Pelcome! Thank you for joining us for worship today. In our service we gather before Jesus our Savior to offer him our worship and praise. We also gather to strengthen ourselves through the study of God's holy and powerful word. Also,

- f Restrooms are down the hall and to the right from the back of church.
- f We love families! Your children are welcome in our service! Thanks for bringing them to hear about Jesus!
- f Please fill out the Friendship Registers located at the end of each row.
- f If you want to review or share today's service, you can find it on our website.
- f For upcoming events and activities, "like" us on our Facebook page.

Please come again and worship with us very soon!

# **Worship Participants**

Liturgist	Pastor Brian Adams
Preacher	Pastor Wayne Shevey
Organist	Mrs. Sharon Larsen

## **OUR WORSHIP SERVICE**

## **SERVICE OF THE WORD**

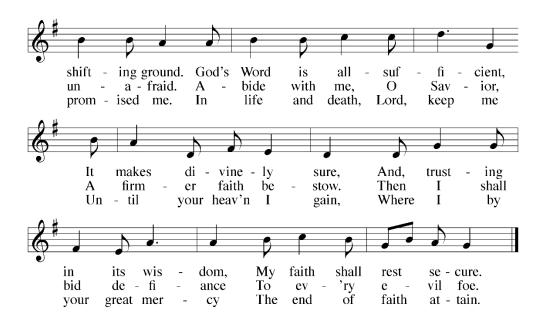
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THE OPENING HYMN .....""I Know My Faith is Founded"

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Please Stand

#### THE INVOCATION

- **P:** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.
- C: And also with you.

# THE CONFESSION OF SINS

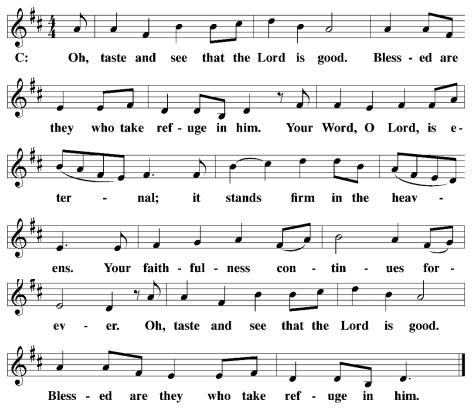
- **P:** We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve him as his dear children. But we have disobeyed him and deserve only his wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to him and plead for his mercy.
- C: Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against you and do not deserve to be called your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray: Have mercy on me according to your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.

- **P:** God, our heavenly Father has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, he has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.
- C: Amen.

# **PRAYER AND PRAISE**

**P:** In the peace of forgiveness, let us praise the Lord.

## **OH, TASTE AND SEE**



#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

## **P:** Let us pray.

O Lord, our God, govern the nations on earth and direct the affairs of this world so that your Church may worship you in peace and joy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Please be Seated

## THE WORD

<sup>6b</sup>with Joseph in charge, he did not concern himself with anything except the food he ate.

Now Joseph was well-built and handsome, <sup>7</sup> and after a while his master's wife took notice of Joseph and said, "Come to bed with me!"

<sup>8</sup> But he refused. "With me in charge," he told her, "my master does not concern himself with anything in the house; everything he owns he has entrusted to my care. <sup>9</sup> No one is greater in this house than I am. My master has withheld nothing from me except you, because you are his wife. How then could I do such a wicked thing and sin against God?" <sup>10</sup> And though she spoke to Joseph day after day, he refused to go to bed with her or even be with her.

<sup>11</sup> One day he went into the house to attend to his duties, and none of the household servants was inside. <sup>12</sup> She caught him by his cloak and said, "Come to bed with me!" But he left his cloak in her hand and ran out of the house.

<sup>16</sup> She kept his cloak beside her until his master came home. <sup>17</sup> Then she told him this story: "That Hebrew slave you brought us came to me to make sport of me. <sup>18</sup> But as soon as I screamed for help, he left his cloak beside me and ran out of the house."

<sup>19</sup> When his master heard the story his wife told him, saying, "This is how your slave treated me," he burned with anger. <sup>20</sup> Joseph's master took him and put him in prison, the place where the king's prisoners were confined.

But while Joseph was there in the prison, <sup>21</sup> the LORD was with him; he showed him kindness and granted him favor in the eyes of the prison warden. <sup>22</sup> So the warden put Joseph in charge of all those held in the prison, and he was made responsible for all that was done there. <sup>23</sup> The warden paid no attention to anything under Joseph's care, because the LORD was with Joseph and gave him success in whatever he did.

