



**August 18, 2024**  
**13<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**  
**9:00 AM**

Rev. Monte Peterson, Pastor  
Heather May, Youth & Family Minister  
Carol Peterson, Music Director

*Members of St. Luke's Lutheran Church, in response to Christ's love,  
Reach out in service to each other, the community, and the world.*



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*Welcome to Worship!*

***Kids, don't forget your Praise Packs! See directions on the back page and follow along!***

*Children's Bulletins are available in the Praise Packs!*

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS



### PRELUDE

"What A Friend We Have In Jesus"

Arr. Rob McWilliam



### CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS



### OPENING HYMN

"As We Gather at Your Table"

#522

## STORIES FROM OUR CONGREGATION



### FIRST READING

Acts 9:1-19

*R: This is the Word of the Lord*

**C: Thanks be to God**

### CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Heather May



### SERMON

Reverend Tom Gaulke



### SERMON HYMN

"I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say"

#611



### PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH



### PEACE

*P: The peace of Christ be with you always*

**C: And also with you.**

*Please greet one another with the words, "Peace be with you."*



### OFFERING

*Pew Pads are located at the end of each pew.*

*Please fill them out and pass them, noting those seated around you.*

### OFFERTORY

"Amazing Grace, My Chains are Gone"

Heather May

*Children are invited to gather at the back and help bring forward the offering.*

## GREAT THANKSGIVING



### LORD'S PRAYER

**DISTRIBUTION – You will be invited to stand or kneel at the altar.**

*If you wish to have the Pastor bring communion to your pew, please notify an Usher.*

***All are Welcome!***



## DISTRIBUTION HYMN

"Lamb of God"  
 "Here is Bread"  
 "Lord, Be Glorified"

#195  
 #483  
 #744



## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

*P: Jesus, bread of life,*

**C: we have received from your table more than we could ever ask. As you have nourished us in this meal, now strengthen us to love the world with your own life. In your name we pray, Amen.**



## BENEDICTION



## CLOSING HYMN

"O Christ Your Heart Compassionate"

#722



## DISMISSAL

## POSTLUDE

"Joyful, Joyful"

Arr. Rob McWilliam

***THANK YOU, Rev. Tom Gaulke for Presiding and Preaching today!***  
***THANK YOU, to Rob McWilliam, for providing the organ music today!***

***CHANCEL FLOWERS are given by Todd Beutin in honor of Diane's Birthday and Tim and Debbie Shiroda in thanksgiving for 27 years of marriage and for all the blessings received.***

**ETERNAL FLAME** for the month of August is given by **Alice Kaisler** in loving memory of husband Mervin Kaisler.

**+ THANK YOU TO ALL WHO ASSISTED DURING WORSHIP TODAY! +**

*You can now **GIVE ONLINE**, by scanning the QR code:*



***Thank you for all the ways you contribute to the life and ministry of the church!***

## OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

### **Monday, August 19**

9:00 am Quilters

### **Tuesday, August 20**

6:30 pm Council meeting

### **Wednesday, August 21**

1:00 pm Worship

6:00 pm Youth Summer Pool Party

**Friday, August 23 – Church Office Closed**

## FOOD PANTRY

Please continue to bring in donations for the food pantry. Summer months bring extra challenges, as there are no school meals!

## PRAYER STATIONS

Remember to check out the Prayer Stations in the back choir loft and by the stained-glass window.

## SUMMERTIME JESUS CHALLENGE

Don't forget to continue to send in your pictures completing the Summertime Jesus Challenge. Send your pictures to [JesusSummerTime@gmail.com](mailto:JesusSummerTime@gmail.com)

## HOME COMMUNION AND HOSPITAL VISITATION TRAINING

Monday, August 26, 6:30pm – 8:30PM

We are re-launching the Home Communion ministry team again. It's a real extension of our ministry and a blessing to everyone involved. See the sign up on the Welcome Center for more information and reach out to Pastor if you have questions.

## YOUTH SUMMER POOL PARTY

August 21<sup>st</sup> 6:00pm – 9:00 pm – Middle and High School Students, including those who just graduated and incoming 6<sup>th</sup> graders. We will meet at Karyn Birmingham's house in Greendale, cookout, play games, and enjoy the pool. Maybe even make a s'more or two. Come when you can and leave when you must. Sign up at [www.slchurch.org/sign-ups](http://www.slchurch.org/sign-ups).

**BREAKING THE CHAINS** is outreach of the month for August—Pr. David Rebey is joining us on Aug 25—please plan to come and stay for coffee hour that day. **We also will be collecting Noisy Offering on the 25th.** See the August newsletter for more information about this ministry.

## SAVE THE DATE

### **Sunday, September 8 is RALLY DAY!**

Festive Worship at 9:00 am, with blessing of the backpacks and commissioning of the Sunday school teachers, First Day of Sunday school, and pot-luck picnic at 11:00 am. We're grilling hotdogs and brats, and ask you to bring a dish to share:  
If your last name starts with A-P - side.  
If your last name starts with Q-Z - dessert.  
Sign-ups begin next Week!

## ***\*\*SUMMER PRAISE PACKS\*\****



Light your candle when the candles are lit at the front of the church and hold it up high. At the end of the service turn your candle off.



Take out the mini-Summertime Jesus and hold him tight during times of prayer. Don't forget Jesus is with you always!



Wave your pom pom to move to the music.



While listening to Pastor's Sermon, work on your Children's bulletins (attached to the clipboard) Can you make any connections to the sermon?



Fill out the sheet to thank God for something that has happened this week. Turn it into the offering plate.



Greet those around you with a handshake, wave, fist bump, peace sign, or say hello !



Place the sticker on your shirt to remember that you are a child of God and He loves you!