

All Saints Lutheran Church

Everyone is Welcome here! Seriously, Everyone!

Good Things Come in Small Packages

October 5, 2025 at 9:30 am

Wales, WI

Welcome to Sunday Worship!

Congregational Responses will be in Bold.

Judy Knoernschild

Welcome and Prayer Requests

Opening Hymn

"Great is thy Faithfulness"

#733 vs 1, 2

Greeting

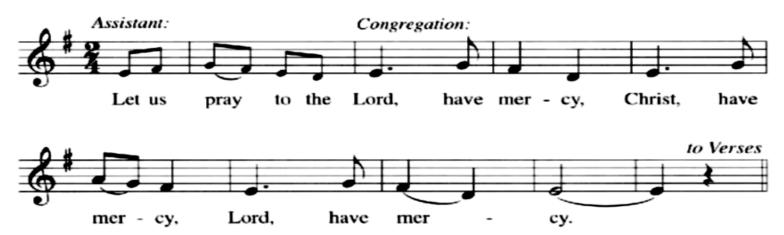
Prelude

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

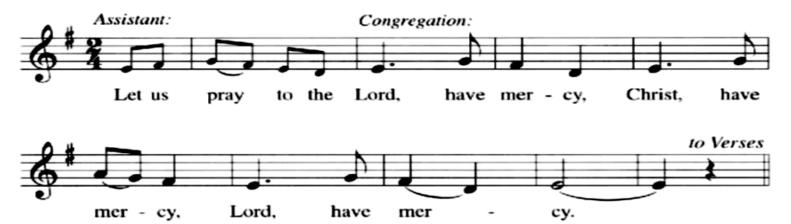
C: And also with you.

Kyrie

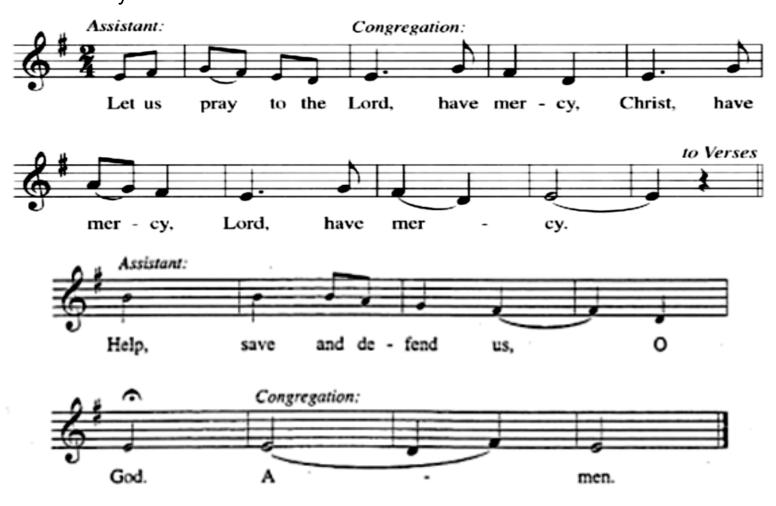
P: In peace, in peace.



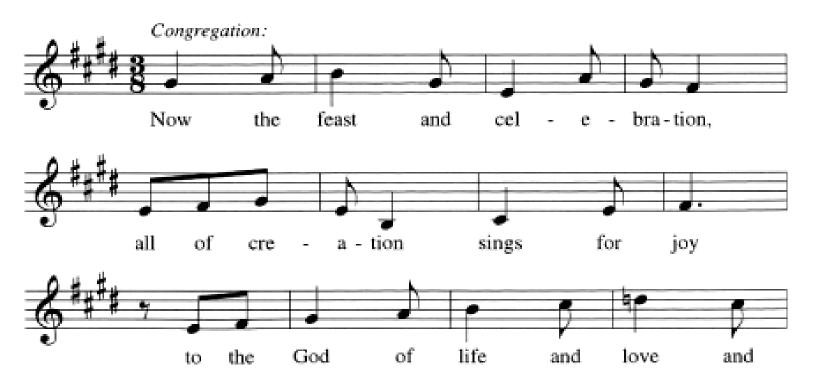
P: For the Reign of God, and for peace throughout the world, for the unity of all....



P: For your people here, who have come to give you praise, for the strength to live your Word...



