

Twentieth Sunday of Pentecost October 26th and 27th, 2014



Welcome in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ! We are happy to have you with us. We pray that your worship will be enriched and blessed by the Word of God. Restrooms are located in the hallway off the west side of the sanctuary. We also ask that you sign one of our Friendship Registers which are located in each of the pews. Please come and worship with us again!

Our Worship Service

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WELCOME

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC St. Paul's Junior Hand Bell Choir
10:30 service

THE OPENING HYMN "You Are the Way; through You Alone"
Christian Worship #356



1 You are the way; through you a - lone Can
2 You are the truth; your Word a - lone True
3 You are the life; the emp - ty tomb Pro -
4 You are the way, the truth, the life; Grant



we the Fa - ther find; In you, O Christ, has
wis - dom can im - part. You on - ly can in -
claims your con - qu'ring arm, And those who put their
us that way to know, That truth to keep, that

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God re - vealed His heart and will and mind.
form the mind And pu - ri - fy the heart.
trust in you Not death nor hell shall harm.
life to win Whose joys e - ter - nal flow.

Text: George W. Doane, 1799-1859, alt.
Tune: DUNDEE (CM) *The CL Psalms of David*, Edinburgh, 1615.

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.**

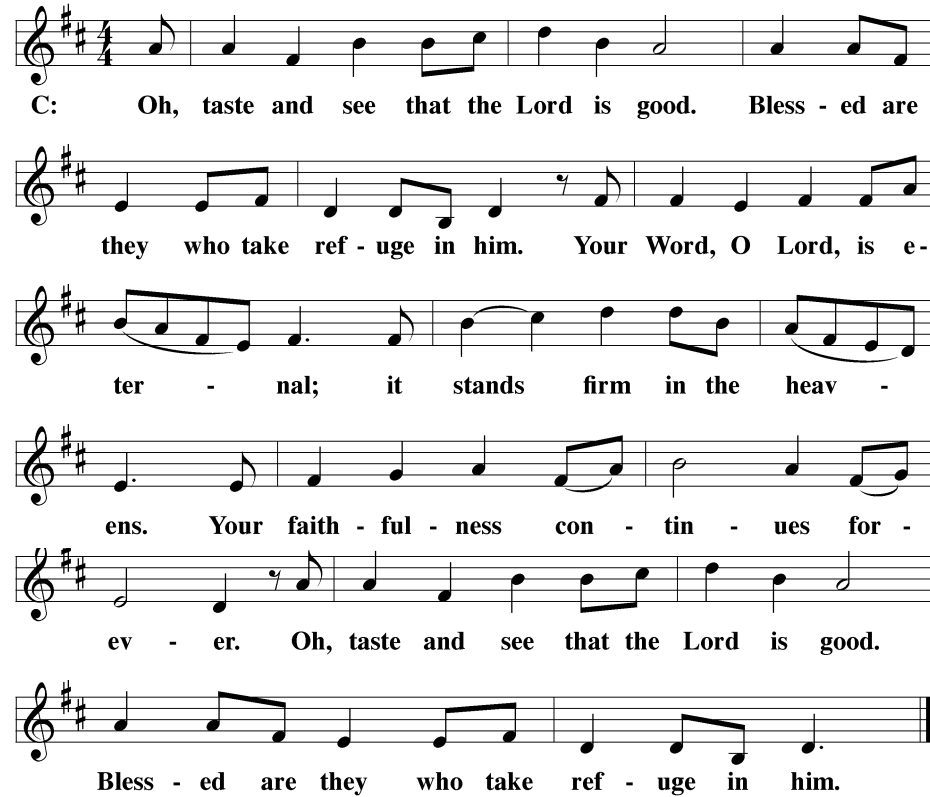
P: God, our heavenly Father has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, he has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.

C: Amen.

PRAYER AND PRAISE

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

OH, TASTE AND SEE



C: Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good. Bless - ed are they who take ref - uge in him. Your Word, O Lord, is eternal; it stands firm in the heavens. Your faith - ful - ness con - tin - ues forever. Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good. Bless - ed are they who take ref - uge in him.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray. Almighty God, in your bountiful goodness keep us safe from every evil of body and soul. Make us ready, with cheerful hearts, to do whatever pleases you; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



C: A - men.

Please be Seated

THE FIRST LESSON..... Deuteronomy 32:22-28

God will punish the wicked in due time in the fires of hell.

