

**Messiah Lutheran Church**  
**The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod**



**Tenth Sunday after Trinity**

**August 8, 2021**

**Divine Service IV**

# Messiah Lutheran Church

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**VISITORS WELCOME!** A special welcome to any visitors and guests who are with us today. Please sign the guestbook near the front door and introduce yourself to the pastor after the service. We pray that the hearing and receiving of the Word of God in our midst will be filled with joy and thanksgiving!

**HOLY COMMUNION** is celebrated every Sunday and on Feast Days. Visiting communicant members of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod are invited to commune today. All other visitors are asked to speak with the pastor before coming to the altar. If there is time before the service, introduce yourself to the pastor or an elder. Other visitors are invited to use this time for prayer. If you desire information about attending communion, you are encouraged to visit with the pastor after the service today.

**PRAYERS OF PREPARATION** are found in the cover of the hymnals. Take some time before the service begins in quiet preparation and prayer. **Please turn off and put away all electronic devices during the service.**

**+SERVING TODAY+**

**Elder:** Mark Bernhardt

**Ushers:** Mark Varvil & Roger Jeschke

**Greeter:** Donna Boyd

**Organist:** Evone Hagerman

**Altar Guild:** Angela Pynaker & Kim Collina

Stand

**Invocation**

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*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

**+CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION+**

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

**+SERVICE OF THE WORD+**

**Introit**

*Ps. 55:1, 4–5, 16; antiphon: Ps. 55:16a, 17b, 18a, 22a*



I call to God, and He | hears my voice;\*  
He redeems my soul in | safety.  
Cast your burden | on the LORD,\*  
and He will sus- | tain you.  
**Give ear to my prayer, | O God,\***  
**and hide not Yourself from my plea for | mercy!**  
**My heart is in anguish with- | in me;\***  
**the terrors of death have fallen up- | on me.**  
Fear and trembling come up- | on me,\*  
and horror over- | whelms me.  
But I | call to God,\*  
and the LORD will | save me.

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\***  
**and to the Holy | Spirit;**  
**as it was in the be- | ginning,\***  
**is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

I call to God, and He | hears my voice;\*  
He redeems my soul in | safety.  
Cast your burden | on the LORD,\*  
and He will sus- | tain you.

**Kyrie**

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**Gloria in Excelsis**

**Salutation and Collect of the Day**

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O God, You declare Your almighty power above all in showing mercy and pity. Mercifully grant us such a measure of Your grace that we may obtain Your gracious promises and be made partakers of Your heavenly treasures; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Old Testament Reading**

<sup>4</sup>“You shall say to them, Thus says the LORD:

When men fall, do they not rise again?

If one turns away, does he not return?

<sup>5</sup>Why then has this people turned away  
in perpetual backsliding?

They hold fast to deceit;  
they refuse to return.

<sup>6</sup>I have paid attention and listened,  
but they have not spoken rightly;  
no man relents of his evil,  
saying, ‘What have I done?’

Everyone turns to his own course,  
like a horse plunging headlong into battle.

<sup>7</sup>Even the stork in the heavens  
knows her times,  
and the turtledove, swallow, and crane  
keep the time of their coming,  
but My people know not  
the just decrees of the LORD.

<sup>8</sup>“How can you say, ‘We are wise,  
and the law of the LORD is with us’?  
But behold, the lying pen of the scribes  
has made it into a lie.

<sup>9</sup>The wise men shall be put to shame;  
they shall be dismayed and taken;  
behold, they have rejected the word of the LORD,  
so what wisdom is in them?

<sup>10</sup>Therefore I will give their wives to others  
and their fields to conquerors,  
because from the least to the greatest  
everyone is greedy for unjust gain;  
from prophet to priest,  
everyone deals falsely.

<sup>11</sup>They have healed the wound of My people lightly,  
saying, ‘Peace, peace,’  
when there is no peace.

<sup>12</sup>Were they ashamed when they committed abomination?  
No, they were not at all ashamed;  
they did not know how to blush.

Therefore they shall fall among the fallen;  
when I punish them, they shall be overthrown,  
says the LORD.”

## Gradual

*Ps. 17:8, 2*



**Keep me as the apple | of Your eye;\***  
**hide me in the shadow | of Your wings.**  
**From Your presence let my vindi- | cation come!\***  
**Let Your eyes be- | hold the right!**

## Epistle

*1 Corinthians 12:1–11*

<sup>1</sup>Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers, I do not want you to be uninformed. <sup>2</sup>You know that when you were pagans you were led astray to mute idols, however you were led. <sup>3</sup>Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking in the Spirit of God ever says “Jesus is accursed!” and no one can say “Jesus is Lord” except in the Holy Spirit.

