## Our Saviour's Lutheran Church

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Bringing Christ to the people and the people to Christ.

We are a community of faith, formed in the grace and joy of Jesus Christ.

We are a people involved in God's sure and unfolding promise to mend His creation through the life, death and resurrection of His Son, and in the power of the Holy Spirit.

We are a church under the cross of Christ, shaped by the ancient rhythms of Christian worship, fellowship, and service to others.

Come share the joy!

#### Our Pastor

Rev. Martin Moore martinmoore55@gmail.com

#### Parish Administrator

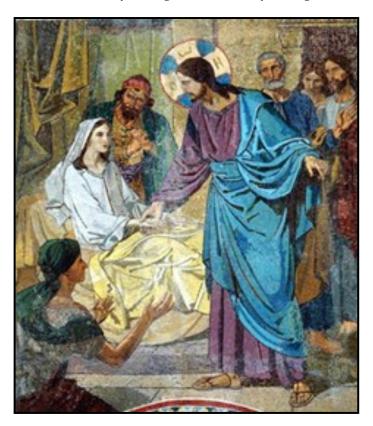
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## Organist/Keyboardist

Dr. Jaeyong Lee

## Youth Coordinator

Courtney Henriksen



"Let your heart be strong and at ease in your trouble, for we have yonder a true mediator with God, Jesus Christ... He has such great power over sin and death that they cannot harm us, and he is so heartily true and kind that he cannot and will not forsake us, at least if we ask his help without doubting."

-Martin Luther, A Letter to His Father, (Feb. 15, 1530)

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST (YEAR B)
JUNE 30, 2024 • 10:00 A.M.



#### Our Members, Guests and Visitors

We are all on a journey of faith; God does not expect us to make the journey alone.

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Our Office Hours are Monday through Thursday, 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

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**Prelude -** Dr. Jaeyong Lee

You may use this time for silent meditation to prepare your heart for worship

#### Welcome to Our Saviour's

- Welcome! Whether you are a longtime member or visiting for the first time, you are a gift from God to us. Guests, please fill out the yellow card on the back of your pew and place it in the offering plate later in the service.
- All who are baptized and desire to share in the Body and Blood of our Lord are welcome to receive Communion.

"O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness; let the whole earth stand in awe of him." (Psalm 96:9)

Please stand

## PROCESSIONAL HYMN ~ "OH WORSHIP THE KING" (LBW #548) Vss. 1,2,3,6

Oh, worship the King, all-glorious above. Oh, gratefully sing his pow'r and his love; our shield and defender, the Ancient of Days, pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

Oh, tell of his might; oh, sing of his grace, whose robe is the light, whose canopy space; his chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,

and dark is his path on the wings of the storm.

The earth with its store of wonders untold, Almighty, your pow'r has founded of old; established it fast by a changeless decree, and round it has cast, like a mantle, the sea.

O measureless Might, ineffable love, while angels delight to hymn you above, the humbler creation, though feeble their lays,

with true adoration shall sing to your praise.

#### WORDS OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

*As the Pastor says the Invocation, the Sign of the Cross* ★ *may be made in remembrance of our Baptisms.* 

- P In the name of the Father, and of the ♥ Son, and of the Holy Spirit. 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
- <sup>p</sup> If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

- P Most merciful God,
- <sup>C</sup>We confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen
- P Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ♣ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

<sup>C</sup> Amen

#### **GREETING**

<sup>P</sup>The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. CAnd also with you.

#### **KYRIE**

- <sup>A</sup> In peace, let us pray to the Lord. <sup>C</sup> **Lord, have mercy.**
- <sup>A</sup> For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.
- <sup>C</sup> Lord, have mercy.
- A For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord. C Lord, have mercy.
- <sup>A</sup> For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord. <sup>C</sup> **Lord, have mercy.**
- <sup>A</sup> Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord. <sup>C</sup> **Amen**

## **HYMN OF PRAISE** ~ "GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST" (LBW PGS 79-80)

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father: We worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God: You take away the sin of the world;

have mercy on us.

You are seated at the right hand of the Father; receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you. C **And also with you.** 

P "See Insert" C Amen

Please be seated

#### The Service Of The Word

**FIRST READING** ~ LAMENTATIONS 3:22-33

R "See Insert" R This is the Word of the Lord! C Thanks be to God!

