The Twenty-Fourth Sunday after Trinity

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Our Savior

Evangelical Lutheran Church

The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod

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✠ Hymns ✠
554
755
741
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938
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On receiving the Lord's Supper: Our congregation is a member of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS), a family of congregations that pledge themselves to believe, teach, and confess the same faith. We believe that we are given a great responsibility to commune only those persons who are members of our confessional fellowship. We practice closed communion to exhibit unity in faith (Acts 2:42), to guard the uninstructed against a reception of the sacrament that will be harmful to them (1 Corinthians 11:27-29), and to keep the pastor from having to make "divine" decisions by determining who is a believer and who is not (2 Timothy 2:19). Therefore, only LCMS members, or members of churches in fellowship with us, commune at the altar of this church. Please speak with the pastor before service if you are an LCMS visitor desiring to receive the Eucharist. We want to express our sincere welcome to our guests and assure them that we practice closed communion for their spiritual welfare. Guests desiring to learn more about our beliefs are asked to speak with our pastor.



✠ THE DIVINE SERVICE ✠

10:30am

Please silence all phones and devices before service begins.

THE PRELUDE

The bell tolls three times to signify the beginning of service in reverence of the Holy Trinity. After the tolls, the Processional Hymn will begin.

Please STAND and FACE THE PROCESSION as it passes.

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN **554** *O Jesus, King Most Wonderful*

The Preparation

In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

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.

Please remain STANDING or KNEEL if you desire and are able

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.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination. The pastor will resume...

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.

Please STAND



The Service of the Word

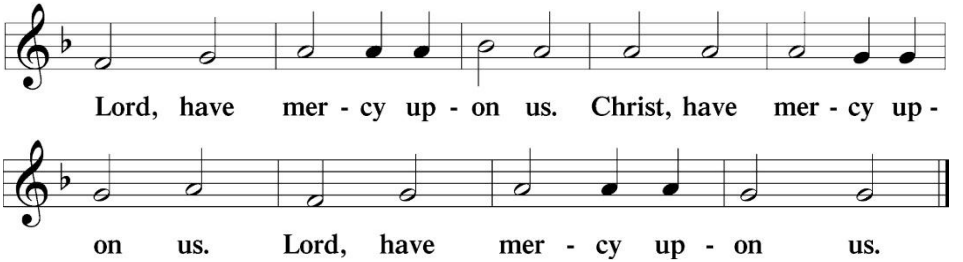
The Introit

Psalm 95:6–7ab; Psalm 95:1

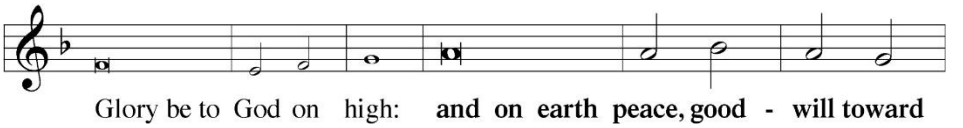


|Oh, come,| let us worship and / bow down:
Let us kneel before the / Lord our Maker.
For He is / our God;
And we are the people of His pasture,
and the sheep / of His hand.—
Oh, come, let us sing unto the / Lôrd:
Let us make a joyful noise to the Rock of / our salvation.
Glory be to the Father and / to the Son
And to the / Holy Spirit;
As it was in the be- / ginning,
Is now and will be for / ever. Amen.
|Oh, come,| let us worship and / bow down:
Let us kneel before the / Lord our Maker.
For He is / our God;
And we are the people of His pasture,
and the sheep / of His hand.—

The Kyrie



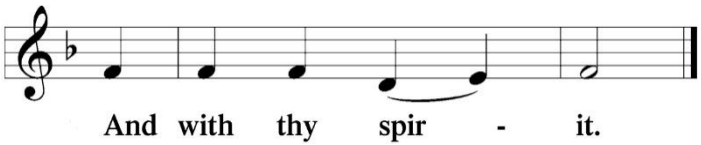
The Gloria in Excelsis




men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.
O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.
O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-
on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on - ly art the Lord.
Thou only, O ✠Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,
art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

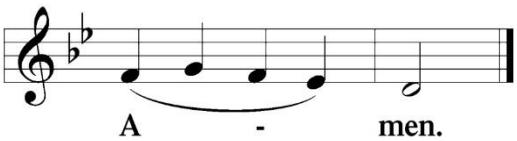
THE SALUTATION

The Lord be with you.



THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Let us pray. Almighty and everlasting God, show Thy mercy unto Thy humble servants, that we who despair of our own merits may know not Thy judgment, but Thy pardon; through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end.



Please BE SEATED

THE PROPHECY ISAIAH 51:9–16

In those days the prophet Isaiah spoke, saying: "Awake, awake, put on strength, O arm of the LORD! Awake as in the ancient days, in the generations of old. Are You not the arm that cut Rahab apart, and wounded the serpent? Are You not the One who dried up the sea, the waters of the great deep; that made the depths of the sea a road for the redeemed to cross over? So the ransomed of the LORD shall return, and come to Zion with singing, with everlasting joy on their heads. They shall obtain joy and gladness; sorrow and sighing shall flee away." "I, even I, am He who comforts you. Who are you that you should be afraid of a man who will die, and of the son of a man who will be made like grass? And you forget the LORD your Maker, who stretched out the heavens and laid the foundations of the earth; you have feared continually every day because of the fury of the oppressor, when he has prepared to destroy. And where is the fury of the oppressor? The captive exile hastens, that he may be

loosed, that he should not die in the pit, and that his bread should not fail. But I am the LORD your God, who divided the sea whose waves roared—the LORD of hosts is His name. And I have put My words in your mouth; I have covered you with the shadow of My hand, that I may plant the heavens, lay the foundations of the earth, and say to Zion, 'You are My people.' "

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

THE GRADUAL PSALM 86:2B, 6A



O / Thou my God,
Save Thy servant that trust- / eth in Thee.—

Give / ear, O LORD,
Un- / to my prayer.—

THE EPISTLE COLOSSIANS 1:9B–14

Brethren: We do not cease to pray for you, and to ask that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding; that you may walk worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing Him, being fruitful in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God; strengthened with all might, according to His glorious power, for all patience and longsuffering with joy; giving thanks to the Father who has qualified us to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed us into the kingdom of the Son of His love, in whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Please STAND

THE ALLELUIA VERSE PSALM 146:1–2

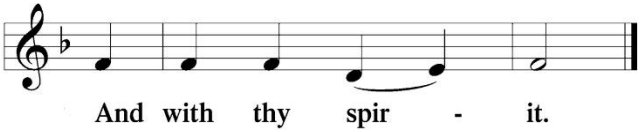


Alle- / luia!
- / Alleluia!

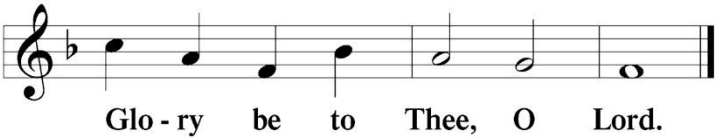
Praise the LORD, O my / sôul.
While I live will I praise the LORD: I will sing praises unto my God while I have any being. / Alleluia!

THE HOLY GOSPEL ST. MATTHEW 9:18–26

The Lord be with you.

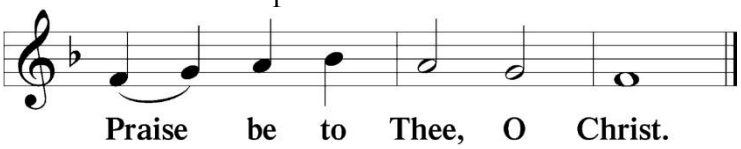


The ✠ Holy Gospel according to Saint Matthew, the ninth chapter.



✠ *At that time:* While Jesus was still speaking to the multitudes, behold, a ruler came and worshiped Him, saying, "My daughter has just died, but come and lay Your hand on her and she will live." So Jesus arose and followed him, and so did His disciples. And suddenly, a woman who had a flow of blood for twelve years came from behind and touched the hem of His garment. For she said to herself, "If only I may touch His garment, I shall be made well." But Jesus turned around, and when He saw her He said, "Be of good cheer, daughter; your faith has saved you." And the woman was made well from that hour. When Jesus came into the ruler's house, and saw the flute players and the noisy crowd wailing, He said to them, "Make room, for the girl is not dead, but sleeping." And they ridiculed Him. But when the crowd was put outside, He went in and took her by the hand, and the girl arose. And the report of this went out into all that land.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.



THE NICENE CREED

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.

Please BE SEATED

THE HYMN OF THE DAY **755** *In the Very Midst of Life*

THE SERMON

Please STAND

The Offertory



The Offertory Verse

Psalm 88:1–2a



O Lord God of my salvation,
I have cried day and night before / Thêe:
Let my prayer come / before Thee, O Lord.

