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AND HE SAID
TO THEM, “IF
ANYONE
WOULD BE
FIRST, HE
MUST BE
LAST OF ALL
AND
SERVANT OF
ALL.”

MARK 9:35

Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church is a traditional Lutheran Church, faithful to God’s Word and His Sacraments. We equip God’s people to serve, love, and encourage one another as we grow in our personal relationship with Christ. We reach out to the community as beacons of light, sharing the love of God in Christ Jesus, our Savior.

THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 19, 2021

Our Father Cares for His Children with the Gospel of His Son

The sinful heart is filled with “*bitter jealousy and selfish ambition*” (James 3:14), which causes hostility, quarrels and conflicts, even among those who are fellow members of the Body of Christ. This should not be so! Rather, God “*opposes the proud*” with His Law, in order to humble them unto repentance; He “*gives grace to the humble,*” in order to exalt them by His Gospel of forgiveness (James 4:6-10). This true “*wisdom from above*” is found in the gentleness, mercy and peace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, who humbled Himself and sacrificed Himself for the salvation of sinners (James 3:17). He was “*like a gentle lamb led to the slaughter,*” committing Himself to God, His Father, “*who judges righteously, who tests the heart and the mind*” (Jer. 11:19-20). Therefore, “*after three days,*” His Father exalted Him by raising Him from the dead (Mark 9:31). In Holy Baptism, He takes disciples of all ages into His arms like little children. In receiving Him through repentance and faith in His forgiveness of sins, they receive from His Father a share in the glory of His cross and resurrection (Mark 9:36-37).

Quiet preparation and prayer are encouraged before worship. Please save conversation for the Narthex area in order to respect the sacredness of God’s house and the silent meditation of others. Please silence your cell phones and all other electronic devices. There are also several prayers for worship located in the front cover of the Lutheran Service Book. Thank you!

Attendance Register: Please sign the register placed in the rack at the end of the pew and pass it to your neighbor. If you are a visitor please include your address and phone number, and the church you are a member of. Also, if you are a visitor, please sign our guest book on the cabinet below the tract display in the entryway, so we can thank you for joining us. We are glad you are here!

Flowers are placed this morning to the Glory of God by Olive Lee in memory of Jenni.

SERVING AMONG US TODAY

The Ushers: **Andrew Lund, Mark Reetz, Terry Young**

The Organist: **Ruth Holmquist**

that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Therefore whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God. ⁵Or do you suppose it is to no purpose that the Scripture says, “He yearns jealously over the spirit that he has made to dwell in us”? ⁶But he gives more grace. Therefore it says, “God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble.” ⁷Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. ⁸Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. ⁹Be wretched and mourn and weep. Let your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to gloom. ¹⁰Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will exalt you.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

(Please stand)

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HOLY GOSPEL - Mark 9:30-37

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the 9th Chapter.

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

³⁰[The disciples] went on from there and passed through Galilee. And [Jesus] did not want anyone to know,

³¹for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, “The Son of Man is going to be delivered into the hands of men, and they will kill him. And when he is killed, after three days he will rise.” ³²But they did not understand the saying, and were afraid to ask him.

³³And they came to Capernaum. And when he was in the house he asked them, “What were you discussing on the way?” ³⁴But they kept silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. ³⁵And he sat down and called the twelve. And he said to them, “If anyone would be first, he must be last of all and servant of all.” ³⁶And he took a child and put him in the midst of them, and taking him in his arms, he said to them, ³⁷“Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me, and whoever receives me, receives not me but him who sent me.”

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

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(Please be seated)

SERMON HYMN “Lord of Glory, You Have Bought Us” LSB #851

SERMON “Greatness in Weakness” (Mark 9:30-37)

(Please stand)

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OFFERING

DOXOLOGY LSB #805

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P: Let us pray to the Lord:

C: Lord, have mercy.

THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

This morning we celebrate the Sacrament of the Altar, a feast of forgiveness in which we partake of the true body and blood of Christ along with the visible elements of bread and wine. The Bible gives specific instructions about the Lord’s Supper. As it can be received to one’s spiritual blessing or to one’s spiritual harm (1 Corinthians 11:27-29), the Lord’s Table must be approached with sincere faith and a Biblical understanding. That’s why all who are new to the Lutheran faith are instructed about this sacred meal before attending the Lord’s Supper. Moreover, this Sacrament is also a testimony of our oneness in what we believe (1 Corinthians 10:17). All guests who wish to receive the Sacrament are asked to speak with Pastor Schuldheisz or the Elder of the Day before the service.

