**REFORMATION FESTIVAL** 

OCTOBER 25, 2020

### SATURDAY DRIVE-IN SERVICES TUNE TO FM 90.1 ON YOUR RADIO

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### - <u>ATTENTION SUNDAY (IN SANCTUARY) WORSHIPERS</u> -LOOK TO THE DESIGNATED USHERS AND ELDERS TO GUIDE YOU THROUGH SEATING AND EXIT PROCEDURES.

TODAY'S WORSHIP

Divine Service V LSB pages 213 ff L = Liturgist \* = Stand C = Congregation

PRELUDE (Sunday) Alleluia Ringers

Procession Trumpet Tune Fanfare Festival Procession Albert Zabel Henry Purcell Richard Strauss

# WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*PROCESSIONAL I	HYMN	A Mighty Fortress i	s Our God	LSB 656
1. A mighty Fortress	s is our God,			
A trusty shield an	d weapon; He	helps us free from o	ev'ry need	
That hath us now	o'ertaken. T	he old evil foe		
Now means deadly	y woe; Deep g	uile and great might	t	
Are his dread arm	ns in fight; On	earth is not his equ	al.	
2. With might of our	rs can naught	be done,		
Soon were our los	s effected; Bu	t for us fights the va	liant One,	
Whom God Hims	elf elected. As	sk ye, Who is this?		
Jesus Christ it is,	Of Sabaoth L	ord,		
And there's none	other God; H	e holds the field fore	ever.	
3. Though devils all	the world sho	uld fill,		
All eager to devou	ır us, We tren	ble not, we fear no	ill;	
They shall not ove	erpow'r us.  T	his world's prince m	1ay still	
Scowl fierce as he	will, He can h	arm us none.		
He's judged; the c	deed is done; (	One little word can f	ell him.	
4. The Word they st	ill shall let ren	nain		
Nor any thanks ha	ave for it; He'	s by our side upon t	he plain	
With His good gif	ts and Spirit.	And take they our l	ife,	
Goods, fame, child	d, and wife, T	hough these all be go	one,	
Our vict'ry has be	een won; The	Kingdom ours rema	ineth.	

## **\*INVOCATION AND GENERAL CONFESSION**

- L: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C: JAmen.
- L: Our help is in the name of the Lord.
- C: Who made heaven and earth.
- L: I said I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- C: And You forgave the iniquity of my sin.
- L: O Almighty God, merciful Father,
- C: We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed. We sincerely repent of all we have done amiss. Have mercy on us, O Lord. Grant us Your grace and forgiveness in Jesus Christ. By the renewing work of the Holy Spirit, lead us to amend our sinful lives that we may live each day to Your glory and according to the purpose you have given us. Amen.

\*THE ABSOLUTION C: JAmen.

## **\*THE GLORIA PATRI**

□Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

# **\*THE KYRIE**

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

\*THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

L: The Lord be with you. C: **And with thy spirit.** 

L: Let us pray. C: JAmen.

THE FIRST READING for Reformation Day is from Revelation 14:6-7, page 1036:

<sup>6</sup>Then I saw another angel flying directly overhead, with an eternal gospel to proclaim to those who dwell on earth, to every nation and tribe and language and people. <sup>7</sup>And he said with a loud voice, "Fear God and give him glory, because the hour of his judgment has come, and worship him who made heaven and earth, the sea and the springs of water."

THE EPISTLE is from Romans 3:19-28, page 941:

<sup>19</sup>Now we know that whatever the law says it speaks to those who are under the law, so that every mouth may be stopped, and the whole world may be held accountable to God. <sup>20</sup>For by works of the law no human being will be justified in his sight, since through the law comes knowledge of sin. <sup>21</sup>But now the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the law, although the Law and the Prophets bear witness to it— <sup>22</sup>the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction: <sup>23</sup>for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, <sup>24</sup> and are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, <sup>25</sup>whom God put forward as a propitiation by his blood, to be received by faith. This was to show God's righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over former sins. <sup>26</sup>It was to show his righteousness at the present time, so that he might be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus. <sup>27</sup> Then what becomes of our boasting? It is excluded. By what kind of law? By a law of works? No, but by the law of faith. <sup>28</sup>For we hold that one is justified by faith apart from works of the law.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

# \*ALLELUIA C: Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

NINETY-FIVE THESES (Selected)

- P: #1 When our Lord and Master Jesus Christ said, "Repent" (Matt 4:17):
- C: He willed that the entire life of believers be one of repentance.
- P: #35 They who teach that contrition is not necessary ....
- **C:** Preach unchristian doctrine.
- P: #62 The true treasure of the Church:
- C: Is the most Holy Gospel of the glory and grace of God.
- P: #92 Away then with all those prophets who say to the people of Christ:
- C: "Peace, Peace," when there is no peace.
- P: #94Christians should be exhorted to be diligent in following Christ, their Head, through penalties, even death:
- C: #95 And thus be confident of entering heaven through Him, rather than through the false security of peace.

