
HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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THE LUTHERAN CHURCH – MISSOURI SYNOD



The Feast of St. Michael and All Angels
Divine Service, Setting Two
3 & 4 October AD 2026

Order of Service

Carillon Peal

Welcome

Hymn of Invocation: #522 – Lord God, to Thee We Give All Praise, v. 1-3, 7-8

Invocation

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

C Amen.

Exhortation

P If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

C But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Confession of Sins

P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

C Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

Absolution

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

Service of the Word

Introit

P Bless the Lord, O my soul,

C and all that is within me, bless his holy name!

P Bless the Lord, O you his angels,

C you mighty ones who do his word, obeying the voice of his word!

P Bless the Lord, all his hosts,

C his ministers, who do his will!

P Bless the Lord, all his works, in all places of his dominion.

C Bless the Lord, O my soul!

C 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 Bless the Lord, O my soul,

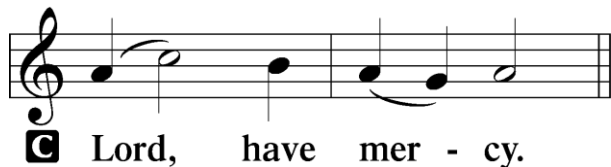
C and all that is within me, bless his holy name!

Kyrie

P In peace let us pray to the Lord.



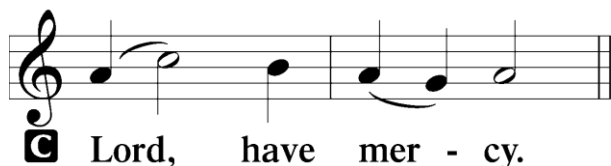
P For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.



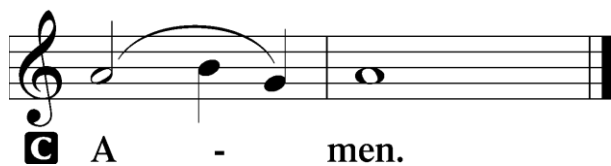
P For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.



P For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.



P Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.



This Is the Feast

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



C Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain,



whose blood set us free to be peo-ple of God.



Pow - er and rich - es and wis - dom and strength and



hon - or and bless-ing and glo - ry are His.



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al - le -



lu - ia. Sing with all the peo - ple of



God, and join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion:



Bless - ing and hon - or and glo - ry and might be to



God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.



Salutation and Collect of the Day:

P The Lord be with you.



P Let us pray.

Everlasting God, You have ordained and constituted the service of angels and men in a wonderful order. Mercifully grant that, as Your holy angels always serve and worship You in heaven, so by Your appointment they may also help and defend us here on earth; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Old Testament Reading:

Daniel 10:10-14; 12:1-3

¹⁰ A hand touched me and set me trembling on my hands and knees. ¹¹ He said, "Daniel, you who are highly esteemed, consider carefully the words I am about to speak to you, and stand up, for I have now been sent to you." And when he said this to me, I stood up trembling.

¹² Then he continued, "Do not be afraid, Daniel. Since the first day that you set your mind to gain understanding and to humble yourself before your God, your words were heard, and I have come in response to them. ¹³ But the prince of the Persian kingdom resisted me twenty-one days. Then Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me, because I was detained there with the king of Persia. ¹⁴ Now I have come to explain to you what will happen to your people in the future, for the vision concerns a time yet to come."

¹ “At that time Michael, the great prince who protects your people, will arise. There will be a time of distress such as has not happened from the beginning of nations until then. But at that time your people—everyone whose name is found written in the book—will be delivered. ² Multitudes who sleep in the dust of the earth will awake: some to everlasting life, others to shame and everlasting contempt. ³ Those who are wise will shine like the brightness of the heavens, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars for ever and ever.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Psalm

Psalm 91

P ¹ Whoever dwells in the shelter of the Most High

C will rest in the shadow of the Almighty.

P ² I will say of the Lord, “He is my refuge and my fortress,

C my God, in whom I trust.”

P ³ Surely he will save you
from the fowler’s snare

C and from the deadly pestilence.

P ⁴ He will cover you with his feathers,
and under his wings you will find refuge;

C his faithfulness will be your shield and rampart.

P ⁵ You will not fear the terror of night,

C nor the arrow that flies by day,

P ⁶ nor the pestilence that stalks in the darkness,

C nor the plague that destroys at midday.

