FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH BROOKINGS

November 1, 2026
8:30am



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Welcome to worship at First Lutheran! We're glad you're here!
As we encounter God's Word and respond with prayer and praise,
may this time be for you a holy time of grace, inspiration, and renewal.
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PRELUDE

WELCOME

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.
God of all mercy and consolation…our Savior and Lord.
Amen.

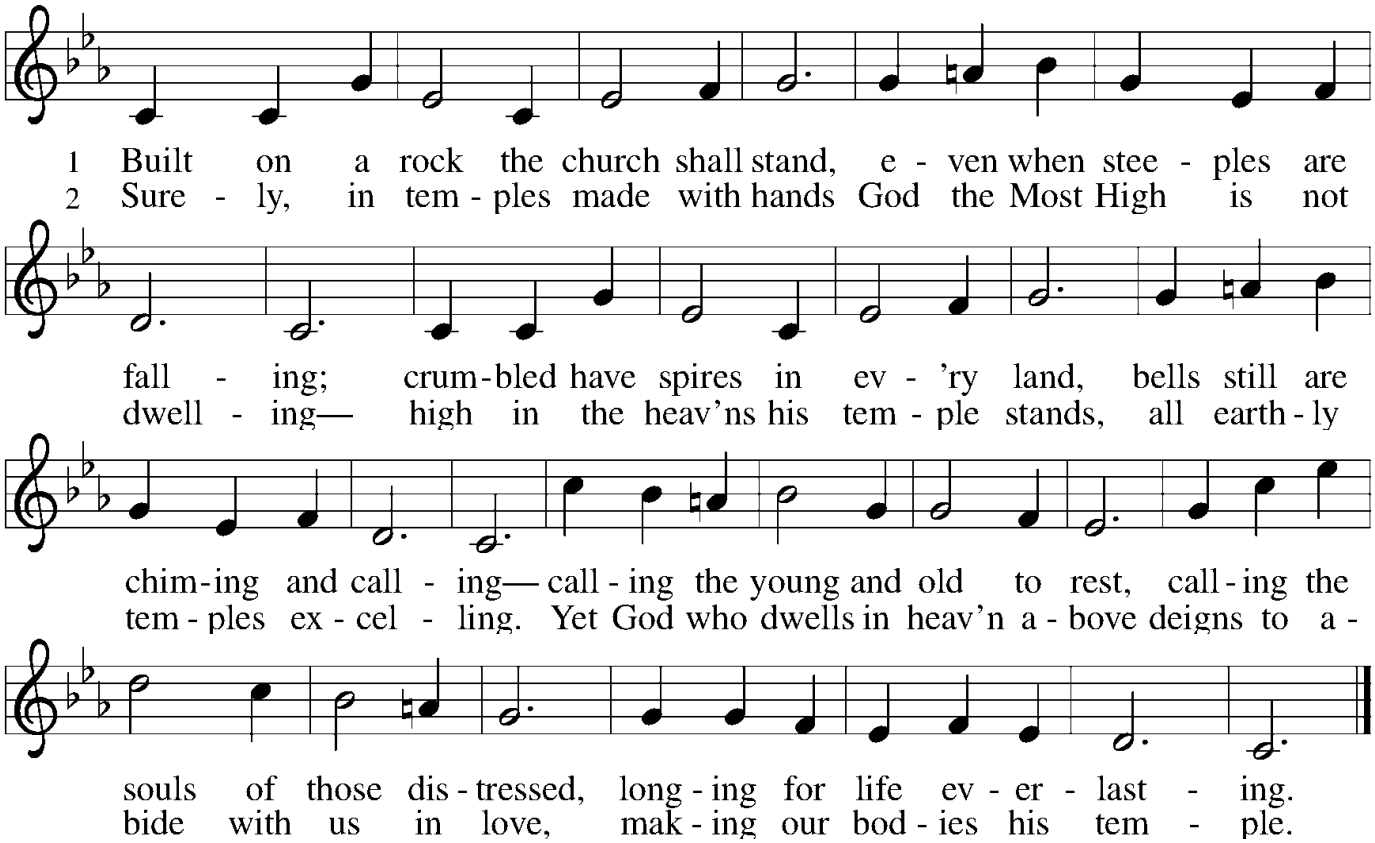
Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Most merciful God,
we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves.
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.
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.

