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VISITORS WELCOME! A special welcome to any visitors and guests who are with us today. Please introduce yourself to the pastor after the service, and we pray that the hearing and receiving of the Word of God in our midst will be filled with joy and thanksgiving!

ATTENDANCE REGISTER: During the offering we ask that you sign the attendance register located at the center aisle of each pew. **Please hand the filled in sheet to the usher as you exit at the end of the service. Let the usher know if you don't have a pad in your pew.**

HOLY COMMUNION is celebrated every Sunday and on Feast Days. Visiting communicant members of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod are invited to commune today. All other visitors are asked to speak with the pastor before coming to the altar. If there is time before the service, introduce yourself to the pastor or an elder. Other visitors are invited to use this time for prayer. If you desire information about attending communion, you are encouraged to visit with the pastor after the service today.

PRAYERS OF PREPARATION may be found in the opening cover of the hymnals in each pew. Take some time before the service begins in quiet preparation and prayer.

+SERVING TODAY+

Preacher/Celebrant: Pr. Roemke

Elder: Brent Jiter

Ushers: Keith Kentala & Jacob Kentala

Greeter: Mary Rusch

Organist: Monica Scholz

Altar Guild: Marilyn Dissen & Diana Dissen

Altar Flowers: Today's altar flowers are provided by Dennis & Alberta Helmke in honor of their 48th wedding anniversary.

Cookies: Today's cookies and juice are provided by the Griepentrog's.

Stand

Invocation

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

+CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION+

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

+SERVICE OF THE WORD+

Introit

Ps. 84:1-2a, 4, 10b, 11b; antiphon: Ps. 84:9-10a



Behold our shield, | O God;*
 look on the face of your a- | nointed!
 For a day | in your courts*
 is better than a thousand | elsewhere.
How lovely is your dwelling place, O | LORD of hosts!*
My soul longs, yes, faints for the courts | of the LORD.
Blessèd are those who dwell | in your house,*
ever sing- | ing your praise!
 I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house | of my God*
 than dwell in the tents of | wickedness.
 The LORD bestows favor and | honor.*
 No good thing does he withhold from those who walk up- |
 rightly.

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

Behold our shield, | O God;*
 look on the face of your a- | nointed!
 For a day | in your courts*
 is better than a thousand | elsewhere.

Kyrie



Lord, have mer-cy; Christ, have mer-cy; Lord, have mer-cy.

Gloria in Excelsis
Salutation and Collect of the Day

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P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray.

O Lord, keep Your Church with Your perpetual mercy; and because of our frailty we cannot but fall, keep us ever by Your help from all things hurtful and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Proverbs 4:10–23

- ¹⁰Hear, my son, and accept my words,
that the years of your life may be many.
- ¹¹I have taught you the way of wisdom;
I have led you in the paths of uprightness.
- ¹²When you walk, your step will not be hampered,
and if you run, you will not stumble.
- ¹³Keep hold of instruction; do not let go;
guard her, for she is your life.
- ¹⁴Do not enter the path of the wicked,
and do not walk in the way of the evil.
- ¹⁵Avoid it; do not go on it;
turn away from it and pass on.
- ¹⁶For they cannot sleep unless they have done wrong;
they are robbed of sleep unless they have made someone
stumble.
- ¹⁷For they eat the bread of wickedness
and drink the wine of violence.
- ¹⁸But the path of the righteous is like the light of dawn,
which shines brighter and brighter until full day.
- ¹⁹The way of the wicked is like deep darkness;
they do not know over what they stumble.
- ²⁰My son, be attentive to my words;
incline your ear to my sayings.
- ²¹Let them not escape from your sight;
keep them within your heart.

²²For they are life to those who find them,
and healing to all their flesh.