P ⁷ A thousand may fall at your side,
ten thousand at your right hand,

C but it will not come near you.

P ⁸ You will only observe with your eyes

C and see the punishment of the wicked.

P ⁹ If you say, “The Lord is my refuge,”

C and you make the Most High your dwelling,

P ¹⁰ no harm will overtake you,

C no disaster will come near your tent.

P ¹¹ For he will command his angels concerning you

C to guard you in all your ways;

P ¹² they will lift you up in their hands,

C so that you will not strike your foot against a stone.

P ¹³ You will tread on the lion and the cobra;

C you will trample the great lion and the serpent.

P ¹⁴ “Because he loves me,” says the Lord, “I will rescue him;

C I will protect him, for he acknowledges my name.

P ¹⁵ He will call on me, and I will answer him;

I will be with him in trouble,

C and show him my salvation.”

Revelation 12:7–12

¹⁰ Then I heard a loud voice in heaven say:

¹² Therefore rejoice, you heavens
and you who dwell in them!
But woe to the earth and the sea,
because the devil has gone down to you!
He is filled with fury,
because he knows that his time is short.”

C Thanks be to God.

P Alleluia. They have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they loved not their lives even unto death. Alleluia.

You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the tenth chapter.



C Glo - ry to You, O Lord.

¹⁷ The seventy-two returned with joy and said, “Lord, even the demons submit to us in your name.”

¹⁸ He replied, “I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. ¹⁹ I have given you authority to trample on snakes and scorpions and to overcome all the power of the enemy; nothing will harm you. ²⁰ However, do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



C Praise to You, O Christ.

(8:00) Children’s Message

Hymn of the Day: #521 – Christ, the Lord of Hosts, Unshaken

- v. 1 – Soloist/Choir
- v. 2 – Congregation
- v. 3 – Soloist/Choir
- v. 4-6 – Congregation

God’s Word is Taught and Applied: The Sermon

1. At the center of this warfare in heaven is Satan's ability to stand in God’s holy presence and _____ the saints of God.
2. But thanks to this promised seed, the child of this woman, _____, who has ascended to heaven in triumph, Satan is not the only one who wished to represent _____ before the Father.
3. Now, Jesus, God’s own anointed, stands before the Father, bearing the wounds of your salvation in his _____ and his _____.
4. Now lies the problem: there cannot be two _____ in Heaven trying to represent humanity, so war breaks out, and Jesus, our true advocate, the Son of God, God Himself, sends Michael and his angels to go to battle, not with swords or spears or arrows, but with a _____

5. Know that the Father will not listen to Satan's _____ and _____ or _____. No, He will listen to His _____ and the _____ He shed for your sake on the cross.

Nicene Creed

☩ I believe in one God,
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth
and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made;
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary
and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.
He suffered and was buried.
And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures
and ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of the Father.
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead,
whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
and I look for the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer of the Church

☩ Lord, in Your mercy,

☩ hear our prayer;

☩ As You live and reign, Father Son and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever,

☩ Amen.

Offering (please sign the Friendship Register)

Offertory



C What shall I ren - der to the Lord for all His ben - e-fits to



me? I will of-fer the sac-ri - fice of thanks - giv - ing and will



call on the name of the Lord. I will take the cup of sal-



va-tion and will call on the name of the Lord. I will pay my



vows to the Lord now in the pres-ence of all His peo - ple, in the



courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Je-ru - sa - lem.

Service of the Sacrament

Preface

P The Lord be with you.



C And al-so 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.

Proper Preface

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. Through Him Your majesty is praised by all the holy angels and celebrated with one accord by the heavens and all the powers therein. The cherubim and seraphim sing Your praise, and with them we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of
pow'r and might: Heav'n and earth are full of Your
glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
Bless - ed is He who comes in the name
of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

P Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross.

Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful 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.

Lord's Prayer

P Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

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 Words of Our Lord

Pax Domini

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.



C A - men.

Agnus Dei



C Lamb of God, You take a - way the sin of the world;



have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a - way the



sin of the world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of



God, You take a - way the sin of the world;



grant us peace, grant us peace.