HYMN OF PRAISE









Prayer of the Day

Benevolent, merciful God: When we are empty, fill us. When we are weak in faith, strengthen us. When we are cold in love, warm us, that with fervor we may love our neighbors and serve them for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

First Reading Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

- ¹ The oracle that the prophet Habakkuk saw.
- ²O LORD, how long shall I cry for help, and you will not listen? Or cry to you "Violence!" and you will not save? ³Why do you make me see wrongdoing and look at trouble? Destruction and violence are before me; strife and contention arise. ⁴So the law becomes slack, and justice never prevails. The wicked surround the righteous; therefore judgment comes forth perverted.
- ^{2:1}I will stand at my watchpost and station myself on the rampart; I will keep watch to see what he will say to me and what he will answer concerning my complaint. ² Then the LORD answered me and said: Write the vision; Make it plain on tablets, so that a runner may read it. ³ For there is still a vision for the appointed time; it speaks of the end and does not lie. If it seems to tarry, wait for it; it will surely come; it will not delay. ⁴ Look at the proud! Their spirit is not right in them, but the righteous live by their faithfulness.

Second Reading 2 Timothy 1:1-14

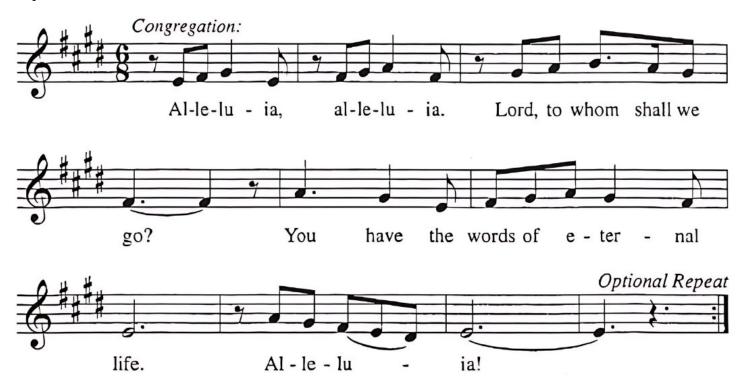
¹ Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, for the sake of the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus, ² To Timothy, my beloved child: Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

³ I am grateful to God—whom I worship with a clear conscience, as my ancestors did—when I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. ⁴ Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled with joy. ⁵ I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you. ⁶ For this reason I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is within you through the laying on of

my hands, ⁷ for God did not give us a spirit of cowardice but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-discipline.

⁸ Do not be ashamed, then, of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner, but join with me in suffering for the gospel, in the power of God, ⁹ who saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works but according to his own purpose and grace, and this grace was given to us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, ¹⁰ but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Savior Jesus Christ, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. ¹¹ For this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher, ¹² and for this reason I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know the one in whom I have put my trust, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day the deposit I have entrusted to him. ¹³ Hold to the standard of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. ¹⁴ Guard the good deposit entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us.

Gospel Verse



²⁵ Now large crowds were traveling with [Jesus], and he turned and said to them, ²⁶ "Whoever comes to me and does not hate father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters, yes, and even life itself, cannot be my disciple. ²⁷ Whoever does not carry the cross and follow me cannot be my disciple. ²⁸ For which of you, intending to build a tower, does not first sit down and estimate the cost, to see whether he has enough to complete it? ²⁹ Otherwise, when he has laid a foundation and is not able to finish, all who see it will begin to ridicule him, ³⁰ saying, 'This fellow began to build and was not able to finish.' ³¹ Or what king, going out to wage war against another king, will not sit down first and consider whether he is able with ten thousand to oppose the one who comes against him with twenty thousand? ³² If he cannot, then while the other is still far away, he sends a delegation and asks for the terms of peace. ³³ So therefore, none of you can become my disciple if you do not give up all your possessions."

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Children's Message

Sermon "Good Things Come in Small Packages" Pastor Jennifer Rose

Hymn of the Day "My Life Flows On in Endless Song" #763 vs 1,2,4

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

Each prayer petition will end with:

P: God of grace,

C: hear our prayer.

The prayers will end with:

P: We offer our prayers, O God, trusting in your everlasting grace and mercy, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen

Sharing the Peace of Christ

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

We encourage you to share God's peace however you are comfortable. Handshakes, high-5's, fist bumps, peace signs, and waves are all appropriate.

