



21st Sunday after Pentecost

October 13th, 2024

The Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

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*** WORSHIP NOTES ***

- * *Welcome to worship at Good Shepherd. We warmly greet you in the name of the Lord and give God thanks for your presence today.*
- * *Most hymns are found in the Hymnal located in the pews. Hymns from other hymnals will be printed and provided in the insert.*
- * ***All baptized believing Christians are welcome to gather at the altar for Holy Communion. Grape juice and low gluten wafers are available. Please see a greeter prior to the beginning of service.***
- * *When it comes time for sharing of the peace, you may pass the peace by sign or physically to your neighbors as you are comfortable.*
- * *After receiving communion, you may kneel at the altar or return to your seat for silent prayer or singing the communion hymn.*

SETTING ONE—EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN WORSHIP

+ + + GATHERING + + +

Please maintain silence in the Sanctuary as we prepare for worship

PRELUDE

We Stand

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: Let us confess our sin and come to God for healing.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Gracious God,

C: have mercy on us.

We confess that we have honored you with our lips,

But have harmed our neighbors with our tongues.

The cravings at war within us

cause conflicts and disputes.

In our desire to be first

we make distinctions among ourselves.

We place the needs of the poor and the suffering last.

In your great mercy, forgive us our sins.

Draw near to us with grace in time of need,

and turn us to follow in the way of Jesus Christ,

our savior and Lord. Amen.

P: God promises to forgive our iniquity

and to remember our sin no more.

By grace you have been saved.

In the name of ✠ Jesus Christ,

the source of eternal healing,

your sins are forgiven.

C: Amen.

Gathering Hymn

“Son of God, Eternal Savior”

ELW 655

APOSTOLIC 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.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Celebrate Insert

P: Let us pray...

C: Amen.

+++ WORD +++

We sit

FIRST READING

Celebrate Insert

L: Word of God, word of life.

C: Thanks be to God.

PSALM *(sung or spoken responsively)*

Celebrate Insert

SECOND READING

Celebrate Insert

L: Word of God, word of life.

C: Thanks be to God.

We stand

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

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Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,

al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

A: Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Repeat Alleluia verse.

P: The holy gospel according to...

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL

Celebrate Insert

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Rev. Bill Carr

Silence for reflection follows the sermon.

We stand

Hymn of the Day “Come, Follow Me, the Savior Spake”

ELW 799

APOSTLES’ CREED

P: With the whole church, let us confess our 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 to the dead.
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

Celebrate Insert

PEACE *(a time set aside for sharing God’s peace)*

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

C: And also with you.

+ + + MEAL + + +

We Sit

OFFERING

We stand

OFFERING HYMN

ELW #186



Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re-new a right
spir-it with-in me. Cast me not a-way from your pres-ence, and take
not your Ho-ly Spir-it from me. Re-store to me the joy of
your sal-va-tion, and up-hold me with your free Spir-it.

OFFERING PRAYER

A: Let us pray.

C: Blessed are you, O God,
source of every gift of your creation.
By these gifts and with our lives,
help us to serve one another and all in need,
Through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

This musical score is written for a single voice part in G major (one sharp). It consists of four lines of music. The first line has two measures: 'The Lord be with you.' and 'And al - so with you.' The second line also has two measures: 'Lift up your hearts.' and 'We lift them to the Lord.' The third line has two measures: 'Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.' The fourth line has two measures: 'It is right' and 'to give our thanks and praise.' The melody is simple and hymn-like, using quarter and eighth notes with various rests and ties.

PROPER PREFACE

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of

pow-er and might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high-est. Blessed is he who comes in the

name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

P: Holy God, mighty Lord, gracious Father:
Endless is your mercy and eternal your reign.
You have filled all creation with light and life;
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

We praise you for the grace shown to your people in every age:
The promise to Israel, the rescue from Egypt,
the gift of the promised land, the words of the prophets;
and, at this end of all the ages, the gift of your Son,
who proclaimed the good news in word and deed
and was obedient to your will,
Even to giving his life.

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it,
and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat;
this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup,
we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

C: Christ had died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

P: Therefore, O God, with this bread and cup we remember the life
our Lord offered for us.

