



**ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCHES**  
Babbtown (Meta 8am)  
Schubert (Jefferson City 10am)

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TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

**October 24, 2021**

**Order of Worship:** Printed below  
(with P for Pastor, C for Congregation)

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found on page 15 in The Lutheran Hymnal TLH

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**The Ringing Of The Bell**

**Prelude**

**Welcome**

**Opening Hymn:** "Sweet Hour Of Prayer"

**Sweet hour of prayer! Sweet hour of prayer! That calls me from a world of care,  
And bids me at my Father's throne Make all my wants and wishes known;  
In seasons of distress and grief, My soul has often found relief,  
And oft escaped the tempter's snare By thy return, sweet hour of prayer.**

**Sweet hour of prayer! Sweet Hour of prayer! Thy wings shall my petition bear  
To Him whose truth and faithfulness Engage the waiting soul to bless;  
And since He bids me seek His face, Believe His word and trust His grace,  
I'll cast on Him my ev'ry care, And wait for thee, sweet hour of prayer.**

**Sweet hour of prayer! Sweet hour of prayer! May I thy consolation share,  
Till, from Mount Pisgah's lofty height, I view my home, and take my flight;  
This robe of flesh I'll drop, and rise To seize the everlasting prize;  
And shout, while passing thro' the air, Farewell, farewell, sweet hour of prayer.**

**Invocation:** p. 15 [*Responses Sung*]

**P:** In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost.

**C:** **Amen.**

**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.  
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 Thou forgavest the iniquity of my sin.**

**Confession:** *[Spoken]*

**ALL:** O almighty God, merciful Father, I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto Thee all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended Thee and justly deserved Thy temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray Thee of Thy boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Thy beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

**Absolution:** p. 16

**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 Son and of the Holy Ghost.

**C:** *[Sung]* Amen.

**The Introit**

**Gloria Patri:** p.16 *[Sung]*

**C:** Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

**The Kyrie:** p.17 *[Sung]*

**C:** Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

**The Gloria in Excelsis:** p. 17-19 *[Sung]*

**C:** Glory be to God on high; And on earth peace, good will toward men.

We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee,

We glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.

O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

That takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.

For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.

Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

**Salutation And Response:** p.19

**P:** The Lord be with you.

**C:** *[Sung]* And with thy spirit.

**The Prayer Of The Day:** *[Spoken by all]*

O God, the helper of all who call on You, have mercy on us and give us eyes of faith to see Your Son that we may follow Him on the way that leads to eternal life; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Response** *[Sung]:* Amen.

### **Old Testament Reading: Jeremiah 31:7-9**

7 For thus says the LORD: "Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob, and raise shouts for the chief of the nations; proclaim, give praise, and say, 'O LORD, save your people, the remnant of Israel.'"  
8 Behold, I will bring them from the north country and gather them from the farthest parts of the earth, among them the blind and the lame, the pregnant woman and she who is in labor, together; a great company, they shall return here. 9 With weeping they shall come, and with pleas for mercy I will lead them back, I will make them walk by brooks of water, in a straight path in which they shall not stumble, for I am a father to Israel, and Ephraim is my firstborn.

### **Epistle Reading: Hebrews 7:23-28**

23 The former priests were many in number, because they were prevented by death from continuing in office, 24 but he holds his priesthood permanently, because he continues forever. 25 Consequently, he is able to save to the uttermost those who draw near to God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them. 26 For it was indeed fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, innocent, unstained, separated from sinners, and exalted above the heavens. 27 He has no need, like those high priests, to offer sacrifices daily, first for his own sins and then for those of the people, since he did this once for all when he offered up himself. 28 For the law appoints men in their weakness as high priests, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect forever.

### **The Gradual**

### **The Sentence Of The Season**

#### **The "Triple Hallelujah": [Sung]**

**C: Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

P: The Holy Gospel that is appointed to be read for today is from the Gospel of St. Mark, chapter 10, beginning with the 46th verse.

**C: [Sung] Glory be to Thee, O Lord!**

### **The Gospel Reading: Mark 10:46-52**

46 And they came to Jericho. And as he was leaving Jericho with his disciples and a great crowd, Bartimaeus, a blind beggar, the son of Timaeus, was sitting by the roadside. 47 And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" 48 And many rebuked him, telling him to be silent. But he cried out all the more, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" 49 And Jesus stopped and said, "Call him." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart. Get up; he is calling you." 50 And throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. 51 And Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" And the blind man said to him, "Rabbi, let me recover my sight." 52 And Jesus said to him, "Go your way; your faith has made you well." And immediately he recovered his sight and followed him on the way.

P: Here ends the reading of the Holy Gospel.

