## OUR REDEEMER

Lutheran Church Missouri Synod **Worship Bulletin** 

#### For 19 October 2025 TRINITY XVIII

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Our practice of closed communion is the historic practice of the church. It is prompted by love, both for God's Word and for God's people. It does not deny that members of other denominations are Christians. Rather, it bows the knee to the Bible's deep concern for doctrinal truth (Rom. 16:17) and the Bible's witness that doctrinal unity is central to the common reception of this sacrament. For this reason, guests who desire to commune are asked to speak with the pastor before the service.





WELCOME! We invite all visitors to sign the guest register in the narthex and worship with us again. If you are not a first time visitor and are not communing, please complete the card located with communion cards in front of the pews. If you have questions about how to join our church or study the Scriptures with us, please speak with one of our Elders or the Pastor.

Each Saturday evening from 6-8PM Pastor Rappe avails himself for private confession and absolution, that which the historical Lutheran Church refers to as the third Sacrament. This is made available to those whose consciences are burdened and whose hearts are troubled. No one is forced to make private confession, as no one is forced to Baptism or the Holy Supper. Rather, this is the means of God's gospel to those who seek Him and the forgiveness of sins in Jesus.



PLEASE COMPLETE A COMMUNION CARD: Fill in the names of only those who are communing and hand it to the usher. You may fill out one per family.

While the psalmist urges us to "make a joyful noise to the Lord", he did NOT mean cell phone ringtones, children's noisy toys or other modern electronic marvels. Rather, these should be SILENT while we lift our voices and hearts in worship through song and prayer to our Lord. Please see that all cell phones, toys and anything else that might disrupt our worship are turned

NURSERY ROOM is available for children 5 years of age who are having difficulty the service. There is also a rocking chair In the room. The room also has speakers to hear the service.

#### **OLD TESTAMENT** DEUTERONOMY 10:12-22

"And now, Israel, what does the LORD your God require of you, but to fear the LORD your God, to walk in all His ways and to love Him, to serve the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul, and to keep the commandments of the LORD and His statutes which I command you today for your good? Indeed heaven and the highest heavens belong to the LORD your God, also the earth with all that is in it. The LORD delighted only in your fathers, to love them; and He chose their descendants after them, you above all peoples, as it is this day. Therefore circumcise the foreskin of your heart, and be stiff-necked no longer. For the LORD your God is God of gods and Lord of lords, the great God, mighty and awesome, who shows no partiality nor takes a bribe. He administers justice for the fatherless and the widow, and loves the stranger, giving him food and clothing. Therefore love the stranger, for you were strangers in the land of Egypt. You shall fear the LORD your God; you shall serve Him, and to Him you shall hold fast, and take oaths in His name. He is your praise, and He is your God, who has done for you these great and awesome things which your eyes have seen. Your fathers went down to Egypt with seventy persons, and now the LORD your God has made you as the stars of heaven in multitude.

#### **EPISTLE**

# 1 CORINTHIANS 1:1-9

Paul, called to be an apostle of Jesus Christ through the will of God, and Sosthenes our brother,

To the church of God which is at Corinth, to those who are sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints, with all who in every place call on the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, both theirs and ours:

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

I thank my God always concerning you for the grace of God which was given to you by Christ Jesus, that you were enriched in everything by Him in all utterance and all knowledge, even as the testimony of Christ was confirmed in you, so that you come short in no gift, eagerly waiting for the revelation of our Lord Jesus Christ, who will also confirm you to the end, that you may be blameless in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. God is faithful, by whom you were called into the fellowship of His Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Holy Gospel on reverse side

# **DIVINE SERVICE** Setting One

| Hymn of Invocation#823<br>Confession & Absolutionp.151                        |  |  |
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| SERVICE OF THE WORD   |  |  |
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| Salutation and Collect Of The Day<br>Old Testament                            |  |  |
| GradualPsalm 122:8-9  |  |  |
| Epistle<br>Collect for the Epistle  |  |  |
| Alleluia Versep.156   |  |  |
| Holy Gospel<br>Collect for the Holy Gospel                                    |  |  |
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But when the Pharisees heard that He had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together. Then one of them, a lawyer, asked Him a question, testing Him, and saying, "Teacher, which is the great commandment in the law?"

Jesus said to him, "'You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.' This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets."

While the Pharisees were gathered together, Jesus asked them, saying, "What do you think about the Christ? Whose Son is He?"

