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i - congregation stands. **h** - congregation sits. **k** - congregation kneels.
g - congregation sings. Congregation responds in **bold print**.

Prelude *Adagio* in a-minor - J. S. Bach

Order of Service

(Divine Service III beginning on p. 184 of *Lutheran Service Book*)



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

i 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.

i **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.

i INTROIT (Ps. 34:1-5)



I will bless the Lord | at all times;
his praise shall continually be | in my mouth.

**My soul makes its boast | in the Lord;
let the humble hear | and be glad.**

O magnify the | Lord with me,
and let us exalt his name to- | gether!

**I sought the Lord, and he | answered me
and delivered me from | all my fears.**

Those who look to him are | radiant,
and their faces shall never | be ashamed.

GLORIA PATRI (LSB p. 186)

♩ **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.**

KYRIE

♩ **Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.**

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

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.**

The Lord be with you.
♩ **And with thy spirit.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty God, You chose the virgin Mary to be the mother of Your only Son. Grant that we, who are redeemed by His blood, may share with her in the glory of Your eternal kingdom; through Jesus Christ, Yur Son, ou Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

♫ **Amen.**

+ SCRIPTURES FOR THE DAY +

Old Testament

Isaiah 61:7-11

(The Lord gives His people reason to rejoice.)

Instead of your shame there shall be a double portion;
instead of dishonor they shall rejoice in their lot;
therefore in their land they shall possess a double portion;
they shall have everlasting joy.
For I the LORD love justice;
I hate robbery and wrong;
I will faithfully give them their recompense,
and I will make an everlasting covenant with them.
Their offspring shall be known among the nations,
and their descendants in the midst of the peoples;
all who see them shall acknowledge them,
that they are an offspring the LORD has blessed.
I will greatly rejoice in the LORD;
my soul shall exult in my God,
for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation;
he has covered me with the robe of righteousness,
as a bridegroom decks himself like a priest with a beautiful headdress,
and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels.
For as the earth brings forth its sprouts,
and as a garden causes what is sown in it to sprout up,
so the Lord GOD will cause righteousness and praise
to sprout up before all the nations.

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

Epistle

Galatians 4:4-7

But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman, born under the law, to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as sons. And because you are sons, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba! Father!" So you are no longer a slave, but a son, and if a son, then an heir through God.

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

GOSPEL VERSE



My soul magni- | fies the Lord,
and my spirit rejoices in | God my Savior.

(Luke 1:46b-47)

(Alleluias are repeated.)

The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the first chapter:
Glory to You, O Lord

GOSPEL

Luke 1:39-55

Mary Visits Elizabeth

In those days Mary arose and went with haste into the hill country, to a town in Judah, and she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth. And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the baby leaped in her womb. And Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit, and she exclaimed with a loud cry, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb! And why is this granted to me that the mother of my Lord should come to me? For behold, when the sound of your greeting came to my ears, the baby in my womb leaped for joy. And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfillment of what was spoken to her from the Lord."

And Mary said,

(Mary sings the Magnificat.)

Sunday: Children's Message Alex Wright - Director of Christian Education

NICENE CREED



1 My soul re - joic - es, My spir - it voic - es— Sing the
2 His arm now bar - ing, His strength de - clar - ing— Sing the



great - ness of the Lord! For God my Sav - ior Has shown me
great - ness of the Lord! The proud He scat - ters, Their rule He



fa - vor— Sing the great - ness of the Lord! With praise and
shat - ters— Sing the great - ness of the Lord! Op - pres - sion



bles - sing, Join in con - fess - ing God, who is sole - ly Might - y and
halt - ed; The meek ex - alt - ed. Full are the hun - gry; Emp - ty, the



ho - ly— O sing the great - ness of God the Lord! His mer - cy
wealth - y— O sing the great - ness of God the Lord! Here is the



sure - ly Shall rest se - cure - ly On all who fear Him,
to - ken All that was spo - ken To A - br'ham's off - spring



Love and re - vere Him— O sing the great - ness of God the Lord!
God is ful - fill - ing— O sing the great - ness of God the Lord!

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

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.

THE MESSAGE: Vicar Anthony Keilani

HYMN OF THE DAY: "My Soul Now Magnifies the Lord" - LSB #934

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

**+ SACRAMENT +
(LSB p. 194)**

The Lord be with you.

♫ **And with thy spirit.**

Lift up your hearts.

♫ **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.