²²For a fire has been kindled by my wrath, one that burns to the realm of death below. It will devour the earth and its harvests and set afire the foundations of the mountains. ²³"I will heap calamities upon them and spend my arrows against them. ²⁴I will send wasting famine against them, consuming pestilence and deadly plague; I will send against them the fangs of wild beasts, the venom of vipers that glide in the dust. ²⁵In the street the sword will make them childless; in their homes terror will reign. Young men and young women will perish, infants and gray-haired men. ²⁶I said I would scatter them and blot out their memory from mankind, ²⁷but I dreaded the taunt of the enemy, lest the adversary misunderstand and say, 'Our hand has triumphed; the Lord has not done all this.'" ²⁸They are a nation without sense, there is no discernment in them.

THE PSALM OF THE DAY..... Psalm 92

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Refrain
Lord, let your mer-cy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

Psalm tone *

How great are your works, O LORD,*
how profound your thoughts!
The senseless man does not know,*
fools do not understand,
that though the wicked spring up like grass*
and all evildoers flourish,
they will be forever destroyed.*
But you, O LORD, are exalted forever.

Refrain

Refrain



Lord, let your mer-cy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

Psalm tone



The righteous will flourish like a palm tree,*
 they will flourish in the courts of our God.
 They will still bear fruit in old age,*
 they will stay fresh and green,
 proclaiming, “The LORD is upright;*
 he is my rock, and there is no wickedness in him.”

**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

THE SECOND LESSON..... 2 Peter 2:4-9

There were angels who rebelled against God and fell into sin. They became the devil and the evil angels. God sent them to hell.

⁴For if God did not spare angels when they sinned, but sent them to hell, putting them into gloomy dungeons to be held for judgment; ⁵if he did not spare the ancient world when he brought the flood on its ungodly people, but protected Noah, a preacher of righteousness, and seven others; ⁶if he condemned the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah by burning them to ashes, and made them an example of what is going to happen to the ungodly; ⁷and if he rescued Lot, a righteous man, who was distressed by the filthy lives of lawless men ⁸(for that righteous man, living among them day after day, was tormented in his righteous soul by the lawless deeds he saw and heard)—⁹if this is so, then the Lord

knows how to rescue godly men from trials and to hold the unrighteous for the day of judgment, while continuing their punishment.

VERSE OF THE DAY

P: Alleluia. *I will proclaim your name to my people; in the midst of the congregation I will praise you. Alleluia. (Hebrews 2:12 cf. RSV)*



C: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

These words are writ - ten that we may be - lieve that

Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

GRADES 6-8 HYMN.....“Lord, When Your Glory I Shall See”

Christian Worship #219; 10:30 AM

Lord, when your glory I shall see
 And taste your kingdom’s pleasure,
 Your blood my royal robe shall be,
 My joy beyond all measure!
 When I appear before your throne,
 Your righteousness shall be my crown;
 With these I need not hide me.
 And there, in garments richly wrought,
 As your own bride I shall be brought
 To stand in joy beside you.

Text: Paul Gerhardt, 1607–76, abr.; tr. *The Lutheran Hymnal*, St. Louis, 1941, alt.

Please Stand

THE GOSPEL LESSON Mark 9:43-49

We cannot begin to describe the torment and excruciating pain that will be for the unbelievers in hell.

⁴³If your hand causes you to sin, cut it off. It is better for you to enter life maimed than with two hands to go into hell, where the fire never goes out ^[44]where "'their worm does not die, and the fire is not quenched.' ⁴⁵And if your foot causes you to sin, cut it off. It is better for you to enter life crippled than to have two feet and be thrown into hell. ^[46]Where "'their worm does not die, and the fire is not quenched.' ⁴⁷And if your eye causes you to sin, pluck it out. It is better for you to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than to have two eyes and be thrown into hell, ⁴⁸where "'their worm does not die, and the fire is not quenched.' ⁴⁹Everyone will be salted with fire.



C: Praise be to you, O Christ!

