

Time after Pentecost

OUR SAVIOR  
LUTHERAN CHURCH

## WELCOME TO OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH

We are honored you have chosen to worship with us. 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 REMINDER:** Our Savior's Executive Committee strongly suggests attendees continue to wear masks in worship, principally because of singing. This is in keeping with the Synod suggestion to continue masking when singing, around others at high risk, in crowded spaces, or with children under five.

**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. You are welcome to remain seated if you prefer.

Individual servings of bread & wine (red) or juice (white) await you. Communion will be distributed at the center aisle in front of the altar. *Please be sensitive to physical distancing.* 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: "50"**

The term *Pentecost* comes from a Greek word meaning "fiftieth." It refers to the festival celebrated on the fiftieth day after Passover. In Christian tradition, Pentecost represents fulfillment of the promise that Christ will baptize his followers with the Holy Spirit.

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost  
Sunday, August 14, 2022  
10:00 am



**OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
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## HOLY COMMUNION

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

**PRELUDE**

*On Wings of Song* — F. Mendelssohn

Jiyoung Lee

**WELCOME**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

*Be Still in the Presence*



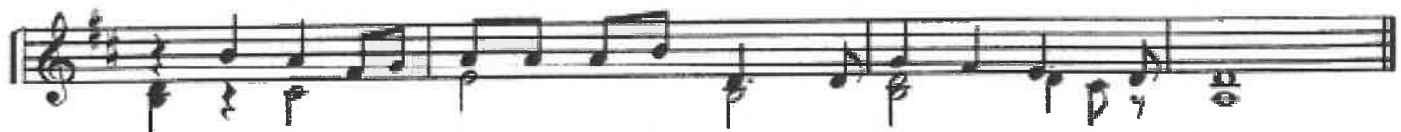
1. Be still, for the pre-sence of the Lord, the Ho - ly One is here.  
2. Be still, for the glo - ry of the Lord is shin - ing all a - round.  
3. Be still, for the pow - er of the Lord is mov - ing in this place.



Come, bow be - fore Him now, with rev - er - ence and fear.  
He burns with - ho - ly fire, with splen - dour He is crowned.  
He comes to - cleanse and heal, to min - is - ter His grace.



In Him no sin is found, we stand on ho - ly ground.  
How awe - some is the sight, our rad - iant King of Light!  
No work too hard for Him, in faith re - ceive from Him,



Be still, for the pre-sence of the Lord, the Ho - ly One is here.  
Be still, for the glo - ry of the Lord is shin - ing all a - round.  
Be still, for the pow - er of the Lord is mov - ing in this place.

## CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

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: 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.

PM: Most merciful God,

**C: we confess that we are in bondage 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: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

**OPENING HYMN**

*Shine, Jesus, Shine*

WOV #651

**GREETING**

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

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

**FIRST READING**

Jeremiah 23:23-29

<sup>23</sup>Am I a God near by, says the Lord, and not a God far off? <sup>24</sup>Who can hide in secret places so that I cannot see them? says the Lord. Do I not fill heaven and earth? says the Lord. <sup>25</sup>I have heard what the prophets have said who prophesy lies in my name, saying, "I have dreamed, I have dreamed!" <sup>26</sup>How long? Will the hearts of the prophets ever turn back—those who prophesy lies, and who prophesy the deceit of their own heart? <sup>27</sup>They plan to make my people forget my name by their dreams that they tell one another, just as their ancestors forgot my name for Baal. <sup>28</sup>Let the prophet who has a dream tell the dream, but let the one who has my word speak my word faithfully. What has straw in common with wheat? says the Lord. <sup>29</sup>Is not my word like fire, says the Lord, and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?

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

**SECOND READING**

Hebrews 11:29--12:2

<sup>29</sup>By faith the people passed through the Red Sea as if it were dry land, but when the Egyptians attempted to do so they were drowned. <sup>30</sup>By faith the walls of Jericho fell after they had been encircled for seven days. <sup>31</sup>By faith Rahab the prostitute did not perish with those who were disobedient, because she had received the spies in peace.

