

Summer

OUR SAVIOR  
LUTHERAN CHURCH

## WELCOME TO OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH

We are honored you have chosen to worship with us today. Our Savior is a community that aspires to follow Jesus so that all may know of the love of God in Christ.

**FAMILY RESOURCES** At the sanctuary entrance there are books and clipboards with paper & crayons. Children are welcome to take these items into worship. Additionally, the family area just outside the sanctuary has full audio and a view of the service. There you will find toys, books, seating and room to roam.

**COVID REMINDERS** Due to the Delta variant surge, and in accordance with Washington state guidelines, **masks are optional for those who have been vaccinated. If you are unvaccinated, it is strongly recommended to wear a mask.** Pastor Vaswig and other worship leaders have been fully vaccinated. For now there will be no coffee hour following the service. We invite you to continue conversations outside the church building. All services are streamed live on our YouTube channel.

**HOLY COMMUNION** Communion is the central gathering meal of the church. In this meal Christ promises to be fully present, offering forgiveness, a renewed faith, and a regenerative life. Everyone is invited to come forward to the table. You are welcome to remain seated if you prefer.

Individual servings of bread & wine (red) or juice (white) await you at the altar. *Please be sensitive to physical distancing at the altar rail.* After consuming the elements, place the cup in the trays provided. To indicate that you would like to receive words of blessing instead of bread & wine, simply cross your arms over your chest.

Offerings may be left in the basket on the table at this time.

**WE'D LOVE TO CONNECT** If you find yourself in a time of spiritual need or you're searching for more, we would love to walk with you. Simply fill out a Connections Card and we will contact you.

**ABOUT THE LITURGICAL ARTS INSTALLATION:** *40 + 1 Drops*  
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1 drop that changed everything.

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost  
Sunday, August 1, 2021



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## TIME AFTER PENTECOST—HOLY COMMUNION

### GATHERING: THE HOLY SPIRIT CALLS US TOGETHER AS THE PEOPLE OF GOD.

#### PRELUDE

*A Joyous Acclamation* — Lani Smith

Jiyoung Lee

#### WELCOME

#### CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

PM: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who forgives all our sin,  
whose mercy endures forever.

**C: Amen.**

PM: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known,  
and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts  
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and  
worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C: Amen.**

PM: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.  
*Silence for reflection and self-examination.*

PM: Most merciful God,

**C: 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**

PM: 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.

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.

**C: Amen.**

#### GATHERING HYMN

*Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer*

ELW #618

#### GREETING

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

**C: And also with you.**

#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

## **WORD: GOD SPEAKS TO US IN SCRIPTURE READING, PREACHING AND SONG.**

### **FIRST READING**

Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15

<sup>2</sup>The whole congregation of the Israelites complained against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness. <sup>3</sup>The Israelites said to them, “If only we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the fleshpots and ate our fill of bread; for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger.”

<sup>4</sup>Then the Lord said to Moses, “I am going to rain bread from heaven for you, and each day the people shall go out and gather enough for that day. In that way I will test them, whether they will follow my instruction or not.”

<sup>9</sup>Then Moses said to Aaron, “Say to the whole congregation of the Israelites, ‘Draw near to the Lord, for he has heard your complaining.’” <sup>10</sup>And as Aaron spoke to the whole congregation of the Israelites, they looked toward the wilderness, and the glory of the Lord appeared in the cloud. <sup>11</sup>The Lord spoke to Moses and said, <sup>12</sup>“I have heard the complaining of the Israelites; say to them, ‘At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread; then you shall know that I am the Lord your God.’”

<sup>13</sup>In the evening quails came up and covered the camp; and in the morning there was a layer of dew around the camp. <sup>14</sup>When the layer of dew lifted, there on the surface of the wilderness was a fine flaky substance, as fine as frost on the ground. <sup>15</sup>When the Israelites saw it, they said to one another, “What is it?” For they did not know what it was. Moses said to them, “It is the bread that the Lord has given you to eat.”

