

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 23 & 26, 2021



St. John's Ev. Lutheran Church

Juneau

Salem-Lowell

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THE COMMON SERVICE

HYMN 749

“The Love of Christ, Who Died for Me”

*Congregation
sings verses 1-2*



1 The love of Christ, who died for me Is
2 My sins I on - ly see in part, My
3 O liv - ing Lord of life, for whom The



more than mind can know, His
self - re - gard - ing ways; The
heav - ens held their breath, To



mer - cy mea - sure - less and free To
se - cret pla - ces of my heart Lie
see, tri - um - phant from the tomb, A



meet the debt I owe. He
bare be - fore his gaze. For
love that con - quers death, Pos -



came my sin - ful cause to plead; He
me the price of sin he paid; My
sess my heart that it may be Your



laid his glo - ries by, For
sins be - yond re - call Are
king - dom with - out end, O



me a home - less life to lead, A
all a - like on Je - sus laid, He
Christ who died for love of me And



shame - ful death to die.
died to bear them all.
lives to be my friend.

STAND

CALL TO WORSHIP & CONFESSION

from Ephesians 2

Every time we come into God's presence to worship him, we marvel at his love for us.

We marvel at his love because we were once dead in our sins—before we knew Jesus Christ.

But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ—

God has brought us into a new life, a new relationship with God.

He did it by bringing us to faith in Jesus, a gift of God's grace beyond imagination.

So we live godly lives not to gain heaven, but because heaven is already ours through faith in Jesus.

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But, if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. *1 John 1:8-9*

For the wrong we have done, and all the good we have failed to do; for angry deeds, for hurtful words, for uncharitable thoughts; for self-centered living, and for failing to walk with humility and gentleness; for longing to have what is not ours, and for failing to give thanks for what is ours; for those sins we do not even remember committing: Holy and gracious Lord God, have mercy on us.

God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven.

Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

Amen.

In that peace of forgiveness, let us live to praise the Lord!

HYMN 749 v. 3

“The Love of Christ, Who Died for Me”

Printed on the previous page. Please sing the 3rd verse.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you.

And also with you. (*spoken*)

Let us pray.

Lord God, you call us to work in your kingdom and leave no one standing idle. Help us to order our lives by your wisdom and to serve you in willing obedience; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

BE SEATED

FIRST LESSON

Numbers 12:1-15 EHV

Miriam and Aaron spoke against Moses because of the Cushite woman he had married (for he had married a Cushite woman).² They said, “Has the LORD really spoken only through Moses? Hasn’t he also spoken through us?” The LORD heard this.

³ (Now the man Moses was very humble, more humble (*f.n. more afflicted*) than anyone else on the face of the earth.)

⁴ Right then the LORD spoke suddenly to Moses, Aaron, and Miriam, “You three come out to the Tent of Meeting!”

The three of them came out.⁵ The LORD came down in a pillar of cloud and stood at the entrance to the tent. He called Aaron and Miriam, and they both came forward.⁶ He said, “Now listen to my words: If there is a prophet among you, I, the LORD, will make myself known to him in a vision. In a dream I will speak with him.⁷ Not so, however, with my servant Moses. He is faithful in my whole household.⁸ With him I speak face-to-face, clearly, and not in riddles. He sees the form of the LORD. Why then were you not afraid to speak against my servant, against Moses?”⁹ The LORD’s anger burned against them, and he left.

¹⁰ The cloud went up from above the tent, and immediately Miriam was leprous, as white as snow. Aaron turned to Miriam and saw that she was leprous.

¹¹ Aaron said to Moses, “My lord, please do not hold this sin against us. We have acted foolishly. We have sinned.¹² Please do not let her be like a stillborn infant that comes out of its mother’s womb with its flesh half-eaten away.”

¹³ Moses cried out to the LORD, “God, please heal her, please!”

¹⁴ The LORD said to Moses, “If her father had merely spit in her face, would she not be disgraced for seven days? Have her confined outside of the camp for seven days, and after that she can be brought back in.”

¹⁵ Miriam was confined outside of the camp for seven days, and the people did not set out until Miriam was brought back in.

SPECIAL SONG 8:00 AM Grades 3-4 “Jesus, Shepherd of the Sheep”

SECOND LESSON

James 3:13-18 EHV

¹³ Who among you is wise and intelligent? Let him by his good way of living show that he does things in wise humility. ¹⁴ But if you have bitter envy and selfish ambition in your heart, do not boast and lie, contrary to the truth. ¹⁵ This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, but it is worldly, unspiritual, and demonic. ¹⁶ In fact, where there is envy and selfish ambition, there will also be disorder and every bad practice. ¹⁷ But the wisdom that comes from above is first pure, then also peaceful, gentle, reasonable, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial, and sincere. ¹⁸ And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who practice peace.