♫ **It is meet and right so to do.**

PROPER PREFACE

SANCTUS (LSB p. 195)

♫ **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.**

LORD'S PRAYER (LSB p. 196)

**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.**

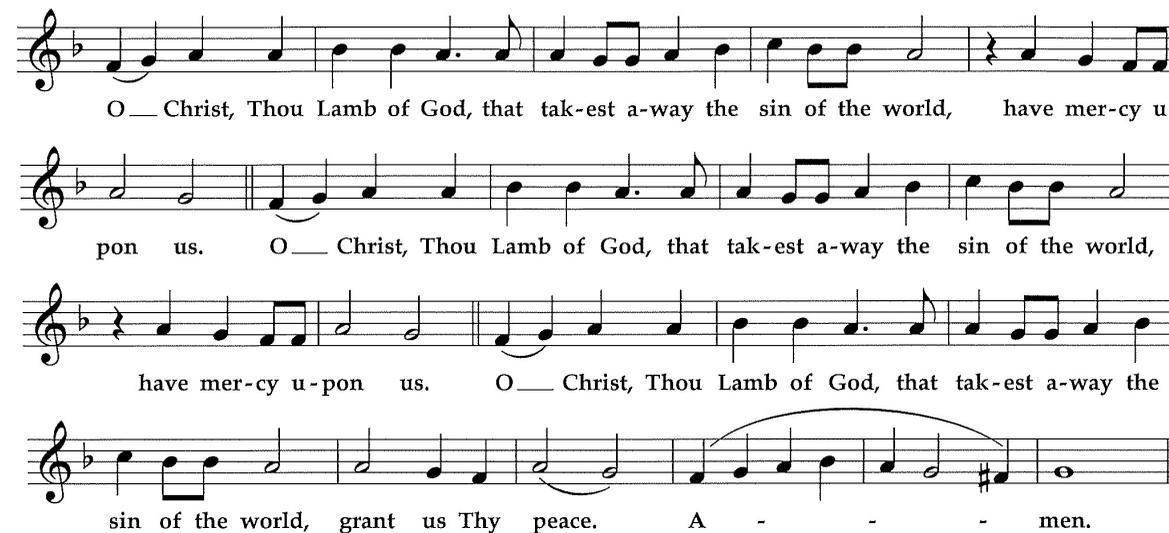
WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PAX DOMINI

The peace of the Lord be with you always.



AGNUS DEI



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

“The Angel Gabriel from Heaven Came” - *LSB* #356

“My Faith Looks Up to Thee” - *LSB* #702

“Shepherd of Souls”



- 1. Shep-herd of souls, re-fresh and bless
- 2. We would not live by bread a-lone,
- 3. Be known to us in break-ing bread,
- 4. Lord, sup with us in love di-vine;



Your cho-sen pil-grim flock	With man-na in the
But by your word of grace,	In strength of which we
But do not then de-part;	Sav-ior, a-bide with
Your Bod-y and your Blood,	That liv-ing bread, that



wil-der-ness,	With wa-ter from the rock.
trav-el on	To our a-bid-ing place.
us, and spread	Your ta-ble in our heart.
heav'n-ly wine,	Be our im-mor-tal food.

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NUNC DIMITTIS (*LSB* p. 199-200)

Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy Word, For mine eyes have seen Thy Salvation; which Thou has 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.

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

And His mercy endureth forever.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Amen.

SALUTATION and BENEDICAMUS *LSB* p. 201

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spirit.

Bless with the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

“My soul glorifies the Lord
and my spirit rejoices in
God my Savior ...”

Luke 1:46

BENEDICTION

Amen, Amen, Amen.



HYMN:

“Rejoice, O Pilgrim Throng” - LSB #813

stanzas 1, 2, 4, 5



1 Re - joice, O pil - grim throng! Re - joice, give thanks, and sing:
2 With voice as full and strong As o - cean's surg - ing praise.



Your fes - tal ban - ner wave on high, The cross of Christ your King.
Send forth the stur - dy hymns of old, The psalms of an - cient days.



Re - joice! Re - joice! Re - joice, give thanks, and sing!

4. **Yet on and onward still, With hymn and chant and song,
Through gate and porch and columned aisle The hallowed pathways throng.
Rejoice! Rejoice! Rejoice, give thanks, and sing!**
5. **Still lift you standard high, Still march in firm array,
As pilgrims through the darkness wend Till dawns the golden day.
Rejoice! Rejoice! Rejoice, give thanks, and sing!**

Postlude

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FAITH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS AUGUST 15 & 16, 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.

Safe travels to our Catechism students as they travel to Camp Luther for Catechism Camp!



August 25, 5:30 pm
Catechism Orientation/Parent Meeting: *Parents must attend with the student

CHRISTIAN GROWTH BEGINS SEPTEMBER 12

We are looking to update our records and emergency contact information for all students who will be attending Christian Growth Sunday School in the fall. Please fill out our registration form on our website on the Christian Growth page under the education tab.

SUNDAYS SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED

We are also looking for teachers for the fall! Teachers use a pre-planned lesson and materials gathered by Alex to lead the students in learning more about the Bible and their faith. Please contact Alex at flcgb.dce@gmail.com if you are interested in being a teacher!

Volunteer Meeting

Volunteer meeting will take place on Sunday, August 22 after the 9:30 am service downstairs. Kids will join together and sing some of the fun Sunday School songs while DCE Alex Wright will go over the details for the volunteers.

