Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church & Preschool Connecting people to Jesus as we gather, grow, and go.

Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding. Job 38:4, NRSV

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost June 23, 2024 8:00am & 10:45am

Welcome to Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church!

We greet you in the name of our risen Savior, Jesus Christ. We are glad you are worshiping with our family of faith and rejoice with you as God comes to us through His Word this day to bring His gift of forgiveness and life in Jesus.

If you have any questions, please seek out one of the ushers who will be happy to assist you. Pastor Schultz & Pastor Ada look forward to meeting you at the end of the service.

ATTENDANCE REGISTRATION Members and visitors, please scan this QR code and register your attendance with us today. Thanks!



HEARING ASSISTANCE devices are available. Please talk to an usher.

YOUNG CHILDREN We believe that young children need to be brought to Jesus (Mark 10:14); and what better way than to include them in the regular worship life of the congregation! We **DO NOT** have a staffed nursery during church because we **encourage families to worship together**. Children's bulletins and worship activity bags are available to help quietly occupy those children too young to listen to the sermon. Please feel free to use the narthex as a cry room when needed. Monitors and speakers will assist in your participation.

EDUCATION HOUR (9:30-10:30am)

Adult Bible Class: During the summer, we will be doing a 13-week topical Bible class entitled A Simple Explanation of... Today the topic is "Prayer."

Sunday School: Classes are offered for children who have turned 3 by September 1 through high school. Please ask an usher for assistance in locating classrooms.

Nursery: There is a nursery during education hour located in the lower level.

HOLY COMMUNION In Holy Communion we celebrate the real presence of our Lord Jesus Christ as He gives us His true body and blood in and with the bread and wine for the forgiveness of sins and the strengthening of faith. In love for God's Word and in love for God's people, we do not want anyone to receive this blessed gift to their spiritual harm (1 Cor. 11:27-29). Therefore, anyone who wishes to commune here for the first time and who is not a member of Beautiful Savior or a congregation of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, is asked to speak with Pastor Schultz or Pastor Ada before receiving Holy Communion. Those not communing are still welcome to come receive a blessing.

Order of Service: Matins with Holy Communion

HYMNS FOR TODAY'S SERVICE: LSB 722, 941, 629, 809, 715, and 819

PRAYER AT THE BEGINNING OF WORSHIP

Lord, open now my heart to hear, And through your Word to me draw near; Preserve that Word in purity That I your child and heir may be. LW 197:1

MUSIC FOR MEDITATION

PRELUDE

Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me

arr. Behnke

PASTORAL GREETING

SHARING OF THE LORD'S PEACE

☆ THE SERVICE OF MATINS **☆**

Stand

OPENING VERSICLES LSB 219

(The "Gloria Pattri" ~ Glory be to the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit ~ serves as the Invocation in the Matins Service. You can cross yourself as we sing these words in remembrance of your Baptism)

PSALMODY: VENITE~~(Latin: "O Come") LSB 220

Sit

PSALM

Psalm 124; antiphon: v. 8



- P Our help is in the name | of the LORD,* who made | heaven and earth.
- If it had not been the LORD who was on | our side—* let Israel | now say—
- if it had not been the LORD who was | on our side* when people rose up a- | gainst us,
- then they would have swallowed us | up alive,* when their anger was kindled a- | gainst us;
- then the flood would have swept | us away,* the torrent would have gone | over us;
- then over us | would have gone* the raging | waters.
- Blessèd | be the LORD,*
 who has not given us as prey | to their teeth!
- We have escaped like a bird from the snare of the | fowlers;* the snare is broken, and we | have escaped!
- P Our help is in the name | of the LORD,* who made | heaven and earth.
- A Glory be to the Father and | to the Son* and to the Holy | Spirit; as it was in the be- | ginning,* is now, and will be forever. | Amen.
- P Our help is in the name | of the LORD,* who made | heaven and earth.

OLD TESTAMENT Job 38:1–11

¹Then the LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind and said: ²"Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? ³Dress for action like a man; I will question you, and you make it known to me. ⁴"Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding. ⁵Who determined its measurements—surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? ⁶On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone, ⁷when the morning stars sang together and all the sons of God shouted for joy? ⁸"Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb, ⁹when I made clouds its garment and thick darkness its swaddling band, ¹⁰and prescribed limits for it and set bars and doors, ¹¹and said, 'Thus far shall you come, and no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stayed'?"

