, and items to go in the baskets are needed. All should be delivered to the Faith or Our Savior's basements by next Sunday.

Please contact Mary Timmerman or Andrea Shelton with any questions and to give a monetary donation for supplies. Thank you!

Feed One Child at a Time

Faith Lutheran, Our Savior's Lutheran, and Wesley United Methodist will be supporting a backpack food program at Cal/Wheat elementary during the school year. Five grade school children will be given a backpack of food every Friday to be used for weekend meals. Ask Rebecca Hurt how you can help. If you would like to donate food, please drop it in the basket at each church. Thank you!

Faith Worship Attendance, September 22, 2019.....52

Faith Offering, September 22, 2019.....
\$1,965.00

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

Sunday School Attendance, September 22, 2019.....32

Confirmation Class Attendance, September 22, 2019.....5

High School Class Attendance, September 22, 2019.....5

Adult Class Attendance, September 22, 2019.....10

Our Savior's Worship Attendance, September 22, 2019.....27

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