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*“To another
he said,
“Follow me.””*

Luke 9:59

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 THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST June 26, 2022

Christ's Messengers Proclaim His Kingdom

When the prophet Elijah became discouraged and despaired of his life, “*the word of the Lord came to him*” (1 Kings 19:9b) and stood him “*on the mount before the Lord*” (1 Kings 19:11). The Lord made Himself known to the prophet – not in the impressive power of gale force winds, or in an earthquake, or in the fire, but in “*the sound of a low whisper*” (1 Kings 19:12). Today God reveals Himself to us through the frail preaching of the Gospel. The Son of Man sends “*messengers ahead of him ... to make preparations for him*” (Luke 9:52). Putting their hand to that plow of preaching, they “*go and proclaim the kingdom of God,*” and they do not look back (Luke 9:60, 62). What they preach is not the power of the Law with its “*yoke of slavery,*” but the power of God unto salvation through the Gospel of forgiveness, by which “*Christ has set us free*” (Gal. 5:1).

PLEASE NOTE - Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church offers assisted listening devices for our members and guests this morning. If you would like to use one, please speak with an usher.

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. If you have a message for our pastor, please include it. We give attention to these sheets early in the week. Also, if you are a visitor, please sign our guest book on the cabinet below the tract display in the entryway. Thank you!

Flowers are placed this morning to the Glory of God by Marie Byarlay in memory of her parents' anniversary on June 23rd.

SERVING AMONG US TODAY

Guest Pastor: Rev. Ron Norris

The Elder: Ron Schill

The Ushers: Ed Hohnstein, Bob Kramp, Joel Carbone

The Organist: Ruth Holmquist

DIVINE SERVICE - SETTING IV

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If you are unable to, or have trouble standing, please feel free to remain seated at the times we stand.

GREETINGS

OPENING HYMN “O Holy Spirit, Enter In” LSB #913

(Please stand)

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SERVICE OF THE WORD

INTROIT - Ps. 85:8-10, 13; antiphon: Ps. 85:7



Show us your steadfast love, | O LORD,*
and grant us your sal- | vation.
Let me hear what God the | LORD will speak,*
for he will speak peace to his people, to his saints; but let them not turn
back to | folly.
Surely his salvation is near to those who | fear him,*
that glory may dwell | in our land.
Steadfast love and faith- | fulness meet;*
righteousness and peace kiss each | other.
Righteousness will go be- | fore him*
and make his foot- | steps a way.
Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.
Show us your steadfast love, | O LORD,*
and grant us your sal- | vation.

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COLLECT OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray . . . Lord of all power and might, author and giver of all good things, graft into our hearts the love of Your name and nourish us with all goodness that we may love and serve our neighbor; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

(Please be seated)

OLD TESTAMENT READING - 1 Kings 19:9-21

⁹There he came to a cave and lodged in it. And behold, the word of the LORD came to him, and he said to him, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" ¹⁰He said, "I have been very jealous for the LORD, the God of hosts. For the people of Israel have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword, and I, even I only, am left, and they seek my life, to take it away." ¹¹And he said, "Go out and stand on the mount before the LORD." And behold, the LORD passed by, and a great and strong wind tore the mountains and broke in pieces the rocks before the LORD, but the LORD was not in the wind. And after the wind an earthquake, but the LORD was not in the earthquake. ¹²And after the earthquake a fire, but the LORD was not in the fire. And after the fire the sound of a low whisper. ¹³And when Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his cloak and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. And behold, there came a voice to him and said, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" ¹⁴He said, "I have been very jealous for the LORD, the God of hosts. For the people of Israel have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword, and I, even I only, am left, and they seek my life, to take it away." ¹⁵And the LORD said to him, "Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus. And when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael to be king over Syria. ¹⁶And Jehu the son of Nimshi you shall anoint to be king over Israel, and Elisha the son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah you shall anoint to be prophet in your place. ¹⁷And the one who escapes from the sword of Hazael shall Jehu put to death, and the one who escapes from the sword of Jehu shall Elisha put to death. ¹⁸Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him."

¹⁹So he departed from there and found Elisha the son of Shaphat, who was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen in front of him, and he was with the twelfth.

Elijah passed by him and cast his cloak upon him. ²⁰And he left the oxen and ran after Elijah and said, “Let me kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow you.” And he said to him, “Go back again, for what have I done to you?” ²¹And he returned from following him and took the yoke of oxen and sacrificed them and boiled their flesh with the yokes of the oxen and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he arose and went after Elijah and assisted him.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL - Rom. 10:15b, 18b; Is. 52:7b, alt.



How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the | good news,*
who publish peace and bring good news of sal- | vation.
Their voice has gone out to | all the earth,*
and their words to the ends | of the world.

EPISTLE READING - Galatians 5:1, 13-25

¹For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery.

¹³For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another. ¹⁴For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” ¹⁵But if you bite and devour one another, watch out that you are not consumed by one another.

¹⁶But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh.

