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July 21, 2024 | 9:30 9th Sunday After Pentecost

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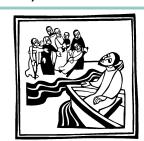
Today's Worship Leaders

Production Leader: Jarod Griswold

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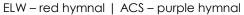


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WELCOME TO THIS SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION. Lutherans believe that Christ, the Incarnate Word of God, is truly present in the Lord's Supper and that in this meal of the baptized children of God our Lord gives forgiveness of sins, life and salvation. All who seek the mercy and grace of God in this Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus are welcome to the Lord's Table.

WORSHIP SERVICES | Saturdays at 5:00pm, Sundays at 9:30am.

STAFFED NURSERY | Available on Sunday mornings.

EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES | School year at 9:45am on Sundays, throughout the week for all ages.



GIVE ONLINE | Visit englishlutheran.org/onlinegiving, use the QR code, download the Vanco Mobile Faith app, or text an amount (no decimal point or dollar sign) to 855.929.1663.

HUNGRY offerings in July will be given Argyle-Apple Grove Lutheran Church. In June, their church building was completely destroyed by a tornado and the church's cemetery sustained substantial damage. Argyle-Apple Grove is a small ELCA congregation in the South-Central Synod of Wisconsin.

THE WHITE ROSE on the altar is in memory of Bob Sullivan, who passed away on June 26, 2024. May God bless his memory among us all.

ELC MEMBERS ON THE PERU COMPANION SYNOD DELEGATION: Jennifer Carr, Bishop Felix Malpica, Barbara Oettel, and Irene TenEyck

OUR MISSION STATEMENT: In Christ, we welcome, worship and work in the world.

OUR WELCOME STATEMENT: The faith community of English Lutheran Church is rooted in Christ and committed to living life generously.

We celebrate diversity of sexual orientation, gender identity, race, ethnicity, age, economic status, marital status, physical or mental ability.

We are united in the Holy Spirit as we embrace our differences. We welcome all as we strive to be a community equipped for God's mission in the world.

We invite you to join us as we seek to promote racial equity, social and economic justice, and care for our environment.

Wherever you are on your faith journey, there is a place for you here.

GATHERING

Prelude & Welcome to Worship

Ministry Moment | Peru Companion Synod, Jennifer Carr

Gathering Hymn ACS #1062 | Build a Longer Table (end of bulletin)

Confession & Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, the God of manna, the God of miracles, the God of mercy. Amen.

Drawn to Christ and seeking God's abundance, let us confess our sin. God, our provider, help us. It is hard to believe there is enough to share. We question your ways when they differ from the ways we turn to our own understanding rather than trusting in you. We take offense at your teachings and your ways. Turn us again to you. Where else can we turn? Share with us the words of eternal life and feed us for life in the world. Amen.

Beloved people of God ... you are forgiven and loved into abundant life. Amen.

Kyrie



Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ ... be with you all. And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

Let us pray ... O God, powerful and compassionate, you shepherd your people, faithfully feeding and protecting us. Heal each of us, and make us a whole people, that we may embody the justice and peace of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

WORD

Young People's Message | Pastor Becky Goche

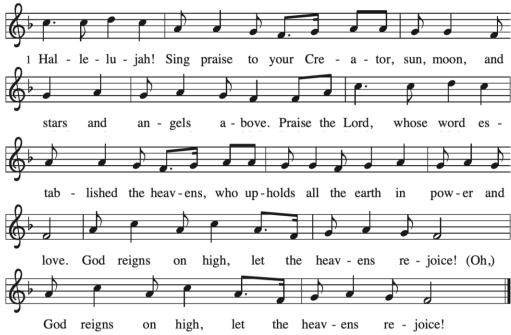
Lesson | Jeremiah 23:1-6

Word of God, word of life. Thanks be to God.

Lesson | Ephesians 2:11-22

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Gospel Acclamation | ACS #1091 | Hallelujah! Sing Praise (vs 1)



Gospel | Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

The holy gospel according to Mark... Glory to You, O Lord.

³⁰ The apostles gathered around Jesus, and told him all that they had done and taught. ³¹ He said to them, "Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while." For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat. ³² And they went away in the boat to a deserted place by themselves. ³³ Now many saw them going and recognized them, and they hurried there on foot from all the towns and arrived ahead of them. ³⁴ As he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things.

⁵³ When they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennesaret and moored the boat. ⁵⁴ When they got out of the boat, people at once recognized him, ⁵⁵ and rushed about that whole region and began to bring the sick on mats to wherever they heard he was. ⁵⁶ And wherever he went, into villages or cities or farms, they laid the sick in the marketplaces, and begged him that they might touch even the fringe of his cloak; and all who touched it were healed.

