

**St. Andrew Lutheran Church
& Early Childhood Campus**

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Worship Hours: Sunday 9:00 a.m.

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**Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost
October 20, 2024**

PRESERVICE MUSIC WHILE WE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

WELCOME & GREET ONE ANOTHER WITH GOD'S PEACE

OPENING HYMN

"How Great Thou Art"

LSB 801

DIVINE SERVICE (Setting One) (p. 151 in the front of the hymnal)

INVOCATION

P: In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

C: But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

+ *Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination* +

P: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

C: Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

P: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

PSALM

Ps. 34:1-4,17; Ps. 34:18

P: The Lord is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in spirit.

C: I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

P: My soul makes its boast in the Lord; let the humble hear and be glad.

C: Oh, magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together!

P: I sought the Lord, and he answered me and delivered me from all my fears.

C: When the righteous cry for help, the Lord hears and delivers them out of all their troubles.

C: 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.

KYRIE

P: In peace let us pray to the Lord.

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.

P: For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.

P: For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.

P: For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.

P: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

C: ♪ Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE

"This Is the Feast"

(p. 155)

SALUTATION AND COLLECT (PRAYER) OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: ♪ And also with you.

P: Let us pray together.

C: O God, Your divine wisdom sets in order all things in heaven and on earth. Put away from us all things hurtful and give us those things that are beneficial for us; through Jesus Christ,

Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
C: ♪ Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Ecclesiastes 5:10-20

He who loves money will not be satisfied with money, nor he who loves wealth with his income; this also is vanity. When goods increase, they increase who eat them, and what advantage has their owner but to see them with his eyes? Sweet is the sleep of a laborer, whether he eats little or much, but the full stomach of the rich will not let him sleep. There is a grievous evil that I have seen under the sun: riches were kept by their owner to his hurt, and those riches were lost in a bad venture. And he is father of a son, but he has nothing in his hand. As he came from his mother's womb he shall go again, naked as he came, and shall take nothing for his toil that he may carry away in his hand. This also is a grievous evil: just as he came, so shall he go, and what gain is there to him who toils for the wind? Moreover, all his days he eats in darkness in much vexation and sickness and anger. Behold, what I have seen to be good and fitting is to eat and drink and find enjoyment in all the toil with which one toils under the sun the few days of his life that God has given him, for this is his lot. Everyone also to whom God has given wealth and possessions and power to enjoy them, and to accept his lot and rejoice in his toil—this is the gift of God. For he will not much remember the days of his life because God keeps him occupied with joy in his heart.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE

Hebrews 4:1-13

Therefore, while the promise of entering his rest still stands, let us fear lest any of you should seem to have failed to reach it. For good news came to us just as to them, but the message they heard did not benefit them, because they were not united by faith with those who listened. For we who have believed enter that rest, as he has said, "As I swore in my wrath, 'They shall not enter my rest,'" although his works were finished from the foundation of the world. For he has somewhere spoken of the seventh day in this way: "And God rested on the seventh day from all his works." And again in this passage he said, "They shall not enter my rest." Since therefore it remains for some to enter it, and those who formerly received the good news failed to enter because of disobedience, again he appoints a certain day, "Today," saying through David so long

afterward, in the words already quoted, "Today, if you hear his voice, do not harden your hearts. For if Joshua had given them rest, God would not have spoken of another day later on. So then, there remains a Sabbath rest for the people of God, for whoever has entered God's rest has also rested from his works as God did from his. Let us therefore strive to enter that rest, so that no one may fall by the same sort of disobedience. For the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and of marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart. And no creature is hidden from his sight, but all are naked and exposed to the eyes of him to whom we must give account.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

ALLELUIA VERSE

**C: ♪ Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia, alleluia.**

HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 10:23-31

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the tenth chapter.

C: ♪ Glory to You, O Lord.

And Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, "How difficult it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!" And the disciples were amazed at his words. But Jesus said to them again, "Children, how difficult it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich person to enter the kingdom of God." And they were exceedingly astonished, and said to him, "Then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "With man it is impossible, but not with God. For all things are possible with God." Peter began to say to him, "See, we have left everything and followed you." Jesus said, "Truly, I say to you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or lands, for my sake and for the gospel, who will not receive a hundredfold now in this time, houses and brothers and sisters and mothers and children and lands, with persecutions, and in the age to come eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last first."