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE 2 Corinthians 6:1–13

¹Working together with him, then, we appeal to you not to receive the grace of God in vain. ²For he says, "In a favorable time I listened to you, and in a day of salvation I have helped you." Behold, now is the favorable time; behold, now is the day of salvation. ³We put no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, ⁴but as servants of God we commend ourselves in every way: by great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, ⁵beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; ⁶by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, the Holy Spirit, genuine love; ⁵by truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; ⁵through honor and dishonor, through slander and praise. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; ⁴as unknown, and yet well known; as dying, and behold, we live; as punished, and yet not killed; ¹⁰as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, yet possessing everything.

¹¹We have spoken freely to you, Corinthians; our heart is wide open. ¹²You are not restricted by us, but you are restricted in your own affections. ¹³In return (I speak as to children) widen your hearts also.

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

Stand

HOLY GOSPEL Mark 4:35-41

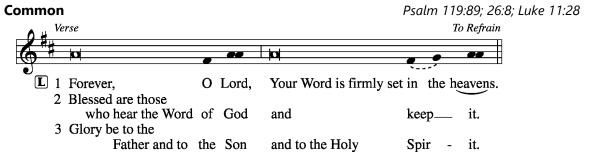
P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the fourth chapter.

G Glory to You, O Lord.

³⁵On that day, when evening had come, [Jesus] said to them, "Let us go across to the other side." ³⁶And leaving the crowd, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. And other boats were with him. ³⁷And a great windstorm arose, and the waves were breaking into the boat, so that the boat was already filling. ³⁸But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion. And they woke him and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" ³⁹And he awoke and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. ⁴⁰He said to them, "Why are you so afraid? Have you still no faith?" ⁴¹And they were filled with great fear and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even wind and sea obey him?"

- **P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- **C** Praise to You, O Christ.

RESPONSORY





C Lord, I love

the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glo-ry dwells.

Sit

READING THE FAITH (as drawn from Luther's Small Catechism)

- **P** THE FIRST COMMANDMENT
- You shall have no other gods before me.
- **P** What does this mean?
- We should fear, love, and trust in God above all things.
- **P** THE SECOND COMMANDMENT
- You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God.
- **P** What does this mean:
- We should fear and love God, so that we do not curse, swear, use satanic arts, lie, or deceive by His name, but call upon it in every trouble, pray, praise, and give thanks.
- **P** THE THIRD COMMANDMENT
- Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy.
- **P** What does this mean?
- We should fear and love God so that we do not despise preaching and His Word, but hold it sacred and gladly hear and learn it.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Vicar Nathan Harkins

SERMON HYMN

Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me

LSB 722

SERMON

Job 38

Vicar Nathan Harkins

Stand

(This canticle serves as the Creed in the Matins Service.)

LSB 941

OFFERING

(Our offerings are collected at the door and brought forward and presented in thanksgiving to the Lord. If you missed this opportunity, your offering can be placed in the plate at the door as you leave.)

OFFERING PRAYER

PRAYERS LSB 227

KYRIE~~(Latin: Lord, Have Mercy)

Mark 10:47



COLLECTS Psalm 102:1



L O Lord, hear my prayer.



- And let my cry come to You.
- P In peace, let us pray to the Lord:
- **C** Lord, have mercy.
- In thanksgiving for His steadfast love and wondrous works to the children of men, let us pray to the Lord:
- **C** Lord, have mercy.
- For deliverance from every trouble and distress of wind and wave, sin and death, and to bring us at last to our eternal haven, let us pray to the Lord:
- **C** Lord, have mercy.

- That in this favorable time and day of salvation ushered in by Christ's incarnation, the grace of God would be received by all; and that God would support His ministers and remove all obstacles from believing the Word they preach, let us pray to the Lord:
- **©** Lord, have mercy.
- P For the endurance of the Gospel with its blessings amid every hardship, struggle and suffering; and for the steady conviction that since we have Christ, we possess everything, let us pray to the Lord:
- **C** Lord, have mercy.
- For Christian neighbors in our community and in each home, that as the beloved of God, we may be unashamed to serve each other in genuine love, truthful speech and constant patience, let us pray to the Lord:
- **C** Lord, have mercy.
- For our civil servants, that they would gain respect for and recognition of God's creation and its nature; and that they would use the authority given them from above in accordance with our Lord's good design for the world, not the corruption of sin, which they are to rebuke for the good of their citizens, let us pray to the Lord:
- **C** Lord, have mercy.
- That God would spare us from disaster, give suitable rain for the growth of crops, protect those endangered by storms, and give us faith to call on Him in every trouble, trusting that for Christ's sake, He will work everything for our eternal good, let us pray to the Lord:
- **C** Lord, have mercy.
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- P Additional Prayers of Thanksgiving or Intercession, let us pray to the Lord:
- **C** Lord, have mercy.
- For the Church gathered here in Holy Communion, as we join with the sons of God and shout for joy to receive Christ's true body and blood, let us pray to the Lord:
- **C** Lord, have mercy.
- P Hear us, heavenly Father, for the sake of Christ Jesus, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C Amen.

★ THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

- Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

 [Hebrews 10:22]
- P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- who made heaven and earth.

Psalm 124:8

- P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Psalm 32:5

(A moment of silence to confess our specific sins.)

- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

- P Upon this your confession...and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- **G** Amen. [John 20:19-23]

LORD'S PRAYER Matthew 6:9-13

- **P** Lord, remember us in Your Kingdom and teach us to pray:
- 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.

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

Matthew 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24; Luke 22:19-20: 1 Corinthians 11:23-25

PAX DOMINI~~(Latin: Peace of the Lord)

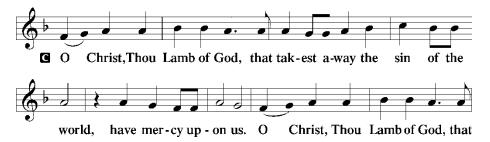
John 20:19

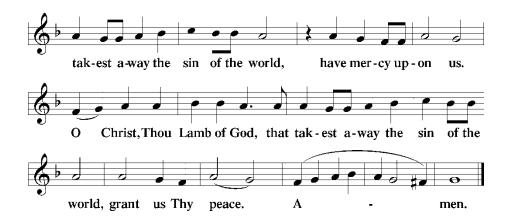
(The pastor here makes a <u>declaration</u> of the peace we have with the Lord through the forgiveness offered in this Sacrament. Therefore, we boldly respond **AMEN!** – which means "Yes, yes, this is so!")

- **P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- C Amen!

AGNUS DEI~~(Latin: Lamb of God)

LSB 198





INVITATION

P Welcome to the table of the Lord.

Sit

DISTRIBUTION

VISITORS, please read the statement concerning Holy Communion on page 2.

Personal Examination Before Communing

- 1. Do I believe I am a sinner and am I sorry for my sins?
- 2. Do I believe Christ's true body and blood to be present in the Lord's Supper for the forgiveness of sins?
- 3. Do I earnestly intend with the help of the Holy Spirit to amend my sinful life? (For a longer examination see pages 329-330 of the hymnal. Communion Prayers are located inside the front cover of the hymnal.)

Instructions for Communing

We use <u>continuous kneeling tables</u> for Holy Communion. The congregation will be ushered forward to kneel. You will receive the Body of Jesus from the Pastors and then the Blood of Jesus from the Elder/Vicar. You may receive either from the common cup or the individual cup. When you have sufficiently meditated, stand, reverence the altar, and return to your seat. Those not communing will receive a blessing from the pastor.

Non-alcoholic white wine is located in the center of each tray and should only be used by those with medical conditions prohibiting the use of wine.

Gluten-free wafers are available from the pastor when you come forward.

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

LSB 629 What Is This Bread

LSB 809 Great Is Thy Faithfulness

LSB 715 Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me

Stand

DISMISSAL

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

BENEDICAMUS/BENEDICTION

P Let us bless the Lord. Psalm 103:1

Thanks be to God.

C Amen.

CLOSING HYMN

Sing Praise to God, the Highest Good

LSB 819

POSTLUDE Sing Praise to God, the Highest Good

arr. Behnke

Before you go: Visitors and Members – please register your attendance.





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CelebrantPastor Mike Ada
iturgist
OrganistLauran Delancy
Acolytes(8:00) Jack McDonald & Henry McDonald (10:45) Kendall Herrs & TBD
Greeters(8:00) Doris Baker & Pat Circle (10:45) Scott & Denise Behrman
Jshers . (8:00) Zach Gardner, Jordan Klebe, Bob Rinne, Karen Rinne, & Kent Thompson
(10:45) Ron Aerni, Brad Keefe, David Raetzel, & Dennis Smith
Altar GuildDenise & Scott Behrman, Deb Hodnik, & Mary Jane Rees
Nursery Sheila & Aubrey Huseman (Helping Hands – Andrew & Marissa Lippe)
CountersJohn Blakley & Keith Gloe
Altar FlowersRandy & Michele Barrett in honor of Matt & Lauren's Wedding Day

