FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

Missouri Synod

St. Michael and All Angels

September 29, 2024
Divine Service, Setting One – LSB 151
8:00 & 10:30*am, 5:00 pm
*livestreamed on Facebook and YouTube



The curiosity we have about angels sometimes displaces the comfort God intends. Just as Satan is real, working against God and His people, so also the power of God is real and greater than Satan and all his minions. Furthermore, God has given to angels the responsibility for protecting those whom Christ has redeemed with His blood. The victory of the angels in banishing Satan and those allied with him from heaven portends the greater victory of Jesus over Satan, once for all, bringing heaven's victory to you and to me.

+++GATHERING+++

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC – Italian Concerto, 1st Movement, BWV 971 (J. S. Bach)





10:30 am – SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM – LSB 268 Noelle Nicole Barthelme

After the baptism, the service continues with the Salutation and Collect of the Day on page 5.

INVOCATION

- **P** In the name of the Father and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

- **P** If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
- But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

(silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination)

- **P** Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.
- Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.
- Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

+++ WORD +++

INTROIT - Psalm 103:20-22; antiphon: v. 1

The congregation sings all.

Bless the Lord, | O my soul,*

and all that is within me, bless his | holy name!

Bless the Lord, O you his | angels,*

you mighty ones who do his word, obeying the voice | of his word!

Bless the Lord, | all his hosts,*

his ministers, who | do his will!

Bless the Lord, all his works, in all places of his do- | minion.*

Bless the Lord, | O my soul!

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.

Bless the Lord, | O my soul,*

and all that is within me, bless his | holy name!

KYRIE – Lord, Have Mercy – *Mark* 10:47

- **A** In peace let us pray to the Lord.
- C Lord, have mercy.



- 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.
- \mathbf{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.

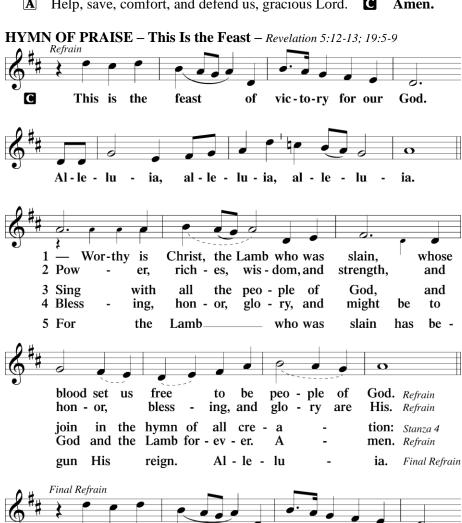
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Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord. A



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SALUTATION and COLLECT OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you. C And also with you.

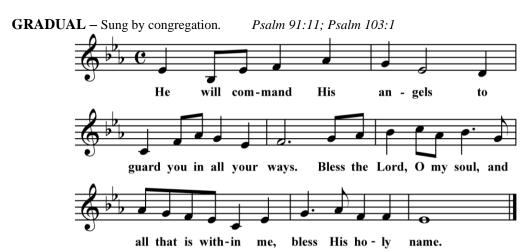
P ...one God, now and forever. C Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT – Daniel 10:10-14, 12:1-3 – The promise of God to send St. Michael the archangel to have charge over God's people

¹⁰And behold, a hand touched me and set me trembling on my hands and knees. ¹¹And he said to me, "O Daniel, man greatly loved, understand the words that I speak to you, and stand upright, for now I have been sent to you." And when he had spoken this word to me, I stood up trembling. ¹²Then he said to me, "Fear not, Daniel, for from the first day that you set your heart to understand and humbled yourself before your God, your words have been heard, and I have come because of your words. ¹³The prince of the kingdom of Persia withstood me twenty-one days, but Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me, for I was left there with the kings of Persia, ¹⁴and came to make you understand what is to happen to your people in the latter days. For the vision is for days yet to come. . . ."

¹"At that time shall arise Michael, the great prince who has charge of your people. And there shall be a time of trouble, such as never has been since there was a nation till that time. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone whose name shall be found written in the book. ²And many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. ³And those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky above; and those who turn many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever."

A This is the Word of the Lord. C Thanks be to God.



EPISTLE — **Revelation 12:7-12** — "Now the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of His Christ have come."