Please be Seated

CHILDREN'S TALK 10:30 AM

THE HYMN OF THE DAY "Enslaved by Sin and Bound in Chains"
Christian Worship #102



1 En - slaved by sin and bound in chains, Be - neath its
 2 Nor gold nor gems could buy our peace, Nor all the
 3 Je - sus, the Lord, the might - y God, An all - suf -
 4 Je - sus the sac - ri - fice be - came To res - cue
 5 A - maz - ing good - ness! Love di - vine! Oh, may our



dread - ful ty - rant sway, And doomed to ev - er -
 world's col - lect - ed store Suf - fice to pur - chase
 fi - cient ran - som paid. O match - less price! His
 guilt - y souls from hell; The spot - less, bleed - ing,
 grate - ful hearts a - dore The match - less grace nor

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last - ing pains We wretch - ed, guilt - y cap - tives lay.
 our re - lease; A thou - sand worlds were all too poor.
 pre - cious blood For vile, re - bel - lious trai - tors shed.
 dy - ing Lamb Be - neath a - veng - ing jus - tice fell.
 yield to sin Nor wear its cru - el fet - ters more!

Text: Anne Steele, 1717-78.
 Tune: WENN WIR IN HÖCHSTEN NÖTEN SEIN (LM) Louis Bourgeois, c. 1510-1561.

THE SERMON Mark 9:43-49

The End Times: The Terror of Hell

Please Stand

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.

Please be Seated

THE OFFERING

(We invite you to sign our Friendship Registers in each pew during the offering.)

THE OFFERING PRAYER

Please Stand

THE PRAYERS

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.



And o - ver all God's wrath im - pends.
 And reap its fruits of woe and death.
 Nor seeks nor finds its heav'n - ly goal.
 Our on - ly hope, our on - ly stay.
 We all were jus - ti - fied by grace.

Please be Seated

CONGREGATION HYMN "All Mankind Fell in Adam's Fall"
Christian Worship #378



1 All man - kind fell in Ad - am's fall;
 2 Through all our pow'rs cor - rup - tion creeps
 3 From hearts de - praved, to e - vil prone,
 4 But Christ, the sec - ond Ad - am, came
 5 As by one man all man - kind fell



One com - mon sin in - fects us all.
 And us in dread - ful bond - age keeps;
 Flow thoughts and deeds of sin a - lone;
 To bear our sin and woe and shame,
 And, born in sin, was doomed to hell,



From one to all the curse de - scends,
 In guilt we draw our in - fant breath
 God's im - age lost, the dark - ened soul
 To be our life, our light, our way,
 So by one Man, who took our place,

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6 We thank you, Christ; new life is ours,
 New light, new hope, new strength, new pow'rs;
 This grace our ev'ry way attend
 Until we reach our journey's end.

Text: Lazarus Spengler, 1479–1534, abr.; tr. Matthias Loy, 1828–1915, st. 1–4, 6, alt.; *The Lutheran Hymnal*, St. Louis, 1941, st. 5, alt.
 Tune: WENN WIR IN HÖCHSTEN NÖTEN SEIN (LM) Louis Bourgeois, c. 1510–c. 1561.

Please Stand

P: O Lord God, our heavenly Father, pour out the Holy Spirit on your faithful people. Keep us strong in your grace and truth, protect and comfort us in all temptation, and bestow on us your saving peace, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



C: A - men.

THE BENEDICTION

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.



C: A - men. A - men. A - men.

THE CLOSING HYMN.....“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”
Christian Worship # 331



1 Guide me, O thou great Je - ho - vah,
2 O - pen now the crys - tal foun - tain
3 When I tread the verge of Jor - dan,



Pil - grim through this bar - ren land.
Whence the heal - ing stream doth flow;
Bid my anx - ious fears sub - side;



I am weak, but thou art might - y; Hold me
Let the fi - ery, cloud - y pil - lar Lead me
Death of death and hell's De - struc - tion, Land me



with thy pow'r - ful hand. Bread of heav - en,
all my jour - ney through. Strong De - liv - 'rer,
safe on Ca - naan's side. Songs of prais - es



Feed me till I want no more.
Be thou still my strength and shield.
I will ev - er give to thee.

Text: William Williams, 1717–91, abr.; tr. Peter Williams, 1722–96, st. 1; William Williams, st. 2-3.
Tune: GUIDE ME (87 87 47) George W. Warren, 1828–1902.

Worship Participants

Liturgist and Preacher.....Pastor Brian Adams
OrganistMrs. Marie Becker
Jr. Bell Choir Director.....Miss Heather Schmidt
Grades 6-8 Choir Director/Accompanist Mr. Lyle Timm

SENIOR CHOIR REHEARSAL: The Senior Choir will be practicing on Wednesday, October 29th at 6:30 pm in preparation of the Reformation Service.

