

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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*A Christ Caring People Who Gather Around Word and Sacrament,
Yoked Together, In Personal Service to Christ in World Wide Missions*



AS WE GATHER

All of our prayer and praise is only our response to what God has said to us. Through the revealed Word of the Bible and the incarnate Word, Jesus, God has talked to us about sin and grace. Our talking back to Him, unfortunately, can be back talk, with all the negative connotations of that term. That's when we deserve to hear the Law, as Job does in today's Old Testament Reading.



But when we have truly heard God's gracious invitation, as Paul reminds us in the Epistle and Peter heard while in his boat, our talking back to God is humble thanks for His grace and mercy. We have the opportunity again today to hear Law and Gospel and to give God the faith-filled back talk He wants from His forgiven sons and daughters.

WELCOME *and* ANNOUNCEMENTS

If there are prayer concerns for you, your family, your friends, or your neighbors, please put them on the blue information card. Our Board of Elders are prayerful with our pastors about these joys and struggles of our earthly journey.
"The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective." James 5:16b

T DIVINE SERVICE T

OPENING HYMN

"Come, Thou Almighty King"

(LSB 905)

INVOCATION

P In the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

EXHORTATION

- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- C **who made heaven and earth.**
- P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- C **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

CONFESSION *and* ABSOLUTION

- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- C **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**
- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C **Amen.**

✠ WORD ✠

INTROIT

Psalm 34:4–8; antiphon: Psalm 34:1

- P I will bless the LORD at all times;
- C **His praise shall continually be in my mouth.**
- P I sought the LORD, and He answered me
- C **and delivered me from all my fears.**
- P Those who look to Him are radiant,
- C **and their faces shall never be ashamed.**
- P This poor man cried, and the LORD heard him
- C **and saved him out of all his troubles.**
- P The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fear Him,
- C **and delivers them.**
- P Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good!
- C **Blessed is the man who takes refuge in Him!**
- 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.

P I will bless the LORD at all times;

C His praise shall continually be in my mouth.

KYRIE

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

Glory be to God on high: and on earth peace, good - will toward men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory. O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty. O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that take away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.

Thou that take away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-

on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.

Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho-ly Ghost,

art most high in the glory of God the Father. A-men.

SALUTATION and COLLECT OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray. Almighty and most merciful God, You have opened our hearts to hear Your accusing and acquitting Word, which saves us from our sin and defeats the forces of evil.

C **Strengthen our faith so that we may live confidently under Your care and spread the news of Your grace in what we say and do;**

P through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

(Please be seated)

OLD TESTAMENT

Job 38:4-18

(God puts Job in his place.)

After the reading:

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

EPISTLE LESSON *Romans 10:5-17* (Everyone who calls on the Lord will be saved.)

After the reading:

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

SPECIAL MUSIC “Jesus, Name Above All Names” (Hearn/Wilson)
Lisa Stanley, vocalist

(Please stand)

HOLY GOSPEL *Matthew 14:22-33* (Jesus invites Peter to walk to Him on the water.)

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fourteenth chapter.

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

After the reading:

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

(Please be seated)

SERMON HYMN “We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God” (LSB 523)

SERMON “*Fear, Focus, Faith: The Savior Reaches Out in Love*” (St. Matthew 14:27)
Pastor Joshua Baumann

CREED 8:20am Apostles’ *Inside back cover of the Lutheran Service Book*
 11:00am Nicene *Inside back cover of the Lutheran Service Book*

OFFERING *We gather our tithes, gifts of love, and our “Building Together in Faith” gifts.*

(Please stand)

OFFERTORY



C Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -
 new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -
 way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it
 from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -
 tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir - it. A - men.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

P Let us pray for all people in their various needs, for the Church around the world, and for those near and dear to us.

Our great God “laid the foundation of the world.” Let us ask His guidance and protection for all who tend His good creation, tilling the soil and protecting the environment; for all who connect resources with people in need of food, clothing, and shelter, providing dignity and hope; and for all who work for peace and justice in their positions of authority.



C Lord, hear our prayer as we call to You.

