

Messiah Lutheran Church
The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod



Twenty-Fourth Sunday after
Trinity

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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 sign the guestbook near the front door and introduce yourself to the pastor after the service. We pray that the hearing and receiving of the Word of God in our midst will be filled with joy and thanksgiving!

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 are found in the cover of the hymnals. Take some time before the service begins in quiet preparation and prayer. **Please turn off and put away all electronic devices during the service.**

+SERVING TODAY+

Elder: Mike Henning

Ushers: Brent Jiter & Mark Bernhardt

Greeter: Linda Polcin

Organist: Evone Hagerman

Altar Guild: LeAnn Varvil & Cara Zietz

Altar Flowers: Today's altar flowers are provided by Mike & Debbie Snodgrass in thanksgiving for four granddaughters.

Confession and Absolution

+SERVICE OF THE WORD+

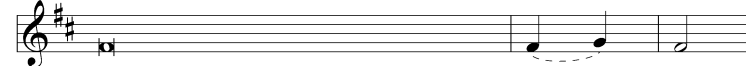
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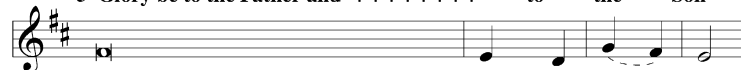
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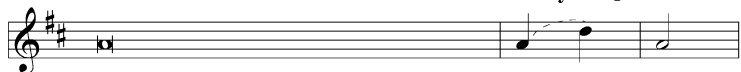
C O come, let us wor-ship Him.



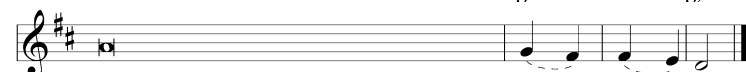
C 1 O come, let us sing to the Lord,
2 For the Lord is a great God
3 The sea is His, for He made it,
5 Glory be to the Father and to the Son



1 let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our sal-va-tion.
2 and a great king a-bove all gods.
3 and His hand formed the dry-land.
5 and to the Ho-ly Spir-it;



1 Let us come into His presence with thanks-giv-ing,
2 The deep places of the earth are in His hand;
3 O come, let us worship and bow-down,
4 For He is our God,
5 as it was in the be- - gin-ning,



1 let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise.
2 the strength of the hills is His al-so.
3 let us kneel before the Lord, our mak-er.
4 and we are the people of His pasture and the sheep of His hand.
5 is now, and will be for - - ev-er. A-men.



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Kyrie

This Is the Feast

Salutation and Collect of the Day

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Stir up, O Lord, the wills of Your faithful people that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by You be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 51:9-16

⁹Awake, awake, put on strength,

O arm of the LORD;

awake, as in days of old,

the generations of long ago.

Was it not you who cut Rahab in pieces,

that pierced the dragon?

¹⁰Was it not you who dried up the sea,

the waters of the great deep,

who made the depths of the sea a way

for the redeemed to pass over?

¹¹And the ransomed of the LORD shall return

and come to Zion with singing;

everlasting joy shall be upon their heads;

they shall obtain gladness and joy,

and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.

¹²“I, I am he who comforts you;

who are you that you are afraid of man who dies,

of the son of man who is made like grass,

¹³and have forgotten the LORD, your Maker,

who stretched out the heavens

and laid the foundations of the earth,

and you fear continually all the day

because of the wrath of the oppressor,

when he sets himself to destroy?

And where is the wrath of the oppressor?

¹⁴He who is bowed down shall speedily be released;

he shall not die and go down to the pit,

neither shall his bread be lacking.

¹⁵I am the LORD your God,

who stirs up the sea so that its waves roar—

the LORD of hosts is his name.

¹⁶And I have put my words in your mouth

Sit

Why Should Cross and Trial Grieve Me

LSB 756

Sermon

Stand

Nicene Creed

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Prayer of the Church

Offertory

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Sit

+SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT+

Stand

Preface

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Sanctus

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Prayer of Thanksgiving

Lord's Prayer

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The Words of Our Lord

Pax Domini

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Agnus Dei

Sit

Distribution

Walk Worthy

Choir

O Son of God, in Galilee

LSB 841

Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness

LSB 563

O Savior, Precious Savior

LSB 527

Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord

LSB 637

Stand

Thank the Lord

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Post-Communion Collect

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Benediction

We Praise You and Acknowledge You

LSB 941

+ V D M A +

**Verbum Domini Manet in Aeternum
The Word of the Lord endures forever**

+PRAYER LIST+

- ✘ Those who serve in our armed forces: Rick Zuehls, Rianon Padro, Exavier Padro, and veterans.
- ✘ The family of Dennis Williams.
- ✘ For all those suffering from illnesses or other trials, including: Rylie Snodgrass, Ken Gundlach (uncle of Sarah Billings), John Funk (friend of Steve and Sarah Billings), Kathy Krause (niece of Jane Gundlach), Vicky Basquez, Irene Bashinsky, and Dale Knutell.

+ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 19th+

- ✘ **WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDIES:** Wednesday morning at 9:30 we will study the hymn Wake, Awake, for Night is Flying (516). There will be no evening Bible study this week.
- ✘ **THANKSGIVING DIVINE SERVICE** is this Wednesday, November 22nd at 6:30 pm.
- ✘ **POINSETTIAS:** Sign up to provide poinsettias to beautify our altar during the Advent and Christmas seasons. Sign up on the sheet in the hallway and submit your payment by Sunday, November 26th.
- ✘ **ELECTRONIC GIVING:** If you have been considering moving to automatic withdrawals for your church contributions, now is a great time to do it. No more hassle of checks and envelopes. It's convenient and you can make changes at any time. You can sign up at <https://secure.myvanco.com/L-YXWQ> or see Lesa for a paper form to fill out.

+CONTRIBUTIONS+

Lord's Work contributions budget YTD as of 11/17:	\$225,500
Lord's Work contributions received YTD as of 11/17:	\$203,580
Difference:	-21,920
Restricted contributions YTD as of 11/17:	\$36,725
Mortgage Balance as of 10/18:	\$29,635

ATTENDANCE 11/12: 110

BIRTHDAYS

11/20 Bill Kroll
11/21 John Hernandez
11/24 Abby Hiebert-Schultz
Brooke Koch
11/25 Marlys Schultz
Stephanie Zuehls

BAPTISM BIRTHDAYS

11/25 Mike Martin
Mary Anne Enriquez

ANNIVERSARIES

11/24 Louie & Kathy Capriotti (50 years)
Jim & Mary Sandberg (39 years)

+NOVEMBER EVENTS AT MESSIAH+

Wednesday Nov. 22 6:30 pm Thanksgiving Divine Service