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- congregation stands.



- congregation sits.



- congregation kneel or sit as you are able.



- congregation sings.

Congregation responds in **bold print**.

Prelude

Two settings of DOWN AMPNEY by Wilbur Held and David Heller

Order of Service

(adapted from Divine Service - Setting Four, *LSB* p. 203)



HYMN:

“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing” - *LSB* #686

INVOCATION, CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

In the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Our help is in the name of the Lord,
who made heaven and earth. *(Psalm 124:8)*

If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord who could stand?
But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared. *(Psalm 130:3–4)*

Since we are gathered to hear God’s Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness, and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner. *(Luke 18:13)*



Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life.

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.
Amen.

i The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God, the source of all that is just and good, nourish in us every virtue and bring to completion every good intent that we may grow in grace and bring forth the fruit of good works; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
Amen

+ SCRIPTURES FOR THE DAY +

i **Old Testament**

Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9

And now, O Israel, listen to the statutes and the rules that I am teaching you, and do them, that you may live, and go in and take possession of the land that the Lord, the God of your fathers, is giving you. You shall not add to the word that I command you, nor take from it, that you may keep the commandments of the Lord your God that I command you.

Keep them and do them, for that will be your wisdom and your understanding in the sight of the peoples, who, when they hear all these statutes, will say, ‘Surely this great nation is a wise and understanding people.’ For what great nation is there that has a god so near to it as the Lord our God is to us, whenever we call upon him? And what great nation is there, that has statutes and rules so righteous as all this law that I set before you today?

Only take care, and keep your soul diligently, lest you forget the things that your eyes have seen, and lest they depart from your heart all the days of your life. Make them known to your children and your children’s children—

This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

Epistle

Ephesians 6:10-20

Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might. Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil. For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand firm.

Stand therefore, having fastened on the belt of truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness, and, as shoes for your feet, having put on the readiness given by the gospel of peace. In all circumstances take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming darts of the evil one; and take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God, praying at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication. To that end keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints, and also for me, that words may be given to me in opening my mouth boldly to proclaim the mystery of the gospel, for which I am an ambassador in chains, that I may declare it boldly, as I ought to speak.

This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

i **GOSPEL VERSE**

C Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

C These things are writ - ten that you may be - lieve that
Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.

C Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the seventh chapter.
Glory to You, O Lord.

GOSPEL

Mark 7:14-23

And he called the people to him again and said to them, “Hear me, all of you, and understand: There is nothing outside a person that by going into him can defile him, but the things that come out of a person are what defile him.”
And when he had entered the house and left the people, his disciples asked him about the parable. And he said to them, “Then are you also without understanding? Do you not see that whatever goes into a person from outside cannot defile him, since it enters not his heart but his stomach, and is expelled?” (Thus he declared all foods clean.)
And he said, “What comes out of a person is what defiles him. For from within, out of the heart of man, come evil thoughts, sexual immorality, theft, murder, adultery, coveting, wickedness, deceit, sensuality, envy, slander, pride, foolishness. All these evil things come from within, and they defile a person.”

This is the Gospel of the Lord
Praise to You, O Christ.

Children’s Message Alex Wright - *Director of Christian Education*

NICENE CREED *(inside back cover of hymnal)*

THE MESSAGE: Sunday: Pastor Tom Krueger
Monday: Pastor Joshua Errer

HYMN: “Fight the Good Fight” - *LSB #664*

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

+ SACRAMENT +
(LSB - Divine Service, setting four, p. 203)

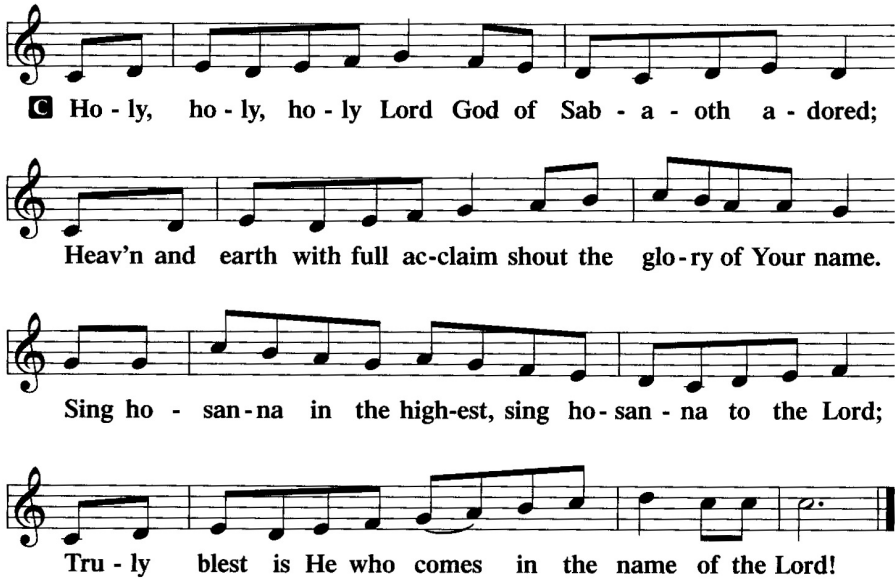
The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

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

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

PROPER PREFACE

SANCTUS



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth a - dored;
Heav’n and earth with full ac-claim shout the glo-ry of Your name.
Sing ho - san-na in the high-est, sing ho - san - na to the Lord;
Tru - ly blest is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

LORD’S PRAYER


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.