And, believing the witness of his resurrection,
we await his coming in power to share with us
the great and promised feast.

C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

P: Send now, we pray, your Holy Spirit, that we who share
in Christ's body and blood may live to the praise of your glory
and receive our inheritance with all your saints in light.

C: Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.

P: Join our prayers with those of your servants
of every time and every place, and unite them
with the ceaseless petitions of our great high priest until
he comes as victorious Lord of all.

Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all glory and honor is yours, almighty Father, now and forever.

C: Amen.

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

P: Jesus welcomes you to this table. Come, here is your God.

*(Please process, take a wafer from the pastor and then a communion
cup from the assistant. Grape juice is in the center of the tray)*

When giving the bread and cup, the communion ministers say

The body of Christ, given for you.

The blood of Christ, shed for you.

and each person may respond Amen.

LAMB OF GOD (*AGNUS DEI*)



Communion Hymn "God of Grace and God of Glory" **ELW 705**

We stand

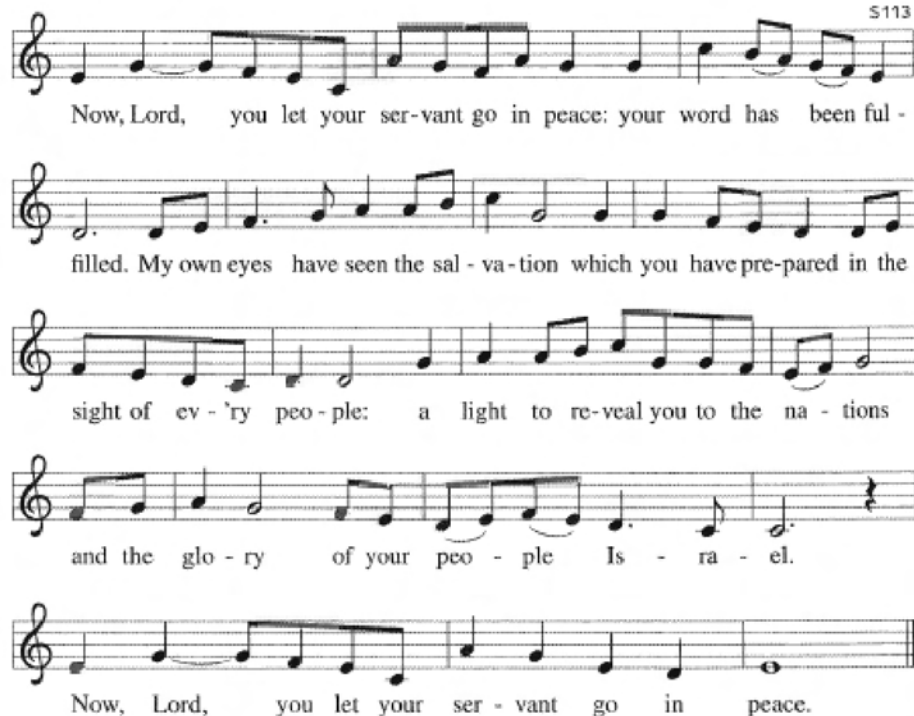
TABLE BLESSING

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen and preserve
you in eternal life.

C: **Amen.**

CANTICLE (*NUNC DIMITIS*)**ELW #113**

S113



Now, Lord, you let your ser-vant go in peace: your word has been ful -

filled. My own eyes have seen the sal - va - tion which you have pre-pared in the

sight of ev - 'ry peo - ple: a light to re-veal you to the na - tions

and the glo - ry of your peo - ple Is - ra - el.

Now, Lord, you let your ser - vant go in peace.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER**A:** Let us pray.

Holy God, you have welcomed us to this meal
and fed us with dignity at your table.
Send us now to welcome others
and to be at peace with one another,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

+ + + SENDING + + +

*We sit***PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

We stand
BLESSING

P: God all mighty, God most merciful
✠ bless you, keep you, and give you peace.
C: Amen

Sending Hymn “Let Justice Flow Like Streams” **ELW 717**

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Follow Jesus.
C: Thanks be to God.

REMINDERS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Altar Flowers are given by Carolyn Absher and Rhonda Chalcraft in loving memory of Troy Absher.

