

TODAY WORSHIP

Matins LSB pages 219-228

L = Liturgist * = Stand C = Congregation

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***OPENING HYMN** *Creator Spirit, By Whose Aid* **LSB 500**

1. **Creator Spirit, by whose aid The world's foundations first were laid,
Come, visit every humble mind; Come, pour Thy joys on humankind;
From sin and sorrow set us free May we Your living temples be.**
2. **O Source of uncreated light, The bearer of God's gracious might,
Thrice holy Fount, thrice holy Fire, Our hearts with heav'nly love inspire;
Your sacred, healing message bring To sanctify us as we sing.**
3. **Giver of grace, descend from high; Your sev'n-fold gifts to us supply;
Help us eternal truths receive And practice all that we believe;
Give us Yourself that we may see The glory of the Trinity.**
4. **Immortal honor, endless fame, Attend the almighty Father's name;
The Savior Son be glorified, Who for all humankind has died,
To You, O Paraclete, we raise Unending songs of thanks and praise.**

L: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **✠ Amen.**

L: O Lord, open my lips,

C: **✠ And my mouth will declare your praise.**

L: Make haste, O God, to deliver me;

C: **✠ Make haste to help me, O Lord. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen. Praise to you, O Christ. Alleluia.**

***THE INVITATORY**

L: Blessed be God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

C: **✠ Oh come, let us worship Him.**

***THE VENITE** LSB pages 220-221

✠ Oh, come, let us sing to the Lord, let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation. Let us come unto His presence with thanksgiving, let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise. For the Lord is a great God and a great king above all gods. The deep places of the earth are in His hand; the strength of the hills is His also. The sea is His, for He made it, and His hand formed the dry land. Oh, come, let us worship and bow down, let us kneel before the Lord our maker. For He is our God, and we are the people of His pasture and the sheep of His hand. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

L: Blessed be God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

C: **✠ Oh come, let us worship Him.**

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING for the eighth Sunday after Pentecost is from Leviticus 19:9-18, page 97-98:

⁹ "When you reap the harvest of your land, you shall not reap your field right up to its edge, neither shall you gather the gleanings after your harvest. ¹⁰ And you shall not strip your vineyard bare, neither shall you gather the fallen grapes of your vineyard. You shall leave them for the poor and for the sojourner: I am the LORD your God. ¹¹ "You shall not steal; you shall not deal falsely; you shall not lie to one another. ¹² You shall not swear by my name falsely,

and so profane the name of your God: I am the LORD. ¹³ "You shall not oppress your neighbor or rob him. The wages of a hired servant shall not remain with you all night until the morning. ¹⁴ You shall not curse the deaf or put a stumbling block before the blind, but you shall fear your God: I am the LORD. ¹⁵ "You shall do no injustice in court. You shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great, but in righteousness shall you judge your neighbor. ¹⁶ You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not stand up against the life of your neighbor: I am the LORD. ¹⁷ "You shall not hate your brother in your heart, but you shall reason frankly with your neighbor, lest you incur sin because of him. ¹⁸ You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against the sons of your own people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the LORD.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: ♪ Thanks be to God.

10:30 Commissioning of National Youth Gathering Participants

THE EPISTLE is from Colossians 1:9-14, page 983:

⁹And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, ¹⁰so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God. ¹¹ May you be strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy, ¹² giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light. ¹³ He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, ¹⁴ in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

***THE ALLELUIA VERSE**

C: ♪ Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

*THE HOLY GOSPEL is according to St. Luke the tenth chapter, verses 25-37, page 869:

C: ♪ Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

²⁵ And behold, a lawyer stood up to put him to the test, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" ²⁶ He said to him, "What is written in the Law? How do you read it?" ²⁷ And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself." ²⁸ And he said to him, "You have answered correctly; do this, and you will live." ²⁹ But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" ³⁰ Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him and departed, leaving him half dead. ³¹ Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. ³² So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. ³³ But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was, and when he saw him, he had compassion. ³⁴ He went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he set him on his own animal and brought him to an inn and took care of him. ³⁵ And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, 'Take care of him, and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.' ³⁶ Which of these three, do you think, proved to be a neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?" ³⁷ He said, "The one who showed him mercy." And Jesus said to him, "You go, and do likewise."

L: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: ♪ Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

CHILDREN'S SONG (as children come forward) (8:00 & 10:30)

Behold What Manner of Love

Behold what manner of love the Father has given unto us?