Distribution Hymns:

#531 - Hail, Thou Once Despised Jesus

#537 - Beautiful Savior

#832 - Jesus Shall Reign

Thank the Lord

C Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev - 'ry-one what
He has done. Let ev - 'ry-one who seeks the Lord re -
joice and proud - ly bear His name. He re-calls His prom-is-
es and leads His peo - ple forth in joy with shouts of thanks -
giv - ing. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Post-Communion Collect

P Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C A - men.

Benediction

P The Lord bless Thee and keep Thee.

The Lord make His face shine upon Thee and be gracious unto Thee.
The Lord lift up His countenance upon Thee ☩ and give Thee peace.

C A - men.

Hymn to Depart: #491 – Up Through Endless Ranks of Angels

Hope Lutheran Weekly News for 10/3 & 10/4

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For the Sick and Hospitalized – Prayer requests are always welcome and encouraged. “The prayers of the righteous are powerful and effective” (James 5:16). Names will remain on the list for one month. Please get in touch with Pastor or fill out a yellow prayer request if you would like your name or the name of a loved one added.

Prayers for those who are sick and/or hospitalized: Genevieve Pausma, Vivian Gorden, Mary Dahl, Mark Fields, Tony.



For Your Family and Friends Birthdays:

5-Sandie Meulemans	5-Kim Ottery	5-Jason Knueppel	5-Neiomi Hull
6-Gail Williams	7-Gert Hilgendorf	7-Melissa Schneider	8-Michael Primeau
8-Ezekiel Schmidt	9-Samantha Theis	9-Patrick Liner	9-Chase Giese
9-Cooper Ahrens	10-Brett Stuck	10-Brittany Kranig	10-Kay Steffens
10-Jessica Finley			

Wedding Anniversaries:

5-Jarred and Cortney Birschbach (7)	6-Mac and Pat Rinka (53)
7-Chris and Cyrina Pedersen (20)	7-Daniel and Jessica Joseph (37)
7-Andrew and Lori Jurgensmier (31)	8-John and Patty Manthey (49)
10-Adam and Jordan Rosenau (6)	



Events & Information

Attendance – Saturday September 26, 5:30pm - 65; Sunday September 27, 8:00am - 141; 10:30 am - 107.

Altar Flowers – This week is sponsored by Tim and Jane Brenner in memory of Kelly Brenner.

Café Corner – will serve coffee and treats from 9:00-10:30 a.m. and sponsored this Sunday by our LWML & Ladies Guild. Next week will be sponsored by our 8th Grade Confirmants.

LWML Sunday – “Lutheran Women in Mission” We support missions all over the world with money collected in small mite boxes. We invite you to join us by putting a donation in our Large Mite box in the narthex this weekend.

SCRIP – will be available weekly for 15 min after the 5:30 PM and 8 AM Service. Also, for 15 min before the 10:30 AM service at the Welcome Center. Help support our Music Ministry!

Sunday Morning Bible Study Series – join us this Sunday at 9:30 am in the fellowship hall as Pastor Andrew walks through the book of Exodus.

Women on Their Own - will meet at Sunset On The Water, 11:30 on Oct. 15. Reservations with Sylvia at 920-979-8465.

Fireside Fun and Fellowship - at Josh and Jill Harmsen's on Friday, October 16th at their house beginning at 6:00 pm. No need to RSVP. Everyone is invited W3834 Golf Course Dr, Fond du Lac, WI 54937.

Advance Care Planning Information - This past Sunday, September 27, between services, social worker representatives from ThedaCare Advanced Care Planning provided information about Power of Attorney for Health Care documents. Those who attended had the opportunity to complete their documents during the session. Additional Power of Attorney for Health Care forms are available at the Parish Nurse Information Cupboard located by the Café Corner. Please feel free to take a copy. For any questions, contact Joan Farrell at jfarrell@lifeathope.org.

Take home devotional booklet - for Troubles and Trials available in the Narthex. If you find yourself struggling with sin, addiction, facing hardships in life, or feeling beatdown and worn-out please feel free to take one home and use it to pray. We are called in our times of trouble to lay our burdens upon our Lord and find true rest in Him. This booklet is a helpful aid for when we feel hopeless and stuck. *Pastor Mundinger*

Sunday School Volunteers Needed - We are seeking a 4th Grade Sunday School teacher and volunteers to help lead the 3-Year-Old (3P) Sunday School class on a rotating basis as our program continues to grow. If you are interested in serving, please contact Samantha Imrie (simrie@lifeathope.org) or Pastor Mundinger (amundinger@lifeathope.org). Volunteers for the 3P class may also sign up on the sheet in the narthex. Thank you for considering this opportunity to support our children's ministry!