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: ♪ Praise to You, O Christ.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK: October 20 thru October 26

BIRTHDAY: Hank Kelley, Ellen Slicker, Toby Hua, Sydney Brehmer, Zachary Brehmer, Ted Wuebben, Olivia Dieringer, Sandra Lompa, Tiff Legate, Lainey Vierkant

BAPTISMAL ANNIVERSARIES: Judi Bastian, Star Dzwonkowski, Megan Johnson

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES: Gary & Kristi Leipold, Lyndsey & Steven Mutz

PRAYERS FOR:. Ginger church secretary's, Nephew Layton 5 yrs old with leukemia, Nephew Elijah 24 diagnosed with schizophrenia, Father we ask for healing. Pray for strength and wisdom for his Mother Sarah. Meghan Kelley for her Great Aunt Vern who was recently diagnosed with breast cancer.

THE MILITARY: William Bowman (brother of Katie Vierkant), Matthew Speaks-(nephew of Darryl & Laurie Pree) Beau Szczerbinski (brother of Meghan Kelley). Brandon & Benjamin Roeglin(Grandsons of Joyce & Jim Schmoldt)

WELCOME VISITORS! We are glad you chose to worship with us. Sign our Guest Book in the Narthex or one of the cards in the pews and please talk to Pastor, an Usher or Elder if you have any questions.

DIFFERENT CHURCHES HAVE DIFFERENT UNDERSTANDINGS regarding Holy Communion. For this reason, because of what 1Corinthians 11:27-30 tells us, we ask that visitors talk to Pastor if they wish to commune with us. **ALSO**, see the back of the communion cards for a statement by Synod.

WE HAVE A PRAYER CHAIN AT ST. ANDREW. Please contact Josie Pfeiffer at 262-626-4303 or pfeiffer4303@charter.net

ELDER SERVING TODAY: Randy Sheffield, Rick Bruss
Next Sunday: Thai Hua & Jeff Grande

CLEANING THIS WEEK ENDING October 26 Sue Hetzel, Rory Hetzel, Paul Heinz, Cindy Heinz

NEXT WEEK October 28 thru November 2 Pastor Jon Vierkant, Katie Vierkant, Myron Kraft, Suzanne Woods

Altar Guild for October: Pam Beaupre w/Sue Hetzel, Peggy Kriefall, Tracy Rochwite, Debbie Yenter

November: Melissa Knox, Carla Peterson, Charlie Grande

Please contact Pastor Jon (262)808-7974 if you or a loved one is in the hospital, celebrating a milestone, or would just like a visit..

SISTERS IN CHRIST: Bible Study Tuesday's @ 9:30 a.m.

PRAYER SHAWLS created by Sisters in Christ, are located in the narthex. Please help yourself to as many as you need throughout the year. These shawls are to be given to someone in need of a warm hug, care, and prayers. It is our hope that these shawls will help spread love, compassion, and prayers from St. Andrew to those suffering and in need of God's love.

KEWASKUM FOOD PANTRY Currently are in need of the following "NON-EXPIRED" and NON-PERISHABLE FOODS. All chunky soups, tomato soup, cream of chicken & Cream of mushroom soup. Monetary donations can be mailed to: K.C. Pantry P.O. Box 502, Kewaskum, WI 53040

HARVEST DINNER

Come and join in the fellowship on October 20th at 4:00. Great time to invite your family and friends to join us for the dinner. Check the board to sign up! "He who supplies seed to the Sower and bread for the food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness 2 Corinthians 9:10

PRAYER VIGIL

On Monday, November 4th, a prayer vigil is being planned. As of now, the time will be from 3:00 to 7:30. It is not a service, but time to come to spend time with the Lord and pray for the election, family, health, church, etc., it is between you and the Lord. Come when you can and stay as long as you want. Watch for more information in the Sunday Bulletin.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Shoeboxes will be ready for filling on Sunday, October 20th. Take a shoebox with you and fill it with school supplies, toys, bar soap, toothbrush, washcloth and towel, comb or brush, small doll or stuffed animal, and any other items that a child would appreciate. Also include a personal note and photo. Do Not Include: toothpaste, lotion, liquids, nail polish, candy, food, war-related items, glass items. Return all shoeboxes by Sunday, November 17th.

WEEDERS & FEEDERS: November 3 at 1:00 p.m. There will be a Canning Class held at St. Andrew Lutheran Church