The Gospel of our Lord. Praise to You, O Christ.

Sermon | Pastor Becky Goche

Hymn of the Day ELW #676 | Lord, Speak to Us (end of bulletin)

Prayers of Intercession

In your mercy, hear our prayer.

Holy God ... and the life, Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always. And also with you.

MEAL

Offering

Offering Prayer

Jesus, Bread of life, you have set this table with your very self, and called us to the feast of plenty. Gather what has been sown among us, and strengthen us in this meal. Make us to be what we receive here, your body for the life of the world. Amen.

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

your glo - ry fills all heav-en and

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.

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

ACS #1089 | Holy, Holy Holy







Words of Institution

During the Words of Institution, we invite you to raise the bread and the cup respectively as the pastor does. In this way, we are church together. 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.

earth. . . . You are ho - ly, God.



Invitation & Distribution of Communion

Christ has set the table with more than enough for all. Come!

This is the body of Christ, given for you. This is the blood of Christ, shed for you. ACS #932 | Lamb of God Most Holy



Communion Hymns (last pages of bulletin)

ELW #789 Savior, Like a Shepherd | ELW #782 My Shepherd, You Supply My Need Blessing

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. **Amen.**

Prayer After Communion

Jesus, Bread of life, we have received from your table more than we could ever ask. As you have nourished us in this meal, now strengthen us to love the world with your own life. In your name we pray. Amen.

SENDING

Announcements

Prayer of Blessing | Peru Companion Synod

Sending Song ELW #538 | The Lord Now Sends Us Forth (last pages of bulletin)

Dismissal & Postlude

Go in peace. You are the body of Christ. Thanks be to God.

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Build a Longer Table

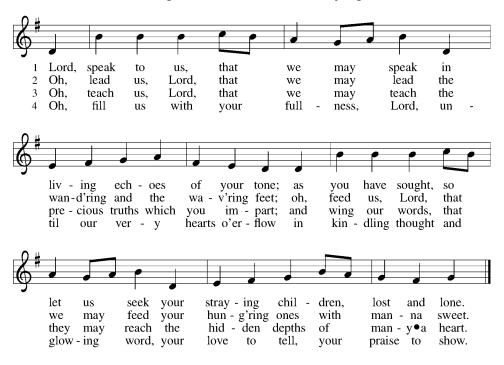


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Music: NOËL NOUVELET, French carol

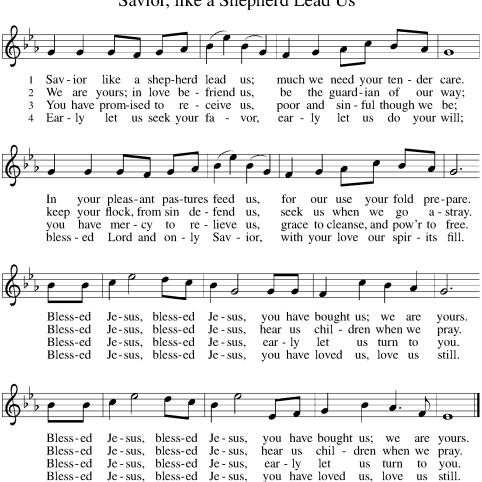
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Lord, Speak to Us, That We May Speak



Text: Frances R. Havergal, 1836-1879, alt. Music: CANONBURY, Robert Schumann, 1810-1856

Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us



My Shepherd, You Supply My Need



- 1 My Shep-herd, you sup-ply my need; most ho-ly is your name.
- 2 When I walk through the shades of death, your pres-ence is my stay;
- 3 The sure pro vi sions of my God at tend me all my days;



In pas - tures fresh you make me feed, be - side the liv - ing stream. one word of your sup-port - ing breath drives all my fears a - way. oh, may your house be my a - bode and all my work be praise.



You bring my wan-d'ring spir - it back when I for - sake your ways, Your hand, in sight of all my foes, does still my ta - ble spread; Here would I find a set - tled rest, while oth - ers go and come;



and lead me, for your mer-cy's sake, in paths of truth and grace.

my cup with bless-ings o - ver-flows, your oil a - noints my head.

no more a strang-er or a guest, but like a child at home.

Text: Isaac Watts, 1674–1748, alt., based on Psalm 23 Music: RESIGNATION, North American traditional

The Lord Now Sends Us Forth

Enviado soy de Dios



Text: Anonymous, Central America; tr. Gerhard M. Cartford, b. 1923 Music: ENVIADO, anonymous, Central America English text @ 1998 Augsburg Fortress.