A self-guided Bible study – on healing hurt and wounds in relationships, as well as navigating forgiveness, boundaries, and when restoration may not be wise, is now available. Counseling many individuals in this trying area prompted me to put this Bible study together. Copies are available at the Welcome Center. *Pastor Enderle*.

Men's Ministry – Men of Hope are invited to fellowship every 4th Saturday of the month following Saturday evening worship service. Come for a meal & fellowship followed by a Bible Study. Join us October 24th at 6:30 pm under the shelter.

Funding for Church Positions – Hope has two wonderful and talented people on staff who are not funded through the annual church budget but through special gifts. Joan Farrell, our Parish Nurse, and Samantha Imrie, our Director of Children's Ministry. If you would like to contribute for these positions, simply designate "Parish Nurse" or "Director of Children's Ministry" on any offering envelope, or, if you prefer, go to Hope's webpage and make a gift online! What an exciting time at Hope as cogs in the gears of ministry happen.

Music Ministry – It's not too late to join! Talk to Jessica Finley to learn how to get involved in any of our musical groups: jfinley@lifeathope.org.

Fall Children's Choir – The fall season of Children's Choir begins Wednesday, Oct 7, 5:00-5:45pm in the Music Studio. Last year we were ringing, but this year we are singing! Children in grades 1 – 8 are invited to participate. Details are still being finalized, but we will plan to sing in church once on our own, and finish the season on December 13 with the Sunday School Christmas Program. Contact Jessica Finley with any questions, jfinley@lifeathope.org.

Hope Loaves & Fishes - Schedule change: next serving on Monday, December 14th We will be serving ~200 chicken dinners on Monday, December 14th, along with a special Christmas food “gift bag”. If you would like to help support our less fortunate neighbors in Fond du Lac, please consider the following: 1. Volunteer on Dec 14th at the Church of Peace from 3:30-6pm, assembling meals and food gift bags. 2. Bake homemade cookies for our meal. 3. Contribute to “Hope Lutheran Loaves & Fishes.” Money is directly used to purchase chicken, potatoes, bread, and fresh carrots for the meals and gift bag items like an apple, orange, sausage stick, string cheese, homemade snack mix, trail mix, hot cocoa, cookies, and fruit snacks. We have received funding from Thrivent, but need financial support for this ministry. 4. Pray for our neighbors who struggle with food insecurity and those who serve them. 5. If you would like more information or would like to help, please contact Kim Ross at 920-204-2038.

This Week at Hope

Monday, October 5

10:00 AM Women's Bible Study
5:00 PM Adult Small Group Bible Study
6:00 PM Handbell Rehearsal
7:00 PM Worship Team

Wednesday, October 7

5:00 PM Children's Choir
6:00 PM Catechism (grade 6 & 8 only)
6:30 PM Adult Choir

Friday, October 9

Sunday, October 11

8:00 AM Traditional Service
9:30 AM Sunday School
9:30 AM Adult Bible Study
10:30 AM Barber Baptism
10:30 AM Praise 1030 Worship

Tuesday, October 6

2:00 PM Adult Bible Class
5:30 PM Board of Elders
6:00 PM Board of Trustees
7:00 PM Adult Bible Class

Thursday, October 8

10:00 AM Community Chime Choir
2:15 PM Board of Outreach canceled
6:00 PM Journey to Recovery

Saturday, October 10

11:00 AM LWML Zone 11 Fall Rally
5:30 PM Traditional Service

Serving today:

Preacher: Pastor Andrew P. Mundinger

Liturgist: Pastor Andrew P. Mundinger

Organist: Jessica Finley

5:30 PM

Captain: Garv Shields

Elder: Jon Moen

Ushers: Carol Shields, Everett Werth

8:00 AM

Captain: Dave Knuth

Elder: Ryan Hopp/Ryan Graham

Ushers: Bob Cornejo, John Gleason, Ryan Hopp, Brenda Moss

Altar Assistants: Garv & Carol Shields, Barb & Harold Braatz, Jayne Kaufman
