



Welcome to worship at Spirit of Christ!

We are a member congregation of the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod. We gather here as the living body of Jesus Christ to be nourished and empowered by the Holy Spirit in what we call the “Means of Grace” — God’s gifts of Word and Sacrament. Through these Means of Grace, we receive the promise of the Gospel: that in the Spirit of Christ God forgives us, remakes us, and reigns in us. May the Lord bless your worship today!

October 9, 2022

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome

We Know That Christ Was Raised

LSB 603 (tune 677)

- 1 **We know that Christ is raised and dies no more.
Embraced by death, he broke its fearful hold;
And our despair he turned to blazing joy.
Alleluia!**
- 2 **We share by water in his saving death.
Reborn, we share with him an Easter life
As living members of a living Christ.
Alleluia!**
- 3 **The Father’s splendor clothes the Son with life.
The Spirit’s power shakes the Church of God.
Baptized, we live with God the Three in One.
Alleluia!**

Invocation

- P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C** Amen.

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

Confession and Absolution

- P** St. Paul asks Timothy to “Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead.” Like Timothy, we remember the one who was pierced for our transgressions and crushed for our iniquities.
- C** **If we died with him, we will also live with him.**
- P** “We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.”
- C** **If we died with him, we will also live with him.**

- P** “For we know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be done away with.”
- C** **If we died with him, we will also live with him.**
- P** Lord, put our sinful nature to death again. Raise us to life with Christ Jesus.

We take time in silence to confess our personal and communal sin before God, confident that we will receive forgiveness.

- P** Paul’s says “here is a trustworthy saying.” He invites Timothy to cling to the promise of Christ when faced with his own sin and suffering. This is the promise: If you died with him, you will also live with him. Therefore it is my joy and privilege, in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ, to forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit. You have died with him, and now you live through him, in him, and with him.
- C** **Amen! Thanks be to God!**

Pax Domini

- P** Finally, brothers and sisters, rejoice! Strive for full restoration, encourage one another, be of one mind, live in peace.
- C** **And the God of love and peace will be with you.** (2 Corinthians 13:11,14)
- P** May the peace of our Lord Jesus be with you all.
- C** **And also with you.**

Kyrie

Spoken

- A** In peace let us pray to the Lord.
- C** **Lord, have mercy.**
- A** For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.
- C** **Lord, have mercy.**
- A** For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.
- C** **Lord, have mercy.**
- A** For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.
- C** **Lord, have mercy.**
- A** Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.
- C** **Amen.**

This Is the Feast

- C** **This is the feast of victory for our God.**
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God.

**This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

Power, riches, wisdom, and strength, and honor, blessing, and glory are His.

**This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

**Sing with all the people of God, and join in the hymn of all creation:
Blessing, honor, glory, and might be to God and the Lamb forever.
Amen.**

**This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

For the Lamb who was slain has begun His reign. Alleluia.

**This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

Sit

First Reading

2 Kings 5:1-3,7-15

Now Naaman was commander of the army of the king of Aram. He was a great man in the sight of his master and highly regarded, because through him the LORD had given victory to Aram. He was a valiant soldier, but he had leprosy. ²Now bands of raiders from Aram had gone out and had taken captive a young girl from Israel, and she served Naaman's wife. ³She said to her mistress, "If only my master would see the prophet who is in Samaria! He would cure him of his leprosy."

⁷As soon as the king of Israel read the letter, he tore his robes and said, "Am I God? Can I kill and bring back to life? Why does this fellow send someone to me to be cured of his leprosy? See how he is trying to pick a quarrel with me!"

⁸When Elisha the man of God heard that the king of Israel had torn his robes, he sent him this message: "Why have you torn your robes? Have the man come to me and he will know that there is a prophet in Israel."⁹ So Naaman went with his horses and chariots and stopped at the door of Elisha's house. ¹⁰Elisha sent a messenger to say to him, "Go, wash yourself seven times in the Jordan, and your flesh will be restored and you will be cleansed."