<sup>4</sup>Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; <sup>5</sup>and there are varieties of service, but the same Lord; <sup>6</sup>and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who empowers them all in everyone. <sup>7</sup>To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. <sup>8</sup>To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, <sup>9</sup>to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, <sup>10</sup>to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the ability to distinguish between spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. <sup>11</sup>All these are empowered by one and the same Spirit, who apportions to each one individually as He wills.

## Stand

### Alleluia and Verse

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### Holy Gospel

*Luke 19:41–48*

<sup>41</sup>When [Jesus] drew near and saw the city, He wept over it, <sup>42</sup>saying, “Would that you, even you, had known on this day the things that make for peace! But now they are hidden from your eyes. <sup>43</sup>For the days will come upon you, when your enemies will set up a barricade around you and surround you and hem you in on every side <sup>44</sup>and tear you down to the ground, you and your children within you. And they will not leave one stone upon another in you, because you did not know the time of your visitation.”

<sup>45</sup>And He entered the temple and began to drive out those who sold,

<sup>46</sup>saying to them, “It is written, ‘My house shall be a house of prayer,’ but you have made it a den of robbers.”

<sup>47</sup>And He was teaching daily in the temple. The chief priests and the scribes and the principal men of the people were seeking to destroy Him, <sup>48</sup>but they did not find anything they could do, for all the people were hanging on His words.

**Nicene Creed** p206  
*Sit*

***The Church's One Foundation*** LSB 644

**Sermon**  
*Stand*

**Prayer of the Church**

**Offertory Hymn** *Create in Me* LSB 956  
*Please be seated as the altar is prepared for the Service of the Sacrament.*

**+SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT+**

**Preface** p208

**Sanctus**

**Prayer of Thanksgiving** p209

**Lord's Prayer**

**The Words of Our Lord**

**Pax Domini**

**Agnus Dei** p210

*Sit*

**Distribution**

***O Holy Spirit, Grant Us Grace*** LSB 693

***Jesus Comes Today with Healing*** LSB 620

***Alleluia! Sing to Jesus*** LSB 821

***Lord Jesus Christ, We Humbly Pray*** LSB 623

*Stand*

**Nunc Dimittis** p211

**Post-Communion Collect** p212

**Benedicamus and Benediction**

***O Jesus, Blessed Lord, to Thee*** LSB 632

**+VDM A+**

**Verbum Domini Manet in Aeternum**  
**The Word of the Lord endures forever**

**+PRAYER LIST+**

- ✘ Those who serve in our armed forces: Austin Nehls, Rev. Lynn Christensen, Rianon Padro, Rick Zuehls, and for veterans.
- ✘ For all those suffering from illnesses or other trials, including: Sean Esser (relative of John Winter), David Kristopeit (brother-in-law of Linda Polcin), Toni Marshman, Henry Handschke (brother-in-law of Mary Jo Jiter), Julie (friend of Jane Gundlach), Beth (friend of Donna Boyd), Howard Britten, Danny & Chris (relatives of Sandra Babel), Herb Knautz (relative of Angela Pynaker), and Donna Primuth.

**+ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 8+**

- ✘ **PIG ROAST & SOFTBALL GAME:** Good Shepherd in Pleasant Prairie has invited us to a pig roast and softball game on Sunday, August 22<sup>nd</sup> starting at noon. Bring a side dish if you are able. If you would be willing to play softball, please sign up on the sheet in the hallway.
- ✘ **FIRE NIGHT:** Our next Fire Night at the parsonage backyard will be Friday, August 20<sup>th</sup>. We will have another MasterChef competition, so find a great dish to bring. If you want to share the recipe for a dish you made last time, please email it to Lesa and it will be included in an upcoming email newsletter.

**+CONTRIBUTIONS+**

Budgeted Lord's Work Needed Weekly:	\$4,648
Lord's Work Received 8/1-8/7:	7,816
Difference Received vs. Needed:	+3,168
Difference Received vs. Needed YTD:	+6,349

**ATTENDANCE 8/1: 138**

**BIRTHDAYS**

- 8/10 Louise Braya  
Michelle Carpenter  
8/12 DuWayne Griepentrog  
Giulian Sommer  
Audrey Walsh  
8/13 Kris Grenyo

**BAPTISM BIRTHDAYS**

- 8/10 Marilyn Thornburgh

**ANNIVERSARIES**

- 8/8 Roger & Sara Lyngen (57 years)  
8/9 Allen & Jennifer Weber (24 years)  
8/12 Kevin & Laurie Brothers (38 years)  
Todd & Amy Walther (26 years)