



# OUR SAVIOUR'S

## LUTHERAN CHURCH

*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!*

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## OUR MEMBERS, GUESTS AND VISITORS

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

Our Office Hours are  
Monday through Friday, 10:00 AM until 2:00 PM  
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**PRELUDE - Dr. Jaeyong Daniel Lee**

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

### WELCOME TO OUR SAVIOUR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

- Welcome! Whether you are a longtime member or visiting for the first time, you are a gift from God to us. Guests, please sign the attendance roster.
- If you have any prayer requests, needs, or concerns, please complete the blue card on the back of your pew and place it in the offering plate.
- All who are baptized and desire to share in the Body and Blood of our LORD are welcome to receive Communion.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS *SEE INSERT*

*Please stand (in body or in spirit) Face the Cross as it Enters*

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN "ONWARD, CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS" *Green Hymnal #509 V 1 & 4*

Onward, Christian soldiers,  
Marching as to war,  
With the cross of Jesus  
Going on before.  
Christ, the royal Master,  
Leads against the foe;  
Forward into battle,  
See, His banners go!

Onward, then, you faithful,  
Join our happy throng;  
Blend with ours your voices  
In the triumph-song.  
Glory, laud, and honor  
Unto Christ the King.  
We through countless ages  
With the angels sing: *Chorus*

*Chorus:*

Onward, Christian soldiers,  
Marching as to war,  
With the cross of Jesus  
Going on before.

## INVOCATION

P: We gather in this sanctuary, and we worship, in the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.      **C: Amen**

## 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: 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: 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,

**C: 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 declare to you the Good News, "Your sins are forgiven," in the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen**

## APOSTOLIC GREETING

P: The Grace of our LORD Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.      **C: And also with you.**

*KYRIE Green Hymnal p. 78*

A: In peace, let us pray to the LORD.      **C: LORD, have mercy.**

A: For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the LORD.

**C: 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.**

A: For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the LORD.      **C: LORD, have mercy.**

A: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious LORD.      **C: Amen**

**HYMN OF PRAISE "THIS IS THE FEAST" *Green Hymnal p. 81-82***

*This is the feast of victory for our God.  
Alleluia.*

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was  
slain,  
whose blood set us free to be people of  
God.  
Power and riches and wisdom and  
strength  
and honor and blessing and glory are  
His.

This is the feast of victory for our God.  
Alleluia.

Sing with all the people of God  
and join in the hymn of all creation:  
Blessing and honor and glory and might  
be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen.  
This is the feast of victory for our God,  
for the Lamb who was slain has begun  
His reign.  
Alleluia. Alleluia.

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: The LORD be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

A: Merciful Father, for Jesus' sake You have welcomed us into Your kingdom and given us abundant and eternal life. Set us free from the power of sin and death, and send us forth to serve and welcome others, seeing in them the very presence of Your Son; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and LORD, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

C: Amen

*Please be seated*

**THE SERVICE OF THE WORD**

**FIRST READING ~ JEREMIAH 28:5-9**

L: The first reading comes from the book of Jeremiah, the 28<sup>th</sup> chapter.

*"See Insert"* L: This is the Word of the LORD! **C: Thanks be to God!**

**PSALMODY ~ PSALM 119:153-160 CHANTED**

*"See Insert"*

**SECOND READING ~ ROMANS 7:1-13**

L: The second reading comes from the book of Romans, the 7<sup>th</sup> chapter.

*"See Insert"* L: This is the Word of the LORD! **C: Thanks be to God!**

**GOSPEL CANTICLE ~ "ALLELUIA LORD" *Green Hymnal p. 83***

Alleluia. LORD, to whom shall we go?  
You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

## THE HOLY GOSPEL

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew the 10<sup>th</sup> Chapter.

C: **Glory to You, O LORD.**

MATTHEW 10:34-42

P: This is the Gospel of the LORD. C: **Praise to You, O Christ.**

*Please be seated*

### CHILDREN'S SONG ~ "I'VE GOT THE JOY, JOY, JOY IN MY HEART"

I've got the joy, joy, joy, joy  
down in my heart

Where?

Down in my heart!

Where?

Down in my heart!

I've got the joy, joy, joy, joy

down in my heart

Down in my heart to stay

And I'm so happy

So very happy

I've got the love of Jesus in my heart

Down in my heart

And I'm so happy

So very happy

I've got the love of Jesus in my heart.

### CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

MESSAGE ~ PASTOR JEFFERY CARPENTER

*Please stand*

**HYMN OF THE DAY** "JESUS CALLS US; O'ER THE TUMULT" *Green Hymnal #494 v 1,3,4,5*

Jesus calls us o'er the tumult  
Of our life's wild, restless sea;  
Day by day his clear voice sounding,  
Saying, "Christian, follow me."

In our joys and in our sorrows,  
Days of toil and hours of ease,  
Still he calls, in cares and pleasures,  
"Christian, love me more than these."

Jesus calls us from the worship  
Of the vain world's golden store,  
From each idol that would keep us,  
Saying, "Christian, love me more."

Jesus calls us! In your mercy,  
Savior, make us hear your call,  
Give our hearts to your obedience,  
Serve and love you best of all.