WORDS OF OUR LORD


PAX DOMINI

The peace of the Lord be with you always.
Amen.


AGNUS DEI




1 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
2 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,



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



O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus Christ,




Have mer - cy on us, Lord, we pray.
And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.

In accordance with the historic practice of the Christian Church, our congregation practices close communion, meaning that normally our members and members of our sister (LCMS) congregations commune here. Please speak to the pastor about exceptions to this general practice. Please also note that this practice in no way intends to comment on the state of anyone else's faith; we simply understand our communing together as also a public profession of unity in doctrine, which not everyone shares. Those who do not commune here may come forward for a blessing (simply fold your arms over your heart to indicate that you are not communing) or remain in the pew during communion and pray, particularly for visible unity in the Christian Church.


Non-alcoholic wine is available in the individual cups. It is the clear wine in the cups at the center of the tray. Note: If you prefer to receive from the chalice, simply do not take one of the individual cups. The pastor will follow with the chalice.

COMMUNION HYMNS:


"Lord of This Holy Meal" - Stephan Starke




1 Lord of this ho - ly meal, Your lav - ish
2 How great this mys - ter - y In which we
3 Come now, the feast is spread; Come and be
4 O ho - ly Lamb once slain, Cleanse sin's deep




love re - veal To all who seek for - give-ness in this
taste and see The trea-sures of God's mer - cy and sal -
tru - ly fed! This ta - ble Je - sus sets will fill your
scar - let stain, Your spot-less righ-teous - ness to us ex -



din - ner. Feed now with food di - vine,
va - tion! How blest be - yond com - pare,
hun - ger: Grace of - fered with - out cost,
tend - ing; As we are pu - ri - fied,



Un - der the bread and wine: Your bod - y and Your
As here we free - ly share In Christ, our ref - uge
Grace, sin can - not ex - haust— Why fast from His rich
Your joy and peace pro - vide A fore - taste of that



blood for ev - 'ry sin - ner.
from all con - dem - na - tion!
kind - ness an - y long - er?
ban - quet nev - er - end - ing.

"Seek Ye First" - LSB #712

"Just As I Am - LSB #570

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

BENEDICTION
Amen.

HYMN: "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus" - LSB #660, stanzas 1-3

1. Stand up, stand up for Jesus,
Ye soldiers of the cross.
Lift high His royal banner;
It must not suffer loss.
From vict'ry unto vict'ry
His army He shall lead
Till ev'ry foe is vanquished
And Christ is Lord indeed.
2. Stand up, stand up for Jesus;
The trumpet call obey;
Stand forth in mighty conflict
In this His glorious day!
Let all His faithful serve Him
Against unnumbered foes;
Let courage rise with danger,
And strength to strength oppose.
3. Stand up, stand up for Jesus;
Stand in His strength alone.
The arm of flesh will fail you,
Ye dare not trust your own.
Put on the Gospel armor;
Each piece put on with prayer,
Where duty calls or danger,
Be never wanting there.

Postlude

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FAITH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS AUGUST 29 & 30, 2021

Summer Worship Services: *Sunday—8:00 am & 9:30 am Monday—6:30 pm*



There will be a special Voters' Body Meeting on September 12 following the 10:30 am service. At this meeting, we will consider the purchase of property and the amending of the constitution. Please see the newsletter on our website for full details.



CHRISTIAN GROWTH RESUMES WITH RALLY DAY!

Sunday School
Classes begin
September 12 at 9:15 am
Students Me2!-8th grade, please
fill out our registration form on
our website on the Christian
Growth page under the
education tab.

Youth Wednesday Schedule:

Catechism Class 5:30 pm
Middle School Youth—6:30-7:15 pm
Youth Handbells—7:00-7:40 pm
High School Youth—7:30-8:30 pm

If you have any questions,
please contact DCE Alex at
flcgb.dce@gmail.com



GIVE BLOOD ON SEPTEMBER 14

Red Cross Blood Drive is
September 14, from
12:30 pm—5:30 pm in the
Fellowship Hall. It will be by
appointment only. Visit
redcrossblood.org to schedule an
appointment today!

