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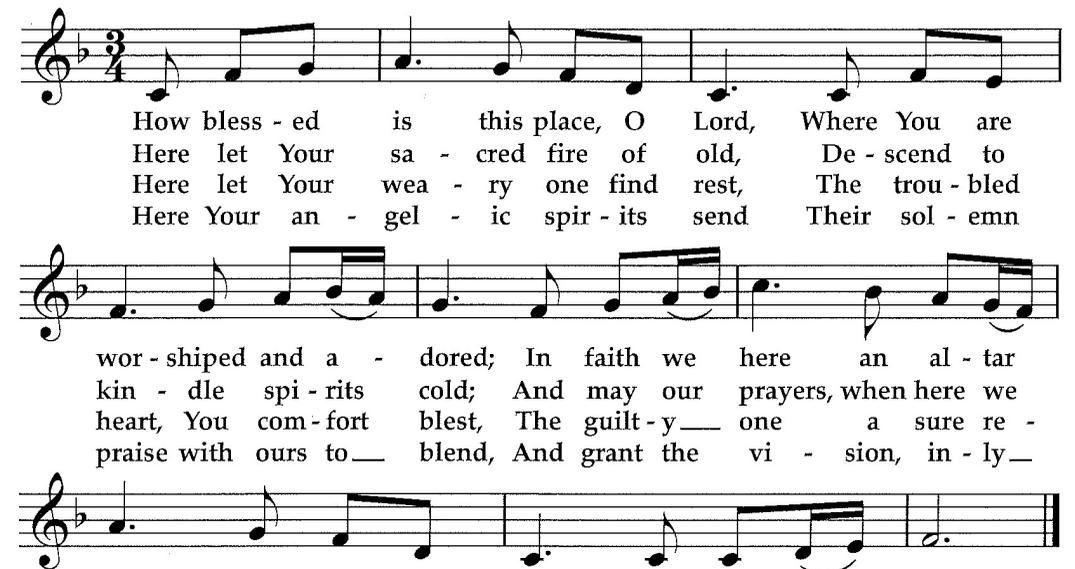
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 - congregation stands.  - congregation sits.  - congregation kneels.  
 - congregation sings. Congregation responds in **bold** print.

**Prelude** "How Blessed is This Place"/ "It Is Well With My Soul" -  
arr. Rachel Trelstad Porter

## Order of Service

 **HYMN:** "How Blessed is This Place"



How bless - ed is this place, O Lord, Where You are  
Here let Your sa - cred fire of old, De - scend to  
Here let Your wea - ry one find rest, The trou - bled  
Here Your an - gel - ic spir - its send Their sol - emn  
wor - shiped and a - dored; In faith we here an al - tar  
kin - dle spi - rits cold; And may our prayers, when here we  
heart, You com - fort blest, The guilt - y one a sure re -  
praise with ours to blend, And grant the vi - sion, in - ly -  
raise To Your great glo - ry, God of praise.  
bend, Like in - cense sweet to You as - cend.  
treat, The sin - ner, par - don at Your feet.  
giv'n, Of this Your house, the gate of heav'n.

**Faith Lutheran Church**  
Green Bay, Wisconsin

## INVOCATION

In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**Amen.**

## CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

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,  
**who made heaven and earth.**

I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,  
**and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

 O almighty God, merciful Father,

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

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 Spirit.  
**Amen.**

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

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

Lord God, heavenly Father, since we cannot stand before You relying on anything we have done, help us trust in Your abiding grace and live according to Your Word; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.  
**Amen.**

## + SCRIPTURES FOR THE DAY +

 Old Testament

Isaiah 55:6-9

"Seek the LORD while he may be found;  
call upon him while he is near;  
let the wicked forsake his way,  
and the unrighteous man his thoughts;  
let him return to the LORD, that he may have compassion on him,  
and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.  
For my thoughts are not your thoughts,  
neither are your ways my ways, declares the LORD.  
For as the heavens are higher than the earth,  
so are my ways higher than your ways  
and my thoughts than your thoughts.

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

## PSALM 19

Refrain - cantor/choir, then all



Lord, you have the words of  
ev - er - last - ing life.