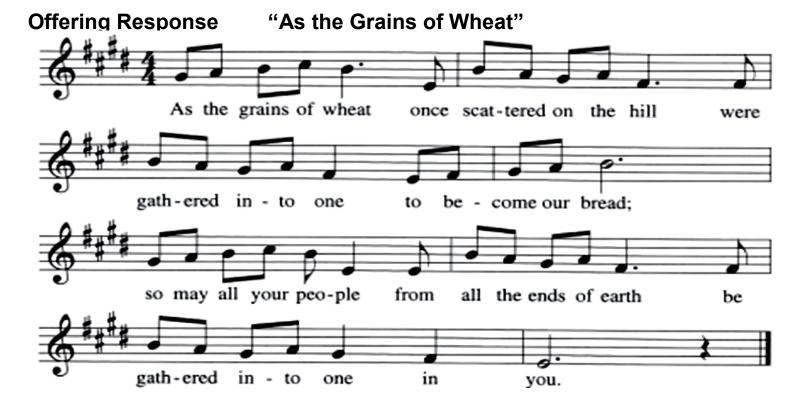
Offering

The offering is an act of worship. We offer a portion of what God has blessed us with for the purpose of doing God's work in the world through the church. You can donate via collection plate, by scanning the QR Code, or Texting to Give at 262-233-1776.

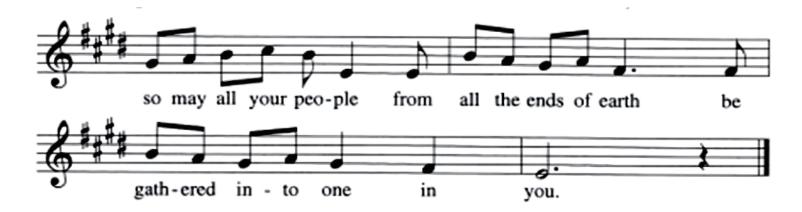


Offering Music

Judy Knoernschild





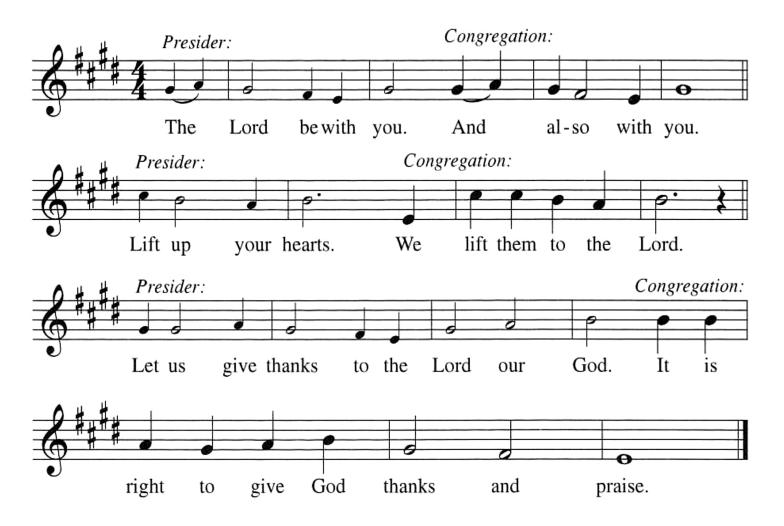


Offering Prayer

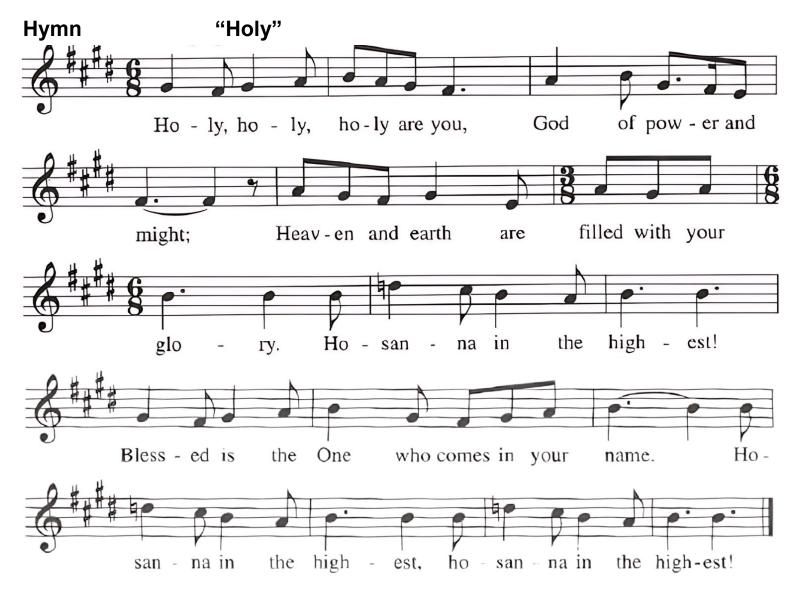
P: Let us pray.