VERSE OF THE DAY

2 Corinthians 12:9 RSV

Alleluia. My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness. Alleluia.

STAND

GOSPEL

Mark 9:30-37 EHV

³⁰ They went on from there and passed through Galilee. He did not want anyone to know this, ³¹ because he was teaching his disciples. He told them, “The Son of Man is going to be betrayed into the hands of men, and they will kill him. But three days after he is killed, he will rise.”

³² But they did not understand the statement and were afraid to ask him about it.

³³ They came to Capernaum. When he was in the house, he asked them, “What were you arguing about on the way?” ³⁴ But they remained silent, because on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. ³⁵ Jesus sat down, called the Twelve, and said to them, “If anyone wants to be first, he will be the last of all and the servant of all.” ³⁶ Then he took a little child and placed him in their midst. Taking the child in his arms, he said to them, ³⁷ “Whoever welcomes one of these little children in my name welcomes me. And whoever welcomes me, welcomes not just me but also him who sent me.”

The Gospel of our Lord.

Praise be to you, O Christ! *(spoken)*

BE SEATED

HYMN OF THE DAY 385

“Chief of Sinners Though I Be”

6:30 Service - our 1st-2nd Grade will sing the Hymn of the Day

Congregation will sing the Hymn of the Day in the remaining services.

Kneel Down to Be Great in God's Kingdom

STAND

NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary, and became fully human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate. He suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who in unity with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

BE SEATED

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH & 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.

STAND

OFFERING HYMN 484 vv1-2

1 Brothers, sisters, let us gladly
Give to God our all, our best—
Service hearty, thorough, honest,
With a living love impressed.
All our duty, all our striving,
All our time to him belong;
Praise him, then, with true devotion;
Come before him with a song.

“Brothers, Sisters, Let Us Gladly”
2 By his mercy, by his bounty,
By the gift of Christ, his Son,
What great goodness he has shown us,
What high marvels he has done!
Let us to him promptly, freely,
Yield our bodies and our souls,
Thankful that his love protects us,
That his wisdom all controls.

PREFACE

The Lord be with you.
And also with you. (*spoken*)

Lift up your hearts.
We lift them up unto the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.
It is good and right so to do.

It is truly good and right that we should at all times and in all places give you thanks, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who promised that wherever two or three come together in his name, there he is with them to shepherd his flock till he comes again in glory. Therefore, with all the saints on earth and hosts of heaven, we praise your holy name and join their glorious song:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



C: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of heav - en - ly hosts:
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san -
na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.
Bless - ed is he, bless - ed is he, bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san -
na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night he was betrayed, took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Then he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Amen.

O CHRIST, LAMB OF GOD



C: O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world;



have mer - cy on us. O Christ, Lamb of God,



you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.



O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world;



grant us your peace. A - men.

BE SEATED

DISTRIBUTION

Holy Communion expresses our oneness in faith and confession. To commune with us is the same as declaring, "I believe everything this church teaches." Before communing together, we need to study God's Word together to ensure that we are united in belief and confession. Therefore, we respectfully ask other Christians to receive instruction before communing with us. We welcome to the Lord's Table those who confess unity in faith with us by their membership in another congregation of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod (WELS). If you have any questions about our practice, please speak to one of the pastors after the service.

HYMN 100

"A Lamb Goes Uncomplaining Forth"

STAND

O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good.
And his mercy endures forever. *(spoken)*

O God the Father, source of all goodness, in your loving kindness you sent your Son to share our humanity. We thank you that through him you have given us pardon and peace in this sacrament. We also pray that you will not forsake us but will rule our hearts and minds by your Holy Spirit so that we willingly serve you day after day, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

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.

Amen.

BE SEATED

HYMN 484 v3

"Brothers, Sisters, Let Us Gladly"

**3 Gracious Lord, accept our service
For the sake of Christ, your Son;
Lo, our hope abides now only
In the righteousness he won.
Bless and save us; help and guide us;
Watch to comfort and restore
Till in heav'n we rest rejoicing,
Praising you forevermore.**

Preacher: Joel Luetke

Liturgist: David Brandt / Tommy Welch

Organist: Becky Schultz / Ruth Affeld

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Check-in Phone Calls:

We are a large congregation which comes with many blessings. One of the downsides, though, of a large congregation is that it can be easy to lose touch with each other. That has been especially difficult over the last two years. So over the next few months our Elders are going to call our members to check in with you and see how you are doing. Please welcome those phone calls and see them for what they are - your church family caring about you. It will give our elders a chance to see how you are doing and for you to ask how they are doing and ask any questions you might have about things going on at church. If we don't have your phone number or you have recently changed phone numbers (or email or physical address), we would ask that you let the church office know so we can have the most accurate information. (As a church, we do not sell or distribute any of your personal information to other organizations.)

