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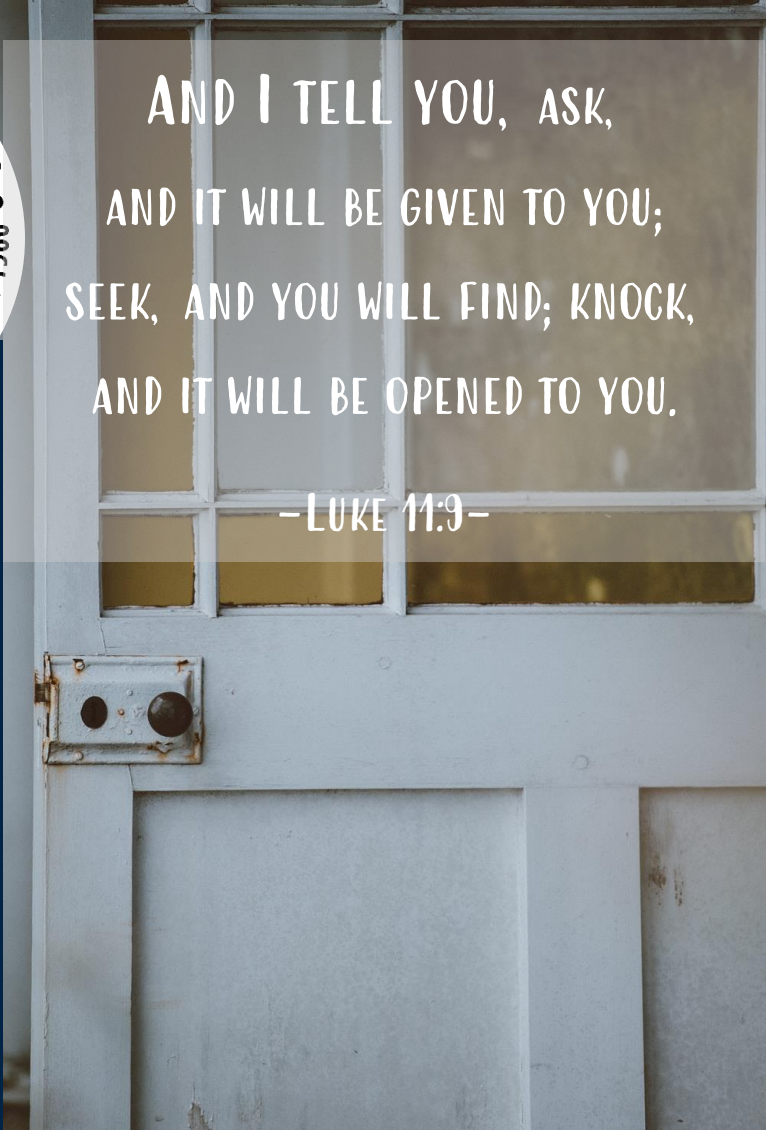
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AND I TELL YOU, ASK,  
AND IT WILL BE GIVEN TO YOU;  
SEEK, AND YOU WILL FIND; KNOCK,  
AND IT WILL BE OPENED TO YOU.

—LUKE 11:9—

*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 SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST July 24, 2022

### *The Prayer of the Church Is the Voice of Faith*

Jesus catechizes His disciples in the way of faith by teaching them how to pray. He promises us: *“Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you”* (Luke 11:9). If earthly fathers know how to give good gifts to their children, *“how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him”* (Luke 11:13). Thus, father Abraham was bold in his prayer because he believed the gracious promise of the Lord, that he would *“surely become a great and mighty nation”* (Gen. 18:18). When we pray in Jesus’ name, we also hold *“fast to the Head”* (Col. 2:19), *“rooted and built up in him and established in the faith”* (Col. 2:6-7).

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!