AM: Word of God, word of life. C: **Thanks be to God.**

### **PSALM 78:23-29**

<sup>23</sup>So God commanded the clouds above and opened the doors of heaven, <sup>24</sup>raining down manna upon them to eat and giving them grain from heaven. <sup>25</sup>So mortals ate the bread of angels; God provided for them food enough. <sup>26</sup>The Lord caused the east wind to blow in the heavens and powerfully led out the south wind, <sup>27</sup>raining down flesh upon them like dust and flying birds like the sand of the seas, <sup>28</sup>letting them fall in the midst of the camp and round about the dwellings. <sup>29</sup>So the people ate and were well filled, for God gave them what they craved.

### **SECOND READING**

Ephesians 4:1-16

I therefore, the prisoner in the Lord, beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, <sup>2</sup>with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, <sup>3</sup>making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. <sup>4</sup>There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, <sup>5</sup>one Lord, one faith, one baptism, <sup>6</sup>one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.

<sup>7</sup>But each of us was given grace according to the measure of Christ’s gift. <sup>8</sup>Therefore it is said, “When he ascended on high he made captivity itself a captive; he gave gifts to his people.” <sup>9</sup>(When it says, “He ascended,” what does it mean but that he had also descended into the lower parts of the earth? <sup>10</sup>He who descended is the same one who ascended far above all the heavens, so that he might fill all things.) <sup>11</sup>The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, <sup>12</sup>to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, <sup>13</sup>until all of us come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to maturity, to the measure of the

full stature of Christ. <sup>14</sup>We must no longer be children, tossed to and fro and blown about by every wind of doctrine, by people’s trickery, by their craftiness in deceitful scheming. <sup>15</sup>But speaking the truth in love, we must grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, <sup>16</sup>from whom the whole body, joined and knit together by every ligament with which it is equipped, as each part is working properly, promotes the body’s growth in building itself up in love.

AM: Word of God, word of life. C: Thanks be to God.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,  
 lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,  
 lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,  
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**THE GOSPEL**

John 6:24-35

PM: The holy gospel according to John. C: Glory to you, O Lord.

<sup>24</sup>When the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were beside the sea, they themselves got into the boats and went to Capernaum looking for Jesus.

<sup>25</sup>When they found him on the other side of the sea, they said to him, “Rabbi, when did you come here?” <sup>26</sup>Jesus answered them, “Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. <sup>27</sup>Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal.” <sup>28</sup>Then they said to him, “What must we do to perform the works of God?” <sup>29</sup>Jesus answered them, “This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent.” <sup>30</sup>So they said to him, “What sign are you going to give us then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work are you performing?” <sup>31</sup>Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, ‘He gave them bread from heaven to eat.’” <sup>32</sup>Then Jesus said to them, “Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. <sup>33</sup>For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.” <sup>34</sup>They said to him, “Sir, give us this bread always.”

<sup>35</sup>Jesus said to them, “I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.”

PM: The Gospel of the Lord. C: Praise to you, O Christ.

**SERMON**

Pastor John L. Vaswig

**HYMN OF THE DAY**

*By Your Hand You Feed Your People*

ELW #469 (vs. 1: Cantor; 2 & 3: all)

**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 THE PEOPLE**

**MEAL: GOD FEEDS US WITH THE PRESENCE OF JESUS CHRIST.**

**TABLE SONG**

Here is bread, here is wine, Christ is with us, he is with us.

Break the bread, taste the wine, Christ is with us here.

