

## September 25, 2022Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost10:30AMwith Rite of Baptism of Paisley Grace Guy

#### + GATHERING +

#### **PRELUDE MUSIC**

Adagio "Nimrod" from Enigma Variations Rhosymedre Prelude in G Edward Elgar Ralph Vaughan Williams William Henry Harris

#### WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

<We stand.>

#### **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who is eager to forgive and who loves us beyond our days.

#### Amen.

Dear friends, together let us acknowledge our failure to love this world as Jesus does.<We kneel.>Silence is kept for reflection.

God of mercy and forgiveness,

We confess that sin still has a hold on us. We have harmed your good creation. We have failed to do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with you. Turn us in a new direction. Show us the path that leads to life. Be our refuge and strength on the journey, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and friend. Amen.

<We stand.>

Beloved of God:

your sins are forgiven + and you are made whole. God points the way to new life in Christ, who meets us on the road. Journey now in God's abiding love through the power of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.** 

GATHERING HYMN

Arise, Your Light Has Come! ELW 314

#### GREETING

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

#### And also with you.

## HYMN OF PRAISE



#### **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Let us pray together... God of presence,

you remained fully with Joseph when he sat long years in a prison for a crime he did not commit. Help us to see that you are always with us, so that we might live faithfully in your world. We pray these things in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

#### <We sit.> + WORD +Genesis 39:1-23 Pew Bible pg. 31 READING The Word of the Lord! Thanks be to God! LIL' LUTHERAN TALK

#### SERMON

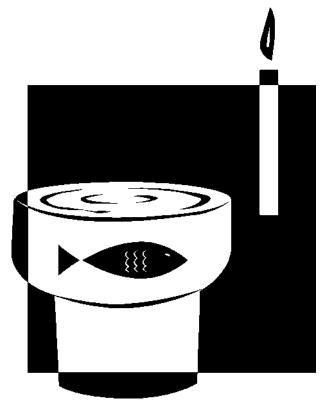
<We stand.>

#### HYMN OF THE DAY

## **Goodness Is Stronger than Evil RITE OF BAPTISM**

Paisley Grace Guy

You may follow along on page 227 in the ELW (red hymnal)



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Rev. Matthew Titus

**ELW 721** 

<We kneel>

#### **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

Each prayer petition will end with 'God of grace.' The response is 'receive our prayer.'

<We stand.>

#### SHARING OF THE PEACE

You are invited to share the peace with those participating in worship. You are invited to share the peace however you and those around you are comfortable.

<We sit.>

**ANTHEM** 

Anne Krentz Organ

<We stand.>

## + MEAL +

#### **OFFERTORY PRAYER**

Let us pray ... through Jesus Christ, who sets a table for all. Amen.

## **GREAT THANKSGIVING**

The Lord be with you. And also with you. Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

#### PREFACE

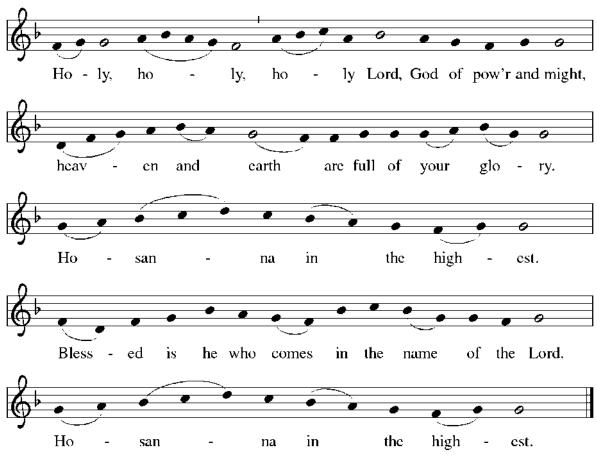
It is indeed right, our duty, and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise... Here the minister continues with the preface for the day, concluding... we praise your name and join their unending hymn.



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**ELW pg. 108** 

Rejoice



## THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

Holy, mighty, and merciful Lord ...

... be all honor and glory, now and forever.

#### Amen.

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

#### INVITATION TO THE MEAL

Christ invites you to this table. Come, taste and see.

<We sit.>

## COMMUNION

Participation in Holy Communion is open to all the baptized of this and other Christian congregations. We come in faith that Christ is truly present in, with, and under the bread and the wine. We receive this gift knowing that we are forgiven and are nourished to be sent to proclaim God's love to the world. You are invited to come to the altar to receive the bread and wine. If you are not able, the meal will be brought to you in your pew. A gluten –free wafer is available, upon request, for those who need it.

