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10:00 WORSHIP SERVICE 11:15 BIBLE CLASS

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14th Sunday after Pentecost

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WELCOME to Our Savior Lutheran Church! We pray that God would bless us as we praise Him through our worship. To our guests, we extend a warm welcome and ask you to sign our guest book in the narthex. Please join us for refreshments and Bible Study following the worship service.

PRAYER BEFORE SERVICE:

Dear Father, at times we feel battered down and worn out. We know friends and loved ones who are tired of being tired. We ask You to please lift us up by Your grace, and shine the clear light of the gospel before our paths. Please help us to give an encouraging word to others who can use some extra brightness in their lives. We need the enlightenment that comes from Your dear Son and the empowerment that is provided by the Holy Spirit. Thank You.

September Bible Verse of the month:

"Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen." (Hebrews 11:1)



[†] Everyone who believes Jesus died on the cross for his/her sins, and that he/she receives the Lord's Body and Blood with the bread and wine is invited to the altar. If you prefer grape juice, take a cup from the center ring of the tray.

OPENING HYMN: #783 "Take My Life and Let It Be"

DIVINE SERVICE - Setting 3 (Pg. 184-185)

SERVICE OF THE WORD (Pg. 186)

INTROIT -

- P. You have turned for me my mourning into dancing; O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever! O Lord my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me. O Lord, you have brought up my soul from Sheol; you restored me to life from among those who go down to the pit. Sing praises to the Lord, O you his saints, and give thanks to his holy name. For his anger is but for a moment, and his favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may tarry for the night, but joy comes with the morning.
- C. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.
- P. You have turned for me my mourning into dancing; O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever.

Sing Kyrie: (Page 186) "Lord, Have Mercy"

Sing: (Page 187-188) "Gloria in Excelsis"

SALUTATION (Page 189)

COLLECT OF THE DAY:

Lord Jesus, You are the Good Shepherd, without whom nothing is secure. Rescue and preserve us that we may not be lost forever but follow You, rejoicing in the way that leads to eternal life; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

THE SCRIPTURES

1st Reading: Ezekiel 34:11-24 2nd Reading: 1 Timothy 1:12-17 Gospel Reading: Luke 15:1-10



Visit God's House

Sunday	6:00pm	AA Meeting
Monday	7:00pm	Catechism Class
Tuesday	10:00am	Fitness Class
Wednesday	10:00am	Beach Dog Walk
	6:00pm	Soup Supper
	7:00pm	Bible Study
Thursday	10:00am	Fitness Class



- * Craft & Chat Friday 9/20 noon-3
- * Church Invitation cards are available on Narthex Table
- * Council position vacancies effective Oct 1st. President, Financial Secretary, Building Trustee & Grounds Trustee.
- * Catechism Class Mondays at 7:00pm
- * Please update your membership info. See Vicky Prince.
- * Sign-up to be a greeter.
- * Sign-up to be a scripture reader.
- * Interested in Choir see Vicky Prince or Dorothy Bogumil.
- * **Prayer chain** info is on the Narthex table.
- * We need volunteers for Altar Guild see Jan Vonsild.
- * Need a Notary? Talk to Joan Haines.

SERMON: Pastor Metcalf "Watching Over the Sheep"

OFFERING - All Stand and Sing: (Page 192-193)

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT (Pg. 194)

Sing Sanctus: (Pg. 195) "Holy, Holy, Holy"

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Page 196)

THE WORD'S OF OUR LORD (Pg. 197)

Sing: (Pg. 198) "Agnus Dei"

DISTRIBUTION

COMMUNION HYMNS:

#611 "Chief of Sinners Though I Be"

#528 "Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

Sing: (Pg. 199-200) "Nunc Dimittis"

THANKSGIVING (Page 200)

SALUATION and BENEDICAMUS (Page 201)

THE BENEDICTION (Page 202)

CLOSING HYMN: #923

"Almighty Father, Bless the Word"

Happy Birthday All the Celebrants this week!



Ezekiel 34:11-24

¹¹ "For thus says the Lord God: Behold, I, I myself will search for my sheep and will seek them out. 12 As a shepherd seeks out his flock when he is among his sheep that have been scattered, so will I seek out my sheep, and I will rescue them from all places where they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. ¹³ And I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land. And I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the ravines, and in all the inhabited places of the country. ¹⁴ I will feed them with good pasture, and on the mountain heights of Israel shall be their grazing land. There they shall lie down in good grazing land, and on rich pasture they shall feed on the mountains of Israel. ¹⁵ I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I myself will make them lie down, declares the Lord GoD. ¹⁶ I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, and the fat and the strong I will destroy. [a] I will feed them in justice.

¹⁷ "As for you, my flock, thus says the Lord God: Behold, I judge between sheep and sheep, between rams and male goats. ¹⁸ Is it not enough for you to feed on the good pasture, that you must tread down with your feet the rest of your pasture; and to drink of clear water, that you must muddy the rest of the water with your feet? ¹⁹ And must my sheep eat what you have trodden with your feet, and drink what you have muddied with your feet?

²⁰ "Therefore, thus says the Lord GoD to them: Behold, I, I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. ²¹ Because you push with side and shoulder, and

thrust at all the weak with your horns, till you have scattered them abroad, ²² I will rescue^[b] my flock; they shall no longer be a prey. And I will judge between sheep and sheep. ²³ And I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. ²⁴ And I, the LORD, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them. I am the LORD; I have spoken.

1 Timothy 1:12-17

¹ First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people, ² for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way. ³ This is good, and it is pleasing in the sight of God our Savior, ⁴ who desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. ⁵ For there is one God, and there is one mediator between God and men, the man^[a] Christ Jesus, ⁶ who gave himself as a ransom for all, which is the testimony given at the proper time. ⁷ For this I was appointed a preacher and an apostle (I am telling the truth, I am not lying), a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

⁸I desire then that in every place the men should pray, lifting holy hands without anger or quarreling; ⁹ likewise also that women should adorn themselves in respectable apparel, with modesty and self-control, not with braided hair and gold or pearls or costly attire, ¹⁰ but with what is proper for women who profess godliness—with good works. ¹¹ Let a woman learn quietly with all submissiveness. ¹² I do not permit a woman to teach or to exercise authority over a man; rather, she is to remain quiet. ¹³ For Adam was formed first, then Eve;

¹⁴ and Adam was not deceived, but the woman was deceived and became a transgressor. ¹⁵ Yet she will be saved through childbearing—if they continue in faith and love and holiness, with self-control.

Luke 15:1-10

¹ Now the tax collectors and sinners were all drawing near to hear him. ² And the Pharisees and the scribes grumbled, saying, "This man receives sinners and eats with them." ³ So he told them this parable: ⁴ "What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he has lost one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the open country, and go after the one that is lost, until he finds it? ⁵ And when he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders, rejoicing. ⁶ And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and his neighbors, saying to them, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost.' ⁷ Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance.

⁸ "Or what woman, having ten silver coins, ^[a] if she loses one coin, does not light a lamp and sweep the house and seek diligently until she finds it? ⁹ And when she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbors, saying, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost.' ¹⁰ Just so, I tell you, there is joy before the angels of God over one sinner who repents."

NICENE CREED (Read together Page 191)

SERMON HYMN: #849

"Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness"