

Shepherd of the Lake Lutheran Church

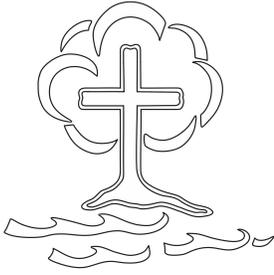
A Christian community sharing God's love with the world



Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

August 16, 2020

9:00 a.m.



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Welcome to Shepherd of the Lake Lutheran Church

Livestream Worship

To live-stream, go to our website: shepherdofthelaketn.org

- scroll down to "Livestream Worship"
- click on the light blue button on the right
- this will connect you to YOUTUBE
- the livestream will begin at 8:55 a.m.
- click on **WORSHIP** tab at top of home page for worship bulletin

Giving:

- drop off at church during office hours: Mon – Fri 9am – 3pm
- mail to Shepherd of the Lake Lutheran Church (see address below)
- schedule through your bank/financial institution
- *Tithe.ly* online **GIVING** is now available at shepherdofthelaketn.org

***Flowers are given by Lucile & Robert Duvall
in celebration of their 51st Wedding Anniversary***

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PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Stand

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P Blessed be the holy Trinity,
Father, † Son, and Holy Spirit,
whose steadfast love is everlasting,
whose faithfulness endures from generation to generation.

C Amen.

P Trusting in the mercy of God, let us confess our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P Reconciling God,

**C we confess that we do not trust your abundance,
and we deny your presence in our lives.**

**We place our hope in ourselves
and rely on our own efforts.**

We fail to believe that you provide enough for all.

We abuse your good creation for our own benefit.

**We fear difference and do not welcome others
as you have welcomed us.**

We sin in thought, word, and deed.

**By your grace, forgive us;
through your love, renew us;
and in your Spirit, lead us;**

so that we may live and serve you in newness of life. Amen.

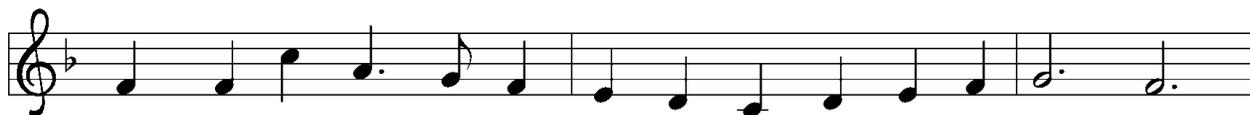
P Beloved of God,
by the radical abundance of divine mercy
we have peace with God through † Christ Jesus,
through whom we have obtained grace upon grace.

Our sins are forgiven.

Let us live now in hope.

For hope does not disappoint,
because God's love has been poured into our hearts
through the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.



- ☆ 1 Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre - a - tion!
 2 Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is won-drous-ly reign - ing
 ☆ 3 Praise to the Lord, who will pros - per your work and de - fend you;
 ☆ 4 Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is in me a - dore him!



O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and sal - va - tion!
 and, as on wings of an ea - gle, up - lift - ing, sus - tain - ing.
 sure - ly his good - ness and mer - cy shall dai - ly at - tend you.
 All that has life and breath, come now with prais - es be - fore him!



Let all who hear now to his tem - ple draw near,
 Have you not seen all that is need - ful has been
 Pon - der a - new what the Al - might - y can do
 Let the a - men sound from his peo - ple a - gain.



join - ing in glad ad - o - ra - tion!
 sent by his gra - cious or - dain - ing?
 if with his love he be - friend you.
 Glad - ly for - ev - er a - dore him!

Text: Joachim Neander, 1650–1680; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1827–1878, alt.
 Music: LOBE DEN HERREN, *Ernewerten Gesangbuch*, Part II, Stralsund, 1665

GREETING

- P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
 and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
 C **And also with you.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

- P God of all peoples, your arms reach out to embrace all those who call upon you. Teach us
 as disciples of your Son to love the world with compassion and constancy, that your name
 may be known throughout the earth, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
 C **Amen.**

Sit

THE LESSONS

FIRST READING: **Isaiah 56:1, 6-8**

¹Thus says the LORD:

 Maintain justice, and do what is right,
 for soon my salvation will come,
 and my deliverance be revealed.

⁶And the foreigners who join themselves to the LORD,
 to minister to him, to love the name of the LORD,
 and to be his servants,
all who keep the sabbath, and do not profane it,
 and hold fast my covenant—

⁷these I will bring to my holy mountain,
 and make them joyful in my house of prayer;
their burnt offerings and their sacrifices
 will be accepted on my altar;
for my house shall be called a house of prayer
 for all peoples.