THE PSALM OF THE DAY ......Psalm 22

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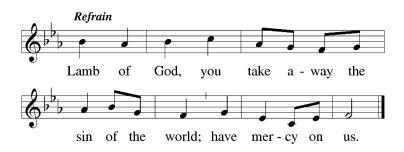
My God, my God, why have you for<u>saken me?\*</u>
Why are you so far from <u>saving me?</u>

I am a worm and <u>not</u> a man,\* scorned by men and despised by the <u>people</u>.

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All who see me mock me;\*
they hurl insults, shaking their heads:

"He trusts in the LORD; let the LORD <u>res</u>cue him.\* Let him deliver him, since he de<u>lights</u> in him."





My strength is dried up, and my tongue sticks to the roof <u>of</u> my mouth;\* you lay me in the <u>dust</u> of death.

A band of evil men has en<u>cir</u>cled me,\* they have pierced my hands <u>and</u> my feet.

They divide my garments among them\* and cast lots for my clothing.

But you, O LORD, be not <u>far</u> off;\*
O my Strength, come quickly to <u>help</u> me.

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.

# Refrain

<sup>23</sup> Before the coming of this faith, we were held in custody under the law, locked up until the faith that was to come would be revealed. <sup>24</sup> So the law was our guardian until Christ came that we might be justified by faith. <sup>25</sup> Now that this faith has come, we are no longer under a guardian.

<sup>26</sup> So in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith, <sup>27</sup> for all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. <sup>28</sup> There is neither Jew nor Gentile, neither slave nor free, nor is there male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. <sup>29</sup> If you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise.

#### **VERSE OF THE DAY**

**P:** Alleluia. Because we are his children, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba! Father!" Alleluia. (Galatians 4:6 cf. NIV)

## Please Stand

## THE GOSPEL LESSON Luke 9:18-24

<sup>18</sup> Once when Jesus was praying in private and his disciples were with him, he asked them, "Who do the crowds say I am?"

<sup>19</sup> They replied, "Some say John the Baptist; others say Elijah; and still others, that one of the prophets of long ago has come back to life."

<sup>20</sup> "But what about you?" he asked. "Who do you say I am?"

Peter answered, "God's Messiah."

<sup>21</sup> Jesus strictly warned them not to tell this to anyone. <sup>22</sup> And he said, "The Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests and the teachers of the law, and he must be killed and on the third day be raised to life."

<sup>23</sup> Then he said to them all: "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me. <sup>24</sup> For whoever wants to save their life will lose it, but whoever loses their life for me will save it.



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THE HYMN OF THE DAY....."Lord Jesus Christ, The Church's Head" Christian Worship #536 1 Lord Christ, the Church's Je sus head. You her are 2 O Lord, let this your lit - tle flock, Your name a -3 Help serve you With hearts both us to ev - er more 4 And for your gos - pel let dare To sac - ri us trusts, be - fore you foun - da - tion. one In she you con - fess - ing, Con - tin in your lov - ing lone ue low - ly. And may Word, that light di pure and your Teach us bear your bless - ed fice all trea - sure; to And waits your tion. Built bows, for sal va True ni - ty Your care, u pos sess ing. vine, Shine on in splen dor ho ly That To find in all plea -Oh, cross, you sure. this Your Church shall on rock se - cure, en - dure ra - ments, O Lord, And your sav - ing Word sac re - pent - ance show, In faith ev - er grow. we stead - fast - ness us In joy and dis - tress. grant Though all the world de cay And all things e'er To us pure re tain. Grant that they The e - vils pow'r of sin de strov And Lord. for vour mer cv's sake. Let us bv Oh, hear, oh, hear Je sus! pass a - way. us, re - main on - ly strength and may Our com fort.

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#### THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

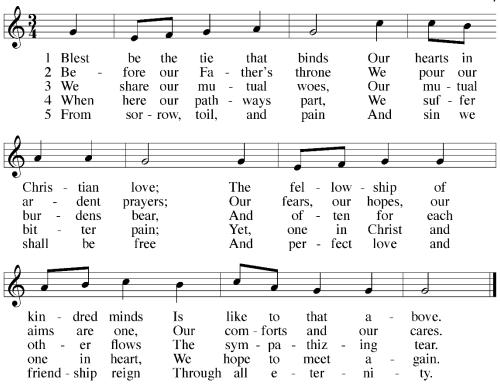
#### PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

Please be Seated

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Please Stand

**P:** Almighty God, we thank you for teaching us the things you want us to believe and do. Help us by your Holy Spirit to keep your Word in pure hearts that we may be strengthened in faith, guided in holiness, and comforted in life and in death, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



#### THE BLESSING

**P:** Brothers and sisters, go in peace. Live in harmony with one another. Serve the Lord with gladness.

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace.