Lector: Rea Johnson

Organist/Choir: Karoline Van Horn

Mower: Barry Pochron

Pastor: Rev. Bill Carr

Worship Assistant: Matt Bergstresser

Zoom: Ric Van Horn

COLLECTING FLEECE THROWS

At this time 34 fleece throws have been collected for the workers of the Food Pantry to give out on Monday, December 16, 2024. Thank you to everyone who have already brought in throws. We will keep collecting these throws until Sunday, December 15. If you can, please donate extra - large throws. The throws can also be ones that have been gently used. We can't thank each of you enough for your donations and support of this project that the Food Pantry crew is doing.

In His Generosity, Chris Thompson

The Chosen: A NEW ADULT SUNDAY CLASS

Join us Sundays following worship from 11:15 to 12:00 for bible study! We will view portions of the TV series The Chosen. The Chosen is a fresh consideration of the stories of Jesus life from perspectives that many of us might not have thought of before, yet it also strives to be faithful to the Gospel stories. It will make you think!

Coming up at Good Shepherd

Weekday Morning Prayer 9:00 am, Monday through Thursday

Weekday Holy Communion 9:30 am, Monday through Thursday

Sunday, October 13 21st Sunday after Pentecost
9:15 am Choir Practice
10:00 am Worship Service
11:15 am—12:00 pm Sunday School
12:00 pm Worship and Music Meeting

Sunday, October 20 22nd Sunday after Pentecost
9:15 am Choir Practice
10:00 am Worship Service
11:15 am—12:00 pm Sunday School
2:30 pm Lifecare Service, *Life Care Center of Jefferson City*

Monday, October 21 10:00 am—12:00 pm Food Pantry

Sunday, October 27 Reformation Sunday
9:15 am Choir Practice
10:00 am Worship Service
11:15 am—12:00 pm Sunday School

Sunday, November 3 All Saints Sunday
9:15 am Choir Practice
10:00 am Worship Service
11:15 am—12:00 pm Sunday School

Tuesday, November 5 6:00 pm American Legion

Sunday, November 10 25th Sunday after Pentecost
9:15 am Choir Practice
10:00 am Worship Service
11:15 am—12:00 pm Sunday School

Wednesday, November 13 4:00 pm—6:00 pm Community Dinner

Sunday, November 17 26th Sunday after Pentecost
9:15 am Choir Practice
10:00 am Worship Service
11:15 am—12:00 pm Sunday School



We Remember in Prayer



Members

Healing, comfort, & strength

Robert French

Nancy McLoughlin

Ric Van Horn

Family & Friends

Healing, comfort, strength, & peace

Harley Carr, father of Pastor Bill Carr

Family & friends of Nancy Havard, sister of Robert French, *comfort in sorrow*

Carol DeBrian, sister-in-law of Ed and Judy Skorski

Joseph Pochron, father of Barry Pochron

Kara Van Deusen, friend of Pastor Bill Carr

Pete Bowers, Sally Allen's nephew

Troy Werner, son of Steve and Cindy Werner

The Father of Tracy Doyle

Kristina Day, daughter of Marilyn Fahringer

Asilee Nelson, grandmother of Cody Nelson

From the Community

Guidance, comfort, healing, and peace

All those affected by hurricane Helene.

Linda Ballard

Rita Caffey

Geraldine Carpenter

Amanda Collins

Mary Davis

Cheryl Dugger

Estaban Indabuio

Jessica Johnson

Connie Pease

Darlene Rosenbalm

Kristi Sanford
Kathy Strange
Ann Taylor
Stacey Trent
Betty Wright

Military Serving our Country

Protection, comfort, & strength

John Gray, Joshua Gray's brother
Ian Anderson, Alan Anderson's nephew
Joshua Sheaf, Good Shepherd member

Vision Statement

We are a congregation that shares a living, daring confidence in God's grace.
Liberated by our faith, we embrace you as a whole person -
questions, complexities and all.
Join us as we do God's work in Christ's name
for the life of the world God's people.

Mission Statement

By the grace of God, the Good Shepherd, we are called to serve Christ
joyfully by sharing the Gospel, being faithful stewards of God's gifts, and by
loving and celebrating all God's people.