Cantor/Choir

*The law of the Lord is perfect, it revives the soul.  
The rule of the Lord is to be trusted, it gives wisdom to the simple.*

*The precepts of the Lord are right, they gladden the heart.  
The command of the Lord is clear, it gives light to the eyes.*

**refrain**

*The fear of the Lord is holy, abiding forever.  
The decrees of the Lord are truth and all of them just.*

*They are more to be desired than gold, than the purest of gold  
and sweeter are they than honey than honey from the comb.* **refrain**

*So in them your servant finds instruction; great reward is in their keeping.  
But can we discern all our errors? From hidden faults acquit us.*

*From presumption restrain your servant and let it not rule me.  
Then I shall be blameless, clean from all sin.* **refrain**

*May the spoken words of my mouth, the thoughts of my heart,  
win favor in your sight, O Lord, my rescuer, my rock!*

*Praise the Father, the Son, and Holy Spirit, both now and forever,  
the God who is, who was, and who will be, world without end.* **refrain**

## Epistle

**Phillipians 1:12-14, 19-30**

I want you to know, brothers, that what has happened to me has really served to advance the gospel, so that it has become known throughout the whole imperial guard and to all the rest that my imprisonment is for Christ. And most of the brothers, having become confident in the Lord by my imprisonment, are much more bold to speak the word without fear.

For I know that through your prayers and the help of the Spirit of Jesus Christ this will turn out for my deliverance, as it is my eager expectation and hope that I will not be at all ashamed, but that with full courage now as always Christ will be honored in my body, whether by life or by death. For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain. If I am to live in the flesh, that means fruitful labor for me. Yet which I shall choose I cannot tell. I am hard pressed between the two. My desire is to depart and be with Christ, for that is far better. But to remain in the flesh is more necessary on your account. Convinced of this, I know that I will remain and continue with you all, for your progress and joy in the faith, so that in me you may have ample cause to glory in Christ Jesus, because of my coming to you again.

Only let your manner of life be worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that whether I come and see you or am absent, I may hear of you that you are standing firm in one spirit, with one mind striving side by side for the faith of the gospel, and not frightened in anything by your opponents. This is a clear sign to them of their destruction, but of your salvation, and that from God. For it has been granted to you that for the sake of Christ you should not only believe in him but also suffer for his sake, engaged in the same conflict that you saw I had and now hear that I still have.

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

## **i** GOSPEL VERSE

Alleluia. By grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God

**Alleluia**

*Ephesians 2:8*

The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, the twentieth chapter.  
**Glory to You, O Lord.**

## GOSPEL:

**Matthew 20:1-16**

"For the kingdom of heaven is like a master of a house who went out early in the morning to hire laborers for his vineyard. After agreeing with the laborers for a denarius a day, he sent them into his vineyard.

And going out about the third hour he saw others standing idle in the marketplace, and to them he said, 'You go into the vineyard too, and whatever is right I will give you.' So they went.

Going out again about the sixth hour and the ninth hour, he did the same. And about the eleventh hour he went out and found others standing. And he said to them, 'Why do you stand here idle all day?'

They said to him, 'Because no one has hired us.' He said to them, 'You go into the vineyard too.'

And when evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his foreman, 'Call the laborers and pay them their wages, beginning with the last, up to the first.' And when those hired about the eleventh hour came, each of them received a denarius. Now when those hired first came, they thought they would receive more, but each of them also received a denarius.

And on receiving it they grumbled at the master of the house, saying, 'These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat.'

But he replied to one of them, 'Friend, I am doing you no wrong. Did you not agree with me for a denarius? Take what belongs to you and go. I choose to give to this last worker as I give to you. Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or do you begrudge my generosity?'

So the last will be first, and the first last."

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to You, O Christ.**

### 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.**

Children's Message Alex Wright - Director of Christian Education

### HYMN OF THE DAY: "When Peace, Like a River" - LSB #763

1 When peace, like a riv - er, at - tend - eth my way; When  
2 Though Sa - tan should buf - fet, though tri - als should come, Let  
3 He lives— oh, the bliss of this glo - ri - ous thought; My  
4 And, Lord, haste the day when our faith shall be sight, The

sor - rows, like sea bil - lows, roll; What - ev - er my lot, Thou hast  
this blest as - sur - ance con - trol, That Christ hath re - gard - ed my  
sin, not in part, but the whole, Is nailed to His cross, and I  
clouds be rolled back as a scroll, The trum - pet shall sound and the

taught me to say, It is well, it is well with my soul.  
help - less es - tate And hath shed His own blood for my soul.  
bear it no more, Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!  
Lord shall de - scend; E - ven so it is well with my soul.

*Refrain*  
It is well with my soul, It is well, it is well with my soul.  
It is well with my soul,

MESSAGE: Pastor Joshua Errer

**PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

*(after each prayer petition)* Lord, in Your mercy... **hear our prayer.**

**+ SACRAMENT +**

**PREFACE**

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 Him thanks and praise.**

**PROPER PREFACE**

**SANCTUS** "Holy, Holy, Holy" - *LSB #507, stanzas 2 and 3*

- 2. Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore Thee,  
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;  
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee,  
Which wert and art and evermore shalt be.
- 3. Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide Thee,  
Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see,  
Only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee,  
Perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.