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

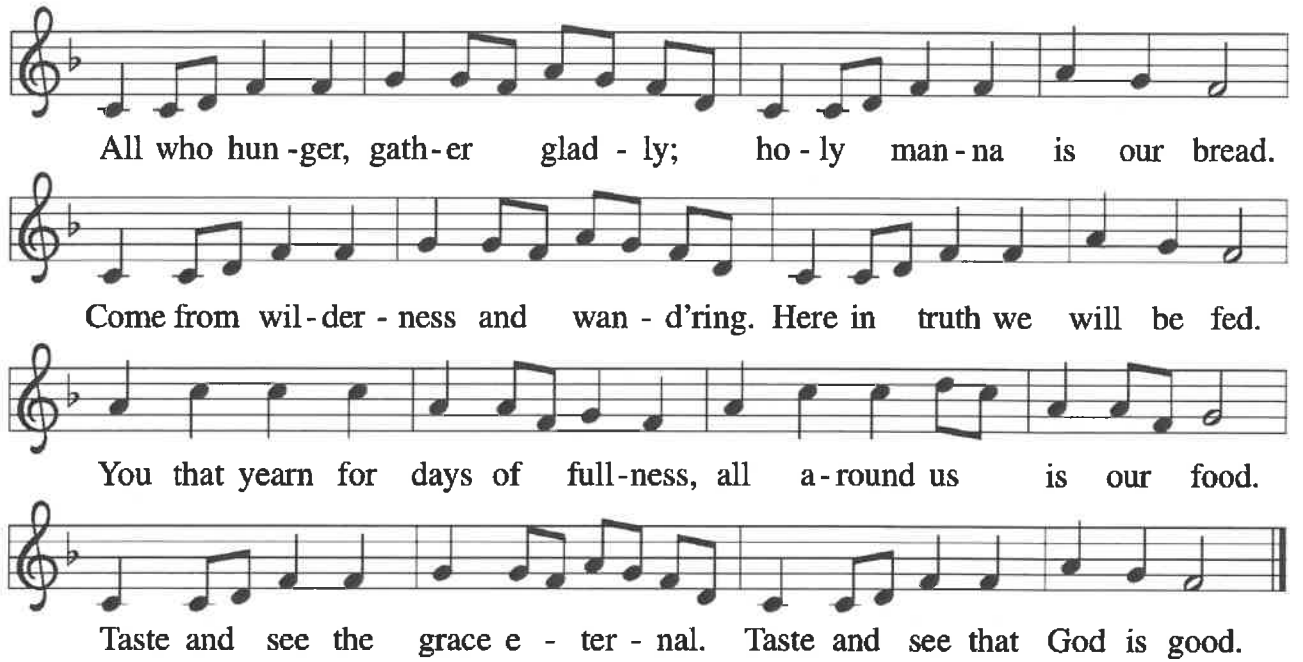
PM: Lord, remember us in your love as you teach us to pray:

**C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.**

**COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION**

Offerings may be left in the basket at this time.