### SERVING AMONG US TODAY

The Elder: Dave Vetter

The Ushers: Steve Loy, John Schulz, Dave Veters

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 . . . . . “What a Friend We Have in Jesus” LSB #770

*(Please stand)*

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### SERVICE OF THE WORD

INTROIT - Ps. 119:145-149; antiphon: Ps. 50:15



Call upon me in the day of | trouble;\*  
I will deliver you, and you shall glo- | rify me.  
With my whole heart I cry; answer me, | O LORD!\*I will keep your | statutes.  
I call to you; | save me,\*  
that I may observe your testi- | monies.  
I rise before dawn and | cry for help;\*  
I hope | in your words.  
My eyes are awake before the watches | of the night,\*  
that I may meditate on your | promise.  
Hear my voice according to your | steadfast love;\*  
O LORD, according to your justice | give me life.  
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.  
Call upon me in the day of | trouble;\*  
I will deliver you, and you shall glo- | rify me.

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**COLLECT OF THE DAY**

P: Let us pray . . . O Lord, let Your merciful ears be attentive to the prayers of Your servants, and by Your Word and Spirit teach us how to pray that our petitions may be pleasing before You; 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 - Genesis 18:20-33**

<sup>20</sup>Then the LORD said, “Because the outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah is great and their sin is very grave, <sup>21</sup>I will go down to see whether they have done altogether according to the outcry that has come to me. And if not, I will know.”

<sup>22</sup>So the men turned from there and went toward Sodom, but Abraham still stood before the LORD. <sup>23</sup>Then Abraham drew near and said, “Will you indeed sweep away the righteous with the wicked? <sup>24</sup>Suppose there are fifty righteous within the city. Will you then sweep away the place and not spare it for the fifty righteous who are in it? <sup>25</sup>Far be it from you to do such a thing, to put the righteous to death with the wicked, so that the righteous fare as the wicked! Far be that from you! Shall not the Judge of all the earth do what is just?”

<sup>26</sup>And the LORD said, “If I find at Sodom fifty righteous in the city, I will spare the whole place for their sake.”

<sup>27</sup>Abraham answered and said, “Behold, I have undertaken to speak to the Lord, I who am but dust and ashes. <sup>28</sup>Suppose five of the fifty righteous are lacking. Will you destroy the whole city for lack of five?” And he said, “I will not destroy it if I find forty-five there.” <sup>29</sup>Again he spoke to him and said, “Suppose forty are found there.” He answered, “For the sake of forty I will not do it.”

<sup>30</sup>Then he said, “Oh let not the Lord be angry, and I will speak. Suppose thirty are found there.” He answered, “I will not do it, if I find thirty there.” <sup>31</sup>He said, “Behold, I have undertaken to speak to the Lord. Suppose twenty are found there.” He answered, “For the sake of twenty I will not destroy it.”

<sup>32</sup>Then he said, “Oh let not the Lord be angry, and I will speak again but this once. Suppose ten are found there.” He answered, “For the sake of ten I will not destroy it.” <sup>33</sup>And the LORD went his way, when he had finished speaking to Abraham, and Abraham returned to his place.

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 - Colossians 2:6-15**

<sup>6</sup>Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, <sup>7</sup>rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.

<sup>8</sup>See to it that no one takes you captive by philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the world, and not according to Christ. <sup>9</sup>For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, <sup>10</sup>and you have been filled in him, who is the head of all rule and authority. <sup>11</sup>In him also you were circumcised with a circumcision made without hands, by putting off the body of the flesh, by the circumcision of Christ, <sup>12</sup>having been buried with him in baptism, in which you were also raised with him through faith in the powerful working of God, who raised him from the dead. <sup>13</sup>And you, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made alive together with him, having forgiven us all our trespasses, <sup>14</sup>by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands. This he set aside, nailing it to the cross. <sup>15</sup>He disarmed the rulers and authorities and put them to open shame, by triumphing over them in him.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

*(Please stand)*

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**HOLY GOSPEL - Luke 11:1-13**

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 11<sup>th</sup> Chapter.

