

Summer

OUR SAVIOR
LUTHERAN CHURCH

WELCOME TO OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH

We are honored you have chosen to worship with us today. Our Savior is a community that aspires to follow Jesus so that all may know of the love of God in Christ.

FAMILY RESOURCES At the sanctuary entrance there are books and clipboards with paper & crayons. Children are welcome to take these items into worship. Additionally, the family area just outside the sanctuary has full audio and a view of the service. There you will find toys, books, seating and room to roam.

COVID REMINDERS Due to the Delta variant surge, **for the unvaccinated, masks are strongly recommended** per state guidelines. **For the vaccinated, masks are optional.** Pastor Vaswig and staff members have been fully vaccinated. For now there will be no coffee hour following the service. We invite you to continue conversations outside the church building. All services are streamed live on our YouTube channel.

HOLY COMMUNION Communion is the central gathering meal of the church. In this meal Christ promises to be fully present, offering forgiveness, a renewed faith, and a regenerative life. Everyone is invited to come forward to the table. You are welcome to remain seated if you prefer.

Individual servings of bread & wine (red) or juice (white) await you at the altar. *Please be sensitive to physical distancing at the altar rail.* After consuming the elements, place the cup in the trays provided. To indicate that you would like to receive words of blessing instead of bread & wine, simply cross your arms over your chest.

Offerings may be left in the basket on the table at this time.

WE'D LOVE TO CONNECT If you find yourself in a time of spiritual need or you're searching for more, we would love to walk with you. Simply fill out a Connections Card and we will contact you.

ABOUT THE LITURGICAL ARTS INSTALLATION: *40 + 1 Drops*
40 days of rain. 40 days in the wilderness. 40 years of wandering.
1 drop that changed everything.

Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, August 15, 2021



OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH
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TIME AFTER PENTECOST—HOLY COMMUNION

GATHERING: THE HOLY SPIRIT CALLS US TOGETHER AS THE PEOPLE OF GOD.

PRELUDE

Festival Prelude on "113th" — Gilbert M. Martin

Jiyoung Lee

WELCOME

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

PM: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who forgives all our sin,
whose mercy endures forever.

C: Amen.

PM: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and
worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

PM: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

PM: Most merciful God,

C: we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen

PM: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins
and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin,
and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved.

In the name of + Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you
with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

C: Amen.

GATHERING HYMN

I Come with Joy

ELW #482 (vs. 1: Cantor; vs. 2 – 5: all)

GREETING

PM: 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.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

WORD: GOD SPEAKS TO US IN SCRIPTURE READING, PREACHING AND SONG.

FIRST READING

Proverbs 9:1-6

¹Wisdom has built her house, she has hewn her seven pillars. ²She has slaughtered her animals, she has mixed her wine, she has also set her table. ³She has sent out her servant-girls, she calls from the highest places in the town, ⁴“You that are simple, turn in here!” To those without sense she says, ⁵“Come, eat of my bread and drink of the wine I have mixed. ⁶Lay aside immaturity, and live, and walk in the way of insight.”

AM: Word of God, word of life. C: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 34:9-14

⁹Fear the Lord, you saints of the Lord, for those who fear the Lord lack nothing. ¹⁰The lions are in want and suffer hunger, but those who seek the Lord lack nothing that is good. ¹¹Come, children, and listen to me; I will teach you reverence for the Lord. ¹²Who among you takes pleasure in life and desires long life to enjoy prosperity? ¹³Keep your tongue from evil and your lips from lying words. ¹⁴Turn from evil and do good; seek peace and pursue it.

SECOND READING

Ephesians 5:15-20

¹⁵Be careful then how you live, not as unwise people but as wise, ¹⁶making the most of the time, because the days are evil. ¹⁷So do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. ¹⁸Do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery; but be filled with the Spirit, ¹⁹as you sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs among yourselves, singing and making melody to the Lord in your hearts, ²⁰giving thanks to God the Father at all times and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

The image shows four staves of musical notation for the Gospel Acclamation. Each staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The lyrics are: "Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia." The notes are simple, with some phrases connected by slurs.

THE GOSPEL

John 6:51-58

PM: The holy gospel according to John. C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Jesus said, ⁵¹“I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.”