### APOSTLES' CREED

A: Let us declare our faith using the words of the Apostle's 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 to the dead. 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 GOD'S PEOPLE**

**A:** Let us pray, Gracious Heavenly Father, if it gives You glory, give us Your wisdom and strength so that we may mature as faithful and obedient followers of Your Son Jesus. LORD, in Your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

**A:** LORD Jesus Christ, we call You "LORD". We ask that You breath the Holy Spirit upon us. With You as our example and with the Holy Spirit to empower us, make us to follow You as LORD of our lives. LORD, in Your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

**A:** Holy Spirit of God, we thank You for bringing new friends and family to this sanctuary. Will You bless this gathering of Christ followers with healing and peace. Will You inspire joy and enthusiasm within each of us that we may live as and make disciples of Jesus. Holy Spirit, we surrender to You and ask You to work powerfully within us and through us. LORD in Your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

**A:** Loving God, grant us civil leaders, corporate leaders, and media leaders that seek Your holy will and strive to lead and serve according to Your Holy Will. We ask that You diminish all voices in opposition to You, Your people and Your Kingdom ways. LORD, in Your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

**A:** Loving God, bring Your comfort, courage and healing to those we know who are sick, who are suffering in body, mind, or spirit, especially those we softly name before You. . . LORD, in Your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

**P:** Into Your hands, heavenly Father, we commend all for whom we pray. We will trust in Your mercy, through Jesus Christ our LORD.

**C: Amen.**

### **THE SHARING 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  
Please be seated*

## OFFERING & OFFERTORY MUSIC

*Please stand*

### THE DOXOLOGY "I OFFER MY LIFE" *Blue Hymnal #787 v 1*

All that I am, all that I have  
I lay down before You, O Lord;  
All of my hopes, all of my plans,  
my heart and my hands are lifted to  
You.

Chorus  
Lord, I offer my life to You,  
everything I've been through,  
use it for Your glory,  
Lord, I offer my days to You,  
lifting my praise to You  
as a pleasing sacrifice,  
Lord, I offer You my life.

What can we give  
that You have not given;  
And what do we have  
that is not already Yours?  
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 - ourselves,  
our time, and our possessions, signs of Your gracious love. Receive them for  
the sake of Him who offered Himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### THE HOLY MEAL

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING *Green Hymnal p. 88*

P: The LORD be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: 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.

P: 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

C: 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.*

P: Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**C: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

P: Therefore, gracious Father, 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, the spirit of our LORD and of His resurrection, that we who receive the LORD'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: 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**

LAMB OF GOD *Green Hymnal p. 92*

**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

“ABOVE ALL”

Above all powers, above all kings,  
Above all nature and all created things,  
Above all wisdom and all the ways of man,  
You were here before the world began.  
Above all kingdoms, above all thrones,  
Above all wonders the world has ever known,  
Above all wealth and treasures of the earth,  
There's no way to measure what you're worth.

Crucified...laid behind a stone,  
You lived to die...rejected and alone.  
Like a rose, trampled on the ground,  
You took the fall... And thought of me  
Above all.

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Above all.

*"SOFTLY AND TENDERLY JESUS IS CALLING" Blue Hymnal #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.

Refrain

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

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. *Refrain*

*"EAT THIS BREAD" Blue Hymnal #709*

Eat this bread, drink this cup,  
Come to me and never be hungry.  
Eat this bread, drink this cup,  
Trust in me and you will not thirst.

*Please stand*

**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**

*"NOW THANK WE ALL OUR GOD" Green Hymnal #534 Verse 3*

All praise and thanks to God  
The Father now be given,  
The Son, and him who reigns  
With them in highest heaven,  
The one eternal God,  
Whom earth and heav'n adore;  
For thus it was, is now,  
And shall be evermore.

**POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

A: Let us pray.

**C: We give You thanks, Almighty God, that You refreshed us through the healing power of the gift of life; and we pray that in Your mercy You would strengthen us through this gift in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen**

**BENEDICTION** *Green Hymnal p. 95*

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** *"O MASTER, LET ME WALK WITH YOU" Green Hymnal #492 v1,2,4*

O Master, let me walk with you  
In lowly paths of service true;  
Tell me your secret; help me bear  
The strain of toil, the fret of care.

Help me the slow of heart to move  
By some clear, winning word of love;  
Teach me the wayward feet to stay,  
And guide them in the homeward way.

In hope that sends a shining ray  
Far down the future's broad'ning  
way,  
In peace that only you can give;  
With you, O Master, let me live.

**DISMISSAL & POSTLUDE**

P: Go, live as disciples of Christ Jesus.

**C: Thanks be to God. And we will!**

**OUR WORSHIP SERVANTS THIS MORNING:**

**Greeters:** Gloria Bielfeldt and Carol Avent  
**Acolytes:** Annabelle and Penelope Davis  
**Ushers:** Max Lewis and Preston Graham  
**Reader:** Kristin Blaise  
**Assistant:** Blaine Davis  
**Communion Assistants:** Blaine Davis, Jenny Videtto, Heather Watkins  
**AV Booth:** Linda Webster and Jacob Levels

**Attendance**

Sunday, June 21: 137

2026 Average Attendance: 122

**Stewardship**

Last Week's Offerings \$ 16,382

Month of June \$ 42,240

Monthly Goal \$ 29,677

2026 Total Offerings to Date \$ 232,212

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"I've got the Joy, Joy, Joy" Authors: Carol Tornquist, George Willis Cooke CCLI Song # 4857031  
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"Jesus Calls Us; O'er the Tumult" LBW494 Text: Cecil F. Alexander, 1823-1895 Tune: William H. Jude, 1851-1922 public domain

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"Now Thank We All Our God" LBW 534 Text: Martin Rinkhart, 1586-1649; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1829-1878 Tune: Johann Cruger, 1598-1662

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