<sup>32</sup>And what more should I say? For time would fail me to tell of Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah, of David and Samuel and the prophets—<sup>33</sup>who through faith conquered kingdoms, administered justice, obtained promises, shut the mouths of lions, <sup>34</sup>quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in

war, put foreign armies to flight. <sup>35</sup>Women received their dead by resurrection. Others were tortured, refusing to accept release, in order to obtain a better resurrection. <sup>36</sup>Others suffered mocking and flogging, and even chains and imprisonment. <sup>37</sup>They were stoned to death, they were sawn in two, they were killed by the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, persecuted, tormented—<sup>38</sup>of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and mountains, and in caves and holes in the ground.

<sup>39</sup>Yet all these, though they were commended for their faith, did not receive what was promised, <sup>40</sup>since God had provided something better so that they would not, apart from us, be made perfect.

<sup>12:1</sup>Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, <sup>2</sup>looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who for the sake of the joy that was set before him endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God.

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

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the  
 words of e - ter - nal life. 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 GOSPEL**

Luke 12:49-56

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

Jesus said: <sup>49</sup>“I came to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled! <sup>50</sup>I have a baptism with which to be baptized, and what stress I am under until it is completed! <sup>51</sup>Do you think that I have come to bring peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division! <sup>52</sup>From now on five in one household will be divided, three against two and two against three; <sup>53</sup>they will be divided: father against son and son against father, mother against daughter and daughter against mother, mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law.”

<sup>54</sup>He also said to the crowds, “When you see a cloud rising in the west, you immediately say, ‘It is going to rain’; and so it happens. <sup>55</sup>And when you see the south wind blowing, you

say, 'There will be scorching heat'; and it happens. <sup>56</sup>You hypocrites! You know how to interpret the appearance of earth and sky, but why do you not know how to interpret the present time?"

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

**SERMON**

Dr. Andrew Wilson

**HYMN OF THE DAY**

*I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light*

WOV #649

**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.**

**GREAT THANKSGIVING**

PM: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

PM: Lift up your hearts.

**C: We lift them to the Lord.**

PM: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

**PROPER PREFACE**

PM: It is indeed right and salutary that we should at all times and in all places offer thanks...

...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

*(Sing twice)*



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, my heart, my heart a - dores you.



My heart is glad to say the words: You are ho - ly, God.

## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

PM: Lord, remember us in your kingdom and 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.

Lamb of God (*Sing twice*)

Je - sus Lamb of God, have mer - cy on  
us. Je - sus bear - er of our sins have mer - cy on us.  
Je - sus re - deem - er of the world, give us Your peace.

Distribution Hymns

*Lord, Let My Heart Be Good Soil* WOV #713

*You Satisfy the Hungry Heart* WOV #711

*Eat this Bread* WOV #709

Post Communion Blessing

**BENEDICTION**

**CLOSING HYMN**

*Go, My Children, With My Blessing*

WOV #721

**DISMISSAL**

AM: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**POSTLUDE**

*Fanfare on "St. Gertrude"* — Gordon Young

Jiyoung Lee



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**Serving in Worship:**

Leader: Pastor John L. Vaswig  
Guest Preacher: Dr. Andrew Wilson  
Assisting Minister: Joan Friel  
Organist/Pianist: Jiyoung Lee  
Usher: Sang-Beom Shim  
Altar Guild: Jane & Peter Shen  
Sound / Videography: Jonathan Smith

**Readings for next Sunday:** Isaiah 58:9b-14; Hebrews 12:18-29; Luke 13:10-17

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**Our Savior Lutheran Church Staff**

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

Shari Lundberg, *Parish Administrator*

# This Week at Our Savior Lutheran Church

## TODAY

**AUGUST 14TH — TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**Pencils & Pants / Gift Card Collection**

(See Community Outreach announcements for details)

**Worship Service**

**Coffee & Fellowship Hour (Fellowship Hall)**

*Debra Zadinsky (Sanctuary)*

**10:00 am**

**11:00 am**

**12:00 pm**

## MONDAY

**AUGUST 15TH**

**Focus Newsletter Deadline**

**Congregational Care Ministry (Narthex)**

**10:30 am**

## TUESDAY

**AUGUST 16TH**

*Issaquah Food & Clothing Bank (Christian Ed. Room)*

**Site Planning Committee**

Contact Rick West at rickjanbecca@comcast.net for Zoom info.