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VOICE OF THE MARTYRS PRAYER REQUEST

Pastor Under House Arrest on False Pretenses - Cuba

Pastor Dizzis Ramos' public ministry has made him a target of government officials in his atheistic Communist country. He serves his local community through construction projects for elderly people in need. Earlier this month, he and another pastor were charged for allegedly falsifying receipts after they legally purchased cement for a construction project. Pastor Ramos was placed under house arrest and the other pastor taken into custody. They are also unable to reach the lawyer who has been handling their case. "Everything indicates that this is a trap to stop the work of Pastor Dizzis Ramos, who has made a great positive impact in the community where he pastors," a front-line worker said. "This would be another of those unfortunate events that seek to limit the influence of the Cuban church in society."

PRAYERS REQUESTED THIS WEEK

For **Matthew Barrett and Lauren Ada**, as they were joined in holy matrimony on Friday, June 21st.

For **Stacy Martinez**, who is home recovering from surgery.

For Andrew O'Brien, Ron and Linda Graybeal's grandson-in-law, as he has begun chemotherapy treatment.

For the family of Jack Schutt, the father of Mark & Terrie Boguski's friend Patrick, as they mourn his death.

For Randy and Glenda Schmidgall and family, as they mourn the death of Randy's mother, Verona Schmidgall.

For George and Karen Ledgerwood and family, as they mourn the death of George's father John Ledgerwood.

For Carol Vandenberg and family, as they mourn the death of Carol's mom, Irene Walz.

For Matthew Fox and family, Tom Bremer's nephew, as they mourn the death of Matthew's wife Dana.

For God to bring about peace in the war between Israel and Palestine.

For God to bring about peace in the war between Ukraine and Russia.

For the **ministry of Jonah Schultz and Salem Lutheran Church, Jacksonville, IL**, as he was ordained and installed as their pastor last week.

For **The Evangelical Lutheran Church of Ukraine**, our LCMS partner church, for their safety and love as they care for the people still caught in the conflict.

CONTINUED PRAYERS

For **Josiah and Hannah Schultz, Pastor and Amy Schultz**, as they celebrate the birth of their son/grandson Elias Josiah Joel Schultz.

For **Grant and Lexi Obermueller, Gordon and Sharon Obermueller**, as they celebrate the birth of their son/grandson Luke Gerhardt Obermueller.

For **Pardeep and Krish**, husband and son of Jasmine Markanday, as they travel to India on the one-year anniversary of Pardeep's father's death.

For Austin Nichols, Andrew Nichols' brother who is recovering from hernia surgery.

For **Addison Theisen**, who recovering at home from brain surgery.

For **Helen Claudy**, who has ongoing health issues.

For Karen Kuhn, who is having chemotherapy for stage 4 pancreatic cancer.

For Pat Circle, who is dealing with spinal stenosis and bulging disc.

For Jane Dieckhoff, who was released to a care facility for rehab.

For Kent Pritzel, Robin Pritzel's older brother, who has entered hospice.

For **our expectant mothers: Elise Christensen, Taylor Lewallen, Amy Morin, Morgan Riechers, Sarah Walsh, and Peyton Ziegler** for their unborn children, and for those who long for God's gift of children.

For those undergoing cancer treatment: Mandy Bender, Kevin Berube, Dale Brandt, Dani Chapin, Jordan Ebach, Karen Feldes, Wanda Fisher, Brad Gellerstedt, Garth Gonseth, Maya Goudy, John Huss, Brian Jenkins, Lauren Kandt, Linda Knight, Mikaela Koch, Karen Kuhn, Judy Landall, John Mahnken, Bonnie Malloch, Lorette Marsh, Milroy Moses, Susan Mountain, Melissa Nesemeier, Andrew O'Brien, ThLori Russel, Lisa Schaefer, Randy Schlueter, Tyler Smith, Eydie Taylor, Kathy Woods, and Neal Wurth.

For **our partner church in Zacapa, Guatemala:** Pray that God would bless this congregation with church members and the community that they would be strengthened and encouraged in His faith.

For **our neighbors at Fieldstone Apartments**, that God would bless them through our interactions, and they may come to know Christ.

For **all those who are unemployed or under-employed**, that the Lord would provide for all their needs and lead them to jobs soon. For those who have secured jobs, we offer prayers of thanksgiving.