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

<sup>1</sup>Now Jesus was praying in a certain place, and when he finished, one of his

disciples said to him, “Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples.”

<sup>2</sup>And he said to them, “When you pray, say:

“Father, hallowed be your name.

Your kingdom come.

<sup>3</sup>Give us each day our daily bread,

<sup>4</sup>and forgive us our sins,

for we ourselves forgive everyone who is indebted to us.

And lead us not into temptation.”

<sup>5</sup>And he said to them, “Which of you who has a friend will go to him at midnight and say to him, ‘Friend, lend me three loaves, <sup>6</sup>for a friend of mine has arrived on a journey, and I have nothing to set before him’; <sup>7</sup>and he will answer from within, ‘Do not bother me; the door is now shut, and my children are with me in bed. I cannot get up and give you anything’? <sup>8</sup>I tell you, though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, yet because of his impudence he will rise and give him whatever he needs. <sup>9</sup>And I tell you, ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you. <sup>10</sup>For everyone who asks receives, and the one who seeks finds, and to the one who knocks it will be opened. <sup>11</sup>What father among you, if his son asks for a fish, will instead of a fish give him a serpent; <sup>12</sup>or if he asks for an egg, will give him a scorpion? <sup>13</sup>If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!”

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 . . . . .“In Holy Conversation” LSB #772**

**SERMON . . . . .“Lord, Teach Us to Pray” (Luke 11:1-13)**

*(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 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.)*

*(Please be seated)*

**ORDER OF HOLY COMMUNION . . . . . page 208ff**

**DISTRIBUTION HYMNS . . . . . LSB #'s 628, 768, 629, 774**

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**POST-COMMUNION COLLECT/BENEDICTION. . . . . page 212**

**CLOSING HYMN . . . . . “Hear Us, Father, When We Pray” LSB #773**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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THE WEEK OF JULY 24, 2022	
SUNDAY	9:30 a.m. - D.S. IV 10:45 a.m. - Adult Bible Study
MONDAY	9:30 a.m. - Vacation Bible School
TUESDAY	9:30 a.m. - Vacation Bible School
WEDNESDAY	9:30 a.m. - Vacation Bible School
THURSDAY	9:30 a.m. - Vacation Bible School 6:30 p.m. - Stewardship Meeting
FRIDAY	9:30 a.m. - Vacation Bible School
SATURDAY	
UPCOMING EVENTS	7/31 Voters' Meeting

OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE FOR: July 17, 2022	
OFFERING: \$	ATTENDANCE CHURCH SERVICE: 84
SPECIAL: \$	ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL:
PRESCHOOL: \$	YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL:
SUNDAY SCHOOL: \$	
TOTAL DEPOSIT: \$	

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David Vetter (253-240-7289)	Roland - Young



## EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY - JOIN US!

- **Women's Bible Study** - We are on hiatus until September 13<sup>th</sup>.
- **Men's Bible Study** - First Saturday of the month, 8-9am in the fellowship hall. Our next meeting will be Saturday, August 6th. We are currently studying the Psalms.
- **Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class** - Luther's Large Catechism from the Lutheran Confessions.

### CONGREGATIONAL

- **SAVE THE DATE: The Apple Cider Squeeze Event will be Saturday, October 1st. All kids young and old are invited!**
- **There is a new fellowship sign-up sheet out in the kitchen area.**
- Little Lambs Preschool is a part of the ministry at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Tacoma, WA. **Little Lambs is seeking to fill the following positions for the 2022/2023 school year: Preschool Director - 10-20 hours/week @ \$20.00/hour. Teacher for 2 and 3 year olds, 2 mornings/week, approximately 10-20 hours/week @ \$17-\$18.00/hour. To receive more information please email Mary Schuldheisz - renuellc@yahoo.com or call 503-703-6675. Thank you for your assistance in helping Good Shepherd.**
- 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