HOSPITALIZED: Christina Destrampe-West Allis Women’s Pavillion; Marilyn Krueger-Theda Clark Medical Center, Neenah, Wisconsin; Beverly Drall-St. Francis Hospital.

SAVE THE DATE: ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT: Our Advent by Candlelight is a special time for women (ages 7th grade and up) to ponder and reflect on the coming of Jesus’ birth. Our special service will focus on a Christ filled message, music, fellowship and dessert. The special service is for women of St. Paul’s, but please invite your friends, relatives and neighbors, too. A sign up sheet will be in the narthex. This year Advent by Candlelight will be **Sunday, December 7th from 3:00-4:30 p.m.** Notice the time change from other years. We look forward to seeing many of you there. God bless and keep all of you. ~St. Paul’s Advent by Candlelight Committee.

BOARD OF ELDERS: The Board of Elders will meet on Wednesday, October 29th at 6:30 pm.

WLHS OPEN HOUSE: Wisconsin Lutheran High School is holding its Open House on Sunday, November 2, beginning with an opening presentation at 6:00 p.m. and concluding at 8:00 p.m. Grade school parents and students, please join us to meet teachers, tour the school, and enjoy student presentations. See what a difference academic excellence in a Christ-centered environment can make in your child’s life. All grades are welcome!

WLHS 21ST ANNIVERSARY VETERANS DAY OBSERVANCE: Wisconsin Lutheran High School and its students invite you to attend the 21st annual Veterans Day celebration on Tuesday, November 11. Servicemen and women are invited to a complimentary breakfast buffet that will be served in the WLHS cafeteria at 7:00 a.m. To RSVP for the breakfast, please complete the form located on the narthex counter or contact Cindy Kucera at cindy.kucera@wlhs.org or 414-453-4567.

Everyone is invited to the special Veterans Day presentation in the main gymnasium at 8:30 a.m. with guest speakers Pastor Mark Jeske and WLHS alumnus Col. Johnny Davis, 80th Commander of the 3rd U.S. Infantry Regiment. The presentation will also be streamed live online the day of the event. For more information go to www.wlhs.org.

WLHS SALUTE WITH FRUIT: The student council of Wisconsin Lutheran High School is once again offering fresh citrus from Florida. All proceeds from this sale go towards funding Wisconsin Lutheran’s annual Veterans Day Service. The deadline for ordering fruit is

Thursday, November 13. Pick-up will be Saturday, December 13, 2014. To place your order, complete the form located on the narthex counter, or go online to www.wlhs.org.

CURRENT SERMON SERIES: Our current sermon series is taking a look at “*The End Times*.” The schedule for this series and other holidays are:

Oct. 5/6 – The End Times: The Second Coming of Christ

[Oct. 12/13 – WLC Focus: Pastor Wayne Shevey]

Oct. 19/20 – The End Times: Heaven – The Dwelling Place of God

Oct. 26/27 – The End Times: The Terror of Hell

[Nov. 2/3 – Reformation]

Nov. 9/10 – The End Times: Angels – The Gatherers and Dividers for the Lord

[Nov. 16/17 – Mission Festival: Christian Aid & Relief]

Nov. 23/24 – The End Times: The Christian’s Hope

“MAILBOXES” UPDATE: As many have noticed, the mailboxes for St. Paul’s members have been installed in the hallway off the narthex of church. Name holders still have to be purchased and installed. At the Church Council meeting on last Tuesday evening, it was decided that we would give people an opportunity to offset the cost of the name holders. Each name holder is about \$3.50. There are 480 mailboxes, which is about \$1700 for the label holders. A collection box will be setup on the counter in the narthex at church.

MEN OF HIS WORD CONFERENCE: Registration for Men of His Word 2015 "A Shelter from the Storm" is now open. The Conference is January 31, 2015 in Oshkosh. Don't miss this chance to gather with hundreds of your fellow Christian men for a day of inspiration. The 20 different sessions will both encourage and challenge you in your walk of faith. For more information and registration go to: www.menofhisword.org.

MARY MARTHA CRAFT AND BAKE SALE: The Mary Martha Society will be holding a craft and bake sale in conjunction with Mission Festival, November 16 & 17, 2014. All members of St. Paul’s are invited to donate craft items and baked goods to this sale. Hopefully, this will give the crafters in our congregation plenty of time to work on some projects. All donations are much appreciated and the proceeds from this sale will benefit a mission within our synod.