They said to Him, "The Son of David."

He said to them, "How then does David in the Spirit call Him 'Lord,' saying:

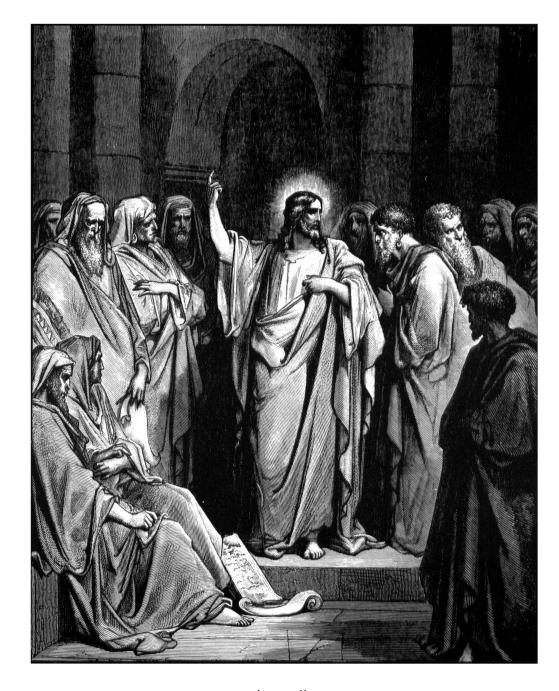
'The LORD said to my Lord,

"Sit at My right hand,

Till I make Your enemies Your footstool""?

If David then calls Him 'Lord,' how is He his Son?" And no one was able to answer Him a word, nor from that day on did anyone dare question Him anymore.





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# FROM THE BOARD OF FINANCE

| Attendance October 12            | 64         |
|----------------------------------|------------|
| General Fund Income              | .\$5570.00 |
| Altar Guild                      | 40.00      |
| General Fund weekly difference   | from       |
| Budget                           | \$741.46   |
| The annual budget adopted by the | he Voters' |
| assembly requires weekly giving  | of         |
| \$4828.54.                       |            |
| Thank you for your Contributions | S.         |

#### **DAILY LECTIONARY**

19 Oct. - Psalm 119:97-104 & Ezekiel 28-30 20 Oct. - Psalm 119:105-112 & Ezek. 31-33 21 Oct. - Psalm 119:113-120 & Ezek. 34-36 22 Oct. - Ps.119:121-128 & Ezekiel 37-39 23 Oct. - Ps.119:129-136 & Ezekiel 40-42 24 Oct. - Ps.119:136-144 & Ezekiel 43-45 25 Oct. - Ps.119:145-152 & Ezekiel 46-58



<u>ALTAR FLOWERS</u> today are given to the glory of God by members of ORLC.

**THANK YOU TO CHAPLAIN KRAFT** For filling in for Pastor Rappe today.

<u>Church Council Minutes From Last Sunday's Meeting</u> are posted on the bulletin board next to the church office for the congregation's review



The Altar Guild needs volunteers to arrange flowers for the Divine Service (altar flowers). Sign up calendar is on the bulletin board next to the church office. Pastor says that the altar guild is the most important committee you can serve on. If you are interested in joining the altar guild, please let Chery Snook or Kelly Tucker know. Thank you for volunteering.



<u>The Ladies OF LWML Will Be Hosting A Baby Sprinkles</u> for Holly Flanscha next Saturday, October 25th at 11:30AM right after women's bible breakfast. She doesn't know what she is having. They want it to be a surprise. She does need diapers and baby wipes. She has plenty of baby clothes.



**REFORMATON POT LUCK** Is next Sunday, October 26th right after worship service. Come join us for some good food. Please bring your favorite German dish to share or any dish.

# ST. JAMES, THE BROTHER OF JESUS, OCT. 23

The traditional Western identification of James, the brother of the Lord, with James the Younger (the Less) is rejected by nearly all New Testament scholars, since there is no evidence in the gospels that Jesus' brother was a disciple until he became a witness to the resurrection. The Eastern church commemorates James on this date and the festival has been accepted by several Anglican calendars. St. Paul and the book of Acts both testify to James's presence in the church at Jerusalem and his diplomatic resolution of the dispute between Jew and Gentile at the Council of Jerusalem (Galatians 2: Acts 15). According to church traditions and the Jewish historian Josephus, he was stoned to death, c. 62.

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