⁵²The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, “How can this man give us his flesh to eat?” ⁵³So Jesus said to them, “Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of

Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. ⁵⁴Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; ⁵⁵for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. ⁵⁶Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. ⁵⁷Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. ⁵⁸This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever.”

PM: The Gospel of the Lord. C: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Pastor John L. Vaswig

HYMN OF THE DAY

Praise and Thanksgiving

ELW #689

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

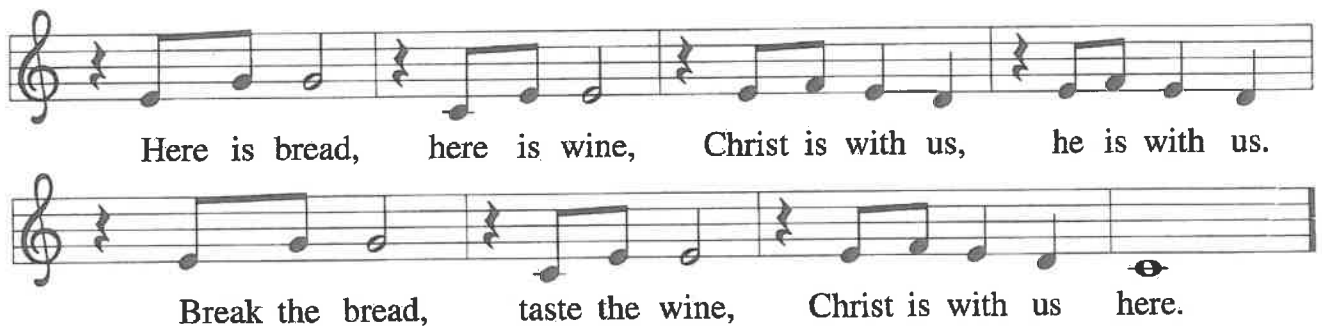
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of 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

MEAL: GOD FEEDS US WITH THE PRESENCE OF JESUS CHRIST.

TABLE SONG



Here is bread, here is wine, Christ is with us, he is with us.

Break the bread, taste the wine, Christ is with us here.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

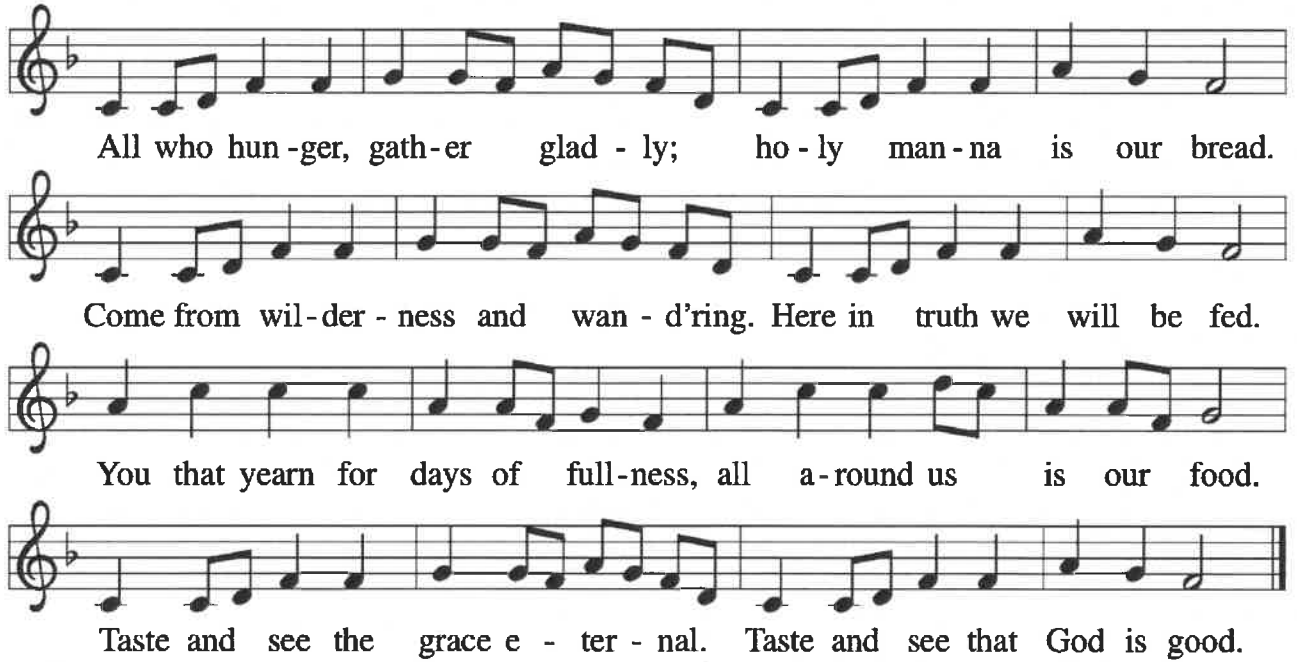
PM: Lord, remember us in your love as you teach us to pray:

