

Faith Lutheran Church

I WILL **STAND**
AT MY **WATCH...**

HABAKKUK 2:1, NIV



September 29th 2024

WELCOME

Thank you for worshipping with us today.
Please sign the guest register in the entry
as you leave the church today.

TODAY'S SERVICE

September 29th, 2024

Liturgy: Setting One, WS page 1

Speaker:
BJ Lillo

Organist:
Daniel Barthels

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PRE-SERVICE DEVOTION

Psalm 104:27-35

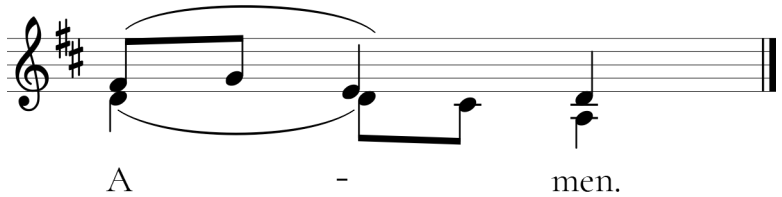
²⁷ These all wait for You, That You may give *them* their food in due season. ²⁸ *What* You give them they gather in; You open Your hand, they are filled with good. ²⁹ You hide Your face, they are troubled; You take away their breath, they die and return to their dust. ³⁰ You send forth Your Spirit, they are created; And You renew the face of the earth. ³¹ May the glory of the LORD endure forever; May the LORD rejoice in His works. ³² He looks on the earth, and it trembles; He touches the hills, and they smoke. ³³ I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I have my being. ³⁴ May my meditation be sweet to Him; I will be glad in the LORD. ³⁵ May sinners be consumed from the earth, And the wicked be no more. Bless the LORD, O my soul! Praise the LORD!

SERVICE OF THE WORD

#4 God Himself Is Present

INVOCATION

p In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.



CONFESSION OF SINS

p Beloved of God: let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins to God our Father, asking Him, in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to grant us forgiveness.

all Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer: we confess that we are sinful by nature, and have sinned against You in our thoughts, words, and actions. We have not loved You above all things. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Have mercy on us, and, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ, forgive us our sins.

p God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given His only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen. Lord, have mercy on us. Christ, have mercy on us. Lord, have mercy on us.

The musical notation consists of three staves. The first staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and contains the word 'Amen.' with a long horizontal line above the notes. The second staff contains the words 'Lord, have mercy on us. Christ, have mercy' with notes below. The third staff contains the words 'on us. Lord, have mercy on us.' with notes below.



Glo-ry to God in the high - est, and



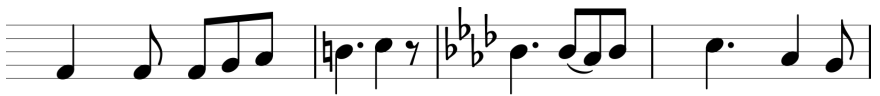
peace to all peo-ple on earth. Lord God,



heav-enly king, al - might - y God and Fa - ther; We



wor - ship You, we give You thanks, we



praise You for Your glory. Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly



Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God:



You take away the sin of the world; have mer-cy on



us. You are seated at the right hand of the Fa-ther; re-

ceive our prayer For You alone are the Ho-ly One,
 You alone are the Lord, You alone are the Most High,
 Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it, in the glo-ry of
 God the Fa - ther. A - men.

p Let us pray . . . Everlasting Father, source of every blessing, mercifully direct and govern us by Your Holy Spirit that we may complete the works You have prepared for us to do ; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

A - men.

THE WORD

James 5:13-20 ¹³ Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing psalms. ¹⁴ Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. ¹⁵ And the prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven. ¹⁶ Confess *your* trespasses^t to one another, and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The effective, fervent prayer of a righteous man avails much. ¹⁷ Elijah was a man with a nature like ours, and he prayed earnestly that it would not rain; and it did not rain on the land for three years and six months. ¹⁸ And he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain, and the earth produced its fruit. ¹⁹ Brethren, if anyone among you wanders from the truth, and someone turns him back, ²⁰ let him know that he who turns a sinner from the error of his way will save a soul^t from death and cover a multitude of sins.

