



16th Sunday after Pentecost

September 12, 2021

9:00 a.m.

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****Welcome! We are grateful for the spirit that prompted you to worship with us today and hope you find a meaningful experience in your time with us. We thank you for the prayers you brought and for the witness you made to the world by being in the Lord's house on the Lord's Day. We invite you to worship with us again; our church family will always welcome you!***

To the parents of our young children, may we suggest:

- Relax! God put the wiggle in children; don't feel you have to suppress it in God's house. All are welcome! Sit toward the front where it is easier for children to see and hear.
- Sing hymns loudly, pray, and voice the responses with enthusiasm. Children learn behavior by copying you. If you are fired up about God, they will be too!
- Remember that the way we welcome children in Church directly affects the way they respond to Church, to God, to Christ, to one another. Let them know that they are at home in the Church.
- Teach children some of the basic prayers, being able to join in with the prayers helps them feel they are contributing too. Attend worship often, children like and need routines where they can participate.
- Children are invited to participate in communion, where they learn that God loves them.

To Members of the congregation: A smile of encouragement is always welcome to parents with small, active children. The presence of children is a gift to the church! They give us a future filled with hope!

****Please Stand As You Are Able—And Sit As You Feel The Need!!***

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, whose teaching is life, whose presence is sure, and whose love is endless.

C: Amen.

P: Let us confess our sins to the one who welcomes us with an open heart.

[Silence for reflection and self-examination.]

P: God our comforter:

C: like lost sheep, we have gone astray. We gaze upon abundance and see scarcity. We turn our faces away from injustice and oppression. We exploit the earth with our apathy and greed. Free us from our sin, gracious God. Listen when we call out to you for help. Lead us by your love to love our neighbors as ourselves. Amen

P: All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God. By the gift of grace in † Christ Jesus, God makes you righteous. Receive with glad hearts the forgiveness of all your sins.

C: Amen.

***GATHERING HYMN** "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" #733 ELW

CHILDREN'S SERMON/Blessing of Backpacks

***GREETING**

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

***SHARING OF THE PEACE**

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: O God,

C: through suffering and rejection you bring forth our salvation, and by the glory of the cross you transform our lives. Grant that for the sake of the gospel we may turn from the lure of evil, take up our cross, and follow your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen

WELCOME AND COMMENTS ON THE DAY

FIRST READING

Isaiah 50:4-9a

PSALM 116:1-9

SECOND READING

James 3: 1-12

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

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***HOLY GOSPEL**

Mark 8:27-38

***GOSPEL RESPONSE**

Glory to you, O Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY

"Beautiful Savior"

#838 ELW

***APOSTLES' CREED**

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PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Petitions end: Lord, in your mercy,

Response: hear our prayer.

OFFERING

***OFFERTORY PRAYER**

P: God of abundance,

C: you cause streams to break forth in the desert and manna to rain from the heavens. Accept the gifts you have first given us. Unite them with the offering of our lives to nourish the world you love so dearly; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen

***OUR LORD'S PRAYER**

***RECESSIONAL SONG**

"Amazing Grace"

#779 ELW

***GOD'S BLESSING**

P: People of God, you are Christ's body, bringing new life to a suffering world. The holy Trinity, † one God, bless you now and forever.

C: Amen

***DISMISSAL**

P: So now together, we go out into God's great creation, and with the power of the Holy Spirit, ever present in our hearts, let's change some lives.

C: We will! Alleluia!

SENDING SONG

"Go Now In Peace"

Projected

Postlude

Please remain in the Sanctuary until all the candles are extinguished. Thank you.

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**Our Saviour's Lutheran Church Invites You To:
Belong – Believe – Become – Be a Blessing**

Custodian: Jesse Engesmoe

Office Manager: Cheryl Norquist

Organist/Handbell Choir: Karen Olsen

Digital Projection: Linda Kockelman &

Dawn Ourada

Ushers:

Videographers: Mark Fokken, Rick Bueltel, Jon Hanson

Choir Director: Dawn Ourada

Treasurer: Brenda Lothert

Guest Accompanist:

Acolytes:

Communion Asst's:

Lector:

For *September* the *Eternal Lights* burn in the Sanctuary and Chapel in loving memory of *Gail Fokken's* birthday, September 24th. Given by Menno & Lucille Fokken.

The **Broadcast** for today is in loving memory of *Dan Sorby's* birthday today. Given by Nadine.

September Mission Calendar

24th: In loving memory of *Gail Fokken's* birthday today. Given by Menno & Lucille Fokken.