C: Lord of the harvest, we return to you a portion of what you have given to us. Turn us to set our hope not on the uncertainty of riches, but on you, who richly provides for us. Multiply what we have gathered to bless all who are suffering and in need, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Communion "The Great Thanksgiving"



P: It is our duty and delight that we should everywhere and always offer thanks and praise to you O God through Jesus Christ who calls us to follow his way of humble service and love, and so with the church on earth all creation and the host of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn.



Words of Institution

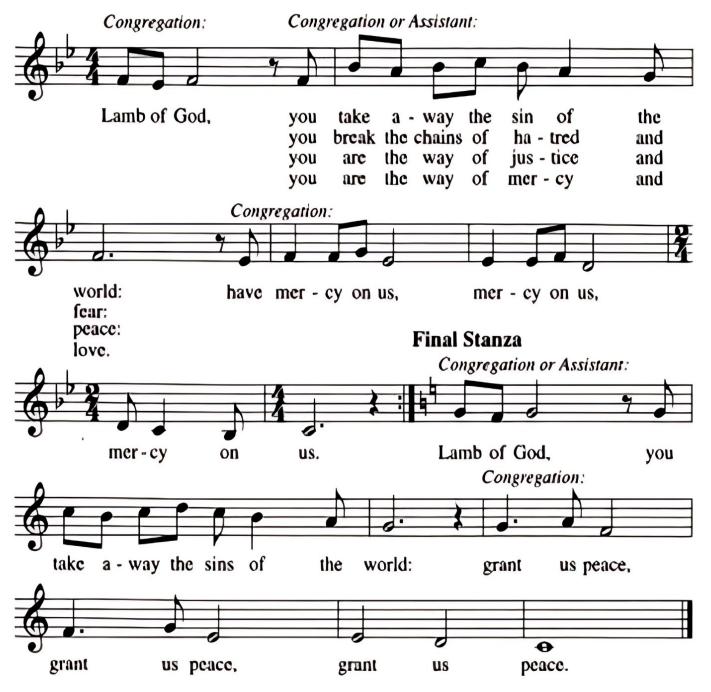
The Lord's Prayer

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 Communion

This is a table of grace where all are welcome! Please come forward to receive Holy Communion. For those of you who are with us online, please find some sort of bread and wine/juice at home to use and share during Communion. Feel free to say to one another, "The body and blood of Christ given and shed for you."





Communion Hymn "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" #759

Communion Hymn "Abide with Me" #629

Post Communion Blessing

P: The God of righteousness, who gives justice to the oppressed, who gives food to the hungry, who sets the prisoners free, bless you now and forever.

C: Amen.

Prayer After Communion

O God, through this meal you have strengthened us and appointed us to be your servants. Send us to do good and to share our possessions with all in need. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

Blessing

P: The God of righteousness, who gives justice to the oppressed, who gives food to the hungry, who sets the prisoners free, bless you now and forever.

C: Amen.

Announcements

Closing Hymn "Build Us Up, Lord" #670

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Do not lose heart.

C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude Judy Knoernschild

Thank you for joining us in worship today!



Worship Participants	October 5 th	October 12th
Reader	Nansi Hawkins	Tammy Zell
Communion Servers	Nansi Hawkins & Kathy Neubert	Brenda Calhoun and Volunteer Needed
Communion Prep	Kathy Neubert	Brenda Calhoun
Greeters	Caroline Basley	Volunteers Needed
Coffee Hosting	Sue Misko and Caroline Basley	Chuck and Ellen Gallagher
Ushers	Greg Cholka	Al and Kathy Theis

To sign up for Greeters and Readers, you can scan the QR Code.

Coffee Hosts can sign up in the kitchen.

Ushers are assigned by Greg Cholka.