⁷Now war arose in heaven, Michael and his angels fighting against the dragon. And the dragon and his angels fought back, ⁸but he was defeated and there was no longer any place for them in heaven. ⁹And the great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world—he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him. ¹⁰And I heard a loud voice in heaven, saying, "Now the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Christ have come, for the accuser of our brothers has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God. ¹¹And they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they loved not their lives even unto death. ¹²Therefore, rejoice, O heavens and you who dwell in them! But woe to you, O earth and sea, for the devil has come down to you in great wrath, because he knows that his time is short!"

A This is the Word of the Lord. C Thanks be to God.

ALLELUIA and VERSE - Romans 6:9; Revelation 12:11



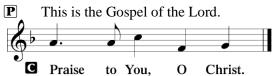
They have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, For they loved not their lives even unto death. **REFRAIN**

HOLY GOSPEL – Luke 10:17-20 – "Lord, even the demons are subject to us in your name!"

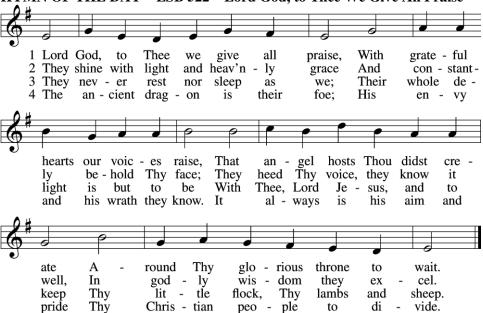
The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the tenth chapter.



¹⁷The seventy-two returned with joy, saying, "Lord, even the demons are subject to us in your name!" ¹⁸And he said to them, "I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. ¹⁹Behold, I have given you authority to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall hurt you. ²⁰Nevertheless, do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."







- 5 As he of old deceived the world And into sin and death has hurled, So now he subtly lies in wait To undermine both Church and state.
- 6 A roaring lion, round he goes, No halt nor rest he ever knows; He seeks the Christians to devour And slay them by his dreadful pow'r.

- 7 But watchful is the angel band That follows Christ on ev'ry hand To guard His people where they go And break the counsel of the foe.
- 8 For this, now and in days to be, Our praise shall rise, O Lord, to Thee, Whom all the angel hosts adore With grateful songs forevermore. Text and tune: Public domain

SERMON - At the Name of Jesus - Luke 10:17-20

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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

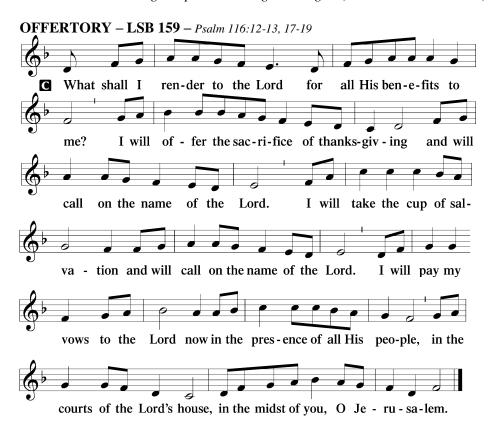
heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

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.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

- **A** Lord, in your mercy, **C** hear our prayer.
- A ...through Jesus Christ, our Lord. C Amen.

OFFERING – *Although I Speak with Angel's Tongue* (arr. Emma Lou Diemer)



+++SACRAMENT+++

beginning at LSB 160

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.
- **P** It is truly good, right, and salutary ...evermore praising You and singing:

SANCTUS - LSB 161



PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

- P Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth ... one God, now and forever.
- C Amen.

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.

For Guests and Visitors Desiring the Sacrament

As a congregation of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, we confess, in accord with the Scriptures, that in this sacred meal Jesus Himself is *truly* present to forgive our sin and strengthen our faith.

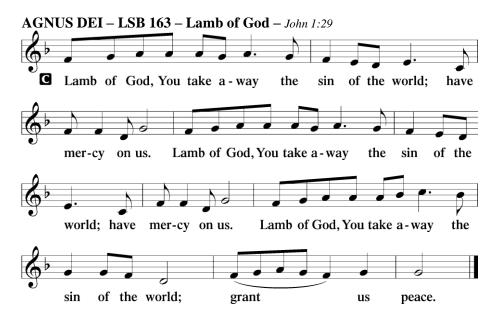
Participation in this meal indicates that you believe, have been baptized, and have been taught according to our Lord's command and are in doctrinal agreement with this confession.