Please BE SEATED

The Offering

Please STAND

The Announcements and Prayer of the Church

- please read the announcements and prayer list details on bulletin insert

After each bid: Let us pray to the Lord.
Lord, have mercy.

At the conclusion: O Lord, ... one God, now and forever.
Amen.

The Service of
the Sacrament of the Altar

The Preface

The Lord be with you.



Lift up your hearts.

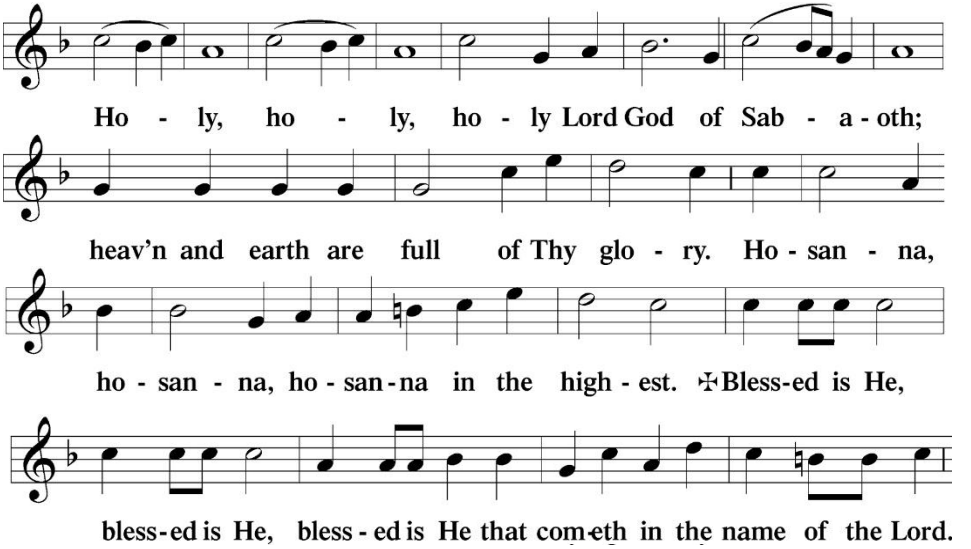


Let us give thanks unto the LORD our God.



It is truly meet, right, and salutary… praising You and saying:

The Sanctus





Please remain STANDING or KNEEL if you desire and are able

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

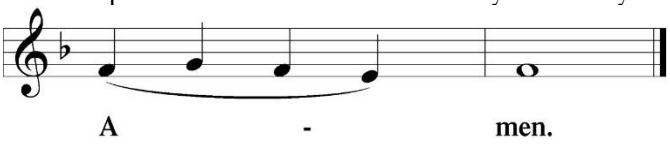
THE WORDS OF CHRIST'S TESTAMENT

Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: TAKE, EAT, THIS IS MY ✠ BODY, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying, DRINK OF IT, ALL OF YOU; THIS CUP IS THE NEW TESTAMENT IN MY ✠ BLOOD, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.

THE PAX DOMINI

The ✠ peace of the Lord be with you always.



The Agnus Dei



The Communion Verse

St. John 5:25



Verily, I say unto you, the hour is coming when the dead
shall hear the voice of the / Son of God:
And they that are in the / graves shall rise.—

Please BE SEATED

Communion Distribution: Our congregation practices closed communion for the spiritual welfare of our members and guests. Please refer to page 1 of this bulletin for further explanation or speak to our pastor.

The Communion Hymns

741 *Jesus Christ, My Sure Defense*
742 *For Me to Live Is Jesus*
632 *O Jesus, Blessed Lord, to Thee*
938 *In Peace and Joy I Now Depart*
745 *In God, My Faithful God*

Please STAND

The Nunc Dimittis



The Thanksgiving

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



Let us pray. O Lord, let Thy healing work both mercifully set us free from our waywardness: and make us ever to cleave unto Thy commandments; through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end.



THE SALUTATION

The Lord be with you.



THE BENEDICAMUS

Bless we the LORD.



Please remain STANDING or KNEEL if you desire and are able

THE BENEDICTION

The LORD bless you and keep you.
The LORD make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
The LORD lift up His countenance upon you and ✠ give you peace.



Please STAND

THE RETIRING PROCESSION WITH POSTLUDE

Please FACE THE PROCESSION as it passes.
Once the Procession reaches the narthex, you may depart in ✠ peace.



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