**COMMUNION HYMN** For the Bread Which You Have Broken **ELW 494** 

# <We stand.> THE TABLE BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. **Amen.** 



#### POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Let us pray ... for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen. + SENDING +

| SUNG BLESSING<br>In the name of the Father. | May the Lord bless and keep you. |
|---|----------------------------------|
| In the name of the Father.                  | May the Lord bless and keep you. |
| In the name of the Son.                     | May God's face shine upon you.   |
| In the name of the Son.                     | May God's face shine upon you.   |
| In the name of the Spirit.                  | May God's blessings be with you. |
| In the name of the Spirit.                  | May God's blessings be with you. |
| The Three-in-One.                           | And give you peace.              |
| <b>The Three-in-One.</b>                    | <sup>6</sup> And give you peace. |

#### SENDING HYMN

## **Canticle of the Turning**

ELW 723

<Please turn and face the rear of the nave.>

#### DISMISSAL

Go in peace, with Christ beside you. Thanks be to God!

## POSTLUDE

Prelude in E minor

J. S. Bach

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## **Evangelical Lutheran Church in America** God's work. Our hands.

## Worship Leadership

| Worship Leader        | Reverend Matthew Titus                         |  |
|-----------------------|--|--|
| Worship Assistant     | Jerry Haltiwanger                              |  |
| Acolyte               | Miriam Titus                                   |  |
| Crucifer              | Jacob Chapman                                  |  |
| <b>Choir Director</b> | Gayle Lindley                                  |  |
| Organist              | Huger Caughman, Jr.                            |  |
| Youth Director        | Aubrey Guyton                                  |  |
| Video                 | Matt Bowers                                    |  |
| Audio                 | Annette Belcher, Ben Bowers, Kristin Caughman, |  |
|                       | or Claire Grosshuesch                          |  |
| Communion Prep        | Lynn Cary                                      |  |

## Announcements

**The Altar Flowers** are given to the Glory of God and in honor of their daughter Kathryne's birthday by David and Vickie Wiseman.

**The Prayer & Care Class** began meeting on Monday September 12 from 2:30 pm-4:30 pm in the Fesperman classroom upstairs in the educational building. We meet each Monday afternoon except when the church is closed for a holiday. Anyone is welcome to come and join us for some creative card making. No experience required! **OKTOBERFEST** - This year Redeemer will have a presence at Newberry's annual Oktoberfest Festival on October 1. We will need volunteers to help talk about the church, hand out cups, show folks how to use the prayer loom (which will be provided by the SC Synod Office), and paint faces of all who would like to partake! Please contact the church office or PM if you are interested. As a reminder, Oktoberfest lasts from 10am -6pm on that Saturday, so we will need plenty of volunteers!

**LMM** - If you would like to join the Committee of 100 or would like more information, please contact Johnny Lindsay. The Committee of 100 banquet will be held on Tuesday, October 4 at 7:00 pm at Grace, Prosperity. If you would plan to attend, please notify Walter Jacobs or Huger Caughman, Jr.

| Today      | 9:30 am            | Sunday School                               |
|------------|--------------------|---|
|            | 10:30 am           | Worship                                     |
|            | 4:00pm             | Confirmation                                |
|            | 5:30 pm            | Youth                                       |
| Monday     | 2:30-4:30 pm       | Prayer & Care Class                         |
|            | 6:00 pm            | Anger Management - Room 141                 |
|            |                    |   |
| Tuesday    | 10:00 am           | Prayer Shawl Ministry                       |
|            | 3:30 pm            | Youth Homework and Hang at Genesis          |
|            | 6:30 PM            | Project Nectar                              |
| Wednesday  | 6:30 pm            | Handbell - McCullough Music Ministry Room   |
|            | 7:30 pm            | Senior Choir-McCullough Music Ministry Room |
| Thurs, Fri |                    |   |
| Saturday   | 10:00 am - 6:00 pm | OKTOBERFEST                                 |

#### **OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 25 - OCTOBER 2**

#### Attendance for Sept. 18, 2022

| Sunday School | 31  |
|---------------|-----|
| In-Person     | 75  |
| Online        | 85  |
| Total         | 160 |

Offering for this Week: Needed Weekly - \$6,000.00

Received 9-18-22 - \$8,453.73

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