AFGHAN REFUGEE ASSISTANCE

Through the work of Lutheran
Social Services, the LCMS has a long
history of assisting refugees seeking
safety in the United States.
Lutheran Social Services is one of
three organizations designated to
help with those who are coming to
Fort McCoy, here in Wisconsin. If
you are interested in supporting
their work, donations can be made
directly to Lutheran Social Services
via their website, www.lsswis.org.

PORTALS OF PRAYER

It is time to renew our subscription to
this wonderful home devotional. In
order to balance the budget, it was
decided to remove the subscriptions
from our budget. The annual cost for
our congregation is \$1,300. If you
would like to help keep this resource
available at no cost for members,
please consider making a donation to
"Portals of Prayer."
Thank you to everyone who has been
made a donation in the past year.
Your generosity has helped us to offer
this material to our members.

BOOK GROUP

The Book Group will meet again the
first Wednesday of each month be-
ginning **Wednesday, September 1 at
6:30 P.M.** The book for September is
Meant for More
by John Arthur Nunes.

For a complete book list for the year
or more information, please visit our
website or email Jolene Cheslock at
jacheslock@hotmail.com.



PRAYER SHAWLS

Prayer Shawls will be
meeting Wednesday,
September 1, at noon. All
are welcome to join and learn more
about our Prayer Shawl
Ministry. For any questions, please
contact Sandi Engebose at
920-469-6723

ALL THINGS NEW - CAMPAIGN KICKOFF EVENT ON AUGUST 29TH

You are invited to attend a special campaign kickoff
event on the campus of NEW Lutheran High School on
Sunday, August 29th from 6-7:15pm to hear about
some exciting developments taking place in the schools
of the Northeastern Wisconsin Lutheran School Associ-
ation (Faith Christian Preschool, Green Bay Trinity Lu-
theran School and NEWLHS). Come and enjoy a s'more
dessert, reconnect with friends and learn more about
the Christ-centered growth taking place in our
schools. We look forward to seeing you there to
discover how God continues to make All Things New!



Let your Faith Grow!

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Bible Studies offered at Faith Lutheran Church

**WEEKLY
SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDIES**

(BEGINS SEPT. 12)

High School Bible Study—

9:15 am | downstairs classroom

Christian Growth Adult Bible Study—

9:15 am | Fellowship Hall

The Cross Bible Study—

9:15 am | Lounge

***TUESDAY* BREAKFAST BIBLE STUDY**

(BEGINS SEPT. 14)

Tuesdays at 8:00 am at

The Village Grille, 801 Hoffman Rd.

TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Tuesdays at 9:30 am in the Church Lounge.

THEOLOGY AND LITURGY KNOWLEDGE T.A.L.K.

Livestreamed Bible Study Thurs. Noon

Join us through our website or on Facebook

FAMILY TREE & OLIVE BRANCHES

(SEPT 1-OCT. 27)

Wednesday at 5:30 pm in the Church Lounge.

Women's Bible Study

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm in the Lounge

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Thursdays evenings at 6:30

MONTHLY

THE FEAST

Tuesday, September 7, 6:00 pm
In the Church Lounge

The Feast Bible Study is on the first Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. Join together with other young adult members of the Congregation for Bible Study, devotions, fellowship and food. Call Church Office a week before to utilize the Free Childcare during the Feast.

For more information about our Bible Studies and Classes, please visit our website at flcgb.com or visit our Community Board located in the hall by the offices.

FAMILY TREES AND OLIVE BRANCHES

Join Pastor on Wednesday evenings from 5:30-6:30, in the lounge, as we take time to explore what it means to live in grace filled, connected families. For anyone who is or ever has been a part of a family, we will take time to examine the role our families play in our lives at every stage of our life. Whether you feel your family tree is filled with thorns or good fruit, this study will help you think about introducing intentional grace into the relationships that effect you most. Cost for materials: \$15.00. Please see Pastor if the cost would prevent your participation. Offered Sept. 1- October 27

THE THEOLOGY OF THE CROSS BIBLE STUDY

Beginning Sept. 12, grab a cup of coffee, tea, water or all three and join Vicar in the lounge for a Sunday morning study on the significance of Martin Luther's theology of the cross within the 21st century. Learn how to defend and apply the Lutheran understanding of grace in both secular and spiritual contexts that stand in opposition to Christ and His cross. Topics include: Bioethics, Post-marxism, Islam and African spirituality.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY SONS OF SOLOMON

The Men's Bible study will be resuming with Vicar on Thursday nights in the lounge at 6:30 p.m. beginning Sept. 16. The "Sons of Solomon" will focus on the study of specific Psalms and Proverbs with the purpose of forming Christian men who pray the prayers that God gave us to pray and seek together the wisdom that is from above. All you need to bring is your Bible! Come join us as we let the prayers of the Psalms and the wisdom of Proverbs equip us to live faithfully in the world around us.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