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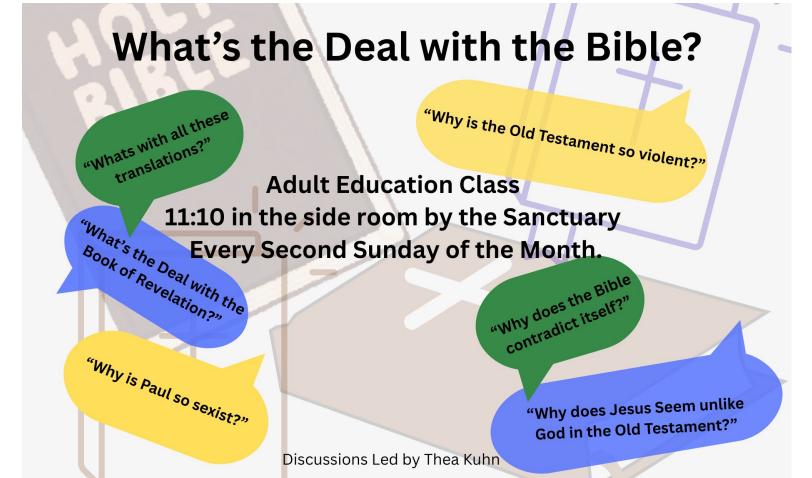
We welcome people of every age and size, color and culture,

every sexual orientation and gender identity,

any socio-economic status and every ability and challenge.

We welcome believers and questioners, and questioning believers.













Organized by Dylan Johnson, member and Arrowhead student

Needed Items:

- New in original packaging men's and women's underwear
- New in original packaging men's and women's ankle socks
- New unused toiletries: shampoo, conditioner, soap, body wash, razors, shaving cream, deodorant, and lotions



Drop Off at Church, Order using Amazon Wishlist, or Donate via Vemno





ALL SAINTS LUTHERAN CHURCH

New Member

INFORMATIONAL SESSION

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND

10:45 AM



Please grab some coffee and treats before you meet in the Youth Room



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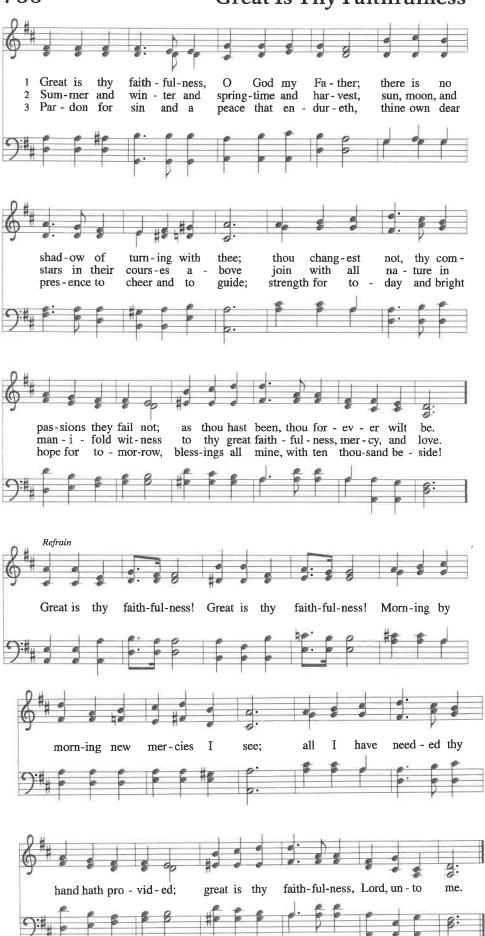
2026 Stewardship Appeal Save the Date

Commitment Sunday
November 16th



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Great Is Thy Faithfulness



My Life Flows On in Endless Song 763 life flows on end - less song; a-bove earth's lam-en - ta - tion, in Through all the tu - mult and the strife, I hear that mu-sic ring - ing. What though my joys and com-forts die? The Lord my Sav-ior liv - eth. peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, a foun-tain ev-er spring-ing! catch the sweet, though far-off hymn that hails a new cre - a - tion. finds an ech - o in my soul. How can I keep from sing-ing? What though the dark - ness gath-er round? Songs in the night he giv - eth. How can I keep from sing-ing? things are mine since I am his! Refrain storm can shake my in-most calm while to that Rock I'm cling-ing. Since Christ is Lord of heav-en and earth, how can I keep from sing-ing?



Text: Ray Palmer, 1808–1887 Music: Lowell Mason, 1792–1872

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Abide with Me



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Build Us Up, Lord