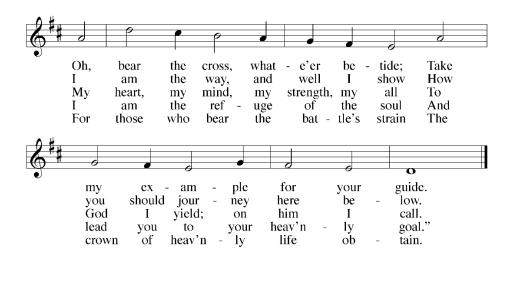
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CLOSING HYMN ...... "Come, Follow Me, the Savior Spoke"

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**THANK YOU**: Thank you to Pastor Wayne Shevey for sharing God's word with us this weekend!

**CHRISTIAN FUNERAL:** The Lord called Mrs. Nicole Parato to her heavenly home on Saturday, June 4<sup>th</sup>. A Christian funeral service was held here at St. Paul's on Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 PM. "Then I heard a voice from heaven say, "Write: Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on." "Yes," says the Spirit, "they will rest from their labor, for their deeds will follow them." (*Revelation 14:13*)

**ALTAR GUILD VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**: We are looking for additional volunteers to serve on our Altar Guild. Altar Guild is responsible for preparing the altar area for worship services. For more information on how you can help, please contact Jane Koplein at (414) 510-9291.

**SUMMER OUTDOOR WORSHIP SERVICES:** Monthly outdoor services are back this summer! Mark your calendars: **July 17, & August 14**. On those weekends, there will be **ONE** Sunday service at 9:00 am, with an indoor Monday evening service at 6:30 PM. All are welcome to join us! Please invite your neighbors, friends, and family to worship in this informal and unique way. Refreshments and snacks provided!

**SCHOOL SPORTS COACHES NEEDED:** Do you or anyone you know have an interest in coaching our St. Paul's students? We do not need experts in the field to coach; we need safe, reliable and considerate coaches that will share a love of Christ and fitness with their athletes! We need coaches in the following sports:

- **Cross Country:** With nearly 40 kids willing to participate, we need multiple coaches to assist however possible.
- **Girls Basketball:** We are still working out details because of the upper grades interest/ages, but we can use another interested coach at the C-team level.
- Fall: 5th-8th grade Coed Soccer: We have a possible part-time assistant coach, but we could use a lot of help to field a soccer team! (Will not have a team without coaches despite the student interest.)
- Fall: 3rd/4th grade and 5th/6th grade Girls Volleyball: We have a willing coach for both, but we can use (at least) an assistant for each.
- We have a strong interest in spring season 5-8th grade Track and Field. (Coaches would help prepare 5-8th graders for the Wisco Track and Field meet and possibly 1-2 other meets.)

If you are interested or would like more information, please email Mr. Clough at <a href="mailto:cclough@stpaulsfranklin.org">cclough@stpaulsfranklin.org</a>.

#### **VOLUNTEERS**

#### **USHERS FOR JULY**

**8:00 AM** – TEAM #3 – Donn Johnson, John Migacz, Todd Grunze, Frank Krajewski **9:30 AM** – TEAM #7 – David Brightsman, Kyle Brightsman, Luke Raduenz, Randy

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**6:30 PM** – TEAM #9 – Terry Plant, John Kiesow

#### **ALTAR GUILD**

July 6-12 – TEAM #1 – Beverly Garves, Sherry Kosovich, Vanessa McKee July 13-19 – TEAM #2 – Jane Koplein, Joan Shevey, Rebecca Kragh

# **REFRESHMENT COMMITTEE**

July 10: Set-up – Pete & Sherry Kosovich, Clean-up – Beverly Garves

July 17: Outdoor Service

# **GRASS CUTTING (CHURCH)**

July 13-16 – CREW #3 – Frank Krajewski July 20-23 – CREW #4 – Gary Tosic & Jerry Lehtinen

# **GRASS CUTTING (CEMETERY)**

July 13-16 – CREW #3 – Gordy Lesser July 20-23 – CREW #4 – Connie Roedel

## THE WEEKLY SCHEDULE

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Sunday, July Outo	<b>17</b> por Worship Service9:00 A	M

## Statistics - Last Week

Attendance: 8:00 AM - 67, Communed - 61 9:30 AM - 90, Communed - 51 6:30 PM - 19, Communed - N/A Total Attendance - 176 Total Communed - 112+