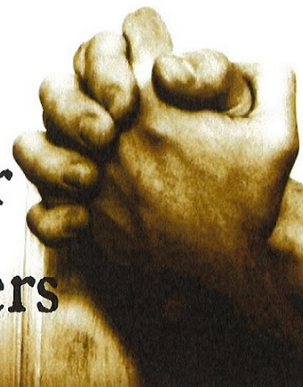
We are excited to announce that the Women's Bible Study will be resuming September 8, using the book, *Be Still and Know, a Study of Rest and Refuge* by Deb Burma. We are asking that everyone purchase their own copy of the book. It is available from Amazon and ChristianBook. If you plan to attend, please let us know in advance by contacting either Pat Falkenhagen at patfalk67@gmail.com or Gina Bents at gbents@new.rr.com. We will meet Wednesdays at 6:30 pm. in the church lounge.



We pray for:

Karin Barth
Sharon Bauer
Amy Butterbrodt
Helen French
Sharon Kussow
Lil LaRue
Shirley Mitchell
Ethan Marach
Wendy Marach
Nancy Moede
Lucas Raby
Doug Schuettpehlz
Lois Stirdivant
Kelly Tollar
Jean Zimmerman
Rick Zimmerman
Faith's Inactive Members

In
Our
Prayers



**pray for our
shut-ins:**
Janice Cleven
Dan Fels
Eugene Feldhausen
Mary Ann
Hermsen
Toni Nelson
Carol Walker
Ken Vieth

Also pray for our extended family and friends of Faith:

Kirin Randall (daughter of Christa Batiansila)
Jeff Irish (son in law of Robert and Jean Neufeld)
Heidi Harms (daughter of Birgit Harms)
Reverend Timothy Kinne (father of Angela Stiles)
Patti Nelson (sister of Joel Cornell)
Don Kvorka (brother of Kathy Cornell)
Dr. Erik Fossum (friend of Jeff & Mary Jo Walch)
Jan Welter (wife of Leo Welter)
Chase Royal (grandson-in-law of Bob & Jean Neufeld)
Becca Babka (daughter of Diane Jones)
Katie Bartel (niece to Al & Robin Petasek)
John & Sally Hartfeld (parents of Natalie Jackson)
Pastor Mike Ahlemeyer
Teri Dittman (sister in law of Paul & Lori Reynolds)
Matthew Lange (nephew of Paul & Lori Reynolds)
Gary Miller (friend of Christa Batiansila)
Luke Davison (former member of Faith)
Liz Benecke (friend of Kay Hanna)
Judy Tepe (friend of Connie and Randy Lenz)
Kathy Anderson (sister of Paul Heiser)
Maynard Luffier (father of Martie and Jack Roubal)
Pastor Pett (Redeemer Lutheran Church)
Harold Wilson (brother of Sandy Olson)
Doug Behl (student of Green Bay Trinity Lutheran)

Susanne Hoehneke (friend of Birgit Harms)
Jill (friend of Karin Barth)
Mike Walschinski (grandson of Angie Dobratz)
Sydney Miracle (niece of Robin and Brian Paul)
Jim Shearer (brother-in-law of Andrew & Sue Mansfield)
Ted Schwenker (father of Molly Krueger)
Isaiah Phillips (grandson of Allan and Eleanore Juza)
Derek Kosmicki (nephew-in-law of Louisa Schauer)
Rose Walschinski (grand-daughter of Angie Dobratz)
Delores Kinne (grandmother of Angela Stiles)
Charlie Cheslock (grandson of Keith & Jolene Cheslock)
Jeanne Fellenz (mother of Tiffany Hoffman)
Jackson Kieth (infant relative of Marv Kovach)
Bob Falkenhagen (brother-in-law of Pat Falkenhagen)
Kevin Klover (brother of Kathy Ebert)
Amy Kellerman (cousin of Linda Just)
The Williamson Family (friends of Kelly Bagneski)
Pastor Jeff Dobratz (son of Angela Dobratz)
Jean Newkirk (friend of Marian Kovach)
Melody Vollmer (granddaughter of Kelly & Mike Tollar)
Andrea Laroque (friend of Toni Nelson)

FAITH'S ACTIVE MILITARY MEMBERS

Rachel Messerschmidt

THANK YOU!

Thank you to all who have welcomed us to Green Bay. The donations to our food pantry were a tremendous blessing to our family. We were shown God's promise of provision upon our arrival here. We feel very comfortable in this home and look forward to spending this year with you at Faith Lutheran Church.
-The Keilani Family



Due to the increased number of requests, please review the extended family prayer list and contact the office at flcgb.office@gmail.com with any removals, edits, and/or additions. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

Altar Bouquet 1

In Memory
Don & Garnet Holsted
-by Marge Crone

Altar Bouquet 2

Blessings to all
Healthcare Personnel
-by Deb & Tim Freeman