WELCOME TO GOD'S FAMILY

We welcome Clara Mae Mueller who has joined God's family through Holy Baptism at the 9:30 am service. Clara is the daughter of Bob and Mandy Mueller, and sister to Micah.



BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

Bring your backpacks with you to church for the Blessing of the Backpacks that will be taking place on Sunday, August 22 during service. Pastor Error will bless the backpacks and pray for a happy and successful school year.

BAND/CHOIR TEACHER

N.E.W. Lutheran School Association & Pilgrim Lutheran School currently have an open teaching position for a full-time Band & Choir teacher. If you are interested (or know of anyone that may be interested) please contact Jim McClellan at 920-469-6810 X 1003 or mcclellanj@newlhs.com.



SCRIP PROGRAM

Need to go "Back to School" shopping? Don't forget to use Scrip for your school supplies! Help make an impact! With your purchase, a percentage of the gift card's value (2-13%) is given back to Faith. Stop by the Scrip table in between services on Sunday, or stop in the Church Office during the week.

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 Association (Faith Christian Preschool, Green Bay Trinity Lutheran 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!



<p><u>We pray for:</u> Karin Barth Sharon Bauer Amy Butterbrodt Ginny Fleck Helen French Sharon Kussow Lil LaRue Shirley Mitchell Ethan Marach Wendy Marach Nancy Moede Lucas Raby Doug Schuettepelz Lois Stirdivant Kelly Tollar 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> Janice Clevon Dan Fels 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><i>Jeff Irish (son in law of Robert and Jean Neufeld)</i> <i>Heidi Harms (daughter of Birgit Harms)</i> <i>Reverend Timothy Kinne (father of Angela Stiles)</i> <i>Patti Nelson (sister of Joel Cornell)</i> <i>Don Kvorka (brother of Kathy Cornell)</i> <i>Dr. Erik Fossum (friend of Jeff & Mary Jo Walch)</i> <i>Jan Welter (wife of Leo Welter)</i> <i>Chase Royal (grandson-in-law of Bob & Jean Neufeld)</i> <i>Becca Babka (daughter of Diane Jones)</i> <i>Katie Bartel (niece to Al & Robin Petasek)</i> <i>John & Sally Hartfeld (parents of Natalie Jackson)</i> <i>Pastor Mike Ahlemeyer</i> <i>Teri Dittman (sister in law of Paul & Lori Reynolds)</i> <i>Matthew Lange (nephew of Paul & Lori Reynolds)</i> <i>Gary Miller (friend of Christa Batiansila)</i> <i>Luke Davison (former member of Faith)</i> <i>Liz Benecke (friend of Kay Hanna)</i> <i>Judy Tepe (friend of Connie and Randy Lenz)</i> <i>Kathy Anderson (sister of Paul Heiser)</i> <i>Maynard Lufter (father of Martie and Jack Roubal)</i> <i>Pastor Pett (Redeemer Lutheran Church)</i> <i>Harold Wilson (brother of Sandy Olson)</i> <i>Doug Behl (student of Green Bay Trinity Lutheran)</i></p>	<p><i>Susanne Hoehneke (friend of Birgit Harms)</i> <i>Jill (friend of Karin Barth)</i> <i>Mike Walschinski (grandson of Angie Dobratz)</i> <i>Sydney Miracle (niece of Robin and Brian Paul)</i> <i>Jim Shearer (brother-in-law of Andrew & Sue Mansfield)</i> <i>Tea Schwenker (father of Molly Krueger)</i> <i>Isaiah Phillips (grandson of Allan and Eleanore Juza)</i> <i>Derek Kosmicki (nephew-in-law of Louisa Schauer)</i> <i>Rose Walschinski (grand-daughter of Angie Dobratz)</i> <i>Delores Kinne (grandmother of Angela Stiles)</i> <i>Charlie Cheslock (grandson of Keith & Jolene Cheslock)</i> <i>Jeanne Fellenz (mother of Tiffany Hoffman)</i> <i>Jackson Kieth (infant relative of Mary Kovach)</i> <i>Bob Falkenhagen (brother-in-law of Pat Falkenhagen)</i> <i>Kevin Klover (brother of Kathy Ebert)</i> <i>Amy Kellerman (cousin of Linda Just)</i> <i>The Williamson Family (friends of Kelly Bagneski)</i> <i>Pastor Jeff Dobratz (son of Angela Dobratz)</i> <i>Jean Newkirk (friend of Marian Kovach)</i> <i>Melody Vollmer (granddaughter of Kelly & Mike Tollar)</i> <i>Andrea Laroque (friend of Toni Nelson)</i></p>
<p><u>FAITH'S ACTIVE MILITARY MEMBERS</u> <i>Rachel Messerschmidt</i></p>	

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	Altar Bouquet 2
<p>In Celebration of Nick & Michelle Reynold's Wedding</p>	<p>In Celebration of Heidi Harms' Birthday</p>



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.