C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

Offerings may be left in the basket at this time.

Communion Canticle

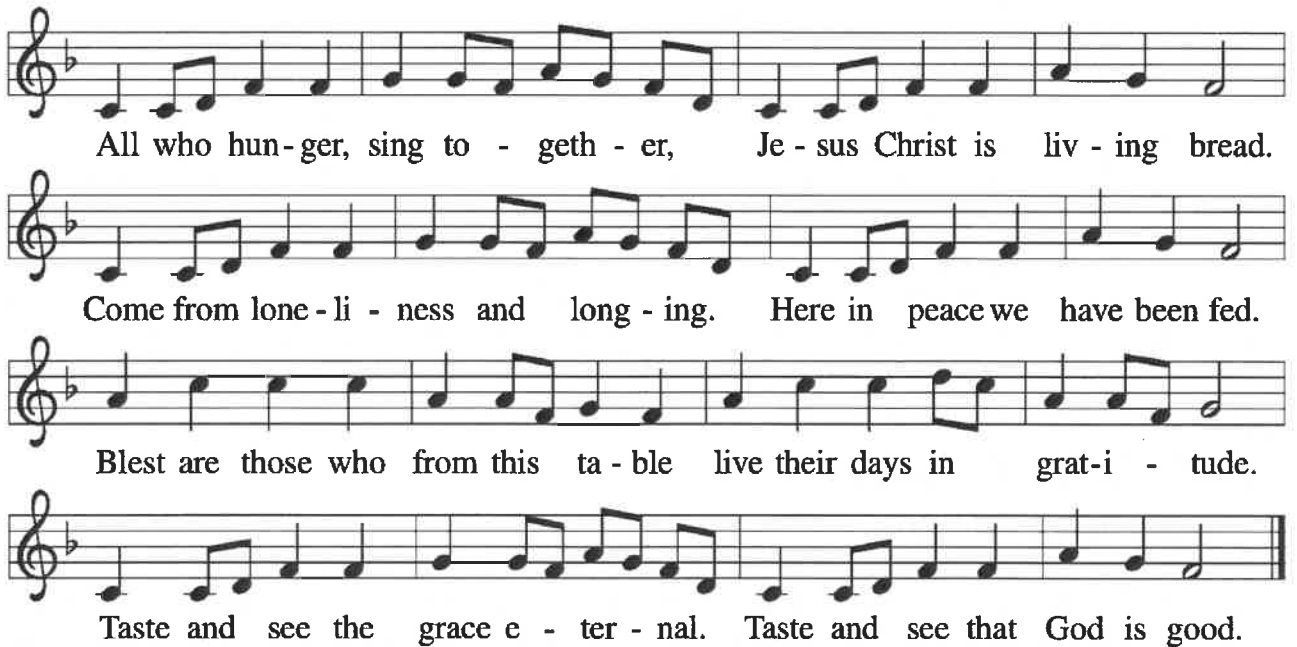


All who hun - ger, gath - er glad - ly; ho - ly man - na is our bread.
 Come from wil - der - ness and wan - d'ring. Here in truth we will be fed.
 You that yearn for days of full - ness, all a - round us is our food.
 Taste and see the grace e - ter - nal. Taste and see that God is good.