P “How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!” Let us ask the Holy Spirit’s strength and encouragement for all who proclaim the Gospel in pulpits and hospitals, on battlefields and in refugee camps, offering the salvation that the Word of Christ announces; for all who put their faith into action, teaching the young, consoling the ill, comforting the grieving, and listening to the distraught; and for those near and dear to us, [*including . . .*], and those known only to our gracious God.

C Lord, hear our prayer as we call to You.

P Jesus said, “Take heart; it is I. Do not be afraid.” Let us ask our Savior’s gracious presence

and protection for people of faith around the world, enduring persecution and standing with the weak; for the Church in our land, confronting injustice and resisting indifference wherever they are found; and for ourselves, gathering around Word and Sacrament and responding to the Gospel in word and deed.

C Lord, hear our prayer as we call to You.

P These and any other things You would have us ask of You, gracious God, grant to us for the sake of the sufferings and death of Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C Amen.

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.

The 8:20am service continues on page 10 with the Benediction.

IN REGARD TO HOLY COMMUNION: According to Scripture, Holy Communion should be celebrated by those who are: **United in a common faith** (1 Cor. 10:16-17, 21-22; Rom. 16:17); **Repentant of sins** (1 Cor. 5:11, Matt. 18:17-18); **Able to examine their lives** (1 Cor. 11:27-29); and believe that in this precious meal they **receive the true body and blood of Jesus** given and shed for the forgiveness of their sins (Luke 22:19-22).

Since Scripture teaches that those people who do not fully understand the meaning of this meal eat and drink to their own harm (1Cor. 11:27-29), and because the Lord's Supper is the supreme act of stating our unity in faith and doctrine, we would ask those people who are visiting with us to **please speak with one of our pastors**, before communing, in order that we might fulfill our responsibility of properly instructing people in the right use of the precious Sacrament.

✠ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT ✠ **11:00am Service**

PREFACE

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Lift up your hearts.

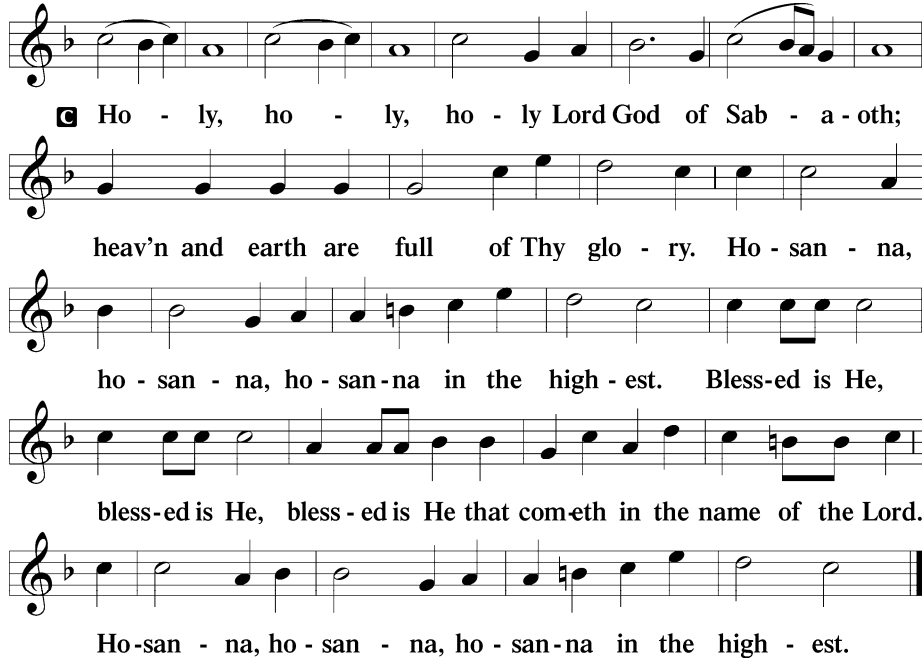
C **We lift them to the Lord.**

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

P It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who by His death atoned for our sins and by His glorious resurrection saved us to everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

SANCTUS



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;
heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,
ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He,
bless - ed is He, bless - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.
Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

P Blessed are You, Lord of all creation, who has given us life and health and all our senses to live within the time and space You have allotted to us. But most of all, we bless You for Your Son, who entered Your creation to save us from our sins and to make us a people, protected and defended by You, our rock and fortress.