**PSALMODY** ~ PSALM 30

R "See Insert"

**SECOND READING** ~ 2 CORINTHIANS 8:1-9,13-15

R "See Insert" R This is the Word of the Lord! C Thanks be to God!

## Children's Song ~ "JESUS LOVES ME"

Jesus loves me, this I know. Yes, Jesus loves me. For the Bible tells me so. Yes, Jesus loves me. Little ones to him belong, Yes, Jesus loves me. They are weak but He is strong. The Bible tells me so.

## **Feeding our Little Lambs**

Please stand

GOSPEL CANTICLE ~ "THY WORD"

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. ... and a light unto my path.

#### THE HOLY GOSPEL

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark the 5th Chapter. C Glory to you, O Lord.

Mark 5:21-43

P The Gospel of the Lord. C Praise to You, O Christ.

Chorus:

Please be seated

#### SERMON ~ REV. MARTIN MOORE

"DO NOT FEAR, ONLY BELIEVE."

"By embracing death, taking it into himself, [Jesus] destroyed the Devil's hold on death and freed all who cower through life, scared to death of death." (Hebrews 2:15, MSG)

"He who does not fear death is outside the tyranny of the devil." (John Chrysostom)

"We know that we have left death and come over into life; we know it because we love others." (1 John 3:14, GNB)

#### Please stand

## Hymn Of The Day ~ "Have No Fear, Little Flock" (LBW #476)

Praise the Lord high above

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Have no fear little flock	Praise the Lord high above
Have no fear little flock	For He stoops down to heal you
For the Father has chosen	Uplift and restore you
To give you the Kingdom	Praise the Lord high above
Have no fear little flock	Chorus
Have good cheer little flock	Thankful hearts raise to God
Have good cheer little flock	Thankful hearts raise to God
For the Father will keep you	For He stays close beside you
In His love forever	In all things works with you
Have good cheer little flock	Thankful hearts raise to God
Chorus	Chorus

#### THE APOSTLES' CREED

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. 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 OF THE CHURCH

P Confident in God's steadfast love through Jesus Christ and guided by the Holy Spirit, let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs.

After each portion of the prayers:

<sup>C</sup> Hear our prayer. P Lord, in your mercy,

The prayers conclude:

Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. <sup>C</sup> Amen

Please be seated

#### OFFERING & OFFERTORY MUSIC

Please stand

## THE DOXOLOGY~ "I OFFER MY LIFE"

All that I am, all that I have I lay them down before You, O Lord; my heart and my hands are lifted to You. lifting my praise to You as a pleasing sacrifice, Lord, I offer You my life.

All of my hopes, all of my plans, Chorus:

What can we give that You have not given; And what do we have that is not already Yours?

Lord, I offer my life to You, everything I've been through, use it for Your glory, Lord, I offer my days to You,

All we possess are these lives we're living, and that's what we give to You, Lord. Chorus

## Post Offertory Prayer

P Let us pray. Merciful Father, C We offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us - our vocations, our time, our possessions - signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Please remain standing

## The Holy Meal

#### PASSING OF THE PEACE

P The peace of the Lord be with you always. C **And also with you.** 

At this time, we invite you to share the peace of the Lord with your neighbors

#### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING ~ P. 88 LBW

P The Lord be with you.

<sup>C</sup> And also with you.

P Lift up your hearts.

<sup>C</sup> We lift them up to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. C It is right to give him thanks and praise.

<sup>P</sup>It is indeed right and salutary that we should at all times and in all places offer thanks and praise to you, O Lord, holy Father, through Christ our Lord; 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 the Church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

#### **SANCTUS**

<sup>C</sup> Holy, holy, holy Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might: Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

#### WORDS OF INSTITUTION

- P 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.*
- P 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.
- <sup>P</sup>Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:
- <sup>C</sup> Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.
- <sup>P</sup> Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray:
- <sup>C</sup> 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

#### LAMB OF GOD ~ P. 92 LBW

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Please be seated

#### DISTRIBUTION

#### **COMMUNION HYMNS:**

"SWEET, SWEET SPIRIT"

There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place And I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord There are sweet expressions on each face And I know they feel the presence of the Lord

There are blessings you cannot receive Till you know Him in His fullness and believe

You're the one to profit when you say I am going to walk with Jesus all the way *Chorus* 

#### Chorus:

Sweet Holy Spirit, Sweet heavenly Dove Stay right here with us Filling us with Your love And for these blessings We lift our hearts in praise Without a doubt we'll know That we have been revived When we shall leave this place

If you say He saved you from your sin Now You're weak you're bound and cannot enter in

You can make it right if you will yield You'll enjoy the Holy Spirit that we feel *Chorus* 

## "SOFTLY AND TENDERLY JESUS IS CALLING" (WOV #734)

Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling,
Calling for you and for me.
See, on the portals he's waiting and watching,
Watching for you and for me.