LUTHERAN WOMEN’S MISSIONARY SOCIETY FALL RALLY: Save the date! ALL WELS WOMEN OF ALL AGES ARE INVITED to attend the LWMS Fall Rally which will be held on Tuesday, October 28, 2014 at Good Shepherd’s Lutheran Church - 1235 S. 100th St., West Allis, WI. Registration and a FREE Breakfast are from: 8:00 - 9:15am., with the rally starting at 9:30am. The rally presentation speaker is: Pastor Rodrigo Concha - on Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary’s Pastoral Studies Institute. Please come and see how WELS is training men from other cultures to become WELS pastors. A FREE lunch will also be

served. The rally will close at 3:00pm. If you are able to bring an item for the WELS missionary furlough house - that would be greatly appreciated. The LWMS Fall Rally flyer, with a list of needed items, is in the church narthex. HOPE TO SEE YOU AT OUR RALLY!

HOSTS NEEDED: Wisconsin Lutheran High School is closed during Christmas break and the international students living in the student housing on campus need a home for the holidays from Tuesday, December 23 until Saturday, January 4. Consider opening your home to share Christ’s love to our students from different countries. Compensation is given to help cover the cost of food for the student(s) staying in your home during this time. Please contact April Goldschmidt (april.goldschmidt@wlhs.org) or Micah Ricke (micah.ricke@wlhs.org). for more information.

Volunteers

GREETERS THIS WEEK 10/26 & 27):

8:00 AM - Jacque & Doreen Vallier
10:30 AM- Bob & Sue Dittrich
6:30 PM - Donna LaBlanc

GREETERS NEXT WEEK (11/2 & 3)

8:00 AM- Steve & Theresa Mess
10:30 AM- Carl & Carolyn Streeter; Eli & Sam
6:30 PM- Marion Szudrowitz

CLEANING CREWS:

October 28-Crew #20-*Gordy & Mickey Lesser; Gale Bartow, Todd & Kristie Grunze Family, Richard & Kathy Hinz, Frank & Sam Krajewski Family, Tommy and Rebecca Cummings, Mike & Jenny Lesser, Chris & Rosie Robinson*
November 4-Crew #21-*Robert & Lynn Szudrowitz Family; Bob & Sue Dittrich, Michael Farchione, Tom & Heather Harwood, Lewis Jaye, Laura Loth, Ron & Jamie Petricek Family, David & Colleen Qualmann, Craig & Carin Schalla Family*

USHERS FOR OCTOBER:

8:00 AM TEAM #2- Bob Goelz, Todd Flunker, Scott Sievert, Tony Tripoli, Steve Mess
10:30 AM TEAM #2- Andy Goede, Reed Goede, Nolan Romeis, Cooper Goede, Zach Matthews
6:30 PM TEAM #9- Curt Stellwagon, Dave Long, Max Gruenberg

USHERS FOR NOVEMBER:

8:00 AM TEAM # 3-Donn Johnson, Todd Johnson, John Migacz, Steve Migacz, Frank Krajewski
10:30 AM TEAM #7-Dave Brightsman, Kyle Brightsman, Ian Wirtz
6:30 PM TEAM # 9-Curt Stellwagon, Dave Long, Max Gruenberg

ALTAR GUILD:

October 15-28 TEAM #4 Marge Gebert, Marilyn Krueger, Renate Nazimek
October 29-November 11-TEAM #1 Sherry Kosovich, Gale Bartow, Beverly Garves

GRASS CUTTING:

October 29-November 1-Frank Krajewski

The Weekly Schedule

Sunday, October 26

Worship Service8:00 AM
Adult Bible Class/Sunday School9:15 AM
Worship Service10:30 AM

Monday, October 27

Worship Service 6:30 PM

Tuesday, October 28

PSCIC 6:00 PM

Wednesday, October 29

School Devotion.....8:30 AM
Senior Choir Rehearsal 6:30 PM
Board of Elders Meeting 6:30 PM

Thursday, October 30

3K-Grade 8..... NO SCHOOL
Adult Hand Bells..... 6:30 PM

Friday, October 31

3K- Grade8..... NO SCHOOL

Sunday, November 2

Worship Service with Communion.....8:00 AM
Adult Bible Class/Sunday School.....9:15 AM
Worship Service with Communion.....10:30 AM

Statistics - Last Week

Worship Attendance: 8:00 AM –89, Communed 84; 10:30 AM –204, Communed 106;
6:30 PM –62, Communed 42; Total Attendance – 355; Total Communed 232; Bible Study 18.