

OUR SAVIOUR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

SUNDAY WORSHIP



June 23, 2024

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

ELW is Evangelical Lutheran Worship, our red hymn book located in the pew rack in front of you.

The songs are in the back half of the book, with the song number at the top of the page.

**An asterisk indicates the congregation should stand in body and/or spirit.*

Congregation's speaking and singing parts are in bold font.

WELCOME

PRELUDE - *Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)*- arr. by Carol Tornquist

Please use this time to prepare for worship.

***CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, the God of manna, of miracles, of mercy.

Amen

Drawn to Christ and seeking God's abundance, let us confess our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection.

O God, **turn us again to you.**

Where else can we turn?

Share with us the words of eternal life and feed us for life in the world.

Amen.

Beloved people of God... ...you are forgiven and loved into abundant life. Amen.

***KYRIE**

Kyrie eleison, **Lord, have mercy**

Christe eleison, **Christ, have mercy**

Kyrie eleison, **Lord, have mercy**

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest

Glory to God, glory to God, and peace to God's people on earth

*GREETING

The grace of 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

FIRST READING: 1 Samuel 17:57 - 18:5, 10-16

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 133

How good and how pleasant it is, when kindred live together in unity!

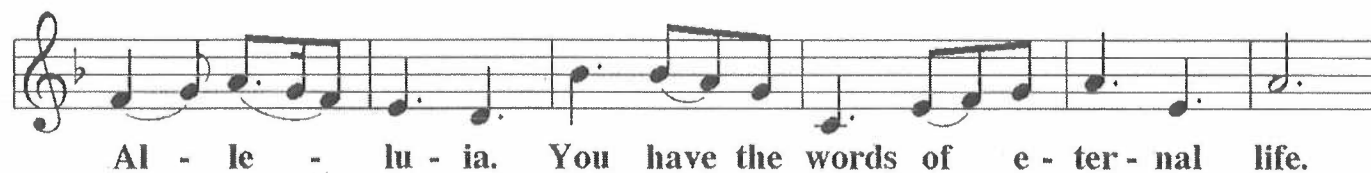
It is like fine oil upon the head, flowing down upon the beard, upon the beard of Aaron, flowing down upon the collar of his robe.

It is like the dew of Hermon flowing down upon the hills of Zion. For there the LORD has commanded the blessing: life for evermore.

SECOND READING: 2 Corinthians 6:1-13

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



***GOSPEL**

The Holy Gospel according to Mark.
Glory to you, O Lord.

Mark 4:35-41

This is the Gospel of Jesus Christ.
Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY - ELW#763 - *My Life Flows On in Endless Song*

***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**

The assisting minister leads the prayers.

...God in your mercy, receive our prayer.

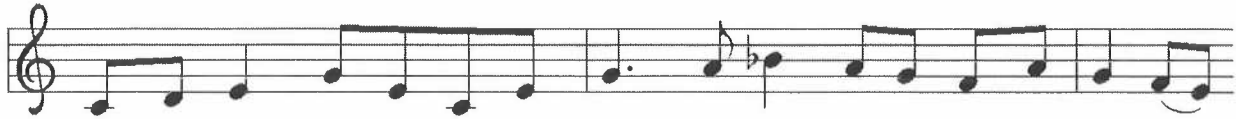
PASTOR: Holy One, nourish us with abundant life in Jesus Christ.
Amen.

***EXCHANGE OF PEACE**

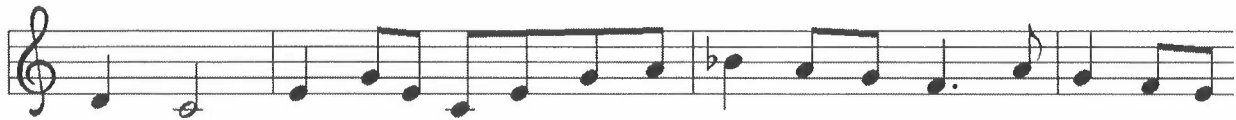
OFFERING

***OFFERING SONG** - rise and sing as the offering is brought forward.

Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful



Let the vine - yards be fruit - ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of



bles - sing. Gath - er a har - vest from the seeds that were sown, that we may be



fed with the bread of life. Gath - er the hopes and the dreams of all; u -



nite them with the prayers we of - fer now. Grace our ta - ble with your



pres - ence, and give us a fore - taste of the feast to come.

***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.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that at all times and in all places...

...We praise your name and join their unending hymn:



San - to, san - to, san - to, mi co - ra - zón te a - do - ra.
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, my heart, my heart a - dores you.



Mi co - ra - zón te sa - be de - cir: San - to e - res Se - ñor.
My heart is glad to say the words: You are ho - ly, God.

On a mountain...

...Trusting in the mercy and compassion of God who is with us as Parent and Creator, let us pray as Jesus did:

**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

Jesus, our host, invites you to this table, set with love and abundant grace.

This is Christ's table. You and all are welcome here, without exception. Please follow the ushers' direction, filling in the communion rail starting on the right side. You may stand or kneel. If you prefer a blessing, cross your hands over your heart. Gluten free wafers are available. The wine is red; the grape juice is clear. Please let an usher know if you would like communion brought to your pew.