Communion Canticle

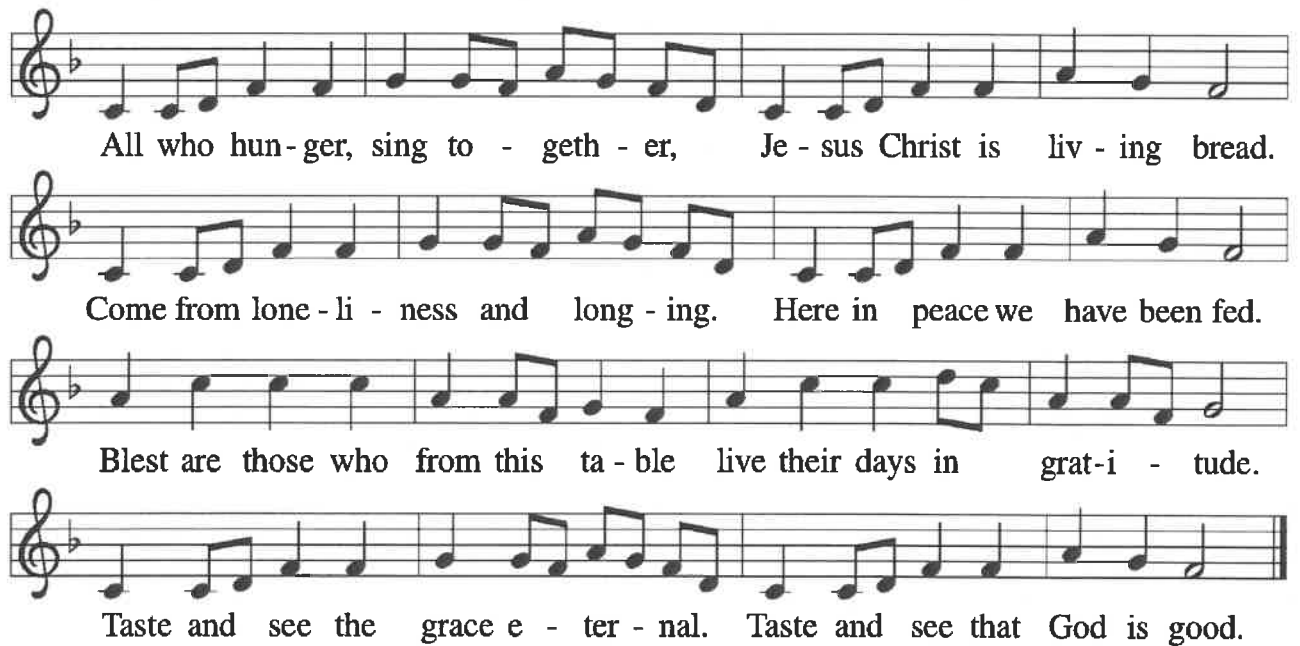


All who hun-ger, gath-er glad - ly; ho - ly man - na is our bread.  
Come from wil-der - ness and wan - d'ring. Here in truth we will be fed.  
You that yearn for days of full-ness, all a-round us is our food.  
Taste and see the grace e - ter - nal. Taste and see that God is good.

Distribution Hymn

ELW #487 *What Feast of Love* (Cantor & Congregation)

Post-Communion Canticle



All who hun-ger, sing to - geth - er, Je - sus Christ is liv - ing bread.  
Come from lone - li - ness and long - ing. Here in peace we have been fed.  
Blest are those who from this ta - ble live their days in grat-i - tude.  
Taste and see the grace e - ter - nal. Taste and see that God is good.

**BLESSING**

**SENDING HYMN**

*O Living Bread from Heaven*

ELW #542

**DISMISSAL**

AM: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

**POSTLUDE**

*The Church's One Foundation* — S.S. Wesley

Jiyoung Lee

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**Serving in Worship:**

Leader: Pastor John L. Vaswig  
Assisting Minister: Bob Johnson  
Cantor: Lori Downey  
Organist: Jiyoung Lee  
Flautist: Jan Hazelton  
Pianist: Scott Hafso  
Usher: Jon Smith  
Altar Guild: Stacy Smith  
Bread: Marilyn Carlson  
Video & Sound Assistants: David Hersey, Leslie Waltzer

**Readings for next week:** 1 Kings 19:4-8; Ephesians 4:25--5:2; John 6:35, 41-51

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**Our Savior Lutheran Church Staff**

Rev. John L. Vaswig, *Transition Pastor*  
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Scott Hafso, *Director of Worship & Music*  
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# This Week at Our Savior Lutheran Church

**TODAY**      **AUGUST 1ST — TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
10:00 am      Worship Service

**MONDAY**      **AUGUST 2ND**

**TUESDAY**      **AUGUST 3RD**  
8:00 pm      *AA — Alcoholics Anonymous (Fellowship Hall)*

**WEDNESDAY**      **AUGUST 4TH**  
6:00 pm      **Campfire Worship on Lake Sammamish**  
4405 E. Lake Sammamish Parkway S.E. Issaquah



**THURSDAY**      **AUGUST 5TH**  
8:00 am      *TOPS — Take Off Pounds Sensibly (Christian Education Room)*  
9:30 am      **Mission Quilters (Fellowship Hall)**  
10:00 am      *Al Anon (Christian Education Room)*

**FRIDAY**      **AUGUST 6TH**

**NEXT SUNDAY**      **AUGUST 8TH — ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
10:00 am      Worship Service

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## **SUMMER CAMPFIRE WORSHIP IS BACK! WEDNESDAYS AUGUST 4<sup>TH</sup>, 11<sup>TH</sup>, & 18<sup>TH</sup> AT 6:00 PM ON LAKE SAMMAMISH**

Location: 4405 E. Lake Sammamish Parkway SE, in Issaquah.

Join us at the Flintoft property on Lake Sammamish Wednesday, August 4, 11, and 18 for our annual campfires. Due to high fire danger we will not be able to have the traditional campfire but we will be able to roast hotdogs and marshmallows on a b-b-q. The church will provide hotdogs, buns, condiments, marshmallows, and materials for making s'mores plus water and plates/utensils. If you would like a different beverage, please bring it. Also please bring a pot-

luck item to share and a chair to sit on. Pastor John will lead us in worship and our own Jeff Jewel will lead us in music. We look forward to being together! Questions? Please contact Connie Fletcher at [fletch501c@comcast.net](mailto:fletch501c@comcast.net).

