



*My  
Confirmation*



Abiding Savior Lutheran Church  
Gainesville, Florida  
*Second Sunday after Pentecost*  
June 2, 2024

# Information & Announcements

**Pastor Glover's Class** *meets in the fellowship hall after breakfast. All are welcome to attend this study of the book of Revelation.*

**Girlfriends Bible Study** *All ladies are invited to this Bible study which meets in the building 3 library at 9:45 a.m. We are currently studying Proverbs.*

**Study the Bible One Book at a Time** *This group meets in the building 1 classroom. We continue the study of the book of John.*

**Parents & Tots Sunday School** *is taking a break until July 14.*

**Combined Services Coming Up!** Join us at 10:45 a.m. next week and on July 7 as the entire Abiding Savior Family Worshipers together.

- June 9: A voter's meeting to elect new Church Council members and vote on the 2024-2025 FY budget begins at 12:15 p.m.. A luncheon will be provided immediately following the combined service.
- July 7: A combined service will be followed by an Independence Day celebratory barbecue (Danny will man the grill) and potluck. Just bring your favorite side dish or dessert; a sign-up sheet will be available in the narthex on the welcome table.

**Church Council Nominations:** At next week's voters' meeting, four Church Council positions will be elected. The candidates to date are: President-Phyllis Leone; Secretary-Sarah Sain; and Congregational Fellowship-Rhoda Chiarelli. The Nominating Committee (Jan Banks, Mike Brannon, Paul Moore, and Daryl Pring) are still seeking a candidate for the position of Christian Education. If you are interested in serving or know of someone you would like to nominate, please contact Pastor or any member of the Nominating Committee.

**Church Family Game Night:** Do you like board games, card games, snack food and friends? If so, join us for multi-generational on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall. Water, lemonade, and popcorn will be provided. You are also welcome to bring your favorite snack items to share.

**New Member Class begins today:** New to Abiding Savior? Pastor Glover will hold new member classes today, and on June 23 and June 30 from 12:30-1:30 p.m. Lunch will be provided. If you are interested in attending these three classes, contact Pastor Glover at [Pastorg@abidingsavior.info](mailto:Pastorg@abidingsavior.info) or call the church office.

**Summer Bible Breakfast:** During the summer months, hot breakfast is discontinued and replaced with a continental style breakfast with items like fruit, donuts and sandwiches. As always, donations and clean-up help are appreciated.

**Volunteers Needed:** If you like to paint (walls), please let John Schmitt or Susan Moss know. We are assembling a work crew to freshen the building 2 classrooms with new paint during the month of June.

**School Security** upgrades and procedures have been implemented this year. To further safeguard the children in our care, we ask church members who wish to access Building 3 before 5 p.m. on weekdays to check in at the preschool office for a visitor tag.

**Youth:** All middle school and high school youth are invited to meet on Sundays from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. for Bible study, fellowship, and fun. Dinner is included! Contact Danny Schmitt at [Youth@abidingsavior.info](mailto:Youth@abidingsavior.info) or by phone at (352) 514-2371 to learn more.

## Communion Statement

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as he says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but his very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with him and with one another. Our Lord invites to his table those who trust his words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as he forgives and loves us, that they may show forth his death until he comes.

Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, are asked first to speak with the pastor or an elder.

# + Second Sunday after Pentecost +

## Prelude

## Welcome & Announcements

*Stand*

## Opening Hymn: 849 Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness

*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

## Invocation

*Matthew 28:19b; 18:20*

**P** In the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

# + Confession and Absolution +

## Exhortation

*Hebrews 10:22; Psalm 124:8; Psalm 32:5*

**P** 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.

**P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,

**C** **who made heaven and earth.**

**P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

**C** **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

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

## Confession of Sins

**P** O almighty God, merciful Father,

**C** **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

## Absolution

*[John 20:19–23]*

**P** Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

# + Service of the Word +

## Introit

*Psalm 62:5–8; antiphon: v. 1*

For God alone my soul waits in | silence;\*  
from him comes my sal- | vation.

For God alone, O my soul, wait in | silence,\*  
for my hope is | from him.

He only is my rock and my salvation, my | fortress;\*  
I shall not be | shaken.

On God rests my salvation and my | glory;\*  
my mighty rock, my refuge | is God.

Trust in him at all times, O people; pour out your heart be- | fore him;\*  
God is a refuge | for us.