COMMUNION MUSIC

- ELW #472 - *Eat This Bread*
- ELW #755 - *Jesus, Saviour, Pilot Me*
- ELW #471 - *Let Us Break Bread Together*

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING

SENDING PRAYER

Holy God, you give your Spirit of truth, and you have prepared a table before us and nourished us with your love. Send us forth to be Christ-centered community through faith and action in the heart of Tucson and wherever you lead us. Amen.

SENDING ANNOUNCEMENTS

*BLESSING

*SENDING HYMN - ELW #773 - *Precious Lord, Take My Hand*

*DISMISSAL

Go, for by Jesus you have been fed, nourished for your week ahead.
Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE - *It Is Well With My Soul* arr. by Lloyd Larson

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Welcome to Our Saviour's

Being Christ-centered community through faith and action in the heart of Tucson.



Christ is our peace and breaks down the walls that divide us (Ephesians 2:14). You are welcome at Our Saviour's because of who you are. We are a congregation of longtime churchgoers, newcomers, seekers, seasonal visitors, and returners with diverse backgrounds, life experiences, and beliefs. We follow a familiar Lutheran service with piano, organ, and guest musicians. We celebrate the cultural, ethnic, and racial diversity of the Tucson region and seek to be a place of belonging for all. We welcome those who

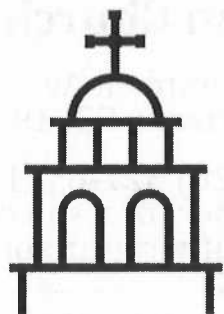
have felt or been excluded from church spaces because of race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, financial status, or any other reason. We like the sound of young people in worship, we value the experience of our elders, and all ages between. Our communion table is Christ's table, and all people are welcome, no exceptions. Your presence here builds up the body of Christ.

Prayer Requests: Our Saviour's Family: The family and friends of Bob Burke, Maija, Martha, Betty, Chris, Phyllis, Mary, Kevin, Erik, Doug, Linda, Michaela, Jake, Tracy and Marty, Pat, Bill, and Miss Ellie.

Our Extended Friends & Family: Grant, Joe, Meagan, Melissa, Marrienne, Sally (friend of Kathy DeVinney); Vicki (former Our Saviour's youth director); Richard (neighbor); Pete (brother of Gloria Alvillar), and Troy (brother of Kent Pflibsen).

Names will remain on the list for three weeks, unless requested for longer.

This Week at Our Saviour's - June 23, 2024



Monday	10:15 AM	Staff Meeting
Tuesday	7:00 AM	Men's Bible Study
	12:15 PM	Centering Prayer
Wednesday	11:00AM	Bob Burke Funeral
Friday		Campus/Office Closed
Sunday	9:00 AM	Sunday Service
	10:30 AM	Coffee and Fellowship
	10:30 AM	Sandwich Making

Please see online calendar for all events.

Plarn Party

Our Saviour's will be hosting a Plarn Party in the Patio Room at 10:30 on Sunday June 23rd, where we will learn how to make plarn. Plarn is yarn made from plastic grocery bags, which will be crocheted into sleeping mats for the unhoused. No crocheting or crafting skills required. Vicar Wendi will provide the plastic bags and the instructions. Grab your coffee and snacks after Sunday service, and join us as we prep the plarn, and party with a purpose!

CONGREGATION PAUSES DISTRIBUTION OF TREATS STARTING JULY 14

Wait, what?! Can this be true? Only if you let it...please sign up to bring treats for 35 or so as we enjoy time together following worship. These can be as simple as donut holes, a cookie, fresh fruit, or cheese and crackers. Sign up today when you are enjoying a delicious treat provided by another. Available dates: July 14, July 21, July 28.

Welcome Newcomers.

We're glad you are here. We invite you to fill out a green slip to place in the offering plate to let us know how to follow up with you.

Pray-ground. We have a pray-ground play area near the front on the left side for young families. You are welcome to make use of this space for your children.

Restrooms. Restrooms are located near the back of the sanctuary, accessed through the Narthex or outside. Individual restrooms are located near the Chapel and can be opened for you by an usher as needed.

What are we about? Being Christ-centered community through faith and action in the heart of Tucson.

THOSE SERVING SUNDAY 6/23/2024

Presiding Minister Rev. Amalia Vagts
Assisting Minister Jennifer Strand and
Vicar Wendi Van Beek
Communion Assistants Bonnie Phelps and
Mary Pflibsen
Piano Gréta Pásztor
Cantor Nilu Dorschner
Acolyte Jennifer Strand
Usher Pam Hardman and
Lauretta Olson
Greeter Donna and Fred Hudson
Coffee Host David Lester
Treats Ted Adams and
Pr. Glenn Schrader

THOSE SERVING SUNDAY 6/30/2024

Presiding Minister Rev. Amalia Vagts
Assisting Minister Nilu Dorschner and
Vicar Wendi Van Beek
Communion Assistants Bonnie Phelps and
Pam Hardman
Piano Devin Gardner
Cantor Jennifer Strand
Acolyte Nilu Dorschner
Usher Ted Adams and
Jeanne Gacke
Greeter Patty Sirls
Coffee Host Ellie Johnson
Treats Bales/Wyatt

Online Offering

We have partnered with the ELCA and Tithely to offer secure online giving. Scan the image below using your smart phone to make your offering. Or, contact the church office to set up regular online giving.



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9:00 - Sanctuary
Coffee following

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Monday - Thursday
8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

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