**C: [Sung] Praise be to Thee, O Christ!**

**The Nicene Creed p. 22**

**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 Ghost 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 sitteth on the right hand of the Father; And He shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Ghost, The Lord and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son, Who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, Who spake by the Prophets. And I believe 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.**

**Sermon Hymn: LSB 779 “Come, My Soul With Every Care”**

**Come, my soul, with ev'ry care, Jesus loves to answer prayer;  
He Himself has bid thee pray, Therefore will not turn away.**

**Thou art coming to a King, Large petitions with thee bring;  
For His grace and pow'r are such None can ever ask too much.**

**With my burden I begin: Lord, remove this load of sin;  
Let Thy blood, for sinners spilt, Set my conscience free from guilt.**

**Lord, Thy rest to me impart, Take possession of my heart;  
There Thy blood-bought right maintain And without a rival reign.**

**While I am a pilgrim here, Let Thy love my spirit cheer;  
As my guide, my guard, my friend, Lead me to my journey's end.**

**Show me what is mine to do; Ev'ry hour my strength renew.  
Let me live a life of faith; Let me die Thy people's death.**

**Sermon: “How To Ask For Help” Text: Mark 10:46-52**

*(Usual time for The Offering – Offering plates are at the entrances or can be mailed or given online.)*

**Offertory p. 22 [Sung]**

**C: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.  
Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.  
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation; And uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.**

**Prayers**

## THE ORDER OF HOLY COMMUNION

*[We invite those who are communicant members of sister Lutheran Congregations, in the fellowship of LC-MS, and are repentant, to commune with us.]*

**The Preface:** p. 24 *[Responses Sung]*

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And with thy spirit.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.

C: **It is meet and right so to do.**

P: It is truly meet, right and salutary that we should at all time and in all places give thanks unto Thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God...

**The Proper Preface** p. 25

P: ...therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Thy glorious name, evermore praising Thee and singing:

**The Sanctus:** p. 26 *[Sung]*

**Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sabaoth; Heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory; Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He, Blessed is He, Blessed is He that cometh in the Name of the Lord. Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest.**

**The Lord's Prayer:** p. 27

**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;**

*[Sung]* **For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

**The Words of Institution:** p. 27

Our Lord Jesus Christ, the same night in which He was betrayed, took bread; and when He had given thanks, He brake it and gave it to His disciples, saying, "Take eat; this is My body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

After the same manner also He took the cup when He had supped, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying, "Drink ye all of it; this cup is the New Testament in My blood, which is shed for you for the remission of sins. This do, as oft as ye drink it, in remembrance of Me."

**The Pax Domini:** p. 27

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: *[Sung]* **A - - - men.**

**The Agnus Dei:** p. 28 *[Sung]*

**O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world have mercy upon us.  
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.  
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, Grant us Thy peace.  
A - - - - - men.**

### **The Distribution**

**Distribution Hymn:** TLH 457 “What A Friend We Have In Jesus”

**What a Friend we have in Jesus, All our sins and griefs to bear!  
What a privilege to carry Ev'rything to God in prayer!  
Oh, what peace we often forfeit, Oh, what needless pain we bear,  
All because we do not carry Ev'rything to God in prayer!**

**Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere?  
We should never be discouraged, Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
Can we find a Friend so faithful Who will all our sorrows share?  
Jesus knows our ev'ry weakness—Take it to the Lord in prayer.**

**Are we weak and heavy laden, Cumbered with a load of care?  
Precious Savior, still our Refuge—Take it to the Lord in prayer.  
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer;  
In His arms He'll take and shield thee, Thou wilt find a solace there. Amen.**

**The Nunc Dimittus:** p. 29 *[Sung]*

**Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy Word,  
For mine eyes have seen Thy Salvation:  
which Thou hast prepared before the Face of all people,  
a Light to lighten the Gentiles and the Glory of Thy people Israel.  
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

**The Thanksgiving:** p. 30

P: Oh, give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good.

C: *[Sung]* **And His mercy endureth forever.**

**The Thanksgiving Prayer:** p. 30-31

P: We give thanks to You, Almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift; and we beseech You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith towards You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end.

C: *[Sung]* **A - - - men.**

**The Benedicamus: p. 31**

P: The Lord be with you.  
C: *[Sung]* **And with thy spirit.**  
P: Bless we the Lord.  
C: *[Sung]* **Thanks be to God.**

**Benediction:**

P: The Lord bless you and keep you, The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.  
C: *[Sung]* **Amen, Amen, Amen!**

**Closing Hymn: TLH 53 “Abide, O Dearest Jesus”**

**Abide, O dearest Jesus, Among us with Thy grace  
That Satan may not harm us Nor we to sin give place.**

**Abide, O dear Redeemer, Among us with Thy Word,  
And thus now and hereafter True peace and joy afford.**

**Abide with heav'nly brightness Among us, precious Light;  
Thy truth direct and keep us From error's gloomy night. Amen.**

**Silent Prayer**

**Announcements**

***Have A Blessed Week!***

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BAPTISM BIRTHDAYS: Babbtown: Art Mueller and Arnold Mueller; Schubert: Adam Mueller, Finn Lohraff, and Kevin Fichter.  
(NOTE: Please call or text Pastor with prayer requests and birthdays.)