Calling, "O sinner, come home!"
Why should we tarry when Jesus is pleading,
Pleading for you and for me?
Why should we linger and heed not his mercies,
Mercies for you and for me?
Chorus

#### Chorus:

"Come home, come home!
You who are weary, come home."
Earnestly, tenderly, Jesus is calling,

Oh, for the wonderful love he has promised, Promised for you and for me!
Though we have sinned, he has mercy and pardon,
Pardon for you and for me.

#### "HEALER OF OUR EVERY ILL"

Refrain:

Healer of our every ill, light of each tomorrow, give us peace beyond our fear, and hope beyond our sorrow.

You who know our fears and sadness, grace us with your peace and gladness; Spirit of all comfort, fill our hearts. *Refrain* 

In the pain and joy beholding how your grace is still unfolding,

give us all your vision, God of love.

Refrain

Give us strength to love each other,

every sister, every brother; Spirit of all kindness, be our guide.

Refrain

You who know each thought and feeling, teach us all your way of healing; Spirit of compassion, fill each heart.

Refrain

Please stand

#### **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**

"SONG OF SIMEON"

Now, Lord, you let your servant go in peace,
Your word has been fulfilled.
My own eyes have seen the Salvation,
Which you have prepared in the sight of every people.
A light to reveal you to the Nations,
And the glory of your people, Israel.
Now, Lord, you let your servant go in peace.

## POST COMMUNION PRAYER

<sup>P</sup> Pour out upon us the spirit of your love, O Lord, and unite the wills of those whom you have fed with one heavenly food; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

<sup>C</sup> Amen

#### **BENEDICTION** ~P. 95 LBW

P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace. In the name of the Father, ♣ Son, and Holy Spirit. C Amen

#### CLOSING HYMN ~ "HOLY GOD, WE PRAISE YOUR NAME" (LBW #535) Vss. 1&4

Holy God, we praise your name; Lord of all, we bow before you. All on earth your scepter claim, all in heav'n above adore you. Infinite your vast domain, everlasting is your reign.

Holy Father, holy Son, Holy Spirit, three we name you, though in essence only one; undivided God we claim you and, adoring, bend the knee while we own the mystery.

#### **DISMISSAL**

P Go in peace. Serve the Lord. C Thanks be to God.

#### POSTLUDE

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#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

Patriotic PotLuck Lunch after service next Sunday, July 7th. Please join us and bring a dish or dessert. We will need people to help with clean up. Please see Becky Chambers if you're willing to help.



## **Our Worship Servants This Morning:**

Greeter: Jennifer Videtto

Acolyte: Charles & Caedmon Cumming Ushers: Jerry Redman & Terry Ball

Cantor: Pastor Moore Reader: Bailey Storkson

Communion Assistants: Ken Pontious, Jana Snyder, Becky Chambers

Projectionist: Toby Fite

Upcoming Activities at OSLC (July 1st - 7th)			
Monday:	Quilts of Valor	8:30 a.m.	
Tuesday:	Quilters	9:00 a.m.	
Thursday:	4th of July		
	CODA	6:00 p.m.	
Saturday:	Altar Guild Team #1	-	
Sunday:	Choir	9:15 a.m.	
	Worship	10:00 a.m.	
	Potluck Lunch	11:30 a.m.	

## Stewardship

Average Monthly Expenses:	\$ 26,875
Last Week's Offerings:	\$ 6,903
Total June's Offerings to Date:	\$ 17,549
2024 Total Offerings to Date:	\$ 153,312
2024 Offering Budget Thru June:	\$ 161,250
Offerings Received Vs. Budget:	\$ - 7,938

## Attendance

Sunday, June 23, 2024: 95

2024 Average Attendance: 105



# Prayer For The 4th Of July

Dear God,

Thank you for this day. Thank you for the freedom we celebrate on the 4th of July. We ask for your blessings on our country and our people.

Help our leaders make wise decisions. Keep our soldiers safe. Give us peace and unity.

Let us always remember to be kind to each other, to help when we can, and to love our neighbors as ourselves.

We give you all the glory and praise.

Amen.