⁸Thus says the Lord GOD,
 who gathers the outcasts of Israel,
I will gather others to them
 besides those already gathered.

The word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

PSALM: **Psalm 67**

¹May God be merciful to | us and bless us;
 may the light of God's face | shine upon us.

²**Let your way be known | upon earth,**
 your saving health a- | mong all nations.

³Let the peoples praise | you, O God;
 let all the | peoples praise you.

⁴**Let the nations be glad and | sing for joy,**
 for you judge the peoples with equity and guide all the na- | tions on earth.

⁵Let the peoples praise | you, O God;
 let all the | peoples praise you.

⁶**The earth has brought | forth its increase;**
 God, our own | God, has blessed us.

⁷May God | give us blessing,
 and may all the ends of the earth | stand in awe.

SECOND READING: Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32

[Paul writes:] ¹I ask, then, has God rejected his people? By no means! I myself am an Israelite, a descendant of Abraham, a member of the tribe of Benjamin. ^{2a}God has not rejected his people whom he foreknew.

²⁹For the gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable. ³⁰Just as you were once disobedient to God but have now received mercy because of their disobedience, ³¹so they have now been disobedient in order that, by the mercy shown to you, they too may now receive mercy. ³²For God has imprisoned all in disobedience so that he may be merciful to all.

The word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

C Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

P The holy gospel according to Matthew.

C Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL: Matthew 15:[10-20] 21-28

[¹⁰[Jesus] called the crowd to him and said to them, “Listen and understand:¹¹it is not what goes into the mouth that defiles a person, but it is what comes out of the mouth that defiles.” ¹²Then the disciples approached and said to him, “Do you know that the Pharisees took offense when they heard what you said?” ¹³He answered, “Every plant that my heavenly Father has not planted will be uprooted. ¹⁴Let them alone; they are blind guides of the blind. And if one blind person guides another, both will fall into a pit.” ¹⁵But Peter said to him, “Explain this parable to us.” ¹⁶Then he said, “Are you also still without understanding? ¹⁷Do you not see that whatever goes into the mouth enters the stomach, and goes out into the sewer? ¹⁸But what comes out of the mouth proceeds from the heart, and this is what defiles. ¹⁹For out of the heart come evil intentions, murder, adultery, fornication, theft, false witness, slander. ²⁰These are what defile a person, but to eat with unwashed hands does not defile.”]

²¹Jesus left that place and went away to the district of Tyre and Sidon. ²²Just then a Canaanite woman from that region came out and started shouting, “Have mercy on me, Lord, Son of David; my daughter is tormented by a demon.” ²³But he did not answer her at all. And his disciples came and urged him, saying, “Send her away, for she keeps shouting after us.” ²⁴He answered, “I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.” ²⁵But she came and knelt before him, saying, “Lord, help me.” ²⁶He answered, “It is not fair to take the children’s food and throw it to the dogs.” ²⁷She said, “Yes, Lord, yet even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their masters’ table.” ²⁸Then Jesus answered her, “Woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish.” And her daughter was healed instantly.

P The gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

Sit

SERMON

Remain seated

HYMN OF THE DAY

Healer of Our Every Ill

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Refrain



Heal - er of our ev - 'ry ill, light of each to - mor - row,



give us peace be - yond our fear, and hope be - yond our sor - row.



- 1 You who know our fears and sad - ness, grace us with your
- 2 In the pain and joy be - hold - ing how your grace is
- 3 Give us strength to love each oth - er, ev - 'ry sis - ter,
- 4 You who know each thought and feel - ing, teach us all your



Refrain

peace and glad - ness; Spir - it of all com - fort, fill our hearts.
still un - fold - ing, give us all your vi - sion, God of love.
ev - 'ry broth - er; Spir - it of all kind - ness, be our guide.
way of heal - ing; Spir - it of com - pas - sion, fill each heart.

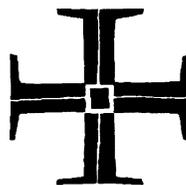
Text: Marty Haugen, b. 1950

Music: HEALER OF OUR EVERY ILL, Marty Haugen

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Stand



APOSTLES' CREED

Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith.

**C I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Confident of your care and aided by the Holy Spirit, we pray for the church, the world, and all who are in need.

A brief silence.