¹¹But Naaman went away angry and said, "I thought that he would surely come out to me and stand and call on the name of the LORD his God, wave his hand over the spot and cure me of my leprosy. ¹²Are not Abana and Pharpar, the rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel? Couldn't I wash in them and be cleansed?" So he turned and went off in a rage.

¹³Naaman's servants went to him and said, "My father, if the prophet had told you to do some great thing, would you not have done it? How much more, then,

when he tells you, ‘Wash and be cleansed!’” ¹⁴ So he went down and dipped himself in the Jordan seven times, as the man of God had told him, and his flesh was restored and became clean like that of a young boy.

¹⁵ Then Naaman and all his attendants went back to the man of God. He stood before him and said, “Now I know that there is no God in all the world except in Israel. So please accept a gift from your servant.”

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Second Reading

2 Timothy 2:8-15

⁸ Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, descended from David. This is my gospel, ⁹ for which I am suffering even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But God’s word is not chained. ¹⁰ Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, that they too may obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory.

¹¹ Here is a trustworthy saying:

If we died with him,
we will also live with him;

¹² if we endure,
we will also reign with him.

If we disown him,
he will also disown us;

¹³ if we are faithless,
he remains faithful,
for he cannot disown himself.

¹⁴ Keep reminding God’s people of these things. Warn them before God against quarreling about words; it is of no value, and only ruins those who listen. ¹⁵ Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved, a worker who does not need to be ashamed and who correctly handles the word of truth.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Alleluia and Verse

C Alleluia.

Lord, to whom shall we go?

You have the words of eternal life.

Alleluia, alleluia.

Holy Gospel

Luke 17:11-19

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the seventeenth chapter.

C Glory to you, O Lord.

¹¹ Now on his way to Jerusalem, Jesus traveled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. ¹² As he was going into a village, ten men who had leprosy met him. They stood at a distance ¹³ and called out in a loud voice, “Jesus, Master, have pity on us!”

¹⁴When he saw them, he said, “Go, show yourselves to the priests.” And as they went, they were cleansed.

¹⁵One of them, when he saw he was healed, came back, praising God in a loud voice. ¹⁶He threw himself at Jesus’ feet and thanked him—and he was a Samaritan.

¹⁷Jesus asked, “Were not all ten cleansed? Where are the other nine?”¹⁸Has no one returned to give praise to God except this foreigner?”¹⁹Then he said to him, “Rise and go; your faith has made you well.”

P This is the Gospel of our Lord

C Praise to you, O Christ.

Sit

Baptized into Your Name Most Holy

LSB 590

1 Baptized into your name most holy,
O Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
I claim a place, though weak and lowly,
Among your saints, your chosen host.
Buried with Christ and dead to sin,
Your Spirit now shall live within.

2 My loving Father, here you take me
To be henceforth your child and heir.
My faithful Savior, here you make me
The fruit of all your sorrows share.
O Holy Spirit, comfort me
When threat’ning clouds around I see.

3 My faithful God, you fail me never;
Your promise surely will endure.
O cast me not away forever
If words and deeds become impure.
Have mercy when I come defiled;
Forgive, lift up, restore your child.

4 All that I am and love most dearly—
Receive it all, O Lord, from me.
Let me confess my faith sincerely;
Help me your faithful child to be!
Let nothing that I am or own
Serve any will but yours alone.

Homily

Apostles’ Creed

C I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.

**And in Jesus Christ, his 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 into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence 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 the Church

Presentation of the Offering

Please sign the Friendship Register located on each pew and pass it to others seated with you so that we may have a record of all those who are worshipping and receiving communion with us today.

Stand

Preface

- P** The Lord be with you.
- C** **And also with you.**
- P** Lift up your hearts.
- C** **We lift them to the Lord.**
- P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- C** **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Sanctus

LSB 161

- C** **Holy, holy, holy Lord God of pow'r and might:
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna. Hosanna.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

Lord's Prayer

The Words of Our Lord

Agnus Dei

LSB 163

- C** Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace.