Behold what manner of love the Father has given unto us?

That we should be called the children of God.

That we should be called the children of God.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (8:00 & 10:30)

Marilyn Wiesehan

1. In Thee is gladness, Amid all sadness, Jesus, sunshine of my heart.
In Thee are given, The gifts of heaven, Thou the true Redeemer art.
Our souls Thou wakest, Our bonds Thou breakest;
Who trusts Thee surely, Has built securely; He stands forever: Alleluia!
Our hearts are pining, to see thee shining.
Dying or living, To Thee are cleaving;
Naught can us sever; Alleluia!
2. Since he is ours, - We fear no powers, Not of earth nor sin nor death.
He sees and blesses, In worst distresses; He can change them with a breath.
Wherefore the story, Tell of His glory,
With hearts and voices; All heav'n rejoices, In Him forever: Alleluia!
We shout for gladness, Triumph o'er sadness,
Love Him and praise Him, And still shall raise Him,
Glad hymns forever: Alleluia!

THE SERMON

"Being Neighborly"

(Luke 10:25-37)

THE OFFERING - *During the offering all worshipers are asked to fill out the blue or ivory cards found in the pew rack. Please pass cards down to center aisle. They will be collected immediately after the offering.*

***THE TE DEUM** LSB pages 223-225 (8:00)

1. We praise You, O God; we acknowledge You to be the Lord.
All the earth now worships You, the Father everlasting.
To You all angels cry aloud, the heav'ns and all the pow'rs there-in.
To You cherubim and seraphim continually do cry.
2. Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sabaoth;
Heav'n and earth are full of the majesty of Your glory,
The glorious company of the apostles praise You.
The goodly fellowship of the prophets praise You.
3. The noble army of martyrs praise You.
The holy Church throughout all the world does acknowledge You:
The Father of an infinite majesty; Your adorable, true, and only Son
Also the Holy Ghost, the Comforter.
4. You are the King of Glory, O Christ;
You are the everlasting Son of the Father.
5. When You took upon Yourself to deliver man,
You humbled Yourself to be born of a virgin.
When You had overcome the sharpness of death,
You opened the kingdom of heav'n to all believers.
6. You sit at the right hand of God in the glory of the Father.
We believe that You will come to be our judge.
7. We therefore pray You to help Your servants,
Whom You have redeemed with Your precious blood.
Make them to be numbered with Your saints In glory everlasting.

***THE KYRIE**

C: ♫ Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

THE COLLECT

L: Let us pray to the Lord.

C: ♫ Amen.

***PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

***LORD'S PRAYER** (found in the back cover of the hymnal)

L: The Lord be with you.

C: ♫ And with your spirit.

L: Let us bless the Lord.

C: ♫ Thanks be to God.

***THE BENEDICTION**

L: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: ♫ Amen, amen, amen.

***RECESSIONAL HYMN**

Awake, O Sleeper, Rise from Death

LSB 697

- 1. Awake, O sleeper, rise from death, And Christ will give you light;
So learn His love, its length and breadth, Its fullness, depth and height.**
- 2. For us Christ lived, for us He died, And conquered in the strife;
Awake, arise, go forth in faith, And Christ shall give you life.**

***SILENT PRAYER/POSTLUDE + + + + +**

SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY:

Preacher: Pastor Jon C. Furgeson

Liturgist: Pastor Dennis A. Kastens

Organist: 5:00 & 9:20: Alice Kastens; 8:00 & 10:30: Kendra Ruesler

Sat. AM 850 KFUE Broadcaster/Engineer: Dean Seyfert/Rick Goodman

NEWS AND NOTES:

THE EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 10, 2016

TODAY'S EDUCATION HOUR: 9:15 - 10:15 a.m.

Adult Bible Class (Lower Commons): Early Church History

Bible Study for 18 - 25 Year Olds (Former Sanctuary Overflow Room): Discussions led by group members with mentors present.

Women's Bible Class (Office Conf. Rm.): led by Janice McCreary

Youth Bible Class: led by Christina Stackle, DCE

8th Grade Youth: led by Rick Goodman

7th Grade Youth: led by Greg Wirtel and Louise Oster

PLEASE SILENCE ALL CELL PHONES.

HEARING ASSIST TRANSMITTERS are available from the ushers. Ear pieces are available although we suggest you bring your own.

FOOD & DRINK consumption should be kept inside the Gym.

