

# WELCOME TO HOLY CROSS

## Worship Outline - Traditional Worship 9am

*Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer... LSB 918*  
Confession and Absolution  
Introit / Kyrie  
*Gloria in Excelsis... LSB 187*  
Salutation and Collect of the Day  
Old Testament Reading... *Deuteronomy 30:15-20*  
Epistle Reading... *Philemon 1-12*  
Holy Gospel Reading... *Luke 14:25-33*  
Nicene Creed  
*May We Thy Precepts, Lord, Fulfill... LSB 698*  
Sermon  
Offering / Offertory... *LSB 192*  
*Preface / Sanctus / The Lord's Prayer*  
*The Words of Our Lord / Pax Domini / Agnus Dei*  
Distribution  
*Nunc Dimittis / Thanksgiving*  
Salutation and Benedicamus  
*Oh, That the Lord Would Guide My Ways... LSB 707*

## Worship Outline - Contemporary Worship 11:15am

Opening Prayer  
Creed  
*Open the Eyes Of My Heart*  
Invitation  
*You Are My All In All*  
Confession  
*Your Grace Finds Me*  
Absolution  
Communion  
Old Testament Reading... *Deuteronomy 30:15-20*  
Epistle Reading... *Philemon 1-12*  
Holy Gospel Reading... *Luke 14:25-33*  
Message  
Offering  
Prayers / The Lord's Prayer  
Blessing  
*Do It Again*

At times, it is customary for the congregation to stand during the service.  
If you are unable to stand, please feel free to remain seated.



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## FALL IN THE LECTIONARY

September 4, 2022

# THE MESSAGE

## SERMON TEXT

Luke 14:25-33

<sup>25</sup>Now great crowds accompanied [Jesus], and he turned and said to them, <sup>26</sup>“If anyone comes to me and does not hate his own father and mother and wife and children and brothers and sisters, yes, and even his own life, he cannot be my disciple. <sup>27</sup>Whoever does not bear his own cross and come after me cannot be my disciple. <sup>28</sup>For which of you, desiring to build a tower, does not first sit down and count the cost, whether he has enough to complete it? <sup>29</sup>Otherwise, when he has laid a foundation and is not able to finish, all who see it begin to mock him, <sup>30</sup>saying, ‘This man began to build and was not able to finish.’ <sup>31</sup>Or what king, going out to encounter another king in war, will not sit down first and deliberate whether he is able with ten thousand to meet him who comes against him with twenty thousand? <sup>32</sup>And if not, while the other is yet a great way off, he sends a delegation and asks for terms of peace. <sup>33</sup>So therefore, any one of you who does not renounce all that he has cannot be my disciple.

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## MINISTRY UPDATES

As noted previously, the call committee has requested a new call list from the district office. We were informed that there are approximately 8 churches ahead of us in the queue to receive a call list, so we will continue to wait patiently, knowing that His timing is perfect. It is very likely that we may not get our next call list until the end of August or even early September. When news about the process is shared, it is good to remember “Every house is built by someone. The builder of everything is God” (Hebrews 3:4)

**May we continue to trust the Lord's building of His kingdom among us.**

### UPCOMING WORSHIP SERVICES

**September 4**

Guest Preacher Pastor Steve Helms  
“Salvation is Free; But Following Jesus is Costly”

**September 11**

Guest Preacher Pastor Steve Helms  
“Jesus Welcomes Sinners! Do We?”

**September 18**

Guest Preacher Pastor Chad Lakies

**September 25**

Guest Preacher Pastor Cliff Bira

### ATTENTION GOLFERS & HACKERS!

LOOKING TO SEE IF THERE IS ENOUGH INTEREST IN HAVING A HOLY CROSS GOLF OUTING TBD. PLEASE LET DAVID SMITHKEY (810-210-2856) KNOW IF YOU HAVE ANY INTEREST AND/OR QUESTIONS!



### HAPPY HEARTS

will be taking a trip to the Montrose Telephone Museum and having lunch at Puerto Vallarta!

**On September 12th...**

Meet at the church @ 11am to carpool (if you want) to the Montrose Telephone Museum (144 Hickory St.). Afterwards, we will be going to Flushing's Puerto Vallarta (119 Main St.) for lunch.



**SUNDAY SCHOOL WILL BE RESUMING OCTOBER 2 HELP STILL NEEDED**

If you can help in any way with Sunday School in the fall, we want to hear from you. You can call the church office or indicate interest on your communication card.



**Ladies Lunchly**

Will Meet at

**Liberty Restaurant**

The 2nd Wednesday of Every Month



Today's Altar flowers are given



by Gail Dodge



In celebration of Sandra Six's birthday

**Next week's counters:  
September 11th  
Lucky & Schabel**

**Men's Group**

Monday,  
Sept 12 @ 7pm

Please contact Scott, Perry, or Chad if you're interested.



**This Week's Birthdays**

Rachel Prim      Jodi Denno  
Joshua Geister    Kevin Sharp  
Ryan Geister  
Sue Sharp