Distribution Hymn

ELW #515 *Break Now the Bread of Life*

Post-Communion Canticle



All who hun - ger, sing to - geth - er, Je - sus Christ is liv - ing bread.
 Come from lone - li - ness and long - ing. Here in peace we have been fed.
 Blest are those who from this ta - ble live their days in grat - i - tude.
 Taste and see the grace e - ter - nal. Taste and see that God is good.

BLESSING

SENDING HYMN

On Our Way Rejoicing

ELW #537

DISMISSAL

AM: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

Gloria — W. A. Mozart, arr. George Blake

Jiyoung Lee

Serving in Worship:

Leader: Pastor John L. Vaswig
Assisting Minister: Joan Friel
Cantor: Scott Hafso
Organist: Jiyoung Lee
Pianist: Scott Hafso
Altar Guild: Delaney Cash, Jean Pass
Bread: Marilyn Carlson
Video & Sound Assistants: David Hersey, Leslie Waltzer

Readings for next week: Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18; Ephesians 6:10-20; John 6:56-69

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Our Savior Lutheran Church Staff

Rev. John L. Vaswig, *Transition Pastor*
Shari Lundberg, *Parish Administrator*
Dr. Jiyoung Lee, *Parish Organist*

Scott Hafso, *Director of Worship & Music*
Kate Gagnon, *Lay Visitation Minister*

This Week at Our Savior Lutheran Church

TODAY

10:00 am

AUGUST 15TH — TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Worship Service

MONDAY

AUGUST 16TH

TUESDAY

8:00 pm

7:00 pm

AUGUST 17TH

AA — Alcoholics Anonymous (Fellowship Hall)

Church Council Meeting (Narthex)

WEDNESDAY

6:00 pm

AUGUST 18TH

Campfire Worship on Lake Sammamish

4405 E. Lake Sammamish Parkway S.E. Issaquah

THURSDAY

8:00 am

9:30 am

10:00 am

5:00 pm

AUGUST 19TH

TOPS — Take Off Pounds Sensibly (Christian Education Room)

Mission Quilters (Fellowship Hall)

Al Anon (Christian Education Room)

Community Meals Program (Issaquah Fire House)

FRIDAY

AUGUST 20TH

NEXT SUNDAY

10:00 am

AUGUST 22ND — THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Worship Service

Emergency Pastoral Care

For emergency pastoral care, please contact
OSLC Transition Pastor John L. Vaswig at
253-677-4515 (mobile) or JLVaswig@gmail.com.

OSLC Announcements



**FINAL SUMMER CAMPFIRE WORSHIP
FOR SUMMER 2021
WEDNESDAY AUGUST 18TH
6:00 PM ON LAKE SAMMAMISH**

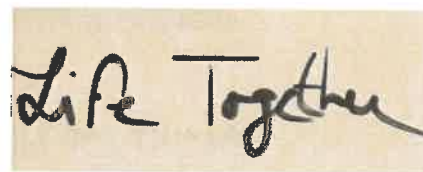
Location: 4405 E. Lake Sammamish Parkway SE, in Issaquah.

Join us at the Flintoft property on Lake Sammamish Wednesday, August 18th for our final campfire worship for this summer. Due to high fire danger, we'll roast hotdogs and marshmallows on a b-b-q rather than a campfire. The church will provide hotdogs, condiments, marshmallows and s'mores fixings, plus water and utensils. If you would like a different beverage, please bring it. Also bring a potluck item to share and a chair to sit on if you would like. Pastor John will lead us in worship, and our own Jeff Jewel will lead us in music. Questions? Please contact Connie Fletcher at fletch501c@comcast.net.



**MARINERS GAME
FUN & FELLOWSHIP
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH**

The Mariners are playing the Arizona Diamondbacks in interleague play on Sunday, September 12th, 1:10pm, and you are invited to join your fellow baseball fans and cheer the M's on! Tickets are \$41 for 100/ main level seats. To sign up, contact Joan Friel (frielj4@comcast.net or 425-941-2925) and give her your name, and how many tickets you wish to purchase. Then write a check made out to "OSLC" for the cost of the tickets, with "Fellowship—Mariners' Game" on the subject line, and put the check in the offering plate or turn it in to the church office. Deadline to order tickets: 12 noon on Monday, September 6th. Go Mariners!