ALTAR FLOWERS are from Patricia Maetten in celebration of her July 11th birthday and her niece, Kimberlee Lauers' July 13th birthday, and for God's many blessings.

NATIONAL YOUTH GATHERING participants (youth and adults) depart Friday for New Orleans: Sarah Baese, Avey Cusumano, Landon Eggers, Maggie Federhofer, Lucas Haeger, Alex Hammon, Austin Hellwege, Maddie Horn, Emma Hopfer, Ashley and August Hummert, Claudia Lappe, Allison Maschhoff, John and Nicole Morse, Tyler Rainey, Chris Rakers, Anna Renner, Joe and John Roesch, Jesse and Sarah Schryver, Brendan Shawcross, Cameron Stinnett, Garrett Summerfield, Ryan and Trent Teegardin, Chris Walther, Kevin and Karen Yaeger, Rachel and Noah Beckerle, Zak Kreidler, Becky and Jay Stevens, Joe Western, Michelle Western, and Christina Stackle, DCE.

HONG KONG MISSION TEAM is thankful to God for another safe and successful year serving in Hong Kong and for your support! This year they have partnered with **Fundraising Midwest** to assist with upcoming mission expenses and invite you to stop by their Information Booth in the Gym on Sun., July 17th, 9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m. to learn how you can help. The fundraising link is found on Peace's website: www.peacelutheranstl.org, under the Outreach tab, International section.

GARAGE SALE is Saturday, August 6, 7:30a.m. - 1:30p.m. Sponsored by the Peace Couples' Club. Set-up for the Garage Sale will be Friday night, August 5. If anyone is available to help, please arrive by 6:00 p.m. Thank you!

ADULT INQUIRY series begins Sunday, August 7, 6:00-7:30 p.m. in the Office Conference Room with sessions through August 28 for those desiring membership or auditors. Sign-up posted.

YOUTH NEWS: Thank you to the congregation for supporting our 39 youth and adults who are attending the National Youth Gathering in New Orleans (7/15-22/16). Come hear about our experience in the Gym on Aug. 7 at 9:15 a.m.

LCMS CONVENTION is accessed at lcms.org/convention/live. Included is the July 9 opening service 7:30 - 9:00 p.m. and the business sessions 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Sunday - Thursday. Location: Milwaukee, WI.

PATRICK HENRY, remembered for his words, "Give me liberty or give me death," also wrote "It cannot be emphasized too strongly or too often that this great Nation was founded not by religionists, but by Christians, not on religion, but on the Gospel of Jesus Christ. For that reason alone, people of other faiths have been afforded freedom of worship here."

RETIREMENT PICNIC for Ken and Gail Horvath, former Peace members, and teachers the past 5 years at Concordia Lutheran School in Hanoi, Vietnam, is this Wed., July 13, 6-9 p.m. at Ohlendorf Park, 4444 Spring Dr., St. Louis. Arriving in 1982, the Horvath's came to teach at GPLS and remained until 2011 in St. Louis.

REMINDER TO PICK UP DISHES/CONTAINERS Please check the shelves, located in far corner of the kitchen, for any dishes or containers you may have left for funeral luncheon donations.

IN OUR PRAYERS: Geri Werner, Fern Ruth, Irma Wilson, Jerry McElroy, Fran Rich, Larry Felton, Grace Roenfeldt, Tena Combs, Tina Akers, Earl Uebel, Tina Akers, Janet Hustermann Turner, Kim Strong.

EDUCATORS TO BE ACKNOWLEDGED in the upcoming September newsletter. We anticipate that Peace has about 75 active educators (Preschool, K-12, University) and at least 35 retired educators. If you are an educator, please indicate your name, current position (including retired) and employer, on the back of your worship attendance card today, or as soon as possible. (We featured nearly 120 last year.)

_____(Place in the offering or mail in)_____

I (we) _____ am a (cite grade or subject)
_____ teacher at (name of school)

Or am a former teacher of (cite grade or subject)_____ at (name of school)_____.

CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF JULY 10, 2016:

Mon: 7:00 Boy Scout Troop 584 Meeting

Tue: 9:00 Quilters

7:00 Eagle Scout Board of Review

Wed: 7:00 Wednesday Bible Study

Thu: 6:00 St. Trinity Cemetery Board

Sat: 5:00 Worship Service w/Comm

Sun:8/9:20/10:30 Worship Service w/Comm