ORGANISTS: Babbtown – Arline Mueller; Schubert – Keith Bohl.  
USHERS this Sunday: Jerry Bartel and Berry Wiggins .  
USHERS next Sunday: Jerry Bartel and Mike Forbis.  
COMMUNION ASSISTANT: Allan Forbis.

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IF YOU ARE A GUEST joining us today – either online or in person, we greet you with special joy. Please be sure to let us know if we can serve you in any way. Please remember to introduce yourself and sign the guest register. Come back and join us again every Sunday!

REMINDER: The first four pews on each side are reserved for those who need social distancing. Thanks for your continued patience.

IF REASONS of health prevent you from public worship, please call Pastor for private communion.

WE WELCOME AND THANK Pastor Tony Alter for leading worship today while Pastor is on vacation. May God bless the words that he proclaims.

SCHUBERT: Children’s Sunday School (preschool and elementary) have started after summer break. We encourage everyone to take advantage of our Sunday School classes for children and adults.

BABBTOWN: Sunday School is up and going following worship. Also Bible Study for adults.

TODAY: Turkey & Sausage dinner at Immanuel Honey Creek, 11 am - 1 pm.

TODAY: Pick up your October Newsletter, new Portals Of Prayer and The Lutheran Witness.

Newsletter items are due today.

WEDNESDAY: Weekday/Confirmation Classes, 6:00-7:30 p.m.

NEXT SUNDAY is Reformation Sunday. Wear red to celebrate.

YOUTH GROUP will be hosting a THRIFT-MAS SALE on November 20th.

Please start going through Christmas items to donate to our Christmas rummage sale/bake sale/bazaar. Items can be placed in the first classroom in the basement. We will also need baked items to sell closer to the sale.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: NOVEMBER 14 will be St. John's Drive-through Chili Supper

Chili Supper will be same as last year (cold pre-packaged chili & cookies).

We are making more chili than last year so we will need more people to cook it at home.

We will also need volunteers to make cookies. We will need a few helpers that day at church.

More information to follow! Any questions can be directed to Mike.

SHARE THE GOSPEL with all those around. Encourage each other in Christ.

PLEASE let Pastor or Elders know your spiritual and physical needs so we may be of help to you.

PAY ATTENTION to your neighbor and help those in need. Show care and concern for others.

PRAY EARNESTLY for strength and protection that only God can provide. Seek His deliverance from all evil.

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**Thanks be to God that we have the opportunity to gather in worship each week.  
Make worship and Bible Study and the Lord's Supper a high priority in your life.**

**Babbtown**

**Schubert**

**8:00 a.m. Sunday Worship**

**Sunday: 9:15 a.m. Sunday School  
9:30 a.m. Bible Study  
10:00 a.m. Worship Service**

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## CALVARY NEWS

**CALVARY INSIDER** – What happened at Calvary last week you ask?

- Congratulations to both the boys and girls Cross Country teams for their respective team victories at the Smithton Cross Country Invitational last Saturday, Oct 16!

**BLOOD DRIVE TOMORROW** – Calvary Lutheran Key Club will be hosting a blood drive in the school cafeteria **TOMORROW, Monday, October 25th** from 1:00 PM to 6:00 PM. Donors have to be at least sixteen years old. If you are sixteen, you must have a parental consent form signed. To make an appointment, please go to [redcross.org/give](http://redcross.org/give). Walk-ins are also welcome! Please consider donating and helping save a life!

**WHO NEEDS TO KNOW? COME TO A CALVARY OPEN HOUSE!** – Do you know someone who would benefit from knowing about Calvary? A family of a teenager? (Grades 7-12) Invite them to Open House! Calvary will be hosting two Fall Open Houses soon: **TOMORROW, Monday, October 25th** and Tuesday, November 2nd at 7 p.m. We would welcome current Calvary parents and/or current students to share their Calvary story that night -- so that prospective families would hear authentic reviews from people that are here daily. Contact the office to RSVP for a prospective family or if you would like to share your story at Open House.

**FALL DRAMA THIS WEEK** – Join us for performances of "The Curious Savage" this week, Friday, Oct. 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm and Saturday, Oct. 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm. Students have been working hard to prepare a fantastic show that you won't want to miss!

**FOLLOW US** – Keep up to date with news and events by following Calvary Lutheran High School on Facebook. Liking and sharing our posts helps us spread the word about Calvary. You can join us for chapel via Facebook every Wednesday. Live streaming begins around 10:45 a.m.

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