**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 INSTITUTION**

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

8:00 **AGNUS DEI** "You Are My All in All" - Dennis Jernigan

You are my strength when I am weak, You are my Treas-ure that I seek You are my All in All. \_\_\_\_\_

Seek-ing You as a pre-cious jewel, Lord to give up I'd be a fool. You are my All in All.

**Refrain** Je - sus, Lamb of God, wor - thy is Your name! \_\_\_\_\_

Je - sus Lamb of God, wor - thy is Your name!

Tak-ing my sin, my cross, my shame, Ris-ing a-gain I bless Your name; You are my All in All. \_\_\_\_\_

When I fall down, You pick me up; when I am dry, You fill my cup; You are my All in All.

**Refrain**

Je - sus, Lamb of God, wor-thy is Your name! \_\_\_\_\_

Je - sus Lamb of God, wor-thy is Your name!

**COMMUNION HYMNS**

**"Seek Ye First" - LSB #712**

1 Seek ye first the king - dom of God, And His  
 2 Ask and it shall be giv - en un - to you, Seek and  
 3 Man does not live by bread a - lone, But by

right - eous - ness. And all these things shall be  
 ye shall find, Knock and the door shall be  
 ev - 'ry word That pro - ceeds from the

add - ed un - to you! Al - le - lu, al - le - lu - ia!  
 o - pened un - to you, Al - le - lu, al - le - lu - ia!  
 mouth of the Lord, Al - le - lu, al - le - lu - ia!

**"O Christ, Our True and Only Light" - LSB #839**

1 O Christ, our true and on - ly light, En - light - en  
 2 Fill with the ra - diance of Your grace The souls now  
 3 O gent - ly call those gone a - stray That they may  
 4 Shine on the dark - ened and the cold; Re - call the  
 5 That they with us may ev - er - more Such grace with

those who sit in night; Let those a - far now  
 lost in er - ror's maze; En - light - en those whose  
 find the sav - ing way! Let ev - 'ry con - science  
 wan - d'ers to Your fold. U - nite all those who  
 won - d'ring thanks a - dore And end - less praise to

hear Your voice And in Your fold with us re - jice.  
 in - most minds Some dark de - lu - sion haunts and blinds.  
 sore op - pressed In You find peace and heav'n - ly rest.  
 walk a - part; Con - firm the weak and doubt - ing heart,  
 You be giv'n By all Your Church in earth and heav'n.

**PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**  
**Amen.**

**BENEDICTION**  
Amen.

**HYMN: "Now to Him Whose Power is Able"**

Now to Him whose power is a - ble to pro - tect our  
To the on - ly God our Sav - ior, through our Lord Christ

stum - bling feet, and pre - pare our souls for glo - ry  
Je - sus' name, be do - min - ion, pow - er, glo - ry,

there with joy our King to meet so that we may  
ma - jest - y, and match-less fame, from be - fore the

stand be - fore Him fault-less at his judg - ment seat  
world's foun - da - tion, now and ev - er - more the same!

**Postlude**

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**NEW UPDATED WEBSITE**

Our Church website has gotten a makeover! It is the same web address, just with a new look. While it is a new design, we have made sure that items are easily accessible to you through the website.

For instance:

- Want to learn about worshipping at Faith? Stay on the home page.
- Want to learn more about the educational opportunities like Bible Study (and it's study guides), Christian Growth Hour, or Catechism? The Education tab will bring you to whichever one you want.

Therefore, we invite you to visit [flcgb.com](http://flcgb.com) and check out the new layout and design of the many things that Faith has to offer!

**PRESCHOOL RUMMAGE SALE**

Preschool's Annual Rummage Sale will be on Saturday, October 10, from 8 am -12 pm. Items can be dropped off in the Fellowship Hall starting Sunday, October 4. The proceeds from the Rummage Sale help keep tuition costs reduced, so essentially, your donated items help reduce the Preschool tuition. If you have questions or you have items that you need to be picked up, please contact Scott Stiles at 920-606-0306 or via email at [scott.stiles@jci.com](mailto:scott.stiles@jci.com).



**SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Sunday School is back! Every Sunday the lesson will be posted on our website [flcgb.com](http://flcgb.com) under the Education tab. Families will have the option of visiting the site together whenever and as often as they would like all week long! In addition to the lesson, the staff at Faith will have take-home crafts available at the church every Sunday. Please feel free to pick them up and take them home to work on together. If you have any questions, please email [flcgb.ss@gmail.com](mailto:flcgb.ss@gmail.com).

**2021 ALTAR FLOWER SIGN UP**

The sign up for 2021 altar flowers is available at the Welcome Center. The cost is \$15.00 per bouquet. Flowers are available to take home after the Monday night service. You may also sign up by calling the church office at 920-435-5524.

