

WELCOME TO HOLY CROSS

Worship Outline - Traditional Worship 9am

Glory Be to God the Father . . . LSB 506
Confession and Absolution
Introit / Kyrie
Gloria in Excelsis . . . LSB 187
Salutation and Collect of the Day
Old Testament Reading . . . *Jeremiah 23:16-29*
Epistle Reading . . . *Hebrews 11:17-31, 12:1-3*
Holy Gospel Reading . . . *Luke 12:49-53*
Apostle's Creed
Oh, That the Lord Would Guide My Ways . . . LSB 707
Sermon
Offering / Offertory . . . *LSB 192*
Prayer of the Church / Service of the Sacrament
Sanctus . . . *LSB 195*
Prayers / The Lord's Prayer
Benediction
Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing . . . LSB 924

Worship Outline - Contemporary Worship 11:15am

Opening Prayer
Apostle's Creed
One Thing Remains (Your Love Never Fails)
Invitation
Jesus Messiah
Confession
Mighty to Save
Absolution
Communion
Old Testament Reading . . . *Jeremiah 23:16-29*
Epistle Reading . . . *Hebrews 11:17-31, 12:1-3*
Holy Gospel Reading . . . *Luke 12:49-53*
Better Is One Day
Message
Offering
Prayers / The Lord's Prayer
Blessing
Egypt

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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SUMMER IN THE LECTIONARY

August 14, 2022

THE MESSAGE

SERMON TEXT

Hebrews 11:17-31, 12:1-3

¹⁷By faith Abraham, when he was tested, offered up Isaac, and he who had received the promises was in the act of offering up his only son, ¹⁸of whom it was said, "Through Isaac shall your offspring be named." ¹⁹He considered that God was able even to raise him from the dead, from which, figuratively speaking, he did receive him back. ²⁰By faith Isaac invoked future blessings on Jacob and Esau. ²¹By faith Jacob, when dying, blessed each of the sons of Joseph, bowing in worship over the head of his staff. ²²By faith Joseph, at the end of his life, made mention of the exodus of the Israelites and gave directions concerning his bones. ²³By faith Moses, when he was born, was hidden for three months by his parents, because they saw that the child was beautiful, and they were not afraid of the king's edict. ²⁴By faith Moses, when he was grown up, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter, ²⁵choosing rather to be mistreated with the people of God than to enjoy the fleeting pleasures of sin. ²⁶He considered the reproach of Christ greater wealth than the treasures of Egypt, for he was looking to the reward. ²⁷By faith he left Egypt, not being afraid of the anger of the king, for he endured as seeing him who is invisible. ²⁸By faith he kept the Passover and sprinkled the blood, so that the Destroyer of the firstborn might not touch them. ²⁹By faith the people crossed the Red Sea as if on dry land, but the Egyptians, when they attempted to do the same, were drowned. ³⁰By faith the walls of Jericho fell down after they had been encircled for seven days. ³¹By faith Rahab the prostitute did not perish with those who were disobedient, because she had given a friendly welcome to the spies. ¹Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, ²looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God. ³Consider him who endured from sinners such hostility against himself, so that you may not grow weary or fainthearted.

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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.

AUGUST WORSHIP SERVICES

We're back to our normal service times of
9am Traditional & 11:15am Contemporary

August 14

Guest Preacher Pastor Christian Jones

Pastor Christian Jones will also share about
Franklin Ave. Mission Work

August 21

Guest Preacher Pastor Bob Riggs

August 28

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This service will also include a visit + update from
missionary Irgors Rautmanis

Thanks to all the
volunteers who helped
make Wake The Bear
a success!



High School Bible Study Update

Marcos Machado will be hosting a dinner for High School youth and their families at his house on August 21 from 4-8pm to discuss plans for activities & bible study this year.

Mark it on your calendar!

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!



SUNDAY SCHOOL HELP 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.



NURSERY REMINDER



If you would like to make use of our staffed nursery, please contact **Michelle Taylor at 231-420-3250** prior to Sunday and she will make sure it is staffed. Thank you

Today's Altar flowers are given
by Phill Bleck
In memory of Anita



Next week's counters:
August 21
Cannon & Taylor



5409 W. Pierson Rd.

August's items are:
Canned Fruit & Toothpaste

*The FCOC is currently taking donations of Summer Clothes.

This Week's Birthdays

Brenda Schmidt
Gatlin Meinburg
James Dockery
Mike Jones
Hannah Dockery