Sit

Distribution

We believe that as we partake of the bread and wine in Holy Communion, Jesus the Messiah is feeding us with his own true body and blood. In eating his body and drinking his blood we receive the promise that our sins are forgiven, and that we will therefore live eternally with God. We also believe that this eating and drinking is a confession of our faith.

If you have been baptized into the Christian faith and if you share our understanding of Christ's Real Presence in this meal, you are welcome to receive Christ's body and blood for your benefit.

Thy Word

Bell Choir

The Church's One Foundation

LSB 644

- 1 The Church's one foundation
Is Jesus Christ, her Lord;
She is His new creation
By water and the Word.
From heav'n he came and sought her
To be his holy bride;
With his own blood he bought her,
And for her life he died.
- 2 Elect from ev'ry nation,
Yet one o'er all the earth;
Her charter of salvation:
One Lord, one faith, one birth.
One holy name she blesses,
Partakes one holy food,
And to one hope she presses
With ev'ry grace endued.
- 3 Though with a scornful wonder
The world sees her oppressed,
By schisms rent asunder,
By heresies distressed,
Yet saints their watch are keeping;
Their cry goes up, "How long?"

And soon the night of weeping
Shall be the morn of song.

4 Through toil and tribulation
And tumult of her war
She waits the consummation
Of peace forevermore
Till with the vision glorious
Her longing eyes are blest,
And the great Church victorious
Shall be the Church at rest.

5 Yet she on earth has union
With God, the Three in One,
And mystic sweet communion
With those whose rest is won.
O blessèd heav'nly chorus!
Lord, save us by your grace
That we, like saints before us,
May see you face to face.

Church of God, Elect and Glorious

LSB 646 (tune 848)

1 Church of God, elect and glorious,
Holy nation, chosen race;
Called as God's own special people,
Royal priests and heirs of grace:
Know the purpose of your calling,
Show to all his mighty deeds;
Tell of love that knows no limits,
Grace that meets all human needs.

2 God has called you out of darkness
Into his most marv'lous light;
Brought his truth to life within you,
Turned your blindness into sight.
Let your light so shine around you
That God's name is glorified
And all find fresh hope and purpose
In Christ Jesus crucified.

3 Once you were an alien people,
Strangers to God's heart of love;
But he brought you home in mercy,
Citizens of heav'n above.
Let his love flow out to others,
Let them feel a Father's care;

That they too may know his welcome
And his countless blessings share.

- 4 Church of God, elect and holy,
Be the people he intends;
Strong in faith and swift to answer
Each command your Master sends:
Royal priests, fulfill your calling
Through your sacrifice and prayer;
Give your lives in joyful service—
Sing His praise, his love declare.

We are Called to Stand Together

LSB 828 (tune 924)

- 1 We are called to stand together
With the saints of ages past,
With the patriarchs and prophets
In the faith they once held fast;
Promises and hopes they treasured
Now we find fulfilled at last!
- 2 Those whom Jesus called apostles
Journeyed with him side by side,
Heard His teaching, felt his power,
Saw the way he lived and died;
Then the news of resurrection
They delivered far and wide.
- 3 Through the intervening ages
Round the world the Gospel spread:
Faithful heralds took the message,
Guided where the Spirit led;
So the body grew in stature,
Serving Christ, the living head.
- 4 Now in many tongues and cultures
Songs of celebration ring;
Millions who confess our Savior
Honor Him as Lord and King
And, for courage, grace and guidance
Ev'ry day their prayers they bring.
- 5 To each coming generation
Tell the truth, persuade, explain,
Till the time when time is ended,
Till the Savior comes again—
Till the saints are all united
Under Christ's eternal reign

Baptismal Waters Cover Me

LSB 616 (tune 883)

