

St. John's Lutheran Church

1107 14th Street, Clarkston, WA 10:15 am Sunday School and Bible Class, 11:00 am Service www.ClarkstonLutheran.org Watch the Service on YouTube

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Peace Lutheran Church

13946 1st Ave. Orofino, ID 7:30 am Bible Class, 8:00 am Worship Service orofino.clclutheran.org

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Valley Bible Academy (K-8)

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5TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 5, 2020

Preparation for Worship: Read Psalm 82 (front of the hymnal p. 139)

The Hymns: 291, 369, 584, 577

Personal Prayer: Dear Lord Jesus, abide with us on our journey through this wicked world; for we are in constant need of Your comfort and instruction. Open our hearts that we may gladly hear your Word, and enlighten us by Your Holy Spirit that we may understand what the Bible teaches about You and Your work of redemption. Finally, receive us into Your heavenly kingdom. In Your saving name, Amen.

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymn 291

The Invocation

We invoke ("call upon") the name of the one true God – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.



Congregation sings:

The Confession and Absolution of Sins

We come before our Holy God recognizing that we are sinful and daily need His forgiveness. Pastor Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God, our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

Our help is in the name of the Lord.



C: Who made heaven and earth.

Pastor I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord.



C: And Thou forgavest the iniquity of

my Pastor Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy,

sin

seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

ALL O most merciful God, who has given Your only-begotten Son to die for us, have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Your Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of You and of Your will and true obedience to Your Word, to the end that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Pastor Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe in His name He gives power to become the sons of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He who believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this, Lord, unto us all.



(congregation is seated)

The Introit

Having received the Lord's forgiveness, we are glad to enter into His courts with praise and thanksgiving.

This entrance is made in the Introit with the Lord's own Word, often from the Psalms.

- P: The Lord is my Light and my Salvation; whom shall I fear?
- C: The Lord is the Strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?
- P: When the wicked, even my enemies and my foes came upon me
- C: They stumbled and fell.
- P: Though a host should encamp against me:
- C: My heart shall not fear.

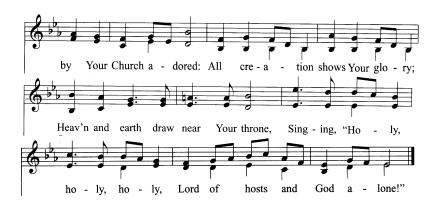




The Gloria

A hymn glorifying and praising our God (Hymn 798:1 - all sing)





The Salutation (Greeting)





The Collect for the Day

The main thoughts for the day are "collected" together in this prayer.

Pastor Let us pray.



The Old Testament Reading:

Jeremiah 20:7-13, O LORD, You induced me, and I was persuaded; You are stronger than I, and have prevailed. I am in derision daily; Everyone mocks me. 8 For when I spoke, I cried out; I shouted, "Violence and plunder!" Because the word of the LORD was made to me A reproach and a derision daily. ⁹ Then I said, "I will not make mention of Him, Nor speak anymore in His name." But His word was in my heart like a burning fire Shut up in my bones; I was weary of holding it back, And I could not. ¹⁰ For I heard many mocking: "Fear on every side!" "Report," they say, "and we will report it!" All my acquaintances watched for my stumbling, saying, "Perhaps he can be induced; Then we will prevail against him, And we will take our revenge on him." ¹¹ But the LORD is with me as a mighty, awesome One. Therefore my persecutors will stumble, and will not prevail. They will be greatly ashamed, for they will not prosper. *Their* everlasting confusion will never be forgotten. ¹² But, O LORD of hosts, You who test the righteous, And see the mind and heart, Let me see Your vengeance on them; For I have pleaded my cause before You. ¹³ Sing to the LORD! Praise the LORD! For He has delivered the life of the poor From the hand of evildoers.

PASTOR Here ends the Old Testament Reading.

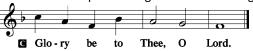
The Gradual

The Gradual is a "Bridge of praise" that links the Old Testament with the New Testament.

- P: Do any of the worthless idols of the nations bring rain?
- C: Do the skies themselves send down showers?
- P: No, it is You, O LORD our God. Therefore our hope is in You,
- C: For You are the One Who does all this. Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
- P: You set a boundary they cannot cross;
- C: Never again will they cover the earth. Hallelujah!



Pastor: The Gospel Reading is Matthew 10 beginning in the 24th verse.



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Pastor: Here ends the Gospel Reading. Blessed are they who hear the Word of God and keep it.





Congregation stands for:

The Apostles' Creed

We boldly confess what we believe. (Hymnal page 12)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, Born of the Virgin Mary; Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; The Holy Christian Church, the communion of saints; The forgiveness of sins; The resurrection of the body; And the life everlasting. Amen.