- If you are visiting from outside the Lutheran Church or are new to the faith, we welcome you to come to the altar with arms crossed to receive a blessing.
- If you desire to receive instruction for the Lord's Supper, please speak with one of our pastors.

WORDS OF OUR LORD

PAX DOMINI – The Peace of the Lord – *John 20:19*

- **P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- C Amen.

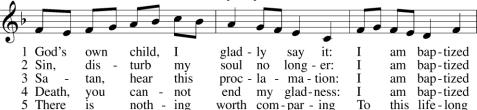




DISTRIBUTION

Anthem – *Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence* (arr. William Roger Price) Text at LSB 621.

LSB 594 - God's Own Child, I Gladly Say It

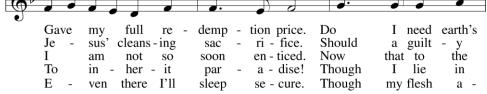


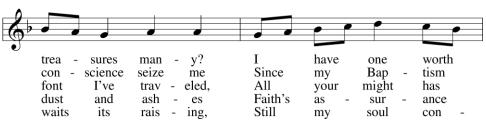
Distribution Notes:

If you need **gluten-free wafers**, please let one of the pastors know.

Non-alcoholic grape juice, containing *a trace amount of wine*, is available in the center of the tray.











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5 Swift as lightning falls the tyrant From his heav'nly perch on high, As the word of Jesus' vict'ry Floods the earth and fills the sky. Wounded by a wound eternal Now his judgment has drawn nigh! 6 Jesus, send Your angel legions When the foe would us enslave. Hold us fast when sin assaults us; Come, then, Lord, Your people save. Overthrow at last the dragon; Send him to his fiery grave.

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POST-COMMUNION HYMN - LSB 680 - Thine the Amen, Thine the Praise

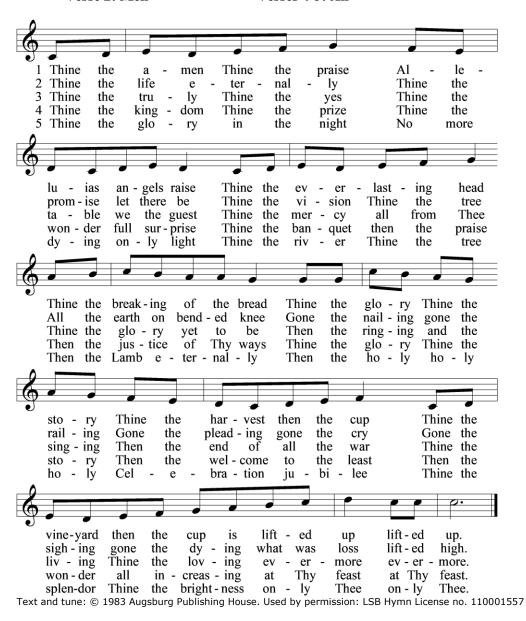
Please stand for Verse 5.

Verse 1: Women

Verse 3: Choir

Verse 2: Men

Verses 4-5: All



POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

P Let us pray... one God, now and forever. C Amen.

BENEDICTION – Numbers 6:24-26

- The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.
- C Amen.

HYMN TO DEPART - LSB 825 - Rise, Shine, You People



SILENT PRAYER / ANNOUNCEMENTS

POST-SERVICE MUSIC – A Mighty Fortress (arr. Calvin Hampton)

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Many thanks to *Jaime Carini* for serving as our guest organist today.



Today's flowers are given to the glory of God by:

- **Judy Simpson and Scott Nolting**, in celebration of multiple September and October birthdays among their family *(on the altar)*
- Mark & Sara Barthelme, in celebration of Elle's baptism today (on the stand)

TODAY

6:00pm **FLY** (Bonfire & Outdoor Activities)

Tuesday, October 1

9:00am **Playgroup** (gym)

1:00pm Fellowship Ministry Team

5:15pm First Steps in Music

Wednesday, October 2

10:00am Men's & Women's Bible studies

11:15am Lunch & Learn: Sleep Health (classrooms)

7:00pm Senior Choir

8:00pm What Do We Believe? (Zoom)



Blood Pressure Checks

Stop by the library after either morning service TODAY for a complimentary Blood Pressure check, offered by our Health and Human Care Ministry Team.



Sunday, October 13 (after morning services) Flu shots available

Saturday, October 26 Fall Festival / Trunk or Treat – sign up on the podium

Saturday, November 2 (8:30am) LWML Fall Zone Gathering

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