School Book Fair: The St. John's School Book Fair will be open between services this Sunday, September 26th from 9:15-10:15am at our school.

Pastor Schupmann's call: Pastor Schupmann received a divine call to serve at a dual parish in Indian River and Gaylord, Michigan. Please keep the Schupmanns in your prayers as they deliberate where best to serve our Savior whether at Hope Lutheran Church and Our Savior Lutheran Church in Michigan or to remain here at St. John's.

Offerings given to our Lord (weekend of September 12th)	
General	\$15,032.52
Improvement	\$295.00
Lakeside	\$184.95
Missions	\$740.90
Total	\$16,253.37

Volunteers:

Greeters (9/23-9/26)

6:30 PM

Hirschfeld Family

8:00 AM

Bonnie Sell and Ockerlander Family

10:30 AM

Delores Gentz, Russ & Barb Ridge

Communion Assistants

6:30 PM

Pastors and Paul Schmidt

8:00 AM

Dave Gerbitz, Chuck Wolfram,

Matt Lober, Luke Hirschfeld

9:30 AM

Pastors and Don Gibson

10:30 AM

Randy Mohr, Russ Ridge,

Marty Weinheimer, Jim Publitz

Ushers (9/23-9/26)

6:30 PM

Bob Gerbitz and Ken Wolfram

8:00 AM

Bob Rist, Bob Sell, Steve Weinheimer,

Tony Colantonio

9:30 AM

Harold Lenz, William Borth

10:30 AM

Keith Weinheimer, Andy Gentz,

Eugene Gentz, Marty Weinheimer

Lawn Mowing Team 4

Week of September 27th:

Jim Publitz and Ryan Kummerow

This Week at St. John's

Sunday (9/26)

8:00 AM

Worship @ Juneau

8:15 AM

Bible Class @ Lowell

8:30 AM

Sunday School @ Lowell

9:15 AM

Sunday School @ Juneau

9:30 AM

Bible Class @ Juneau

9:30 AM

Worship @ Lowell

10:30 AM

Worship @ Juneau

Monday (9/27)

6:30 PM

Readings Bible Study @ Lowell

Tuesday (9/28)

6:30 PM

Old Testament Bible Study @ Juneau

Wednesday (9/29)

9:00 AM

Ladies Bible Study @ Juneau

5:00 PM

Catechism @ Juneau

7:00 PM

Adult Choir @ Juneau

Thursday (9/30)

6:30 PM

Worship @ Juneau

Saturday (10/2)

5:00 PM

Worship @ Horicon

Sunday (10/3)

8:00 AM

Worship @ Juneau

8:15 AM

Bible Class @ Lowell

8:30 AM

Sunday School @ Lowell

9:15 AM

Sunday School @ Juneau

9:30 AM

Bible Class @ Juneau

9:30 AM

Worship @ Lowell

10:30 AM

Worship @ Juneau

11:30 AM

Elders @ Juneau

Welcome to St. John's

WELCOME

We are so glad you joined us to worship our Lord Jesus today! St. John's is a member of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod (WELS). We are happy to answer your questions about our service, our beliefs, or communicant membership at any of our campuses. Please join us again soon!

PERSONAL PRAYER AFTER WORSHIP

Good Shepherd, I was glad to be here, gathered with your flock to worship you. Cause the Word I have heard to take root in my heart and bear fruit in my life. Guide me in paths of righteousness, that my words and actions might lead others to glorify you. Amen.

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Worship Services

(same service at all locations)

Thursday

6:30pm Juneau

Saturday

5:00pm Horicon

Sunday

8:00am Juneau

9:30am Lowell

10:30am Juneau

Bible Classes

Sunday

Juneau Campus

9:30-10:15

Salem-Lowell Campus

8:15-9:00 AM

Monday

Salem-Lowell Campus

6:30 PM

Tuesday (2nd, 4th, 5th)

Juneau Campus

6:30 PM

Wednesday

Juneau Campus

9:00 AM (Ladies Bible Study)

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