



Christ the Servant Lutheran Church

Putting Jesus' Way of Life into Practice by...

Encountering God, Loving One Another,
& Reaching the World.

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost
August 3, 2025

AFTER THIS MANNER THEREFORE PRAY YE
OUR FATHER
WHICH ART IN HEAVEN
HALLOWED BE THY NAME
THY KINGDOM COME
THY WILL BE DONE
IN EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN
GIVE US THIS DAY OUR DAILY BREAD
AND FORGIVE US OUR DEBTS
AS WE FORGIVE OUR DEBTORS
AND LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION
BUT DELIVER US FROM EVIL
FOR THINE
IS THE KINGDOM
AND THE POWER AND THE GLORY
FOREVER
AMEN
MATTHEW 6:9-13

Welcome to Christ the Servant Lutheran Church

PRELUDE

WELCOME

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

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

Amen.

Baptized into Christ, let us confess our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Merciful God,
**you free us to love others, but we neglect our neighbors and
follow our own way. You lead us by the Spirit of joy and peace,
but we turn away from the abundant life you offer. You
surround us with patience, kindness, and generosity, but we
grow weary in doing what is right. In your mercy, forgive us.
Do not give up on us. Heal us, break our bonds, and show us
the path of life.**

Amen.

You belong to Christ Jesus
and you are God's children through faith.
In the cross of ✠ Christ,
and through the power of the Holy Spirit,
your sins are forgiven.
Clothed with Christ, you are a new creation.

Amen.

GATHERING HYMN - MORNING HAS BROKEN

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the
communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Benevolent God, you are the source, the guide, and the goal of our lives. Teach us to love what is worth loving, to reject what is offensive to you, and to treasure what is precious in your sight, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

READING - Matthew 6:9-13

⁹“Pray, then, in this way: Our Father in heaven, may your name be revered as holy. ¹⁰May your kingdom come. May your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. ¹¹Give us today our daily bread. ¹²And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. ¹³And do not bring us to the time of trial, but rescue us from the evil one.

Word of God, Word of Life.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL - John 8:13-20

The holy Gospel according to John, the 8th chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

¹³ Then the Pharisees said to him, “You are testifying on your own behalf; your testimony is not valid.” ¹⁴ Jesus answered, “Even if I testify on my own behalf, my testimony is valid because I know where I have come from and where I am going, but you do not know where I come from or where I am going. ¹⁵ You judge by human standards; I judge no one. ¹⁶ Yet even if I do judge, my judgment is valid, for it is not I alone who judge but I and the Father who sent me. ¹⁷ In your law it is written that the testimony of two witnesses is valid. ¹⁸ I testify on my own behalf, and the Father who sent me testifies on my behalf.” ¹⁹ Then they said to him, “Where is your Father?” Jesus answered, “You know neither me nor my Father. If you knew me, you would know my Father also.” ²⁰ He spoke these words while he was teaching in the treasury of the temple, but no one arrested him, because his hour had not yet come.

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON - PASTOR JON

HYMN OF THE DAY - SHOUT TO THE LORD

APOSTLES' CREED

**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 to the dead.
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 - Response: Hear our prayer.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERING PRAYER

**Creator God,
in your wisdom you bring forth all that is good and the harvest
is plentiful. Strengthen us at your table with these gifts of the
earth and our labor, that we may work for the good of all;
through Jesus Christ, our Savior.
Amen.**

HOLY COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.

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

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Creator, Our Mother,
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

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Mothering God,
you gathered us to your table
and we drank deeply of your grace.
Send us out by your Spirit
to love our neighbors as ourselves
and proclaim your love in Jesus' name.
Amen.

COMMUNITY LIFE ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLESSING

SENDING HYMN - JOYFUL, JOYFUL WE ADORE THEE

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Live by the Spirit.
Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

THIS WEEK AT CHRIST THE SERVANT

Today: August 3 - Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

9:00 AM - CSLC Worship
10:00 AM - Fellowship
11:15 AM - EFLC Sunday School
11:30 AM - EFLC Worship
12:40 PM - EF Choir Rehearsal (Class A)
1:45 PM - EF Board Meeting (SS Room)

Monday, August 4

9:00 AM - Package bread & deliver
12:00 PM - Piecemakers (FH)

Tuesday, August 5

7:00 AM - Bread Preparation (FH)
8:30 AM - Bread Distribution (FH)
5:00 PM - Night to Unite
6:30 PM - Lake Country Chorus Rehearsal

Wednesday, August 6

6:00 PM - Youth
7:00 PM - AA Mtg. (Class A)

Thursday, August 7

10:00 AM - Grief Support Group (Lib)
11:00 AM - Red Cross Drive
5:30 PM - Revelation Rehearsal (S)

Friday, August 8

6:00 PM - EF Board Meeting (SS Room)

Saturday, August 9

9:30 AM - Women's Bible Study

Sunday, August 10 - Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

9:00 AM - CSLC Worship
10:00 AM - Fellowship
11:15 AM - EFLC Sunday School
11:30 AM - EFLC Worship
12:40 PM - EF Choir Rehearsal (Class A)
1:45 PM - EF Board Meeting (SS Room)

THIS WEEK AT LAKEVIEW

Today: August 3 - Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

9:45 AM - Fellowship
10:30 AM - Worship
12:00 - 5:00 PM - Eternity Karen Baptist Church

Monday, August 4

7:00 PM - AA

Tuesday, August 5

5:30 PM - 7:30 PM - Night to Unite

Sunday, August 10 - Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

9:45 AM - Fellowship
10:30 AM - Worship
12:00 - 5:00 PM - Eternity Karen Baptist Church

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY! THANK YOU!

Greeter: Katie Wright (in spirit)

Ushers:

Reader: Linda Wigdahl

Sound Booth: Tim, Tom, Peter, Kim, Jayson, Tony

Communion Assistants:

Musicians: Steve Holtz

Coffee Servers: Sandy Johnson, Nancy Sacco

Bread Pickup: Jan Jarvinen

Counters: Sandy Meyer, Mike Woehrle

PRAYER REQUESTS...

We pray for those in need of healing and mercy:

Pastor Dick M., The family of Flo Eissinger on her death, Laiden S., Jean S. (Sister of Lynn L.), Karen R., Rick E. and family as they mourn the loss of Rick's father, John; Norma (Mother of Leila H.), Sharon G. Steve H., Deb G., Rollie, Brian I, Katie W., Al J., Bev, Steve, Paul S., Brian, Tony L., Roger K., Gary C., Gary (Uncle of Sue), Sarah K., Carol L., Salomie (sister-in-law of Peter), Patty W. (sister of Mike W.)

(Please call the church office with any prayer concerns or updates.)

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