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\*  
and to the Holy | Spirit;**

**as it was in the be- | ginning,\*  
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

For God alone my soul waits in | silence;\*  
from him comes my sal- | vation.

## Kyrie

*Mark 10:47*



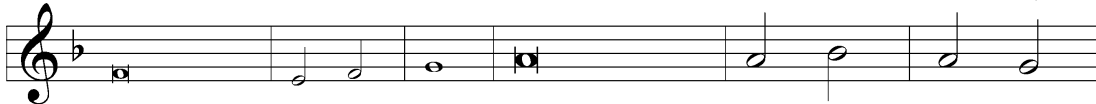
**C** Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

## Gloria in Excelsis

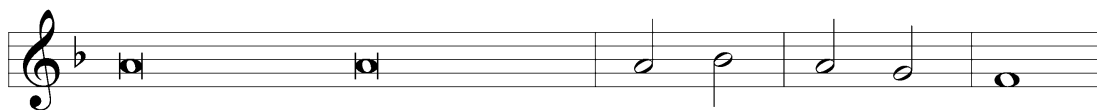
*Luke 2:14; John 1:29*



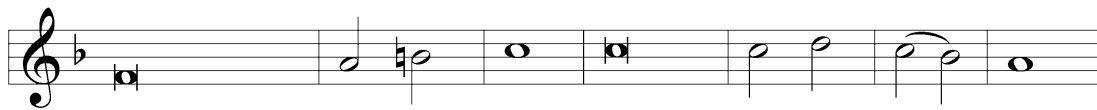
**P** Glory be to God on high: **C** and on earth peace, good - will toward



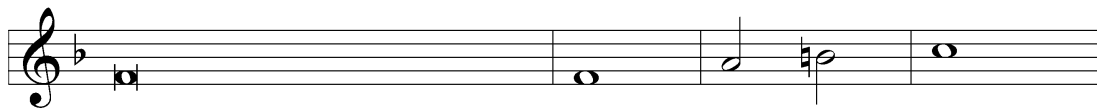
men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



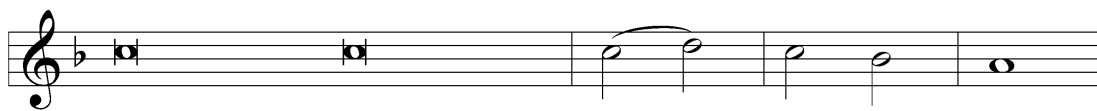
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.



O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.



O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;



O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,



that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.



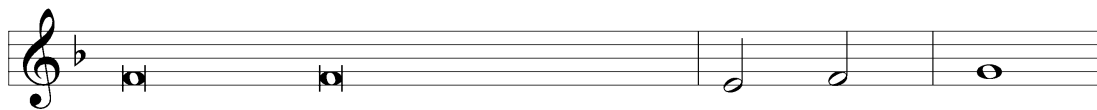
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.



Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-



on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.

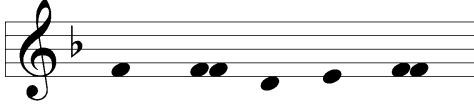


Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,



art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

### Salutation and Collect of the Day



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.



**P** Let us pray.

**P** Eternal God, Your Son Jesus Christ is our true Sabbath rest. Help us to keep each day holy by receiving His Word of comfort that we may find our rest in Him, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



**C** A - men.

*Sit*

### Old Testament Reading

*Deuteronomy 5:12-15*

<sup>12</sup>“Observe the Sabbath day, to keep it holy, as the LORD your God commanded you. <sup>13</sup>Six days you shall labor and do all your work, <sup>14</sup>but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you or your son or your daughter or your male servant or your female servant, or your ox or your donkey or any of your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates, that your male servant and your female servant may rest as well as you. <sup>15</sup>You shall remember that you were a slave in the land of Egypt, and the LORD your God brought you out from there with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm. Therefore the LORD your God commanded you to keep the Sabbath day.”

**A** This is the Word of the Lord. **C** Thanks be to God.

## Gradual

*Psalm 145:3, 5b, 6b*

Great is the LORD, and greatly | to be praised,\*  
and his greatness is un- | searchable.  
On your wondrous works, I will | meditate,\*  
and I will declare your | greatness.