Lord, you gather the church to be part of your mission as ambassadors of Jesus Christ. As Jesus acknowledged the great faith of a woman from outside his people, help your church discover and find blessing in the faith of people we might reject. Lord, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

You have blessed us with the bounty of the earth. Grant your grace to all your creatures, that the earth will flourish. Help us to relieve waters choked by garbage, renew soils stripped of nutrients, and refresh the air all creatures need to live. Lord, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

You call the nations to be glad and sing for joy. Let your way be known among all the nations of the world, now divided by competing interests, contending alliances, and consumed by enormous worry. Bless us and make your face shine upon all. Lord, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

You show unexpected mercy, kindness, and generosity. We pray for those who do not have enough, for outcasts in our villages, cities, and town, and for those who need your healing *especially...* Lord, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

In you we live and move and have our being. Grant our congregation grace to find our life refreshed in you. Accompany us in the rhythms of this season. Give us rest and renewal, and strengthen us for mission in your name. Lord, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Your eternal promises are more than we could ever imagine. As you gather all the saints, join us also with them on the great day of your salvation. Lord, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

In the certain hope that you are at the intersection of our anxieties and your love, we offer these prayers to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

THE PEACE

P The peace of Christ be with you always.
C **And also with you.**

While standing in place, we turn to greet one another with a sign of peace.

Remain standing as the Lord's table is prepared.

Offering plates are placed at the entrance to the sanctuary.

OFFERING PRAYER

P Let us pray.
C **Merciful God,
our ordinary gifts seem small for such a celebration,
but you make of them an abundance, just as you do with our lives.
Feed us again at this table for service in your name,
in the strength of the risen Christ. Amen.**

GREAT THANKSGIVING

P The Lord be with you.
C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts.
C **We lift them to the Lord.**

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
C **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

PREFACE

P It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,
that we should at all times and in all places
give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God,
through our Savior Jesus Christ;
who on this day overcame death and the grave,
and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.
And so, with all the choirs of angels,
with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

SANCTUS

**C Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

P Holy, mighty, and merciful Lord,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
In great love you sent to us Jesus, your Son,
who reached out to heal the sick and suffering,
who preached good news to the poor,
and who, on the cross, opened his arms to all.

Lift the bread.

In the night in which he was handed over,
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.

Lift the wine.

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.

Remembering, therefore, his death, resurrection, and ascension,
we await his coming in glory.

Pour out upon us the Spirit of your love, O Lord,
and unite the wills of all who share this heavenly food,
the body and blood of Jesus Christ, our Lord;
to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,
be all honor and glory, now and forever.

C Amen.

P Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit; let us pray as Jesus taught us.

LORD'S PRAYER

**C 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.**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia!

C Thanks be to God!

Sit

AGNUS DEI

**C Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace.**

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

As you share Holy Communion with one another or by yourself, use the words:

“The body of Christ given for you.” as you share the bread

“The blood of Christ shed for you.” as you share the wine

After all have communed, an usher will pick up the communion cups and packaging.

If you are not communing today, you may use this time for meditation and reflection.

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING

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

C Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

P Let us pray.

**C Life-giving God, we give you thanks that in this bread and cup
we have feasted again on your endless love.
Send us forth in the power of your Spirit,
that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world
through Jesus Christ, our Lord.
Amen.**

Stand

BLESSING

- P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.
The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.
- C **Amen.**

SENDING HYMN

Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing (1, 2, 3, 6)

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- ☆1 Oh, for a thou-sand tongues to sing my great Re-deem-er's praise,
☆2 My gra-cious Mas-ter and my God, as-sist me to pro-claim,
☆3 The name of Je-sus charms our fears and bids our sor-rows cease,
4 He speaks, and lis-t'ning to his voice, new life the dead re-ceive;



the glo-ries of my God and king, the tri-umphs of his grace!
to spread through all the earth a-broad the hon-ors of your name.
sings mu-sic in the sin-ner's ears, brings life and health and peace.
the mourn-ful, bro-ken hearts re-joice, the hum-ble poor be-lieve.

- 5 Look unto him, your Savior own, O fallen human race!
Look and be saved through faith alone, be justified by grace!
- ☆ 6 To God all glory, praise, and love
be now and ever giv'n
by saints below and saints above,
the church in earth and heav'n.

Text: Charles Wesley, 1707–1788, alt.

Music: AZMON, Carl G. Gläser, 1784–1829; arr. Lowell Mason, 1792–1872

DISMISSAL

- P Go in peace. Christ is with you.
- C **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

Fellowship in the Zoom Room at 10:15am

A Zoom invitation link was sent by email this morning with service links.

Online Bible Study – Wednesday, August 19th at 10:00am

BACK to BASICS Bible Study with Pr. Ingrid

A Zoom invitation will be sent by email on Wednesday morning.

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