\*THE HOLY GOSPEL - The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the eighth chapter, verses 31-36, page 894: C: JGlory be to Thee, O Lord.

<sup>31</sup>So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed in him, "If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, <sup>32</sup>and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free." <sup>33</sup>They answered him, "We are offspring of Abraham and have never been enslaved to anyone. How is it that you say, 'You will become free'?" <sup>34</sup>Jesus answered them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, everyone who commits sin is a slave to sin. <sup>35</sup> The slave does not remain in the house forever; the son remains forever. <sup>36</sup>So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.

L: This is the Gospel of the Lord. C: *Praise be to Thee, O Christ* 

### CHILDREN'S SONG (Sunday)

God's Word is our Great heritage And shall be ours forever; To spread its light from age to age Shall be our chief endeavor. Through life it guides our way, In death it is our stay. Lord, grant, while worlds endure, We keep its teachings pure, Throughout all generations.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (Sunday)

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\*THE CREEDAL HYMN All Glory Be to God on High LSB 947 All glory be to God on high And thanks for all His favor; No harm can touch or terrify A child of God forever. God shows His good and gracious will And grants His peace, the world to fill—All strife at last has ended.

> O Jesus Christ, the only Son Begotten of the Father, Your saving death has made us one With God and with each other. O Lamb of God, to You on high In our distress we sinners cry, Have mercy on us, amen!

O Holy Spirit, our delight And source of consolation, Protect us from the devil's might Through Jesus, our salvation, Who by His death upon a tree Has rescued us from misery: To this we hold forever.

THE SERMON

"Let Your Faith Live Loudly"

(Romans 3:19-28)

VOLUNTARY (Sunday) **Chancel Singers** Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation

**\*THE OFFERTORY** 

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the

joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

**\*PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH** 

#### **\*LORD'S PRAYER**

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.

THE BENEDICTION C: JAmen. Amen. Amen.

**\*THE CLOSING HYMN** Lord, Open Now My Heart to Hear **LSB 908** 1. Lord, open now my heart to hear And through Your Word to me draw near; Let me Your Word e'er pure retain, Let me Your child and heir remain.

2. To God the Father, God the Son, And God the Spirit, Three in One, Shall glory, praise, and honor be Now and throughout eternity.

**\*SILENT PRAYER** POSTLUDE

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#### SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY:

Preacher: Pastor Jon C. Furgeson Liturgist: Pastor Robert M. Brown Organist: Saturday: Burnell Hackman; Sunday: Kendra Ruesler Choir Dir.: Burnell Hackman, DMM Trumpet: Craig McElroy Cantor: Rachel Wildman KFUO AM 850 Broadcaster/Engineer: Dean Seyfert/Jeanette Mattingly Acknowledgements: Portions of the Liturgy are from Lutheran Service Book © 2006 License #100011226, CPH and from Lutheran Worship © 1982 License #000011226 CPH, WORSHIPcast License #12862; Used by permission.

# **NEWS AND NOTES**

**REFORMATION FESTIVAL** 

BIBLES FOR OUR 3-YEAR-OLDS AND OUR 3RD GRADERS On November 15, we will be giving Bibles to our 3-year-olds and 3rd graders. At 1:00p.m., 3rd grade parents and children will come to church in the gym for an introduction to the Bible class and Bible presentation. At 3:30p.m., 3-year-olds and their parents are invited to come to church to receive their Bible and families will learn fun ways to engage their children in using their Story Bible and family devotions.

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<u>75th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION</u> We will be celebrating the 75th Anniversary of Peace Lutheran Church with a dinner from 11:30am - 2:00pm on **Sunday**, **December 6**, in the gymnasium. Please RSVP by November 15 on the Peace website, or by calling the church office. Also, to commemorate our anniversary, we will be selling handblown, glass ornaments for \$6.00 each, available in red or blue, with an anniversary design on the front, and John 14:27 on the back. Orders can be placed online, or by using the order form below.

Note: Ornaments will be available for pick-up the first two weekends in December, starting with the 3:30 service on Saturday, December 5.