Hymn 369

The Sermon

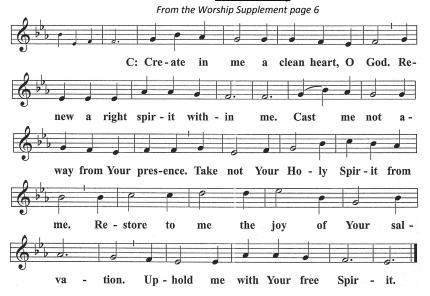
Romans 5:12-15, "Therefore, just as through one man sin entered the world, and death through sin, and thus death spread to all men, because all sinned; 13 For until the law sin was in the world, but sin is not imputed when there is no law. 14 Nevertheless death reigned from Adam to Moses, even over those who had not sinned according to the likeness of the transgression of Adam, who is a type of Him who was to come. 15 But the free gift is not like the offense. For if by the one man's offense many died, much more the grace of God and the gift by the grace of the one Man, Jesus Christ, abounded to many."

Theme: "A CHIP OFF THE OLD BLOCK"

I: As children of Adam - completely dead (12-14)

II: As children of Christ - completely alive (14-15)





The Offering of Thankful Hearts

In tangible evidence of our gratitude, we offer the Lord the gift of our money, remembering that He has first given to us that we might have to give to Him. While the ushers present our offerings at he Lord's Altar, we stand and sing the offering hymn 788:1.

Lord, You love the cheerful giver Who with open heart and hand Blesses freely, as a river that refreshes all the land.

Grant us, then, the grace of giving with a spirit large and true.

That our life and all our living we may consecrate to You.

<u>Prayers</u> - (Pastor) <u>The Lord's Prayer</u> - (All)

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.

Hymn 584

The Benediction

Pastor: The LORD bless you and keep you.

The LORD make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The LORD lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.



<u>A n n o u n c e m e n t s</u>

"If the LORD wills, we will do this or that." James 4:15

WELCOME EVERYONE! Especially any visitors who may be with us. We are glad you are here and invite you to join us again soon in our worship of the One true God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit. If you are looking for a church home, we hope you've found it with us. If you'd like to become a member, we offer a free, 20 lesson "Information Class" led by the Pastor to study and discuss the Bible's teachings.

NEXT SUNDAY'S BIBLE LESSONS Read ahead to help prepare:

Jeremiah 28:5-9 – False prophets mislead the people Romans 6:1b-11 – Live as those who died to sin but are alive in Christ Matthew 10:34-42 – Following Christ will bring choices and opportunities

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH & SCHOOL OFFERINGS LAST SUNDAY

From thankful hearts...

Needed: \$2,215. Received: \$1,230 (- \$985). YTD: -\$2,177. Teacherage Fund – Received: \$0. Total to-date: \$13,475.

Please be aware that during the summer months, there is no tuition coming in from the school. In this typically slow financial time of the year, we'll need to re-double our prayers for the financial success of our church and school - Valley Bible Academy. God hears and answers. We await His blessings.

"Give, and it will be given to you: good measure, pressed down, shaken together, and running over will be put into your bosom. For with the same measure that you use, it will be measured back to you." Luke 6:38

CLC NEWS <> Pastor Richard Kanzenbach, serving the tri-parish of Morning Star Lutheran Church, Fairchild, WI; Peace with God Lutheran Church, Onalaska, WI; and Trinity Lutheran Church, Millston, WI has **received** the call to St. Luke's Lutheran Church in Lemmon. SD. <> Prof. Steve Sippert of Immanuel Lutheran College, Eau Claire, WI has **received** the call to Bethel Lutheran Church, Morris, MN.

WEEKLY MEMORY VERSE

"For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus. For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ."

Galatians 3:26-27

The Old Testament Reading for the 5th Sunday after Pentecost

Just like the prophet Jeremiah, as long as you live in this world you will find yourself under constant attack for your Christian beliefs. But God's Word is like a burning fire in our hearts, it declares God's grace and mercy to us, it forgives our doubts and shortcomings, the truths found in the Bible cause us to sing praises to Jesus Christ, our LORD and our God. We read...

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No enemy of the cross is able to destroy your soul in hell. Only God has that final authority and power. So we give all glory to Him and draw strength from His powerful Word to give us the ability to witness His saving Gospel message. Even if that witness causes you bodily harm in this evil world – don't be afraid of that – God has put great value on your soul and will never leave your side. We read... Matthew 10:24-33, "A disciple is not above his teacher, nor a servant above his master. ²⁵ "It is enough for a disciple that he be like his teacher, and a servant like his master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebub, how much more will they call those of his household! ²⁶ "Therefore do not fear them. For there is nothing covered that will not be revealed, and hidden that will not be known. ²⁷ "Whatever I tell you in the dark, speak in the light; and what you hear in the ear, preach on the housetops. ²⁸ "And do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. But rather fear Him who is able to destroy both soul and body in hell. ²⁹ "Are not two sparrows sold for a copper coin? And not one of them falls to the ground apart from your Father's will. 30 "But the very hairs of your head are all numbered. 31 "Do not fear therefore; you are of more value than many sparrows. 32 "Therefore whoever confesses Me before men, him I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven. ³³ "But whoever denies Me before men, him I will also deny before My Father who is in heaven."

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