Mark 9:38-50 ³⁸ Now John answered Him, saying,
"Teacher, we saw someone who does not follow us casting
out demons in Your name, and we forbade him because he
does not follow us." ³⁹ But Jesus said, "Do not forbid him,
for no one who works a miracle in My name can soon
afterward speak evil of Me. ⁴⁰ "For he who is not against
us is on our^t side. ⁴¹ "For whoever gives you a cup of water
to drink in My name, because you belong to Christ, assur-
edly, I say to you, he will by no means lose his reward. ⁴²
"But whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in
Me to stumble, it would be better for him if a millstone
were hung around his neck, and he were thrown into the
sea. ⁴³ "If your hand causes you to sin, cut it off. It is bet-
ter for you to enter into life maimed, rather than having
two hands, to go to hell, into the fire that shall never be
quenched-- ⁴⁴ "where 'Their worm does not die, And the
fire is not quenched!' ⁴⁵ "And if your foot causes you to
sin, cut it off. It is better for you to enter life lame, rather
than having two feet, to be cast into hell, into the fire that
shall never be quenched-- ⁴⁶ "where 'Their worm does not
die, And the fire is not quenched!' ⁴⁷ "And if your eye
causes you to sin, pluck it out. It is better for you to enter
the kingdom of God with one eye, rather than having two

eyes, to be cast into hell fire-- ⁴⁸ "where Their worm does not die, And the fire is not quenched!" ⁴⁹ "For everyone will be seasoned with fire^t, and every sacrifice will be seasoned with salt. ⁵⁰ "Salt is good, but if the salt loses its flavor, how will you season it? Have salt in yourselves, and have peace with one another."

p Blessed are they who hear the Word of God and keep it!

Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia!

These words are writ - ten that we may believe that

Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God. Al-le-lu-ia!

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

THE NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by Whom all things were made; Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, Whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, Who proceeds from the Father and the Son, Who with the Father and Son together is worshiped and glorified, Who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one

Baptism for the remission of sins, And I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

#342 Chief of Sinners Though I Be

SERMON

Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4 The burden¹ which the prophet Habakkuk saw. ² O LORD, how long shall I cry, And You will not hear? Even cry out to You, "Violence!" And You will not save. ³ Why do You show me iniquity, And cause *me* to see trouble? For plundering and violence *are* before me; There is strife, and contention arises. ⁴ Therefore the law is powerless, And justice never goes forth. For the wicked surround the righteous; Therefore perverse judgment proceeds.

2:1-4 I will stand my watch And set myself on the rampart, And watch to see what He will say to me, And what I will answer when I am corrected. ² Then the LORD answered me and said: "Write the vision And make *it* plain

on tablets, That he may run who reads it. ³ For the vision is yet for an appointed time; But at the end it will speak, and it will not lie. Though it tarries, wait for it; Because it will surely come, It will not tarry. ⁴ "Behold the proud, His soul is not upright in him; But the just shall live by his faith.

STAND UP STRAIGHT; YOU HAVE A SAVIOR

Written by Pastor Aaron Ude



Create in me a clean heart, O



God. Re - new a right spir-it with - in me. Cast me



not a - way from Your presence; take not Your Ho-ly



Spir-it from me. Re - store to me the joy of Your sal-



va - - tion. Up -



hold me with Your free Spir - it.

#777 Amazing Grace

OFFERING HYMN #792

Let all things now living, a song of thanksgiving,
To God the Creator triumphantly raise.
Who fashioned and made us, protected and stayed us,
Who still guides us on to the end of our days.
God's banners are o'er us, His light goes before us,
A pillar of fire shining forth in the night,
Till shadows have vanished and darkness is banished,
As forward we travel from light into light

PRAYERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

all 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.

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

p The Lord be with you.



And al - so with you.

p Lift up your hearts.



We lift them up to the Lord.

p It is right and beneficial that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who promised that wherever two or three come together in his name, there he is with them to shepherd his flock till he comes again in glory. Therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we magnify Your glorious Name, evermore praising You and saying:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,
 God of power and might, heav'n and earth are
 full of Your glo-ry. Ho - san-nain the highest, ho-
 sanna in the highest. Blest is He who comes in the
 name of the Lord. Ho - san-nain the highest ho-
 san - na in the high - est.

p Our Lord Jesus Christ, the same night in which He was betrayed, took bread. And when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to His disciples, saying, "Take, eat. This is My body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of Me.