	(Place in offering or mail)			
	5th ANNIVERSARY ORNAMENT ORDER FORM			
Name	Phone			
# of blue ornaments	# of red ornaments	(\$6.00 each)		

Total amount enclosed \$\_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to **Peace Lutheran Church** (write "Ornament" in memo line) and place in the offering or mail. Order deadline is November 15.

# (Note: Please write a separate check for ornament orders.)

<u>THE PROTESTANT REFORMATION</u> was not about anything new, but about returning to the unchanging truth of God's Word. It was a return to the truth, the foundation, the basics of our faith.

<u>CHRISTMAS AT PEACE</u> is Sunday, December 20, at 3:00 and 6:30pm. Tickets are free, but required to attend. Tickets may be obtained online at www.peacestlmusic.org or from the church office. Social distancing will be practiced, and each concert is limited to 100 people.

<u>DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME</u> ends this coming weekend (October 31/November 1). Remember on Saturday, October 31 to turn your clocks back by one hour.

<u>DRIVE-IN SERVICE TIME CHANGE</u> Beginning next Saturday, October 31, the Saturday drivein service will be at 3:30pm.

MEN'S CLUB The next meeting is this Tuesday, October 27, at 6:00p.m.

<u>FEED MY PEOPLE - ADOPT-A-FAMILY 2020</u> If you would like to adopt a family, please call Joyce Sorth at 314-894-3773, e-mail at <u>larry.sorth@gmail.com</u>, or place a note in their mail slot at church by November 1. Thank you!

JOURNEY WITH US THROUGH THE REFORMATION Weekly videos are available for you to watch, along with an activity booklet for children, hymn Bible Study for teens and adults, and fun Reformation links to enjoy. To view the information, go to our church website and click on the Luther's Seal.

<u>CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS</u> Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, flower money collected to decorate our sanctuary for our Easter 2020 weekend will be used to purchase Christmas 2020 poinsettias <u>and</u> Easter 2021 palms, lilies/azaleas.

KFUO PEACE BROADCASTS have all been reserved for 2021. Thank you!

<u>JEFFERSON BARRACKS MILITARY FOOD PANTRY</u> collection will be held on Nov. 1, 8 and 15. Look for a box in the commons area. This is sponsored by Peace Ladies Guild. Thank you for your donation and support.

<u>ALL SAINTS' DAY</u> commemorations (Oct. 31/Nov. 1) will include: James Long, 71; Karen Long, 69; Marion Georgen, 96; Larry Woehr, 70; Joanne Kuhn, 85; Frederick Seiller, 78; William Richter, 90; Clarice Moelm, 93; Jason Garozzo, 45; Erma Hudson, 79; Robert Hooss, 97; Jason Jeffcott, 45; Jeanette Smith, 86; Robert Hubeli, 90; Samantha Graves, 31; Herman Petsch, 84; Mildred Offerman, 95; Edith Turner, 80; Janet Yaeger, 77; June Seiller, 77; Alaina Wright, 5 months; August Hummert III, 78; Marjorie Berberich, 73; Marvleen Noll, 83; Sharon Hammon, 78; Elise Akins, 62; Jane Crabble, 93; Frances Cobble, 99; Denise Davis, 59; Rhonda Allison, 64; Karin Bick, 83; Jerry McElroy, 82; David Wilson, 62; Marilyn Merkle, 62; Jean Gerfen, 89; Michael Kamer, 48; Sylvia McKinnis, 87; Donald Rathert, 83.

<u>LUTHERAN SOUTH OPEN HOUSE</u> Thursday, October 29 at 6:30 p.m. Learn how we can serve your family and pivot during a pandemic. Join us for a glimpse into Lutheran South. This event is designed for prospective students and parents. Masks are required on campus and temperatures will be checked. To keep our school community safe as well as your family, we will limit the number in attendance. If you are uncomfortable coming to campus, virtual meetings are available, too! We are happy to set up a time to share more about our school and learn more about your family personally. Register at https://www.lslancers.org/events

# CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF OCTOBER 25, 2020

- Mon: 6:00 Belles of Peace Rehearsal
- 8:00 Alleluia Ringers Rehearsal
- Tue: 9:00 Quilters
- 6:00 Men's Club
- Wed: 4:00 5/6/7/8 grade Confirmation Class
  - 5:30 Chancel Schola Rehearsal
    - 7:00 Chancel Voices Rehearsal
    - 7:00 Wednesday Bible Study
    - 7:00 Jr./Sr. Youth Group
- Thu: 7:00 Chancel Singers Rehearsal
- Sat: 3:30 Drive-in Worship Service (<u>NOTE</u>: Time Change for Service)
- Sun: 8/9:20/10:30 Worship Service