Invited by Your grace, we call out to You in His name, asking that we may faithfully receive Him under this bread and wine now and always until we see Him face-to-face in the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver

and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

WORDS OF OUR LORD

Matt 26:26–28; Mk 14:22–24; Lk 22:19–20; 1 Cor 11:23–25

PAX DOMINI

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

AGNUS DEI



O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the world, have mer-cy up - on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the world, have mer-cy up - on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. A - - men.

(Please be seated)

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

“All Mankind Fell in Adam’s Fall”

(LSB 562)

“Drawn to the Cross Which Thou Hast Blessed”

(LSB 560)

“You Satisfy the Hungry Heart”

(LSB 641)



(Please stand)

NUNC DIMITTIS

C Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac-
 cord-ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,
 which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,
 a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy
 peo-ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry be to the Father and
 to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,
 is now, and ev - er shall be, world without end. A - men.

POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING

P Let us pray.

We give thanks, heavenly Father, that You have again given us Your dear Son's body and blood, the assurance of sins forgiven, and the only source of life and salvation. Accompany us with the news of Your gracious invitation that whoever calls on His name shall be saved; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord.

C Amen.

BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

C Amen.

Numbers 6:24-26

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Welcome to Faith Evangelical Lutheran on this Tenth Sunday after Pentecost! We are delighted to have you in worship with us. If you are visiting from out of town, we bid you welcome and God-speed on your journey. Should you be from our community, and have no church home, we invite you to make Faith your church home. Greeting you this morning:

**Before Early Service**

Kristy Deal & Janice Deal
 Rick & Denise Mallo

After Early Service

Veryl & Pat Huisman
 Chrystal Hill

Before Late Service

Mike & Loretta Jochim
 Brandon & Misty Hoftiezer

Preaching this morning is Reverend Joshua Baumann, our Associate Pastor. Reverend Cory Rajek, our Senior Pastor, is our Liturgist.



Holy Communion is celebrated at our 11:00 service this Sunday. In this Sacrament, our Lord brings us strength and forgiveness to be about His vision and mission. Those confirmed Lutherans who come to the Sacrament of the Altar today are asked to read the communion side of our information card found in the pew rack and to sign the bottom of the reverse side so that our communion records might be complete.

Sunday School Sunday School is done for the summer but will resume next September. Sunday School is for all children age 3 by September 1, 2017. Green registration sheets are located on the information table in the Narthex.

Nursery Nursery is available during the 11:00 service. Nursery is located in the **F/G Room downstairs**. It is for children ages infant through 5 year olds.

God Be With You!

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Our Broadcasts Our Sonrise Broadcast is made possible this week by our Faith congregation.

Did you know that “Sonrise” is streamed on KCCR live? If you are away, log on to www.TodaysKCCR.com. The Broadcast schedules are on the traveling Bulletin board, which is in the Narthex. COST: You may sponsor the radio broadcast of Sonrise for \$30.00. This radio

broadcast is on 1240 AM KCCR at 6:40 a.m. on Sunday morning.

Sun., Aug. 6, Att. 254; General Fund \$9,238.00; Building Fund \$1,495.00 (Debt Retirement \$1,495.00); Love Fund \$125.00; Contingency Fund \$100.00; Thrivent Automatic Withdrawal \$1,245.00 (General \$1,200.00, Debt Retirement \$245.00, Utecht Ministry \$70.00); Bible Study \$28.00; Utecht Ministry \$100.00; Memorial in memory of Tom Henderson \$20.00.