In the same way He took the cup, after supper, gave thanks, and gave it to them saying, “Drink of it, all of you. This cup is the new covenant in My blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

The peace of the Lord be with you always!

Lamb of God, You take a-way the
 sin of the world; have mercy up - on us. Lamb of
 God You take a - way the
 sin of the world; have mer - cy up - on
 us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the



THE DISTRIBUTION

(Distribution Hymn 307)

We invite all those who have registered with the pastor before the service to come forward and receive with us the Lord's Supper. Prayers for before and after communion are available on page 118 of your hymnal.

Musical notation on three staves. The first staff starts with a treble clef, a whole rest, and then a half note, a quarter note, and a half note. The second staff continues with a quarter note, a quarter note, a quarter note, a quarter note, a quarter note, a quarter note, a quarter note, and a quarter note. A double bar line with a sharp sign and three sharps (F#, C#, G#) follows. The third staff continues with a quarter note, a quarter note, a quarter note, a quarter note, a quarter note, a quarter note, a quarter note, and a quarter note. The lyrics are: Thank the Lord; sing His praise; tell ev'ry-one what He has done. Let all whose seek the Lord re-joyce and bear Christ's ho - ly name.

Thank the Lord; sing His praise; tell ev'ry-one what
 He has done. Send us with Your prom-is - es, Lord;
 lead Your peo-ple forth in joy with shouts of thanks-
 giv - ing. Thank the Lord; sing His praise;
 tell ev - 'ry-one what He has done. Al - le -
 lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

THE BENEDICTION

p The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.



#47 Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, September 29

9 am Communion Service

10 am Sunday School

Tuesday, October 1

7pm School Board

Wednesday, October 2

3:45-5:15 pm Confirmation Class

Sunday, October 6

9 am Worship Service

10 am Sunday School

10am Choir Practice

10:15am Bible Class

FRUITS OF FAITH

Sunday Service – 89

General Fund - 2984

Missions – 3348.03

Sunday School – 12

Bible Class – 15

Kitchen Fund – 100

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USHERS FOR SEPTEMBER

Jeff Jones, Gary Brown,
Paul Eserhut, Tristan Jenkins

USHERS FOR OCTOBER

B.J. Lillo, Bob Klirst,
Bob McElroy, Randy Strelow

COUNTERS

This Week Team # 1

Greg Suwanski, Keith Dickerson

Next Week Team #2

David Draeger, Wayne Draeger

COFFEE AND SNACKS

There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board for coffee and snacks for fellowship after church

LUTHER MEMORIAL GAME NIGHT

Luther Memorial is hosting a family game night on the second Friday of September (13), October (11), November (8) and December (13). All are invited and asked to bring games and join us.

JACOB LILLO

Jacob Lillo is serving in the Air

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FUNERAL QUESTIONNAIRE

Please check your mailboxes. There is important information about your funeral. If you wish to fill it out, when finished, please put it in my mailbox (Marsha Brown) in the secretary box (bottom right of the mailboxes) or on my desk.

VERY IMPORTANT

We have been gifted several De-Chokers from the fire department.

This is a portable, hand-held, suction-powered device to help clear an airway in the event of a choking emergency

This is located in the drawer under the guest book

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Gen. 2:18-25

Psalm 128

Heb. 2:1-13

Mark 10:2-16

CALL NEWS

Pastor Drew Naumann of Trinity Ev. Lutheran, Spokane, WA has returned the call to St. Stephen Lutheran Church and School, Mountain View, CA.

Pastor Timothy Daub of Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, Hecla, SD has returned the call to Faith Lutheran Church, Manchester, MO and has accepted the call to serve as vacancy pastor of Redeemer Ev. Lutheran Church, Bowdle, SD

Pastor Jim Naumann has received and accepted the call to serve as vacancy pastor of Zion Ev. Lutheran Church Ipswich, SD.

Pastor Zachary Sippert will be installed at Grace Ev. Lutheran Church, Sleepy Eye, MN on September 29, 2024.



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