²³Keep your heart with all vigilance,
for from it flow the springs of life.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Gradual

Ps. 92:1-2



**It is good to give thanks | to the LORD,*
to sing praises to your name, | O Most High;
to declare your steadfast love in the | morning,*
and your faithful- | ness by night.**

Epistle

Galatians 5:16-24

¹⁶But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. ¹⁷For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do. ¹⁸But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law. ¹⁹Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, ²⁰idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, ²¹envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. ²²But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. ²⁴And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

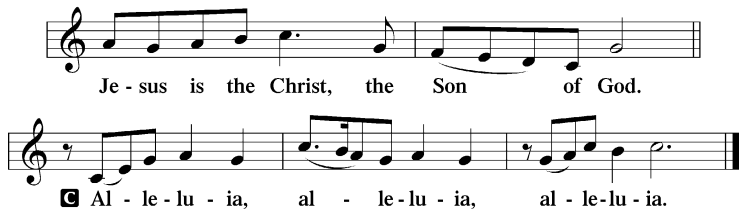
Alleluia and Verse



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



Holy Gospel

Luke 17:11–19

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

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

¹¹On the way to Jerusalem [Jesus] was passing along between Samaria and Galilee. ¹²And as he entered a village, he was met by ten lepers, who stood at a distance ¹³and lifted up their voices, saying, “Jesus, Master, have mercy on us.” ¹⁴When he saw them he said to them, “Go and show yourselves to the priests.” And as they went they were cleansed. ¹⁵Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice; ¹⁶and he fell on his face at Jesus’ feet, giving him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷Then Jesus answered, “Were not ten cleansed? Where are the nine?” ¹⁸Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?” ¹⁹And he said to him, “Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

Nicene Creed

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Sit

Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness

LSB 849

Sermon

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Prayer of the Church

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Offering

+SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT+

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+PRAYER LIST+

- ✘ Those who serve in our nation's armed forces: DuWayne Griepentrog, Exor Padro, Rev. Lynn Christensen, Andy Warren, Evan Smith, Austin Nehls, and for veterans.
- ✘ Shut-ins: Lillian Sciortino, Myrtle Meier, Ernie Kapellusch, Wally and Gloria Pipkorn.
- ✘ For all those suffering from illnesses or other trials, including: Karin Zuehls (Jeff's aunt), Richard Schneider (Kathleen Judson's father), Carol Vescova, Carol Hernandez, Ron Hulke, Jason Stephans, Gail Kulbacki, Laura Solomon (Lynn Fredericksen's sister), and Richard Cleereman (hospitalized).

+ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 28, 2016+

- ✘ **SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Sunday school will begin on September 11th. Please register your children by signing them up on the sheet in the fellowship hall. We are in need of part-time teachers. All lower-grade classes are taught by team-teachers, so no teacher has to teach every week. Please see Becky Noble if you are interested.
- ✘ **FIRST COMMUNION** will be offered on September 25th to those who have been examined by Pastor Roemke. If you or your child would like to be examined, please make an appointment with Pastor Roemke by September 18th.

- ✘ **LWML** is collecting items for the Fall Rally on September 18th. Donation of diapers and infant care products are needed. A basket will be provided in the narthex for these items. Also, mites will be collected today in the fellowship hall.
- ✘ **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** will resume on September 14th. The topic will be the book of Genesis with an emphasis on preparation for the birth of Christ as the means of our salvation.
- ✘ **ISSUES, ETC.** is a radio talk show produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week's topics include: The Vocation of Parent, Anxiety, Redeeming Our Time, The Twelve Spies in Canaan and more. You can listen on-demand at www.issuesetc.org and on the Lutheran Public Radio mobile app.

+CONTRIBUTIONS+

Budgeted Lord's Work Needed Weekly:	\$3,584
Lord's Work Received 8/21-8/27:	\$2,900
Difference Received vs. Needed:	-684
Difference Received vs. Needed YTD:	+ \$9,940

ATTENDANCE 8/21: 124

Communed: 100

+SEPTEMBER EVENTS AT MESSIAH+

Sunday	Sept. 11	10:30 am	Sunday School Begins
Tuesday	Sept. 13	7:00 pm	Choir Practice Resumes
Wednesday	Sept. 14	9:00 am	Women's Bible Study Resumes
Thursday	Sept. 15	6:30 pm	Parish Planning Meeting
Saturday	Sept. 17	9:30 am	Lutheran Confessions Study

BIRTHDAYS

8/28	Joan Chianelli
8/29	Dorothy McConville
8/31	Peggy Holtz
9/3	Jim Vescova

BAPTISM BIRTHDAYS

8/29	Betsy Schmeiser
	Pam Sommer
	Luke Bertz
8/30	Lesia Roemke
9/1	Paul Rusch
9/3	Noah Jiter