## Epistle

*2 Corinthians 4:5–12*

<sup>5</sup>What we proclaim is not ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, with ourselves as your servants for Jesus' sake. <sup>6</sup>For God, who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

<sup>7</sup>But we have this treasure in jars of clay, to show that the surpassing power belongs to God and not to us. <sup>8</sup>We are afflicted in every way, but not crushed; perplexed, but not driven to despair; <sup>9</sup>persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed; <sup>10</sup>always carrying in the body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be manifested in our bodies. <sup>11</sup>For we who live are always being given over to death for Jesus' sake, so that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our mortal flesh. <sup>12</sup>So death is at work in us, but life in you.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord. **C** Thanks be to God.

*Stand*

## Alleluia



**C** Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

## Holy Gospel

*Mark 2:23–3:6*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the second chapter.



**C** Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

<sup>23</sup>One Sabbath [Jesus] was going through the grainfields, and as they made their way, his disciples began to pluck heads of grain. <sup>24</sup>And the Pharisees were saying to him, "Look, why are they doing what is not lawful on the Sabbath?" <sup>25</sup>And he said to them, "Have you never read what David did, when he was in need and was hungry, he and those who were with him: <sup>26</sup>how he entered the house of God, in the time of Abiathar the high priest, and ate the bread of the Presence, which it is not lawful for any but the priests to eat, and also gave it to those who were with him?" <sup>27</sup>And



he said to them, “The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath. <sup>28</sup>So the Son of Man is lord even of the Sabbath.”

<sup>1</sup>Again he entered the synagogue, and a man was there with a withered hand. <sup>2</sup>And they watched Jesus, to see whether he would heal him on the Sabbath, so that they might accuse him. <sup>3</sup>And he said to the man with the withered hand, “Come here.” <sup>4</sup>And he said to them, “Is it lawful on the Sabbath to do good or to do harm, to save life or to kill?” But they were silent. <sup>5</sup>And he looked around at them with anger, grieved at their hardness of heart, and said to the man, “Stretch out your hand.” He stretched it out, and his hand was restored. <sup>6</sup>The Pharisees went out and immediately held counsel with the Herodians against him, how to destroy him.

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



**C** Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

## Nicene Creed

**C** I believe in one God,  
the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth  
and of all things visible and invisible.  
And in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the only-begotten Son of God,  
begotten of His Father before all worlds,  
God of God, Light of Light,  
very God of very God,  
begotten, not made,  
being of one substance with the Father,  
by whom all things were made;  
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven  
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary  
and was made man;  
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.  
He suffered and was buried.  
And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures  
and ascended into heaven  
and sits at the right hand of the Father.  
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead,  
whose kingdom will have no end.  
And I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord and giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,  
who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,  
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,  
and I look for the resurrection of the dead  
and the life  $\dagger$  of the world to come. Amen.

*Sit*

## Hymn of the Day: 906 O Day of Rest and Gladness

Sermon

Gathering of Offerings & Prayer Requests

Voluntary

Rite of Confirmation

*Wyatt Crawford, Liam Hernandez, Grady Spooner, Natalie Townsend*

(8:00 a.m.)

*Stand*

Prayer of the Church

Offertory

*Psalm 51:10–12*

Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -  
way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it  
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -

tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir-it. A - men.

## + Service of the Sacrament +

### Preface

*2 Timothy 4:22; [Colossians 3:1]; [Psalm 136]*

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And with thy spir - it.

**P** Lift up your hearts.

**C** We lift them up un - to the Lord.

**P** Let us give thanks un - to the Lord, our God.

**C** It is meet and right so to do.

### Proper Preface

**P** It is truly meet, right, and salutary . . . evermore praising You and saying:

## Sanctus

*Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9*



**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;



heav'n and earth are full of Thy 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 that com-eth in the name of the Lord.



Ho-san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

## Lord's Prayer

*Matthew 6:9-13*

**P** Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

**C** 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.

## The Words of Our Lord

*Mark 14:22–24; Luke 22:19–20; 1 Corinthians 11:23–25*

**P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: “Take, eat; this is My  $\text{✠}$  body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.”

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: “Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My  $\text{✠}$  blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

## Pax Domini

*John 20:19*



**P** The peace of the Lord be with you al - ways.



**C** A - men.

## Agnus Dei

*John 1:29*



O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the



world, have mer - cy up - on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that



tak - est a-way the sin of the world, have mer - cy up - on us.



O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the

world, grant us Thy peace. A - men.