In the mercy of almighty God…and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

GATHERING SONG

Built on a Rock ELW 652 v. 1&2



Text: Nikolai F. S. Grundtvig, 1783–1872; tr. Carl Doving, 1867–1937, adapt.
Music: KIRKEN DEN ER ET GAMMEL HUS, Ludvig M. Lindeman, 1812–1887
Text © 1958 *Service Book and Hymnal*, admin. Augsburg Fortress

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

CANTICLE OF PRAISE



PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray...

Amen.

READING Revelation 7:9-17 NT pg 196

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

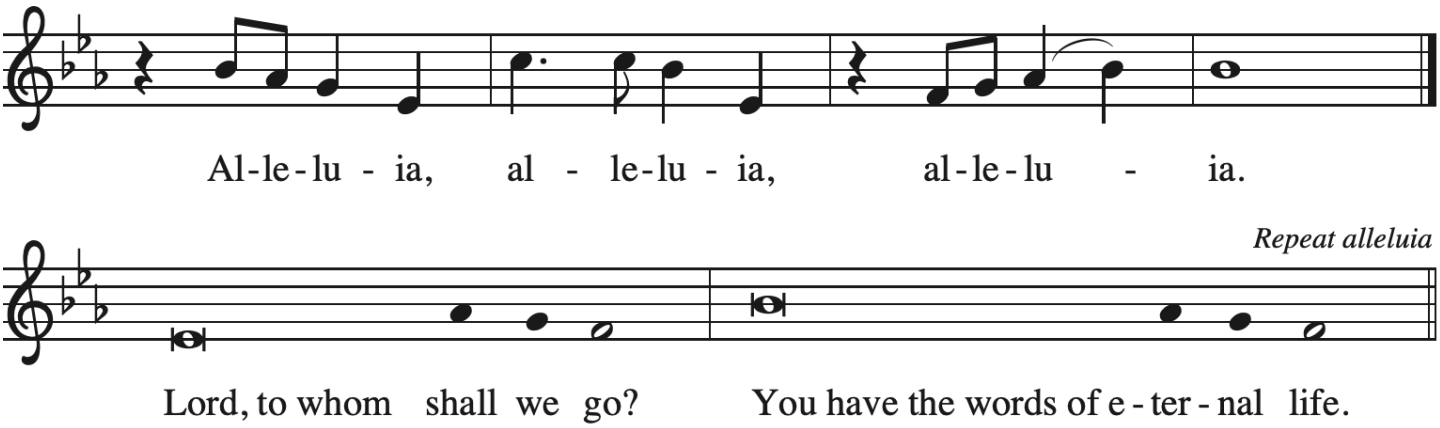
PSALM 34:1-10, 22

1 I will bless the Lord at all times;
the praise of God shall ever be in my mouth.
2 I will glory in the Lord;
let the lowly hear and rejoice.
3 Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord;
let us exalt God's name together.
4 I sought the Lord, who answered me
and delivered me from all my terrors.
5 Look upon the Lord and be radiant,
and let not your faces be ashamed.
6 I called in my affliction, and the Lord heard me
and saved me from all my troubles.
7 The angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear the Lord
and delivers them.
8 Taste and see that the Lord is good;
happy are they who take refuge in God!
9 Fear the Lord, you saints of the Lord,
for those who fear the Lord lack nothing.
10 The lions are in want and suffer hunger,
but those who seek the Lord lack nothing that is good.
22 O Lord, you redeem the life of your servants,
and those who put their trust in you will not be punished.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Congregation sings Alleluias, Cantor sings Verse



GOSPEL Matthew 5:1-12

NT pg 3

The holy gospel according to Matthew.

Glory to you, O Lord.

(The gospel is read)

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

SONG OF THE DAY

For All the Saints ELW 422



Text: William W. How, 1823–1897
Music: SINE NOMINE, Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872–1958
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APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.
Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

...God, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.
...in the name of Jesus, your beloved.
Amen.

PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.
And also with you.

OFFERING *Pie Jesu From Requiem* *Andrew Lloyd Webber*

Sanctuary Choir

April Mendiola and Paige Schmidt, Soloists

"Merciful Jesus, who takes away the sins of the world, grant them rest.
O Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, grant them everlasting rest."