**Church Council**

Contact Chuck Bachman at bachmancj@aol.com for Zoom info.

*AA – Alcoholics Anonymous (Fellowship Hall)*

**10:00 am**

**1:00 pm**

**7:00 pm**

**8:00 pm**

## WEDNESDAY

**AUGUST 17TH—SUMMER CAMPFIRE WORSHIP**

**Summer Campfire Worship on Lake Sammamish**

Location: 4405 E. Lake Sammamish Parkway S.E. in Issaquah

**6:00 pm**

## THURSDAY

**AUGUST 18TH**

**Community Meals Program (Kitchen & Fire House)**

**3:00 pm**

## FRIDAY

**AUGUST 19TH**

## SATURDAY

**AUGUST 20TH**

**Endowment Committee**

Contact Carl Boruck at carl.boruck@boruck.com for Zoom info.

**9:30 am**

## NEXT SUNDAY

**AUGUST 21ST — ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**Worship Service (Sanctuary)**

**Coffee & Fellowship Hour (Fellowship Hall)**

**10:00 am**

**11:00 am**

### **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



**THIS WEDNESDAY!**  
**SUMMER CAMPFIRE WORSHIP**  
**AUGUST 17 @ 6:00PM** Bring a dish to share if you would like and join us for dinner and worship on Lake Sammamish Wednesday evenings, August 17 & 24. We have invited our neighbors, Spirit of Peace UCC, to join us on these evenings as well. This week Pastor Jenn Hagedorn, Spirit of Peace UCC, will lead worship together with Pr. Vaswig. We will celebrate the good gifts of our Creator and nurture God's promise in our lives. We hope you choose to participate, and we hope you invite others. **Location:** 4405 E. Lake Sammamish Parkway S.E. in Issaquah.



**THANK YOU!**  
**PENCILS & PANTS / GIFT CARD DRIVE** Thank you to all who brought items for the Pencils & Pants

drive for Eastside Baby Corner, as well as gift cards for Community Outreach today. With these gifts we will be able to support families in times of transition.



As many of you know, my last day as a staff member of Our Savior will be Thursday, August 18th. I'm grateful for the 10 years I have worked at Our Savior, and the many lovely

and faithful people with whom I have had the opportunity to collaborate, pray and worship. Many Sunday mornings remain in my memory with feelings of love and community. Thank you for your caring and friendship. I'm excited to see what the future holds for the people of Our Savior Lutheran Church in Issaquah! Sincerely, Shari Lundberg

## MEETINGS THIS COMING WEEK:

**MONDAY, AUGUST 15TH**  
Congregational Care meets at 10:30 am.

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 16TH**  
Site Planning Committee meets at 1 pm.  
Church Council meets at 7:00 pm

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17TH**  
Campfire Worship meets at 6:00 pm

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 20TH**  
Endowment Committee meets at 9:30 am.

## ++Share & Prayer++

*We invite you to include these people in your daily prayers. You can make prayer requests via email at [office@oslcissaquah.org](mailto:office@oslcissaquah.org). All written requests will remain on this list for 4 weeks. A complete list of prayers can be found in the Focus newsletter each month.*

**Justin Carter** as he struggles with a diagnosis of MS as a young man. (Mike Anderson)  
**Lynnette** healing from surgery. (daughter to Cheryl Neeb)

**Norris, his wife Cheryl and his caregiver.** (Marlice Gilmore)

**Megan Friel** recovery from surgery on her broken foot. (daughter to Joan & Michael Friel)

**Bob Beck** healing. (Debby Beck)