- **Congratulations to the following students for having "Perfect Attendance" during the spring session of Sunday School: Miles Lindstrom, Jonah Schuldheisz, Nicholas Vetter, Isaac Lindstrom, Zoe Schuldheisz, Amelia Vetter, Andrew Vetter, and Daniel Vetter. Well done! "Thanks be to God, who always leads us in triumphal procession in Christ and through us spreads everywhere the fragrance of the knowledge of him." 2 Cor 2:14.**

### LWML

- **Thank you for your Mite donations last Sunday. Every penny helps!**

### LUTHERAN RESOURCES

- **YOUR COMPREHENSIVE SOURCE FOR NEWS, INFORMATION & TRUTH...**This week's teachings include: Fighting Transgenderism in the Church & Home; The Doctrine & Practice of Closed Communion; Biblical Inerrancy; The Movie "Thor: Love and

Thunder;" and more. You can listen at your convenience at [issuesetc.org](http://issuesetc.org), the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

- **Thoughts on Witness and Outreach:** Luke 11:1-13: How often have you stood before a full table or before a gathering of people and everyone looks at each other but no one wants to be the one to pray? Prayer is not a natural inclination of those who are sinful by nature and sinful in thought, word and deed. We need to be taught how to pray because prayer is so often seen as only an emergency measure, or a desperate attempt to get a higher power to act on our behalf when we're in trouble. One of the best ways we can share the Good News is by demonstrating a prayer life that reflects an honest communication with God; the ability to, in times of celebration and in times of need, to speak with God as a child speaks to their dear father. That's what Jesus taught His disciples and that's what we can share when we openly pray throughout the day letting the whole world know that before we do anything, we talk to God first in prayer.
- **Thoughts on Stewardship:** Luke 11:11 - "What father among you, if his son asks for a fish, will instead of a fish give him a serpent?" A generous, giving spirit comes from knowing that you have a generous, giving Father. He will care for our needs. We are therefore free to reflect His generosity in our lives. We can be generous in raising our children, supporting the Church, and serving our neighbor in the community. In these three areas - home, Church, and society - the Lord has called us to show His grace and generosity to those around us.

### IN OUR PRAYERS

#### CANCER

- **Ron Schill** (member) - prostate cancer
- **Paula Howard** (L.Howard sis-in-law) - recently been diagnosed with Leukemia, going through treatment in Denver
- **Connie P.** (Hunsberger) - treatment for 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**

- Mike Herrington (member) - recovering from shoulder surgery
- Mary Orr (member) - beginning treatment for hip problems
- Don McDaniel (D. Tiefel brother) - had a spinal stroke and is dealing with paralysis and low blood pressure as well as other issues

**STRENGTH & GUIDANCE**

- Jim Blokzyl - safety on Columbia River boat trip

**THANKSGIVING & PRAISE**

- Trina Foreman (member) - the celebration of Kramer and Annika’s wedding on July 24<sup>th</sup> at Rialto Beach

**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)
- Ryan Struss
- Conor Curry
- Sean Sobus (Smith)
- Douglas Smith, SSG
- Aaron Spratt

**US MARINES**

- Chaplain Mario Ancira, Lt.

**US AIR FORCE**

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

**US NAVY**

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

# August Birthdays Anniversaries

2nd Paul Wolf	15th Jennifer Pelissier
5th Dave Kreg	21st Michelle Allen
6th Jessica Loy	22nd Irene Feller
6th Lynda Ramsey	23rd Ben Breum
9th Joan DeLaPaz	23rd Blake Lueck
9th Justin Wilson	24th James Lindstrom
10th Sarah Ferris	24th Natasha Schuldheisz
12th Brien Lindstrom	25th Skyler Crady
13th Lynn Wagner	25th Katie Samek
15th Bonnie LaMonte	31st Dave Gordon



Alex & Michaela Perkovich  
August 24th

Ron & Trina Foreman  
August 8th

Rev. William & Loretta Gieck  
August 9th

Steve & Nancy Loy  
August 12th

Chris & Kathy Finnegan  
August 22th

Chuck & Peggy Lundin  
August 29th