TODAY'S WORSHIP

Divine Service III LSB pages 184-202

L = Liturgist * = Stand C = Congregation

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*OPENING HYMN This is the Day the Lord Has Made

LSB 903

- 1. This is the day the Lord has made; He calls the hours His own. Let heav'n rejoice, let earth be glad And praise surround the throne.
- 2. Today He rose and left the dead And Satan's empire fell; Today the saints His triumphs spread And all His wonders tell.
- 3. Hosanna to the anointed King, To David's holy Son!
 Help us, O Lord, descend and bring Salvation from Your throne.
- 4. Blessed is He who comes to us With messages of grace; He, in the Lord's name, comes to us To save our fallen race.
- 5. Hosanna in the highest strains The church on earth can raise.
 The highest heav'ns, in which He reigns, Shall give Him nobler praise.

10:30 Green Park Choristers and Ringers and Singers

We Will Rejoice

Ruth Elaine Schram

*INVOCATION AND GENERAL CONFESSION

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

BAPTISM (10:30)

- L: He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High, who abides in the shadow of the Almighty:
- C: Will say to the Lord, "My refuge and my fortress; My God, in whom I trust."
- L: For He will deliver you from the snare of the fowler and from the deadly pestilence;
- C: He will cover you with His pinions, and under His wings you will find refuge.
- L: For he will give His angels charge of you to guard you in all your ways,
- C: On their hands they will bear you up, lest you dash your foot against a stone.
- L: Most merciful God, gracious Heavenly Father:
- C: I confess that I am by nature sinful, and that I have disobeyed You in my thoughts, words, and actions. I have done what is evil, and failed to do what is good. But I am truly sorry for my sins and, trusting in my Savior, Jesus Christ, I pray: Lord, have mercy on me, a sinner. Amen.

*THE ABSOLUTION

C: Amen.

*THE GLORIA PATRI (Taken from LSB, page 186)

C: Solory 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

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

Glory be to God on high, And on earth peace, good will toward men. We praise You, we bless You, we worship You, we glorify You, we give You thanks for Your great glory. O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty, O Lord, the only-begotten son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, who takes away the sin of the world, have mercy; who takes away the sin of the world, receive our prayer; who sits at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy. For you only are holy; You only are the Lord; You only, O Christ, with the Holy Spirit, are most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

*THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

L: The Lord be with you.

C: And with thy spirit.

L: Let us pray.

C: Amen.

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING for the nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost is from Amos 6:4-7, page 768: (8:00, 10:30)

⁴"Woe to those who lie on beds of ivory and stretch themselves out on their couches, and eat lambs from the flock and calves from the midst of the stall, ⁵who sing idle songs to the sound of the harp and like David invent for themselves instruments of music, ⁶who drink wine in bowls and anoint themselves with the finest oils, but are not grieved over the ruin of Joseph! ⁷Therefore they shall now be the first of those who go into exile, and the revelry of those who stretch themselves out shall pass away."

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: I Thanks be to God.

THE EPISTLE is from I Timothy 6:6-16, page 993:

⁶Now there is great gain in godliness with contentment, ⁷for we brought nothing into the world, and we cannot take anything out of the world. ⁸But if we have food and clothing, with these we will be content. ⁹But those who desire to be rich fall into temptation, into a snare, into many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. ¹⁰For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evils. It is through this craving that some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pangs. ¹¹But as for you, O man of God, flee these things. Pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, steadfastness, gentleness. ¹² Fight the good fight of the faith. Take hold of the eternal life to which you were called and about which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. ¹³ I charge you in the presence of God, who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus, who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, ¹⁴to keep the commandment unstained and free from reproach until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ, ¹⁵which he will display at the proper time—he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords, ¹⁶ who alone has immortality, who dwells in unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see. To him be honor and eternal dominion. Amen.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

*ALLELUIA AND VERSE

C: Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

*THE HOLY GOSPEL - The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the sixteenth chapter, verses 19-31, page 876: C: Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