(If unable to kneel, please remain standing. If you take the individual cup please wait for the pastor with the common cup to say, “Take, drink,” before drinking.)

ORDER OF HOLY COMMUNION page 194ff

(Please be seated)

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS LSB #'s 621, 588 620, 677

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CLOSING HYMN “The Lamb” LSB #547

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 19, 2021

SUNDAY	9:30 a.m. - D.S. III 10:45 a.m. - Adult Bible Study & Children's Sunday School 12:00 p.m. - First Communion Class
MONDAY	6:30 p.m. - Confirmation
TUESDAY	10:00 a.m. - Women's Bible Study
WEDNESDAY	7:30 p.m. - Men's Bible Study
THURSDAY	6:30 p.m. - Stewardship Meeting
FRIDAY	Office Closed
SATURDAY	
UPCOMING EVENTS	10/3 Stewardship Mission Fair 10/24 Voters' Meeting

**OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE FOR:
September 12, 2021**

OFFERING: \$	ATTENDANCE CHURCH SERVICE: 86
SPECIAL: \$	ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL: 44
PRESCHOOL: \$	YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL: 12
SUNDAY SCHOOL: \$15.00	
TOTAL DEPOSIT: \$	

ELDER ASSIGNMENTS

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Ron Schill (253-293-8176)	Adams - Fischer
Terry Young (253-355-2154)	Fjone - Lee
Matt Perkovich (253-840-1863)	Lehner - Pfieffer
John Lee (253-863-1529)	Philbrick - Young

EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY - JOIN US!

- **Men's Bible Study** - Join us on Wednesday evenings at 7:30pm starting September 15th, as we resume our study on the Book of Daniel.
- **Women's Bible Study** - Join us on Tuesday mornings at 10am with a new study on the Minor Prophets!
- **Ladies' Bible Study** - Bible Study is currently on hold, but we plan to start in a few weeks. If you are interested in joining us on our Skype study of the Book of Ezra, please send your email to Elizabeth at Gods.project@gmail.com and we will let you know when we plan to begin.
- **Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class** - Luther's Smalcald Articles from the Lutheran Confessions.

CONGREGATIONAL

- **Melina** will be out of the office through Tuesday, September 21st.
- The stewardship board voted to send a donation to a sister congregation in Houma, LA who was impacted by hurricane Ida. The \$500 donation was provided to Grace Lutheran to aid them in repairing the damage to their church and outbuildings caused by the hurricane. The congregation at Grace has continued to gather for worship despite the damage. Please reach out to the stewardship board if you have questions regarding this donation and please pray for this congregation as they rebuild. Thank you!
- Portals of Prayer for October - December have been distributed to your box out in the narthex. If you do not have a box, but would like a copy of either the large or regular print, there are extras out by the church office. If you would like to be added to our list to receive this quarterly devotional, please email or call the office.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

- We are in need of a Pre-K - K Sunday School teacher. If interested please speak with Cathy Coleman, 253-332-4880. Thanks!

PRESCHOOL

- We are looking for one more part-time preschool aide for the 2021-2022 school year along with the part-time Preschool Director. Contact Pastor or Natasha Schuldheisz with any questions.

LWML

- **TODAY** is Mite Box Sunday. Deposit your mites in the large box in the Narthex after service.

LUTHERAN RESOURCES

- **Thoughts on Witness and Outreach:** Mark 9:30-37: When Jesus calls us to be His own, He calls us to a life of service which, on the surface, may seem too challenging and difficult. The Good News is that He daily equips us to be His servants and witnesses. What a privilege we have to speak of Jesus to people who have little or no direction in their lives.

- **Thoughts on Stewardship:** Mark 9:32 - “But they did not understand the saying, and were afraid to ask him.” The disciples really do hold up a mirror to our faces and force us to see ourselves. We are misunderstanding, afraid, confused. But the Word of God is clear if only we will listen with open ears. What was blocking the disciples’ ears? The Gospels tell us time and again. The disciples did not expect a suffering Christ. So when Jesus spoke of suffering, they plugged their ears and didn’t listen, and they ended up confused and scared. What about us? What’s in the Word of God that we find hard to hear and contrary to our desires and expectations? That might just be exactly what we need to hear!