OFFERTORY

Built on a Rock ELW 652 v.5

Through all the passing years, O Lord,
grant that, when church bells are ringing,
many may come to hear your Word,
who here this promise is bringing:
"I know my own, my own know me;
you, not the world, my face shall see;
my peace I leave with you. Amen."

COMMUNION

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right…and join their unending hymn:



WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

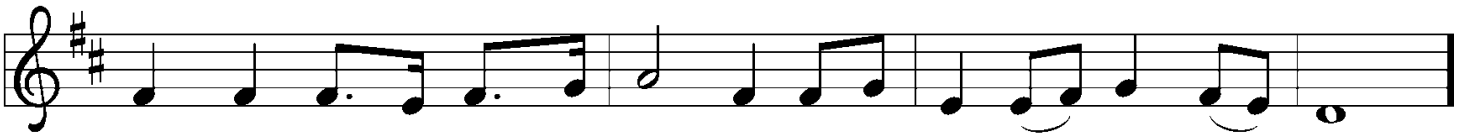
Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the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

DISTRIBUTION AND SONGS

Shall We Gather at the River ELW 423

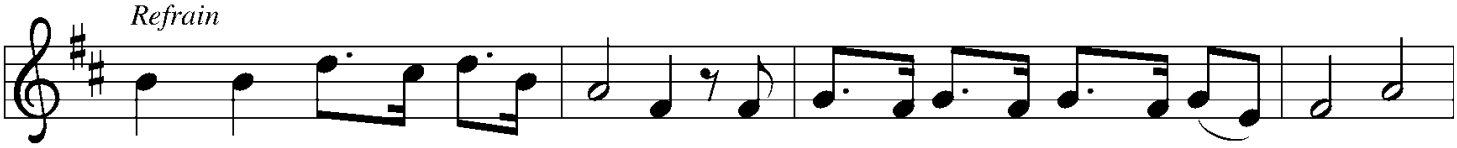


1 Shall we gath - er at the riv - er, where bright an - gel feet have trod,
2 On the mar - gin of the riv - er, wash - ing up its sil - ver spray,
3 Ere we reach the shin-ing riv - er, lay we ev - 'ry bur - den down;
4 Soon we'll reach the shin-ing riv - er, soon our pil-grim-age will cease;



with its crys - tal tide for - ev - er flow-ing by the throne of God?
we will walk and wor - ship ev - er, all the hap - py gold - en day.
grace our spir - its will de - liv - er, and pro-vide a robe and crown.
soon our hap - py hearts will quiv - er with the mel - o - dy of peace.

Refrain



Yes, we'll gath - er at the riv - er, the beau - ti-ful, the beau - ti - ful riv - er;



gath - er with the saints at the riv - er that flows by the throne of God.

Text: Robert Lowry, 1826–1899
Music: HANSON PLACE, Robert Lowry

Jerusalem, My Happy Home ELW 628



1 Je - ru - sa - lem, my hap - py home, when shall I come to thee?
2 O hap - py har - bor of the saints, O sweet and pleas - ant soil!
3 Thy gar - dens and thy gal - lant walks con - tin - ual - ly are green;
4 There trees for - ev - er - more bear fruit and ev - er - more do spring;
5 Je - ru - sa - lem, Je - ru - sa - lem, God grant that I may see



When shall my sor - rows have an end? Thy joys when shall I see?
In thee no sor - row may be found, no grief, no care, no toil.
there grow such sweet and pleas - ant flow'rs as no - where else are seen.
there ev - er - more the an - gels sit and ev - er - more do sing.
thine end - less joy, and of the same par - tak - er ev - er be!

Text: F. B. P., 16th cent.
Music: LAND OF REST, North American traditional

ANNOUNCEMENTS

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

BLESSING

...Amen.

SENDING SONG

By All Your Saints ELW 421



Text: Horatio Bolton Nelson, 1823–1913, alt.
Music: KUORTANE, Finnish folk tune

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

Serving in Worship Today

Pastor Jess Daum and Pastor Trey Daum
Randy Richards, Reader
Mary Ermel, Organist
April Mendiola, Cantor
April Mendiola, Sanctuary Choir Director

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