- 1 **Baptismal waters cover me**
As I approach on bended knee;
My Father's mercy here I plead,
For grievous sins of thought and deed.
- 2 **I look to Christ upon the tree,**
His body broken there for me;
I lay before him all my sin,
My darkest secrets from within.
- 3 **Lord, may your wounded hand impart**
Your healing to my broken heart;
Your love alone can form in me
A heart that serves you joyfully.
- 4 **From Your own mouth comes forth a word;**
Your shepherd speaks, but you are heard;
Through him your hand now stretches out,
Forgiving sin, destroying doubt.
- 5 **Baptismal waters cover me;**
Christ's wounded hand has set me free.
Held in my Father's strong embrace,
With joy I praise him for his grace.

Dismissal

Thank the Lord

- C** Thank the Lord and sing his praise; tell ev'ryone what he has done.
Let all who seek the Lord rejoice and proudly bear his name.
He recalls his promises and leads his people forth in joy
with shouts of thanksgiving. Alleluia, alleluia.

Stand

Benediction

- P** The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.
- C** Amen.

Christ Is Our Cornerstone

LSB 912

- 1 **Christ is our cornerstone,**
On him alone we build;
With his true saints alone

The courts of heav'n are filled.
On his great love
Our hopes we place
Of present grace
And joys above.

2 Here may we gain from heav'n
The grace which we implore,
And may that grace, once giv'n,
Be with us evermore
Until that day
When all the blest
To endless rest
Are called away.

△ 3 Oh, then, with hymns of praise
These hallowed courts shall ring;
Our voices we will raise
The Three in One to sing
And thus proclaim
In joyful song,
Both loud and long,
That glorious name.

Announcements

Sending

- P** Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
- C** Thanks be to God.

Serving in Worship This Morning

October 9, 2022

Pastor:

Jason Neel

Elder:

Jeff Williams and Justin Miller

Reader:

Phil Marquardt

Organist

Karine Platt

In our prayers

Celebrating Birthdays: Lily Kuntz 10/11, Leo Green 10/15, Ted Mavetz 10/15, and Pauline Anderson 10/15.

Celebrating Baptismal Birthdays: Rachel Pawlik 10/13

Celebrating Anniversaries: Paul and Melissa Zeitz 10/11

Weekly Prayer Requests:

1. **Thanksgiving:** Lord, thank you for the gift of new life and a healthy birth of Violet Rose. Keep her in your care and use the people in her life to remind her of your promises.
2. **Hurricane Ian:** Lord, be with the people who were harmed in the storm. Remind them that you are their refuge. Lord, be with the LERT teams as they begin to deploy to lend aid.
3. **Healing:** Father, we know you are merciful and always present, please be with Beth Gerard, Donna Hibben, Gavin, and Ed Jones as they recover from health concerns this week. Thank you for the medical personnel whom you have equipped to help the sick and the hurt. Please grant them your peace.
4. **Military:** Lord, be with our troops. Give them the courage and comfort that your presence brings. We pray especially for Jayce and Amanda as they prepare to deploy. Be with them, protect them and bring them safely home.
5. **Homecoming:** Lord, we are so thankful for the community you have built here at Spirit of Christ. Continue to bless this place and these people and reveal your plans for our future. Bless all who are visiting us this week and help us continue to bless this community with your love and work.

This Week at a Glance

Today	8:00 a.m.	Bible Study
	9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
	10:30 a.m.	Bible Study
	11:00 a.m.	40 th Anniversary Celebration
Tuesday	6:00 p.m.	Outreach Bible Study
	12:00 p.m.	Congregational Prayer
	7:00 p.m.	Elder's Meeting
Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	Confirmation
Friday	6:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Bible Study
	9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
	10:30 a.m.	Education Hour

Notes of Information:

Spirit of Christ Turns 40! Join us today in the Fellowship Hall after a shortened education hour for a celebration of the past 40 years. Celebration starts at 11:15 and a taco bar will be served at 11:45.