¹⁹"There was a rich man who was clothed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. ²⁰And at his gate was laid a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, ²¹who desired to be fed with what fell from the rich man's table. Moreover, even the dogs came and licked his sores. ²²The poor man died and was carried by the angels to Abraham's side. The rich man also died and was buried, ²³and in Hades, being in torment, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus at his side. ²⁴And he called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the end of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am in anguish in this flame.' ²⁵But Abraham said, 'Child, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner bad things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish. ²⁶And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who would pass from here to you may not be able, and none may cross from there to

us.' ²⁷And he said, 'Then I beg you, father, to send him to my father's house— ²⁸for I have five brothers—so that he may warn them, lest they also come into this place of torment.' ²⁹But Abraham said, 'They have Moses and the Prophets; let them hear them.' ³⁰And he said, 'No, father Abraham, but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' ³¹He said to him, 'If they do not hear Moses and the Prophets, neither will they be convinced if someone should rise from the dead.'"

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

*THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

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

- 1. Lord God, we all to You give praise, Thanksgivings meet to You we raise That angel hosts You did create Around Your glorious throne to wait.
- 2. So watchful is the angel band That follows Christ on every hand To guard His people where they go And break the counsel of the Foe.
- 3. For this, now and in days to be, Our praise shall rise, O Lord, to Thee, Whom all the angel hosts adore With grateful songs forevermore. CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (8:00 & 10:30)

Marilyn Wiesehan

HYMN OF THE DAY

Rejoice, O Pilgrim Throng

LSB 813

1. Rejoice, O pilgrim throng! Rejoice, give thanks, and sing; Your festal banners wave on high, The cross of Christ your king.

Refrain: Rejoice! Rejoice, give thanks, and sing!

- 2. With all the angel choirs, With all the saints on earth Pour out the strains of joy and bliss, True rapture, noblest mirth. (Refrain)
- Yet on and onward still, With hymn and chant and song, Through gate and porch and columned aisle The hallowed pathways throng. (Refrain)
- 4. Still lift your standard high Still march in firm array,
 As pilgrims through the darkness wend Till dawns the golden day.
 (Refrain)

THE SERMON "The Word Alone" (Luke 16:19-31)

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.

VOLUNTARY 10:30 Green Park Ringers and Singers

Fairest Lord Jesus

Arr. Samuel Stokes

*THE OFFERTORY (LSB pg 192)

♬ 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 (Found on the inside of the back cover of the hymnal)

*THE BENEDICTION

- L: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.
- C: Amen, amen, amen.

*THE CLOSING HYMN

Songs of Praise the Angels Sang

LW 447

- 1. Songs of praise the angels sang. Heav'n with alleluias rang, When creation was begun, When God spoke and it was done.
- 2. Songs of praise awoke the morn When the Prince of Peace was born; Songs of praise arose when He Captive led captivity.
- 3. Borne upon their latest breath, Songs of praise shall conquer death; Then, amidst eternal joy, Songs of praise their pow'rs employ.

*SILENT PRAYER/POSTLUDE +++++

SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY:

Preacher: Pastor Jon C. Furgeson Liturgist: Pastor Dennis A. Kastens

Organist: 8 & 10:30: Kendra Ruesler; 5 & 9:20: Alice Kastens KFUO AM 850 Broadcaster/Engineer: Alan Hopfer/Jeanette Mattingly

NEWS AND NOTES:

THE 19th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SEPTEMBER 25, 2016

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

Adult Bible Class (Lower Commons): Early Church History

<u>Bible Study for 18 - 25 Year Olds (Former Sanctuary Overflow Room)</u>: 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.

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

PLEASE KEEP FOOD & DRINK consumption inside the Gym.

<u>ALTAR FLOWERS</u> are from Dan and Gale Uhlig in celebration of their 60th wedding anniversary on 9/22; from the Beutler family in celebration of Christine's birthday; and from the grandparents of Cole Santiago in celebration of his baptism.

<u>BAPTISM</u> (10:30) <u>Cole Niklaus Santiago</u>, son of Brett J. and Elizabeth M. nee Wesche Santiago. Sponsors: Jacob J. Randolph and Emma C. Odenwald.

OCTOBER NEWSLETTER is in your mail slot.