This Week at Faith Lutheran

Today: Aug. 13

8:20 am Worship
11:00 am Communion

Mon: Aug. 14

6:00 pm Women's Fun Night at
McClelland's in Ft. Pierre

Tues: Aug. 15

8:25 am Staff Devotions
6:00-7:30 pm Pickleball

Wed: Aug. 16

12:15-5:30 pm Blood Drive
8:00 pm LYF Youth Meeting

Thurs: Aug. 17

8:25 am Staff Devotions
5:30-7:00 Congregational Fish Fry

Sun: Aug. 20

8:20 am Communion
11:00 am Worship



BUILDING NEWS

Thank you for your continued gifts to our Building Fund – We thank you for your gifts last Sunday to the Building Fund of \$1,740.00. The gifts were designated as follows:

The Debt Retirement Account: \$1,740.00
The Building Account: \$0.00



Mark your calendars for Monday, **August 14** as that is the evening of our **Women's Fun Nite hosted by the LWML!** We will be meeting at McClelland's restaurant in Ft. Pierre at 6:00 for an evening of fun, laughter and prizes. The cost for the roast beef dinner will be \$12.00 each and will include roast beef, potato, vegetable, salad, bun, water and coffee. The sign-up sheet is on the table in the Narthex. **Bring a friend** and enjoy an evening

of great fellowship!

Blood Drive Faith Lutheran will be having a blood drive on Wednesday, August 16 from 12:15-5:30pm. For an appointment call (605) 222-8675 or go to www.bloodhero.com, Sponsor code: pierrefaith.





You're invited...to a fish fry! That's right, Faith's Annual Fish Fry will be held on August 17th from 5:30pm to 7:00pm. This is a potluck, **so please bring a dish to pass.** There'll be plenty of fish served, but if you'd like to donate some of your fresh catch, we won't turn you down. We kindly ask that you please sign up on the sheet in the Narthex so we can get our best guesstimate on attendance. Thanks, and hope to see you there!

A Request We are trying to update our membership listings and would like to get current information from ALL of our members. We know some email addresses have changed as they come back to us as undeliverable. You will receive a new information sheet in your newsletter for September. Please fill it out and return it to the church office so we might get these updates to the new program made as soon as possible. Thanks for your help!

There is a link on the website to Subscribe to our church mass email blasts:

<http://faithluth.com/getconnected/subscribetoenews/>

Main Street Living **Did you know** the Main Street Living program is broadcast throughout South Dakota and into bordering states on two TV stations: KDLT in Sioux Falls at 10:00 AM central and KEVN at 8:00 AM mountain in Rapid City? **Did you know** you can see the Worship Service and Kid's Crossing on our website at anytime? All programs are streamed on www.mainstreetliving.com, and are available the day before they are broadcast.

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Kid's Crossing-Nurse Stacy tells about washing feet and the importance of taking care of our bodies.

Worship service-Rev. Eric Obermann of Our Redeemer Lutheran Church in Custer SD, and Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Hill City, SD brings us today's message "Where Were You?" based on Job 38: 4-18. The Main Street Living Choir will lead the singing of: Now Thank We All Our God; From All That Dwell Below the Skies; and God Bless Our Native Land. The program is interpreted and closed captioned for the hearing impaired.

Life Quotes "As Christians, we have a responsibility to provide comfort to the sick, as we do not want anyone to suffer. That is why we promote work to improve palliative care so doctors will have better means to relieve suffering at life's end until God calls us home to heaven where there is no suffering. Let us put our trust in Him." *Virginia Flo, regional director of Minnesota and national conference director for Lutherans For Life – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life •*

Faith Lutheran Youth

Here's what's happening with the youth of Faith Lutheran....



Acolytes for Sunday

August 13

Early: Cassandra Ryckman,

Jonathan Geuther

Late: Becca Norris, Bailey Siebrasse

August 20

Early: Andrew Axdahl, Carson Tschetter

Late: Kamden Carter, Kaycee Carter

August 27

Early: Maria Noyes, Nathan Shoup

Late: Deni Zeeb, Trevor Hayes

* If acolytes are not able to be present for their assigned day, it is their responsibility to call someone else to find a replacement and then notify the church office. Thank you so very much!