¹⁷For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do. ¹⁸But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law. ¹⁹Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, ²⁰idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, ²¹envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. ²²But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³gentleness, self-control; against

such things there is no law. ²⁴And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.

²⁵If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

(Please stand)

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HOLY GOSPEL - Luke 9:51-62

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

C: **Glory to You, O Lord.**

⁵¹When the days drew near for [Jesus] to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem.

⁵²And he sent messengers ahead of him, who went and entered a village of the Samaritans, to make preparations for him. ⁵³But the people did not receive him, because his face was set toward Jerusalem. ⁵⁴And when his disciples James and John saw it, they said, “Lord, do you want us to tell fire to come down from heaven and consume them?” ⁵⁵But he turned and rebuked them.

⁵⁶And they went on to another village.

⁵⁷As they were going along the road, someone said to him, “I will follow you wherever you go.” ⁵⁸And Jesus said to him, “Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head.” ⁵⁹To another he said, “Follow me.” But he said, “Lord, let me first go and bury my father.”

⁶⁰And Jesus said to him, “Leave the dead to bury their own dead. But as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God.” ⁶¹Yet another said, “I will follow you, Lord, but let me first say farewell to those at my home.” ⁶²Jesus said to him, “No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.”

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to You, O Christ.**

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(Please be seated)

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

SERMON HYMN “‘Come, Follow Me,’ the Savior Spake” LSB #688

SERMON “Fit for Service” (Luke 9:51-62)

(Please stand)

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P: Lord, in Your mercy,

C: hear our prayer.

(Please be seated)

OFFERING

HYMN LSB #805

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 Norris 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.)

(Please be seated)

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CLOSING HYMN “Oh Christ, Who Called the Twelve” LSB #856

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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THE WEEK OF JUNE 26, 2022	
SUNDAY	9:30 a.m. - D.S. IV 10:45 a.m. - Adult Bible Study
MONDAY	
TUESDAY	
WEDNESDAY	
THURSDAY	6:30 p.m. - Stewardship Meeting
FRIDAY	Office Closed
SATURDAY	8:00 a.m. - Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
UPCOMING EVENTS	7/17 VBS Meeting 7/25-29 VBS 7/31 Voters' Meeting

OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE FOR: June 19, 2022	
OFFERING: \$	ATTENDANCE CHURCH SERVICE: 92
SPECIAL: \$	ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL:
PRESCHOOL: \$	YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL:
SUNDAY SCHOOL: \$	
TOTAL DEPOSIT: \$	

ELDER ASSIGNMENTS	
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Ron Schill (253-293-8176)	Adams - Davis
Terry Young (253-355-2154)	DeLaPaz - Hunsberger
Matt Perkovich (253-840-1863)	Ireland - Lund
John Lee (253-653-0388)	Lundin - Riveness
David Vetter (253-240-7289)	Roland - Young

EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY - JOIN US!

- **Women's Bible Study** - We are on hiatus until September 13th.
- **Men's Bible Study** - First Saturday of the month, 8-9am in the fellowship hall. Our next meeting will be THIS Saturday, July 2nd. We are currently studying the Psalms.
- **Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class** - Luther's Large Catechism from the Lutheran Confessions.

CONGREGATIONAL

- **Pastor Schuldheisz is out of town through June 27th.**
- **Portals of Prayer have been distributed.** There are extras out by the church office if you need a copy.
- **VBS Meeting:** We will have a meeting on July 17th, following the Adult Bible class to go over all of the details. If you are not able to attend the meeting on that date, please contact Cheryl Diekmann. The T-shirt color for this year is lime green. Iron on logo's will be handed out at the meeting. If you have any questions, please call me at 253-988-3081.
- **St. Luke's Lutheran Church and School is actively seeking a teacher for 3-year-old students for the 2022/2023 school year.** This class meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9am-12pm beginning 9/6/2022-6/15/2023. Contracted hours would begin 8/22/2023. For a broader job description please contact: Mary Schuldheisz (School Administrator), 253-941-3000, ext. 301 or MSchuldheisz@stlukes-church.com.
- In October our congregation will have been worshipping together for 62 years, and it is time to prepare a comprehensive history. Ruth Anderson will be leading this project. If you have photos, letters, articles, flyers, directories, etc. to share, please place them in the box located in the conference room. Label items you wish to be returned; otherwise, all materials collected will remain the property of the congregation. Thank you for your support. You can contact Ruth at ruthmanderson@comcast.net.
- We now offer babysitting in the Nursery during the service from 9:30am to 10:45am. If you would like to help with the "Nursery Support" ministry, please sign the sheet on the bulletin board. Pass the news along!

SUNDAY SCHOOL

- There will be no Children's Sunday school today. We will start again on July 3rd. We encourage the older children to attend the adult Sunday school class.

STEWARDSHIP

- The stewardship board has voted to send the last of our at-large budget to the following organizations: \$500 to Lutheran Community Services Northwest (www.lcsnw.org) and \$500 to Lutheran World Relief (www.LWR.org). LWR is currently having a 2 for 1 match through June which will double our donation. LCSNW is a local organization who equips refugees and immigrants with the skills, resources, and support they need to live fulfilling lives. They offer counseling, language classes and help finding a place to live and work here in the Northwest. The LWR

donation will help in communities around the world teetering on the edge of poverty cope as they experience a perfect storm of factors - from COVID supply chain disruptions to the Ukraine war to general inflation that threaten to drive families deeper into hunger and suffering. **Please keep these organizations and the people impacted by the Ukraine war in your prayers. Thank you!**

LWML

- **Thank you for your Mite donations this month. Every penny helps.**

LUTHERAN RESOURCES

- **LISTEN TO WHAT YOU WANT, WHEN YOU WANT...**This week's topics include: The Qur'an, A Biography of Supreme Court Justice Clarence Thomas, Apostolic Succession, The Lord's Prayer in the Divine Service and more. You can listen at your convenience at issuesetc.org, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.
- **Thoughts on Witness and Outreach:** Luke 9:51-62: The disciples wanted to call down fire from heaven to destroy those who did not welcome Jesus. Jesus rebuked them because He has such great love for all people, even those who reject Him. Because of God's undeserved love, we have been saved from our sinful condition; as a result, we can be like one beggar telling another beggar where to find food.
- **Thoughts on Stewardship:** 1 Kings 19:18 - "Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him." Elijah was so sure that he was right, that he was the only one left who had not gone after Baal. But he was too pessimistic; his faith in God was off-center. We can't go by our own wisdom. We must trust the Lord and what He has revealed to us in His Word. Think about how this applies to our support of God's work in the Church with our offering. Look in the Table of Duties in Luther's Small Catechism to see what the Bible has to say about our giving.

IN OUR PRAYERS

CANCER

- **Connie Platter** (Hunsberger) - recent diagnosis of uterine cancer
- **Dale Campbell** (Lueck) - diagnosed with lung cancer and going through chemo treatments
- **Marlene Cole** (Schulz daughter) - completed her radiation treatments and now proceeds with the kemo pill for 5 years
- **Doug Pariseau** (Schuldheisz) - diagnosed with brain cancer
- **Peggy Jacks** (M. Byarlay) - recently diagnosed with pancreatic cancer
- **Steve** (Remick) - battling cancer
- **Chuck Lundin** (member) - melanoma continues to metastasize, but treatments no longer an option
- **June Pittelko** (M. Mantey grandma) - tumor shrunk by half, ongoing palliative care
- **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

- **Jeni Frazier** (K. Heddlesten) - respiratory issues due to fluid build-up around her lungs and heart
- **Alyssa Kreg** (member) - as doctors work to determine treatment plan for seizures

STRENGTH & GUIDANCE

- **Family of Svitlana Lipovetska** (L. Miller) - in Ukraine

BEREAVEMENT

- **Chris and Kristen Frazier** (K. Heddlesten son & his wife) - for God’s comfort and peace at the passing of Kristen’s father on 6/20 after a long battle with alcoholism and heart issues

THANKSGIVING & PRAISE

- **Robert Andrew Cross Coleman** (Coleman) - out of hospital and home flourishing; now 8lbs 4oz

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

- **Loren & Sally Bartels** - June 26th

SHUT-IN MEMBERS

Jeanette Mitchell
Nancy Bellack
Margaret Donnelly

Marilyn Bauer
Joy Longé
Moki Kaahui

Ken Giese
Carol Myers

MEN & WOMEN SERVING OUR COUNTRY

US ARMY

- **Gerad Nelson** (Lee) Special Forces
- **Jimmy Soto** (De La Paz)
- **Conor Curry**
- **Sean Sobus** (Smith)
- **Douglas Smith**, SSG
- **Aaron Spratt**

- **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 MARINES

- **Chaplain Mario Ancira**, Lt.

US NAVY

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

US AIR FORCE

- **Curtis Sinewe**, Pilot

July Birthdays & Anniversaries

2nd Wally Holmquist

2nd Jacob Howard

3rd Ed Hohnstein

6th Scott Diekmann

6th Logan Tiefel

7th Alex Perkouich

9th Natalie Bartels

9th Blake Hohnstein-Combs

10th Karen Schlaht

11th Meghan Raabe

11th Colton Lueck

11th Natalie Walta

12th Mark Reetz

13th Kelly Gulbranson

16th Carl Roland

17th Jeanette Mitchell

18th Craig Ramsey

20th Becky Meister

22nd Rev. William Gieck

22nd Mitchell Pelissier

25th Gerd Carbone

27th Michael Davis

29th Nolan Janssen

30th Debbie Marfiak

Todd & Cristal Waetzig - July 5th

David & Sarah DeWitt - July 15th

Andrew & Taila Lund III - July 18th

Rev. Samuel & Natasha

Schuldheisz - July 23rd