IN OUR PRAYERS

CANCER

- **Pam Salness** (S. Loy sister) - for complete healing and recovery from surgery after breast cancer
- **Diane Tiefel** (member) - for a positive outcome from tests for lung cancer
- **Chuck Lundin** (member) - melanoma continues to metastasize, but treatments no longer an option
- **June Pittelko** (M. Mantey grandma) - recent cancer diagnosis; undergoing radiation
- **Marlene Cole** (Schulz daughter) - for God's healing of her recently discovered breast cancer
- **Bishop Bielec** (Boyer son-in-law) - is home and continuing treatment for infections and lymphoma leukemia
- **Becky** (Baldwin) - recent lung cancer diagnosis and upcoming treatments
- **Cindy** (V. Cook) - battling breast cancer
- **Cheryl** (V. Cook) - battling breast cancer
- **Collette** (DeLaPaz) - going through treatment for pancreatic cancer
- **Don Schill** (R. Schill brother) - diagnosed with bladder cancer
- **John Bratek** (M. McNally brother) - diagnosed with liver cancer

SICK & HEALING

- **Sherry & David Paul** (B. Kramp son-in-law) - battling Covid-19
- **Andrew Smalley** (Walta) - hospitalized since 8/11 with Covid.

STRENGTH & GUIDANCE

- **Grace Lutheran (LCMS church)** - that the Lord would provide for their needs as they recover from the Hurricane Ida

BEREAVEMENT

- **Family of Dominic Yarrington** (Nettlin son-in-law) - as they mourn his passing
- **Family of Carolyn Gordon** (Gordon) - as they mourn her passing on 8/23
- **Kathy Heddlesten** (member) - as she mourns the passing of her husband Jim on 8/25

THANKSGIVING & PRAISE

- **Kathy Heddlesten** (member) - pathology report on thyroid surgery came back negative for cancer

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

- Ben & Lisa Breum - September 19th
- Mike & Shelbey Davis - September 20th
- Dave & Catherine Gordon - September 23rd

SHUT-IN MEMBERS

Jeanette Mitchell
Nancy Bellack
Margaret Donnelly

Marilyn Bauer
Joy Longé
Carol Myers

Ken Giese
Janice Westmark

MEN & WOMEN SERVING OUR COUNTRY

US ARMY

- Jimmy Soto (De La Paz)
- Conor Curry
- Sean Sobus (Smith)
- Douglas Smith, SSG
- Aaron Spratt

US MARINES

- Gerad Nelson (Lee) Special Forces
- Chaplain Mario Ancira, Lt.

US AIR FORCE

- Curtis Sinewe, Pilot

- Michael Broch, Capt. (Hunsberger)
- Kirsten Villalpando (Schill)
- Alex Villalpando (Schill)
- David Brumbaugh, 1st Lt.
- Robert Paz, Col. (DeLaPaz)
- Casi Soto (DeLaPaz)
- Sean Wilson, Captain (member)

US NAVY

- Logan Tiefel (member)
- Alex Klein (Schill)

September Birthdays & Anniversaries

2nd Elizabeth Blake

2nd Diane Tiefel

10th Cason Lee

11th Eva Wilson

13th Colton Sinewe

16th Sherry Roland

17th Zach Diekmann

21st Terri Manza

21st Riley Tiefel

22nd Alysha

Gilbertson

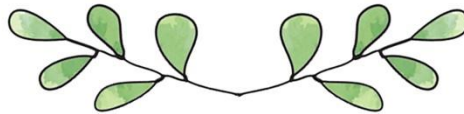
23rd Brandon Westmark

24th Kevin Allen

27th Amelia Simons

29th Megan Breum

30th Heaven Tiefel



3rd Scott & Cheryl Diekmann

6th John & Melissa Lee

6th John & Danielle Tiefel

12th Michael & Kelly Gulbranson

13th Arnold & Natalie Walta

19th Ben & Lisa Breum

20th Mike & Shellbey Davis

23rd Dave & Catherine Gordon

