

**Messiah Lutheran Church**  
**The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod**



**First Sunday after Trinity**

**June 23, 2019**

**Divine Service I**

# Messiah Lutheran Church

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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+**

**Greeter:** Mary Rusch

**Elder:** Scott Tobalsky

**Organist:** Monica Scholz

**Ushers:** Brent Jiter, Noah Jiter, & Mike Snodgrass

**Altar Guild:** Bonnie Griepentrog & Kate Tobalsky

*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. 13:1–4; antiphon: Ps. 13:5–6*



[O Lord,] I have trusted in your | steadfast love;\*  
my heart shall rejoice in your sal- | vation.

I will sing | to the LORD,\*  
because he has dealt bountifully | with me.

**How long, O LORD? Will you forget me for- | ever?\***

**How long will you hide your | face from me?**

How long must I take counsel in my soul and have sorrow in my  
heart | all the day?\*

How long shall my enemy be exalted | over me?

**Consider and answer me, O | LORD my God;\***

**light up my eyes, lest I sleep the | sleep of death,**

lest my enemy say, “I have prevailed | over him,”\*

lest my foes rejoice because I am | shaken.

**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.**

[O Lord,] I have trusted in your | steadfast love;\*  
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**Kyrie**

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**This Is the Feast**

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**Salutation and Collect of the Day**

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**Alleluia and Verse**

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**Holy Gospel**

*Luke 16:19–31*

<sup>19</sup>[Jesus said:] “There was a rich man who was clothed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. <sup>20</sup>And at his gate was laid a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, <sup>21</sup>who desired to be fed with what fell from the rich man’s table. Moreover, even the dogs came and licked his sores. <sup>22</sup>The poor man died and was carried by the angels to Abraham’s side. The rich man also died and was buried, <sup>23</sup>and in Hades, being in torment, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus at his side. <sup>24</sup>And he called out, ‘Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the end of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am in anguish in this flame.’ <sup>25</sup>But Abraham said, ‘Child, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner bad things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish. <sup>26</sup>And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who would pass from here to you may not be able, and none may cross from there to us.’ <sup>27</sup>And he said, ‘Then I beg you, father, to send him to my father’s house— <sup>28</sup>for I have five brothers —so that he may warn them, lest they also come into this place of torment.’ <sup>29</sup>But Abraham said, ‘They have Moses and the Prophets; let them hear them.’ <sup>30</sup>And he said, ‘No, father Abraham, but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.’ <sup>31</sup>He said to him, ‘If they do not hear Moses and the Prophets, neither will they be convinced if someone should rise from the dead.’”

*Sit*

**To God the Holy Spirit Let Us Pray**

*LSB 768*

**Sermon**

*Stand*

**Nicene Creed**

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**Prayer of the Church**

*Sit*

**Offering**

*Stand*

**Offertory**

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**+SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT+**

**Preface**

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**Sanctus**

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**Prayer of Thanksgiving**

<b>Lord's Prayer</b>	<i>p162</i>
<b>The Words of Our Lord</b>	
<b>Pax Domini</b>	<i>p163</i>
<b>Agnus Dei</b>	
<i>Sit</i>	
<b>Distribution</b>	
<i>O Living Bread from Heaven</i>	<i>LSB 642</i>
<i>Lord of Glory, You Have Bought Us</i>	<i>LSB 851</i>
<i>Praise the Almighty</i>	<i>LSB 797</i>
<i>O Love, How Deep</i>	<i>LSB 544</i>
<i>Stand</i>	
<b>Nunc Dimittis</b>	<i>p165</i>
<b>Post-Communion Collect</b>	<i>p166</i>
<b>Benediction</b>	
<i>What Wondrous Love Is This</i>	<i>LSB 543</i>

**+PRAYER LIST+**

- ✘ Those who serve in our armed forces: Austin Nehls, Michael Shafer, Rev. Lynn Christensen, Kevin Boyd, Rianon Padro, Sean Gleason, and for veterans.
- ✘ Shut-ins: Lillian Sciortino, Richard Cleereman, George Metallo, and Howard Britten.
- ✘ For the DelFrate Family, at the loss of John's father.
- ✘ For all those suffering from illnesses or other trials, including: Karin Zuehls (Jeff's aunt), Angela Wilz (sister of Monica Scholz), Katy Billings, Rhoda (friend of Anita Brothers), Helga Schriener (mother of Monica Scholz), David Scholz (Ted's brother), Vern and Judy Stern (uncle and aunt of Sarah Billings), Matthew Orr (grandson-in-law of Betty Boness), Mike Caparelli (Paul Hegland's brother-in-law), Debbie Snodgrass, Carlos Hernandez (John's brother), Lindsey Fox (granddaughter of Karen Nichols), and Thomas Kotenko (colleague of Jeff Zuehls).

**+ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 23, 2019+**

- ✘ **CHURCH PICNIC & SOFTBALL GAME:** Please join us after the service today for our annual church picnic and softball game.
- ✘ **KINGFISH GAME:** The Kingfish outing is sold out. If you signed up, please give Lesa your payment by next Sunday, either exact cash or a check made out to the Kenosha Kingfish.
- ✘ **BIERGARTEN:** Our next Biergarten meet-up is this Friday, June 28<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm.
- ✘ **NEXT SUNDAY,** our adopted seminarian, Andrew Twietmeyer, will be preaching. We will take up a door offering to continue support for his seminary education. Andrew and his family will be moving to Ohio later this summer to begin his vicarage year.

**+CONTRIBUTIONS+**

Budgeted Lord's Work Needed Weekly:	\$4,330
Lord's Work Received 6/16-6/23:	4,432
Difference Received vs. Needed:	+102
Difference Received vs. Needed YTD:	+1,726

**ATTENDANCE** 6/16: 145

Communed: 133

**+THIS WEEK AT MESSIAH+**

Wednesday	June 26	6:30 pm	Financial Review Meeting
Friday	June 28	6:00 pm	Biergarten Meet-Up

**BIRTHDAYS**

6/23 Deleen Nehls  
6/24 Dennis Helmke  
6/29 Mikaela McConville

**BAPTISM BIRTHDAYS**

6/23 Sarah Schmeiser  
6/28 Karen Nichols  
Debbie Davidson  
Sara Ricchio  
Naomi Jiter

**ANNIVERSARIES**

6/28 Bobby & Kristen Sandberg (5 years)