## **EMERGENCY PASTORAL CARE**

For emergency pastoral care, please contact OSLC Transition Pastor John L. Vaswig at 253-677-4515 (mobile) or [JLVaswig@gmail.com](mailto:JLVaswig@gmail.com)



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*Prayer is putting our faith into action. We invite you to include these people in your daily prayers. You can make prayer requests via email at office@oslcissaquah.org. All written requests will remain on this list for 4 weeks.*

**Vickie** comfort and healing for cancer. (Connie Fletcher)

**Michael Smolin** healing from pneumonia, and comfort for his dementia. (Mary Ardissono, Suzanne D'Errico)

**Megan** successful surgery and recovery. (daughter to Suzanne D'Errico)

**Ken Konigsmark** healing and strength following a concussion. (Jane Shen)

**Ryan Steffen** on the wait list for a kidney donation. (husband to Kristina Steffen)

**Sonja** 3 years old ongoing treatment for cancer. (granddaughter of Henrik & Patty Christopherson)

**Guests of the Community Meals Program** safety, health and peace of mind. (Connie Fletcher)

**Nicole DeCamp** healing and strength. (Ken DeCamp and Cheryl Leiter)

**Healing and peace of mind:** **Josee Jordan** (Dianne Tanner); **Rachel** (Marilyn Carlson); **Henrik & Patty Christopherson** (Dianne Tanner); **Vern Lindquist**; **Marian James**; **Doug Patur**; **Katie Moeller**; **Margot Inman**; **Taufik Hidayut** (Ken Konigsmark); **Rebecca Thomas**; **Tanisha Foote** (Marilyn Carlson); **Dorothy Soland**; **Randi Strom**; **Jeanne Kuipers**; **John Pass**; **Florence Kinnune**; **Carol Harbolt**; **Sandy Aldworth**; **Jen Winslow**; **Larry Pruitt**

**Undergoing cancer treatment:** **Marge Schaper** (sister-in-law to Lena Schaper); **Kip Hauser** (father of Cheryl Hauser); **Vernell Johnson** (Shelley & Mark Howe); **Roger Stanley** (Alice Lewis); **Tim Rutten** (cousin of Mark Howe); **Carol Howe**

(cousin of Mark Howe); **Tom Killoran** (Shelley Howe); **Les Carlson** (father of Dave Carlson); **Harold Mandt** (brother of Mary Ann Hult and Lorna Robertson); **Chris Howe** (brother of Mark Howe); **Peggy Scalise** (cousin of Mark Howe); **Eileen Letts** (cousin of Mark Howe); **Keith DeCamp** (brother of Ken DeCamp); **Doug McVety** (Helen Nychay); **Larry Harbolt** (Ray Harbolt)

**Living with cancer:** **Jeannie Lindquist**; **Gerald Welch** (Vern and Jeannie Lindquist); **Liz Kidd** (Bob Beck); **Duane Jacobson**; **Mary Lewis** (sister-in-law of Lyle and Alice Lewis); **Barbara Krogh Jarvis** (sister of Steve Krogh); **Suzanne Lewis** (daughter-in-law of Lyle & Alice Lewis); **Greg Petersen** (Wes Collum); **Barbara Jones** (mother of Ron Sordahl); **Al Batt** (Connie Fletcher)

**Expectant Mothers:** **Marian Martin** (Stacy Smith)

**Members and friends serving in the military; fire & police departments, & emergency rooms.**

**Global Missions and Missionaries:** Chiclayo, Peru: **Pepe** at Las Brisas, **Merci** in San Antonio and **Harold** at Las Lomas. **MaaSae Girls Lutheran Secondary School** in Tanzania.

**Thanksgiving:** for the joyous birth of Verity Opal on June 28th to Alyssa Saavedra. (Cheryl Neeb) For the early safe arrival of Claire Miller to Shawna McIntyre. (Cheryl Neeb)