We ask God's guidance and prayers for all those who have special needs: Natalie Dinius, Shirley Saum, Jocelyn & Ann Cro, Debra (Haugen) Galecki, Linda Chaney, Troy Hoffman, Kara Mortenson, Ken Club, Audrey Kack, Fred Full, Myrna Tesch, Patty McLain (Sherri Full's sister), Lyla Nelson, Nina Benz, Katrina Vick, Debbie Cornell, Dane Nordquist, Delroy Thompson, John Cornell, LaVonne Winters, Joyce Brouwer, Mary Adler, Robert Kokesh, Fern Emmons and granddaughter Gabrielle, Connie Severson, Fran Beecher, Patricia Hoffman, Bruce Garrels, Karin Livermore, Deanna Stephenson, Dean Hedge, Sandra Nelson, Sherry Olson, Linda Vlaminck and all whom we name before you in our hearts. May God strengthen all who are in need.

We continue to pray for the Leaders of the Nations, for all the Peacekeeping forces and especially for the service men and women connected with OSL, both those who remain deployed and those who now feel the safety of home: Jacob Merritt (grandson of Bev Dybsetter), Anthony Nemitz, Cody Dinius, Ross Larson, Nicole Nelson (granddaughter of Larry & Joanne Nelson), Ethan Webster, Tony Geier, Ryan Stoks, Nicholas Schultz, Tony Nelson, Kirk Larson, Ryan Otto, Tyson Coil, Christopher Oellien, Stephanie Geier and Sue Behrens. **May God continue to strengthen these committed military personnel and their families.** If anyone has been omitted or you would like to add a name, please contact the church office. We ask God to surround them and their loved ones with His love and presence.

Fall Bazaar/Ham Dinner Sunday,

We are gearing up for the Bazaar to be held goods, produce, crafts or plants anyone is able ideas on how the Bazaar could be enhanced,

There will not be a White Elephant table this

Orders will be taken in the Church office (507-223-5528) through Friday, (September 24th) before the Bazaar and also that Sunday from 11a-12p you can call the office number.

Please contact Janice Zimmerman 223-7722 or Juli Wornson 507-530-8001 with questions or comments.



September 26, 2021

Sunday, September 26th. Whatever baked to contribute will be appreciated. **If** you have any please let one of the committee members know. **year.** We will have takeout and delivery options.



Save the dates.....Sunday School for 3yr olds – 6th Grade

- **Rally Sunday** – TODAY....September 12th - 10:00a.m. **“Blessing of backpacks”** during the 9:00a.m. worship.

- **3rd & 4th Graders receive their Bibles** – September 19th during the 9:00a.m. worship

- **1st Class for Sunday School** – September 19th - 10:00a.m.

Confirmation Orientation

7th & 8th Grade Confirmation – Orientation – Sunday, Hall – **1st class** – Sunday, October 10, 2021-10:30a.m.

9th Grade Confirmation - Orientation – Sunday, October **1st class** – Wednesday, October 6, 2021 - 5:30p.m.



October 3, 2021 – 10:30a.m. in the Fellowship

3, 2021 – 11:00a.m. in the Fellowship Hall –

**WELCOME
BACK, CHOIR**

The OSL choir is starting up again this Fall! Do you enjoy singing? We would love to have you join us as we gather to join our voices in praise. No matter if you sing often or haven't done it for a while, come try it out. We have scheduled practices 2 or 3 Wednesdays a month at 7:30pm, and usually sing during Worship Service once a month. Not sure of making a big commitment? That's ok- just come when you can. **The first practice will be Wednesday, September 29th at 7:30pm up in the church balcony.** Any questions, call the office or call/text Dawn Ourada at 605-360-6744.

CALENDAR

Sunday, September 12th: 16th Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 a.m. Coffee Bar available prior to worship

9:00 a.m. Worship

Baptism – Camri Ruth Haugen

Blessing of Backpacks

10:00 a.m. **Rally Sunday**

10:10 a.m. Coffee Talk

Monday, September 13th:

Pastors Sabbath – Office Closed

Tuesday, September 14th:

2:00 p.m. Naomi and Elizabeth Circles meet in
Fireside Room

Wednesday, September 15th:

8:30 a.m. Pastor Levi Hospital Board Mtg.

Thursday, September 16th:

Friday, September 17th:

Saturday, September 18th:

Sunday, September 19th: 17th Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 a.m. Coffee Bar available prior to worship

9:00 a.m. Worship
3rd & 4th Graders Receive Bibles

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

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Monthly Giving Report for August

Total Giving Needed Each Month:	\$ 21,543.80
Simply Giving for the Month	\$ 4,709.07
Thrivent Choice Deposits (YTD 8/31/2021)	\$ 515.00
Total Giving for the Month:	\$ 19,608.88
Monthly Surplus/Deficit:	\$ - 1,934.92
Total Giving (YTD 8/31/2021):	\$142,851.13
Noisy Coin Offerings: (YTD 7/31/2021)	\$ 719.75

Cornerstone Fund Balance as of 8/31/2021: \$41,799.67

If you would desire a pastoral visit for any reason, please call the **church office at 507-223-5528**. If you have an emergency, i.e, hospital or family issue, please call **Pastor Levi's cell phone at 701-367-7072**.