<u>LIFE CHAIN</u> Please join us for Life Chain, Sunday, October 2, 1:45-3:00. We will meet at Reinhold Flooring, 5429 Telegraph Road. For more information, please contact Sandi Akers. <u>THRIVE'S MEDICAL MOBILE UNIT</u> will be available to tour at Peace, Sunday morning, October 2. Visit the mobile unit to learn more about this life saving ministry. — Life Ministry Team

<u>KFUO PEACE BROADCASTS</u> still have these openings: 2/5, 2/26, 3/19, 3/26, 4/2, 4/9 (Palm Sunday), 4/16 (Easter), 4/23, and 4/30 for 2017. Contact Alan Hopfer.

ST. MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS' DAY is September 29.

LWML SUNDAY is next week, October 2.

<u>YOUTH NEWS</u>: <u>High School Small Groups</u> meet tonight from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. <u>6th - 8th Graders</u> grab your friends and join us for the Amazing Race on Sat., Oct. 15 from 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. Cost is \$5. Sign up by Oct. 9. We will need parents to help drive the teams around South County. <u>Jr. & Sr. Youth</u> are needed to work a shift at the Men's Club Sausage Dinner on Sun., Oct. 16. Please sign up on the Youth Bulletin Board to participate in these activities.

<u>CONCERTS AT PEACE</u> will present organist Jackson Borges in recital on Sunday, October 2, at 3:00 p.m. The program will include Bach's famous Toccata and Fugue in D minor.

<u>GREEN PARK FALL FESTIVAL – OCTOBER 1</u> 3:00-6:00pm on campus. Enjoy face-painting, bobbing for apples, a chili cook-off, and many more treats and activities! This event is open to the whole community.

<u>GREEN PARK GRANDPARENTS DAY</u> will be Friday, October 7. Join us for chapel, refreshments, and a chance to see your grandchild(ren)'s classroom!

<u>PLANNING FOR A LIFETIME SEMINAR</u> Coming soon - Saturday, October 8 beginning at 9:30 a.m. and Monday, October 10 starting at 6:30 p.m. Sign-up sheet and more information at the Welcome Center in the Commons.

<u>NEW DAYTIME ADULT HANDBELL ENSEMBLE</u> is being formed - the Glocken Ringers. We will meet on Wednesdays, 1:00-2:00pm, starting October 5th. <u>No prior music or handbell knowledge is needed to participate</u> and it's open to the community at large. Contact Burnell Hackman to join in on the fun.

<u>ALASKA MISSIONS</u> will begin selling Stoneys Sausages and Cheeses Oct. 1 in the Gym. Also tickets will be available for the Ladies Night Out and Quarter Auction at the same time. Be sure to stop by our table in the Gym and see us!

THE BOAR'S HEAD CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL IS DEC 1, 2, 3 & 4

<u>ADVANCE TICKETS FOR PEACE MEMBERS</u> are available Oct. 22 & 23 and Oct. 29 & 30 after all church services. Each family is allowed up to 6 free tickets.

<u>CAST MEMBERS</u> - Commitment forms are due **TODAY**. Measurement forms and ticket requests are due Sunday, Oct. 16.

BUSINESSES, FAMILIES, AND INDIVIDUALS who would like to support the Festival financially may use the contribution form in the October Peace Lutheran or contact Ralph and Grace Truemper.

<u>VOLUNTEER FORMS</u> available in the Commons. All completed forms may be returned to the Boar's Head box in the Commons or the mail slot in the office.

CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 25, 2016:

Mon: 9:30 Berean Careciples

6:30 Elders

7:00 Boar's Head Committee Meeting

Tue: 9:00 Quilters

6:00 Men's Club

Wed: 4:00 5/6/7/8 Gr. Confirmation Class

7:00 Wednesday Bible Study

Thu: 6:00 Men's Bible Study

9:00 Mary/Martha Bible Study

6:30 ESL Classes

6:30 Fall Court of Honor

Sat: 7:00 Boy Scout Leader Training

3:00 Green Park Fall Festival

5:00 Worship Service w/Comm

Sun: 11:30 Sunday School Meeting

3:00 Jackson Borges Organ Recital