**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](mailto:flcgb.dce@gmail.com)

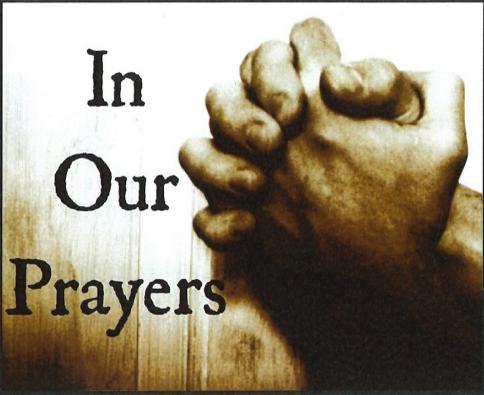
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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- Sept. 20**—3rd Graders (Faith Alive Bible Handout)
- Sept. 23**—Confirmation Meeting (6:30 pm)
- Sept. 27**—Confirmation 2019/2020 (11:00 am Service)
- Oct. 4**—LWML SUNDAY
- Oct. 10**—Preschool Rummage Sale (8 -12 pm)
- Nov. 1**— All Saints' Sunday, Daylight Savings Time ends
- Nov. 8**— Veteran's Day Recognition

**PORTALS OF PRAYER**

The **October-December Portals of Prayer are now available.** You can pick them up outside the church office or between the main entrance doors. It is time to renew our subscription to this wonderful home devotional. In order to balance the budget last year, 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 our members, please consider making a special donation labeled "Portals of Prayer," either on the memo line of your check or on the outside of the envelope. Thank you for your generosity and helping us continue to offer this material to our members!

<p><u>We pray for:</u>  Stan DeMoulin  Frances Feldhausen  Scott Hanna  Allan Juza  Sharon Kussow  Lil LaRue  Randy Lenz  Lucas Raby  Jean Zimmerman  Rick Zimmerman  Faith's Inactive  Members</p>	 <p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">In Our Prayers</p>	<p><u>Pray for our shut-ins:</u>  Helen Ciango  Janice Clevon  Dan Fels  Geraldine Feld  Eugene Feldhausen  Mary Ann Hermsen  Toni Nelson  Carol Walker  Ken Vieth</p>
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**Also pray for our extended family and friends of Faith:**

<p>Susanne Hoehneke (friend of Birgit Harms)  Marjorie Wallenfang (mother of Karen Mielke)  Becky (daughter of friend of Kappie Murray)  Margie Blake (sister of Hans Barih)  James Cockburn (great grandson of Lois Buttke)  Jill (friend of Karin Barih)  Mary Jo Walch (wife of Jeff Walch and daughter-in-law of Bob Walch)  Ken Muehlberger (uncle of Alex Wright)  Nadine &amp; Luca Korab (friends of Janice Luhrs)  Denise Adamczak (daughter of Russ &amp; Shirley Drake)  Mike Walschinski (grandson of Angie Dobratz)  Allana Randall (granddaughter of Christa Batiansila)  Ellyn Baril (aunt of Scott Stiles)  Jenny Christel (friend of Toni Nelson)  Sydney Miracle (niece of Robin and Brian Paul)  Ted Schwenker (father of Molly Krueger)  Jim Shearer (brother-in-law of Andrew &amp; Sue Mansfield)  Isaiah Phillips (grandson of Allan and Eleanore Juza)  Derek Kosmicki (nephew-in-law of Louisa Schauer)</p>	<p>Rose Walschinski (grand-daughter of Angie Dobratz)  Wayne Aprill (friend of Sandy and Bob Olson)  Scott Guiknecht (nephew of Sandy &amp; John Badtke)  Delores Kinne (grandmother of Angela Stiles)  Barb Woituba (friend of Paul &amp; Lori Reynolds)  Charlie Cheslock (grandson of Keith &amp; Jolene Cheslock)  Jeanne Fellenz (mother of Tiffany Hoffman)  Mike Knapp (coworker of Paul Reynolds)  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 &amp; Mike Tollar)  Andrea Laroque (friend of Toni Nelson)</p>
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**FAITH'S ACTIVE MILITARY MEMBERS**  
Nick Grygleski | Rachel Messerschmidt | Riley Dryer



Altar Bouquet 1	Altar Bouquet 2
In Celebration of Chad and Angie Smet's Anniversary	In Celebration of Katie Sinkewicz's 40th Birthday By Jerry & Collette Sinkewicz



To sign up or place an order for an altar bouquet, visit <https://signup.com/go/frthQdp>. The cost is \$15.00 and checks may be mailed to: Faith Lutheran Church 2335 S. Webster Ave, Green Bay, WI 54301. Please note that it is for an altar bouquet and the date(s) you are paying for.

*If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, please email [flcgb.office@gmail.com](mailto:flcgb.office@gmail.com).*