T- shirts are available: SOC t-shirts commemorating our 40th anniversary are available for purchase. The cost of the shirts is \$20, we have youth sizes and adult sizes available. See Laura for your shirt today!

Trunk or Treat: October 29th is our 4th annual Trunk or Treat at SOC. Last year we had over 100 kids come and trick or treat in our parking lot, this year we are adding a Reformation theme to our Trunk or Treating. We need as many volunteers as we can get. The commitment is to be here at church in our parking lot between 3:30 pm and 4pm candy or treats to give to our visitors we are usually done by 6 pm. You can decorate your trunk, or you can just enjoy the costumes and smiles from the kids. If you can help with this, please reach out to Raelene Burmeister at number6v2426@hotmail.com or 763-229-4112.

Thank You! The hill removal project was completed on Saturday September 24th with the planting of the wildflower seed on the hill. A big THANK YOU to Warren Hoffman from Hoffman Sod on Lexington Avenue who donated his equipment, time, and the grass seed on the new areas. His generosity is greatly appreciated.

LWL Byte: Please pray for LWML Mite offerings so that the \$100,000 Mission grant can be given to **The Belize Mission Society Lutheran Campus.** This grant money will fund the building of a Mercy House next to the elementary school and Christ Lutheran Church. By bringing the dental clinic and other programs to the Lutheran campus, it will lead people to the Church and connect them with the missionaries

SOC Book Club: The book for October will be Home Front by Kristin Hannah. The Spirit of Christ Book Club will meet on Monday, October 24 at 7 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. All are invited to attend. If you have questions, please reach out to Joan Mager at 763-434-9652.

1% Mission Outreach: Your mission offering has been far reaching in 2022! We have supported several missions such as Kentucky Tornado Disaster Response team, Brule River Mission in Alaska, Food for the Poor in Haiti, and Mission of Christ Network in Thailand.

Outreach Bible Study: Tonight at 6 p.m., the Evangelism Board will be hosting an outreach bible study for adults living with disabilities. The Evangelism Board is partnering with a local agency, Life by Design, who serves people with disabilities in Anoka County, the goal is to host a vibrant and inclusive bible study. This bible study will meet on Sunday nights from 6pm to 8pm in the Fellowship Hall, all are encouraged to attend. These studies will look at the Resurrection account from the books of Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John. For more information, please see Laura in the church office or Carl Schwanbeck.

Board of Trustees: Do you have a heart for building and property management? Do you like to fix things and serve God with your hands? Then the Board of Trustees is the place to do that! SOC needs someone who has both the heart for maintenance as well as the administration skills needed to support the remodeling process to be the chair of this board. Please prayerfully consider serving our community in this capacity.

Thank you from NACE: This past week when the items that we have collected for NACE were dropped off, they were very appreciative for the donations and especially for the socks that were in that donation.

NACE: NACE is in the process of switching over from summer bags to weekend bags for the kids. The bags are sent home with kids from four area schools who need food support over the weekend and holidays. The items in need are individual servings of milk, juice, fruit cup, pudding cups, apple sauce, mac and cheese, cereal, granola bars, chips, cookies, sweets, meat sticks, cheese sticks, and crackers with peanut butter or cheese. The clothing closet is also changing from summer to fall clothing items and needs fall and winter clothing. All donations can be left in the Narthex, if you have any questions, please contact Joan Mager at 763-434-9652.

Sermons and bulletins posted online: Audio and video recordings of worship sermons and digital bulletins are posted weekly. Bulletins and past sermons can be found at www.spiritofchristhamlake.org

Offerings via Give+: Online giving is easy to do, one-time gifts and recurring donations are accepted. Visit the link at soclc.org to sign up or learn more.

October 2, 2022	
Average Offering	\$6578.00
<i>Average offering needed per week to fulfill work plan</i>	\$6335

**Readings for next week:
 Genesis 32:22-31, 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5, Luke 18:1-8**



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