→ PRAYERS of all types and sorts:

This week as you pray.... Lift up in your prayers before God families that have struggled through divorce and separation, that God would bring healing, peace, and the hope of Jesus Christ into those lives which are affected. **Lord in Your mercy...**

Hear Our Prayer.

MARIACHI SAN PABLO.... OCT 28-29TH. Don't miss it! More details to come!!!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

→Midweek Parent's Meeting for Wednesday, September 6th!!! There will be a parent's meeting **Wednesday, September 6th** for parents of Midweek students in grades 2-8. At least one parent or guardian is expected to attend.



The parent's meeting is 6:30 p.m. at Faith in the church sanctuary. Youth are not required to attend, just one of their parents or legal guardians. This is an opportunity to ask questions, meet teachers, see rooms, pay for materials, and cover expectations for the year.

RALLY DAY – Sunday, September 10th! Join us at Faith Lutheran on this special Sunday as we celebrate the start of Sunday School, watch the special moment when 2nd graders receive their new Bibles at the 11 o'clock service, enjoy a meal at noon provided by our board of Parish Fellowship, and have opportunities for the kids including games and a bounce house in the Christian Family Life Center courtesy of the Board of Education. We look forward to seeing you there among us!

→Would there be interest in a 5th -8th grade JYM Lock-In this coming

Sept./Oct????– If so, Pastor Baumann needs to know by the end of August so he can begin planning and promoting. What's needed? ... Kids to sign-up!.. One parent to help me plan!.. potential food and snack donations... And if at all possible one other adult to be present at Faith during the lock-in (Can sleep if desired) just so I have a back-up person on site in case of emergency. We can swim, we'll play games, eat snacks, get to know one another more through activities and community builder exercises, do an evening worship service in the church late at night/early morning, we could have video game stations set up using the projectors, spend time with God in His Word and in Prayer... the possibilities are endless. I'd be thinking 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. on a Friday night. I've taken kids to the football game beforehand and then completed the rest of the lock-in afterwards, and we've also done part of the lock-in at the Y too! We can do whatever, but first I need to know there would be interest. A sign-up sheet will be posted on the back table in the Narthex this coming Sunday and following, or call Pastor Baumann at the office (224-2216). Looking for *at least 7 kids* to sign up and *1 parent helper* from the church to let me know they are interested. Need to know by August 20th. Looking for 7 kids and 1 adult to make the lock-in a go. Friends would certainly be welcome but don't count toward the minimum number I am desiring. More information to come once I know there is interest. God's Peace! Can't wait to share in a fantastic lock-in together! – Pastor Baumann -

→ Trunk 'N' Treat! All youth of the community are invited to attend a family friendly Trunk n' Treat activity at Faith Lutheran Church Parking Lot from 6:00 to 7:15 p.m. on Tuesday, October 31st. Dress up as your favorite Biblical character or best Angry Bird costume and we hope to see you there in this safe, fun, and welcoming environment!



→ **Need to talk? Need prayers and encouragement?** Pastor Baumann would love to pray for you, and if possible even with you for anything big or small that may be on your heart or mind. Find him after worship, or in the office for a special opportunity for prayer and conversation.
→ **Got something to share in the youth announcement section?** Please e-mail it to: baumannj@csl.edu Thanks!

Upcoming Youth Dates to Keep in Mind:

August 17th → Teacher Training for Midweek & S.S. 5:30-7:30 p.m.

September 6th → Midweek Parent's Meeting

September 10th → Rally Day

September 10th → Adult Bible Class Begins

September 13th → Midweek Begins

Oct. 31st → Trunk N' Treat from 6:00-7:15 p.m. in Faith parking lot (L.Y.F. Serves Drinks)

Sept/Oct. ?th → 5th – 8th grade JYM lock-in @ Faith 7:00 p.m.— 7:00 a.m.

July 2019, 11-15th → LCMS Natl' Youth Gathering Minneapolis

On The Lighter Side...

~ A toothless termite walked into a tavern and said, "Is the bar tender here?"

Q: What do you get when you cross a karate expert with a pig?

A: A porkchop.

