

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST September 4, 2022

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IN OUR PRAYERS we remember: Beverly Baker, Robert Wulf, Mildred Peters

ORDER OF WORSHIP: Order of Service Hymns Peace – Blue 29 Blue 21 729
English – Gray 94 Insert 729

THIS WEEK AT PEACE AND ENGLISH:

Sept. 4 8:30 a.m. Worship at English

Sept. 4 10:15 a.m. Worship at Peace

Sept. 6 NO 10:00 a.m. Bible Study Class

Sept. 6 NO 6:30 p.m. Bible Study at English

Sept. 7 9:30 a.m. Quilting

Sept. 7 NO Noon Bible Study Class

Sept. 10 NO 9:00 a.m. Women's Prayer Group

Sept. 11 9:00 a.m. Sunday School Begins

Sept. 25 11:30 a.m. Fish Boil

REMINDER FOR ENGLISH: Services will move to 8:15 a.m. beginning September 11th.

HYMN OF THE DAY: Jesus says in our Gospel reading, "The one who endures to the end will be saved." Jesus calls us to live faithfully in a dangerous world. He sends us out as sheep among wolves. So, in our hymn of the day, *I am Trusting Thee Lord Jesus*, we declare our trust in Jesus and ask him for salvation, pardon, cleansing, guidance, and power, everything that we need in a dangerous world, so that we can endure to the end and be saved.

A WORD: Our theme for this Sunday is "God knows how to save his people." We see God's salvation working itself out in the example Daniel, who chose to trust God as he was cast into the lion's den. We see God's salvation responding to the church's prayer as God sent his angel to release Peter from prison. God's salvation is promised to you too. Jesus says, "The one who endures to the end will be saved. So along with all the saints who came before us, we place our lives in the hands of God because he knows how to save his people."

BIBLE READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY: Psalm 138 Esther 4:4-14 3John 15:12-7

ABOUT THE BULLETIN COVER: As the people of Israel finally neared the time of entry into the Promised Land, they were exhorted to hold fast to the Lord. Though Israel would continually fail, the Lord, nonetheless held fast to them. He has been steadfast in His promises, which have culminated in the sending of Jesus, who was fastened to the cross to bring

forgiveness and eternal life to all who believe in Him. Today as we hold fast to Him by faith, we see that He has never let go of us.

THANK YOU for the concern and prayers during my recent surgery and recovery. We are blessed to be part of a caring church family. **Denton and Karen Olson**

THANK YOU to all who donated items for the Ukrainian people. Six big boxes and several large bags of items were delivered to the Sioux Center collection sight and have already been delivered to Orphan Grain Train in Norfolk, Nebraska.

BIBLE STUDIES are canceled this week as the pastor and his family will be visiting family. They plan to return to Rock Rapids Wednesday afternoon.

CONFIRMATION: Our first confirmation meeting will be from 5:15-6:30 on Wednesday, September 14. This meeting will orient parents, children, and sponsors to the new confirmation program. Please plan on at least one parent attending with the child for this first meeting.

SERVICE FAIR: We will be having our first annual service fair on September 18th during the Sunday School hour. A table will be set up in the fellowship hall for every service team at Peace Lutheran Church. If you would like to volunteer for something, please come. If you are just curious, please come. This would be a great way to meet people in the church and find areas where God may be calling you to serve in the future.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD: The Sunday School department is collecting items for their Operation Christmas Child boxes. A list of items needed is located in the fellowship hall. If you have any questions, please contact Keri Davis at 712-348-2308.

SUNDAY SCHOOL will be starting September 11 from 9am-10am. Ages 3 (potty trained or with parent) through 12th grade are welcome to attend. We will have our Rally Sunday Potluck Picnic at the Swimming Pool park following the church service. Anyone who would like to help out with Sunday School, as a teacher or helper, please contact Keri Davis @ 712-348-2308.

SEPTEMBER ALTAR COMMITTEES: Altar Committee for Peace is Lois Baatz and Donita Stubbe and at English it is Wanda Wulf.

ALTAR FLOWERS: Sept. 4-Lois Baatz, Sept. 11-Kathleen Dieren, Sept. 18-Bev Doorenbos, Sept. 25-Diane Drenth.

THIS MONTH Daughters of Peace will collect personal hygiene products for Atlas. Thank you all for your support in our monthly projects.

USHERING TODAY is Team 4: Wayne Ranschau, Brad Vogel, Gary Delfs, Marv Flier, Wayne Jepsen, John Schulte **Next Sunday is Team 5:** Lloyd Lupkes, Lowell Fick, Steve Wallenburg, Jeff Folkens, Adam Schwartz, Steve Anderson, Roger Baatz

+ CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION +

HYMN: GOD WILL TAKE CARE OF YOU

Blue Hymnal 29; Gray Hymnal 94

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

P 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.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
C **who made heaven and earth.**

P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
C **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

(Brief Silence for Inward Confession)

P O almighty God, merciful Father,
C **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.**

P 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.
C **Amen.**

+ SERVICE OF THE WORD +

INTROIT

Psalm 119:28–32; antiphon: v. 27

Make me understand the way of your precepts,
and I will meditate on your wondrous works.
My soul melts away for sorrow;
strengthen me according to your word!

Put false ways far from me
and graciously teach me your law!
I have chosen the way of faithfulness;
I set your just decrees before me.
I cling to your testimonies, O LORD;
let me not be put to shame!
I will run in the way of your commandments
when you enlarge my heart!
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.
Make me understand the way of your precepts,
and I will meditate on your wondrous works.

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.
C **And with thy spirit.**

P Let us pray.
C **O merciful Lord, You did not spare Your only Son but delivered Him up for us all. Grant us courage and strength to take up the cross and follow Him, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Daniel 6:6–12, 16

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

GRADUAL

Psalm 34:9, 19, alt.

Fear the LORD, you his saints,
for those who fear him lack nothing!
Many are the afflictions of the righteous,
but the LORD delivers him out of them all.

EPISTLE

Acts 12:1–11

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

VERSE

John 6:68

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

HOLY GOSPEL

- P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the tenth chapter.
C Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

Matthew 10:16–22

After the Reading

- P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.
C Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

NICENE CREED

- C** 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 \dagger of the world to come. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

HYMN: TRUST AND OBEY

Blue Hymnal 21; Insert

SERMON

OFFERTORY

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- C** Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit.
Amen.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

+ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT +

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 saying:

SANCTUS

LSB 195

- C** Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth;
heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

LORD'S PRAYER

LSB 162

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

PAX DOMINI

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

AGNUS DEI

LSB 198

- C** O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.

DISTRIBUTION

NUNC DIMITTIS

LSB 199

- C** Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people,
a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel.
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

THANKSGIVING

LSB 200

- A** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,
C and His mercy endureth forever.

POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

SALUTATION AND BENEDICAMUS

- P** The Lord be with you.
C And with your spirit.
P Bless we the Lord.
C Thanks be to God.

- P** The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.
C Amen.

HYMN 729: I AM TRUSTING THEE, LORD JESUS

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