**LIFE TOGETHER WEDNESDAYS
FOOD, STUDY & SONG
STARTING SEPTEMBER 15TH
12 NOON AND 5:45 PM**

Join us on Wednesdays starting September 15th, at 12 noon or at 5:45 pm. Each gathering will begin with a meal & fellowship, followed by a study of Dietrich Bonhoeffer's *Life Together* led by Pastor John. The 5:45 pm gathering will conclude with Sing-



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Prayer is putting our faith into action. We invite you to include these people in your daily prayers. You can make prayer requests via email at office@oslcissaquah.org. All written requests will remain on this list for 4 weeks.

José, Laura, Mariví, Yuelisse, Margot health and healing. (Margot Inman)

Vickie comfort and healing for cancer. (Connie Fletcher)

Michael Smolin healing from pneumonia, and comfort for his dementia. (Mary Ardissono, Suzanne D'Errico)

Megan successful surgery and recovery. (daughter to Suzanne D'Errico)

Ken Konigsmark healing and strength following a concussion. (Jane Shen)

Ryan Steffen on the wait list for a kidney donation. (husband to Kristina Steffen)

Guests of the Community Meals Program safety, health and peace of mind. (Connie Fletcher)

Nicole DeCamp healing and strength. (Ken DeCamp and Cheryl Leiter)

Healing and peace of mind: Josee Jordan (Dianne Tanner); Rachel (Marilyn Carlson); **Henrik & Patty Christopherson** (Dianne Tanner); Vern Lindquist; **Marian James**; **Doug Patur**; **Katie Moeller**; **Margot Inman**; **Taufik Hidayut** (Ken Konigsmark); **Rebecca Thomas**; **Tanisha Foote** (Marilyn Carlson); **Dorothy Soland**; **Randi Strom**; **Jeanne Kuipers**; **John Pass**; **Florence Kin-nune**; **Carol Harbolt**; **Sandy Aldworth**; **Jen Winslow**; **Larry Pruitt**

Undergoing cancer treatment: **Marge Schaper** (sister-in-law to Lena Schaper); **Kip Hauser** (father of Cheryl Hauser); **Ver-nell Johnson** (Shelley & Mark Howe); **Rog-er Stanley** (Alice Lewis); **Tim Rutten** (cousin of Mark Howe); **Carol Howe** (cousin of Mark Howe); **Tom Killoran** (Shelley Howe); **Les Carlson** (father of Dave Carl-

son); **Harold Mandt** (brother of Mary Ann Hult and Lorna Robertson); **Chris Howe** (brother of Mark Howe); **Peggy Scalise** (cousin of Mark Howe); **Eileen Letts** (cousin of Mark Howe); **Keith DeCamp** (brother of Ken DeCamp); **Doug McVety** (Helen Ny-chay); **Larry Harbolt** (Ray Harbolt)

Living with cancer: **Jeannie Lindquist**; **Gerald Welch** (Vern and Jeannie Lindquist); **Liz Kidd** (Bob Beck); **Duane Jacobson**; **Mary Lewis** (sister-in-law of Lyle and Alice Lewis); **Barbara Krogh Jarvis** (sister of Steve Krogh); **Suzanne Lewis** (daughter-in-law of Lyle & Alice Lewis); **Greg Petersen** (Wes Collum); **Barbara Jones** (mother of Ron Sordahl); **Al Batt** (Connie Fletcher)

Expectant Mothers: **Marian Martin** (Stacy Smith)

Mourning the death of loved ones: For peace and comfort during this time of grieving for the family and friends of: **Mike & JD Golick** (brother-in-law to Patty Gerde); **Margarita Preston Dardet** and **Junca Sierra** (Margot Inman).

Members and friends serving in the military; fire & police departments, & emergency rooms.

Global Missions and Missionaries: Ch-clayo, Peru: **Pepe** at Las Brisas, **Merci** in San Antonio and **Harold** at Las Lomas. **MaaSae Girls Lutheran Secondary School** in Tanzania.

Thanksgiving: For the final cancer treatment for **Sonja**, she is now looking forward to preschool. (granddaughter of Henrik & Patty Christopherson)

Safe Travel: For **Patty Gerde**, **Karen**, **Niri**, and **Tasha**, Aug. 24th-30th to Anchorage for a memorial service for Mike and JD Golick.