*Sit*

**Distribution**

**The Dismissal**

**P** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart ✠ in peace.

**C** Amen.

*Stand*

**Nunc Dimittis**

*Luke 2:29–32*

**C** Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac-

cord - ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,

which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,

a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy

peo - ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry be to the Father and

to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,  
is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

### Thanksgiving

*Psalm 107:1*

**A** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,  
**C** and His mercy endureth for - ev - er.

### Post-Communion Collect

**A** Let us pray. We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; 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.

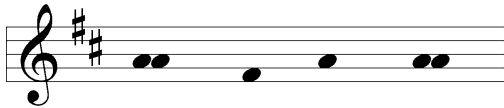
### Salutation

*2 Timothy 4:22*

**P** The Lord be with you.  
**C** And with thy spir - it.

## Benedicamus

*Psalm 103:1*



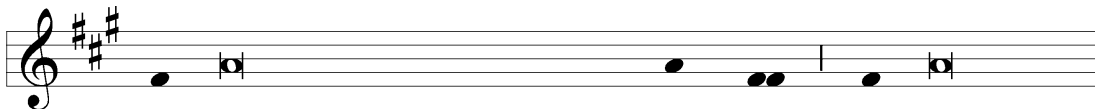
**A** Bless we the Lord.



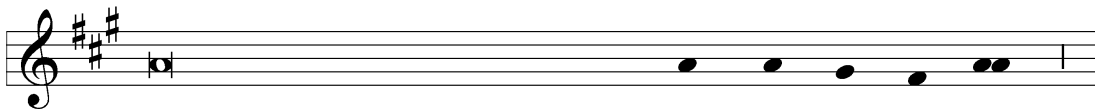
**C** Thanks be to God.

## Benediction

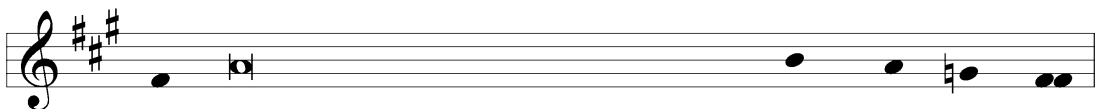
*Numbers 6:24–26*



**P** The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make



His face shine upon you and be gra - cious un - to you.



The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and † give you peace.



**C** A-men, a-men, a - men.

## Hymn to Depart: 853 How Clear Is Our Vocation, Lord

## Postlude







VBS 2024  
**JULY 8-11**  
5:15PM-8:15PM  
REGISTER AT:  
**ABIDINGSAVIOR.INFO**

SCUBA  
diving into friendship with God

QR code

Octopus character

The graphic features a vibrant underwater scene with a blue background, coral reefs, and various sea creatures. The word 'SCUBA' is rendered in large, colorful, bubbly letters. A white shark with a smiling face is on the left, and a pink octopus wearing a scuba mask is on the right. A small white cat-like character is perched on the 'S' of 'SCUBA'. The text 'diving into friendship with God' is written in a white, cursive font across the middle of the 'SCUBA' letters. The event details are listed in the top right, and a QR code is positioned in the bottom right.

# Abiding Savior Lutheran Church

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**Rev. Graham B. Gloyer, Senior Pastor**

**Mr. Joshua L. Mazur- Director of Music Ministry**

## **Serving today**

8:00 a.m.

10:45 a.m.

## **Elders**

Derek Sain

Scott Mooney

## **Readers**

Pete Schmitt

Ralph Toppins

## **Last Week**

### **Attendance**

8:00 a.m. 58

10:45 a.m. 48

Total: 106

### **Offerings**

Total: \$2,820

Building Fund: \$20

## **Fiscal Year-to-Date**

**(7/1/23-5/26/24)**

Avg. weekly attendance: 135

Total offering: \$343,318

Avg. weekly offering: \$7,152

Total Building fund: \$10,770

## **Next Week's Readings June 9**

*Third Sunday after Pentecost*

First Reading: Genesis 3: 8-15

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

Gospel: Mark 3:20-35

## **Birthdays**

Violet Powell 6/3

Marlene Swett 6/3

Raine Dauer 6/4

Daryl Pring 6/6

Betty Smith 6/6

Jimmy Flateau 6/7

## **Abiding Savior's Online Giving Experience has Changed!**

There are two ways to use this new giving platform:

1. Go to the giving tab on the church website
2. or use the QR code below found below



Contact Danny or Susan for assistance if needed.