THE EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 4th, 2020 10:30am





Christ Lutheran Church

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AS WE GATHER The vineyard is frequently used in Scripture to denote a special place in God's creation. To have a vineyard and enjoy its fruit is a blessing. When the prophet Isaiah speaks of the goodness of the Lord, he says that God's favored people "shall build houses and inhabit them; they shall plant vineyards and eat their fruit" (Isaiah 65:21). Vineyards were planted with a fruitful harvest in mind. We are the Lord's planting, and we eagerly await our harvest home.

Budget Update:

	<u>September</u>	$\underline{\text{YTD}}$
Receipts:	\$ 10,530	\$ 190,053
Expenses:	\$ 12,583	\$ 169,600
Over/(under):	\$ (2,053)	\$ 20,453

PPP Loan: \$ 40,100* Operating Loan: \$ 26,030 Savings Borrowed: \$ 6,000 Total Debt: \$ 72,130

<u>THE LORD'S SUPPER</u> is the participation in the actual Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, the New Covenant, whose blessings are received through faith. This is a meal for those who comprehend the mystery of the Supper through instruction in God's Word and who can then publicly confess their unity of faith with us at the altar. If you are not a member of one of our sister congregations, please speak with Pastor during the week before communing. We truly want you to receive the Sacrament to your benefit and God's glory!

Come, Ye Thankful People, Come

LSB 892

Confession and Absolution

Stand - The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

LSB 184

Service of the Word

Introit

Ps. 118:22–24; antiphon: Ps. 118:1

Oh give thanks to the LORD, for | he is good;*

for his steadfast love endures for- | ever!

The stone that the builders re- | jected*

has become the | cornerstone.

This is the LORD's | doing;*

it is marvelous | in our eyes.

This is the day that the | LORD has made;*

let us rejoice and be | glad in it.

(SUNG) Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*

^{*} We have spent the monies from the Payroll Protection Program loan and are waiting on the Small Business Administration and our bank on processing of the forgiveness portion of this loan.

and to the Holy | Spirit; as it was in the be- | ginning,* is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

Oh give thanks to the LORD, for | he is good;*
for his steadfast love endures for- | ever!

Kyrie, Gloria in Excelsis, Salutation and Collect of the Day

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 5:1-7

¹Let me sing for my beloved my love song concerning his vineyard: My beloved had a vineyard on a very fertile hill. ²He dug it and cleared it of stones, and planted it with choice vines; he built a watchtower in the midst of it, and hewed out a wine vat in it;

and he looked for it to yield grapes, but it yielded wild grapes. ³And now, O inhabitants of Jerusalem and men of Judah, judge between me and my vineyard. ⁴What more was there to do for my vineyard, that I have not done in it? When I looked for it to yield grapes, why did it yield wild grapes? ⁵And now I will tell you what I will do to my vineyard. I will remove its hedge, and it shall be devoured; I will break down its wall, and it shall be trampled down. ⁶I will make it a waste; it shall not be pruned or hoed, and briers and thorns shall grow up; I will also command the clouds that they rain no rain upon it. ⁷For the vineyard of the LORD of hosts is the house of Israel, and the men of Judah are his pleasant planting; and he looked for justice, but behold, bloodshed; for righteousness, but behold, an outcry!

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

Gradual Ps. 91:11; 103:1

He will command his angels con- | cerning you*

to guard you in | all your ways.

Bless the LORD, | O my soul,*

and all that is within me, bless his | holy name!

Epistle

Philippians 3:4b–14

⁴though I myself have reason for confidence in the flesh also. If anyone else thinks he has reason for confidence in the flesh, I have more: ⁵circumcised on the eighth day, of the people of Israel, of the

tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; ⁶as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness, under the law blameless. ⁷But whatever gain I had, I counted as loss for the sake of Christ. ⁸Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things and count them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ ⁹and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God that depends on faith— ¹⁰that I may know him and the power of his resurrection, and may share his sufferings, becoming like him in his death, ¹¹that by any means possible I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

¹²Not that I have already obtained this or am already perfect, but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. ¹³Brothers, I do not consider that I have made it my own. But one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, ¹⁴I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.

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

Stand - Alleluia and Verse

Alleluia. The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; this was the Lord's doing, and it is marvelous in our eyes. Alleluia.

Holy Gospel

Matthew 21:33-46

- P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-first chapter.
- C Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

³³[Jesus said:] "Hear another parable. There was a master of a house who planted a vineyard and put a fence around it and dug a winepress in it and built a tower and leased it to tenants, and went into another country. ³⁴When the season for fruit drew near, he sent his servants to the tenants to get his fruit. ³⁵And the tenants took his servants and beat one, killed another, and stoned another. ³⁶Again he sent other servants, more than the first. And they did the same to

them. ³⁷Finally he sent his son to them, saying, 'They will respect my son.' ³⁸But when the tenants saw the son, they said to themselves, 'This is the heir. Come, let us kill him and have his inheritance.' ³⁹And they took him and threw him out of the vineyard and killed him. ⁴⁰When therefore the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?" ⁴¹They said to him, "He will put those wretches to a miserable death and let out the vineyard to other tenants who will give him the fruits in their seasons." ⁴²Jesus said to them, "Have you never read in the Scriptures: "'The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; this was the Lord's doing, and it is marvelous in our eyes'? ⁴³Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people producing its fruits. ⁴⁴And the one who falls on this stone will be broken to pieces; and when it falls on anyone, it will crush him."

⁴⁵When the chief priests and the Pharisees heard his parables, they perceived that he was speaking about them. ⁴⁶And although they were seeking to arrest him, they feared the crowds, because they held him to be a prophet.

- P This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- C Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Nicene Creed

Sit - Hark, the Voice of Jesus Calling

LSB 827

Sermon

Stand - Offertory

LSB 192

Prayer of the Church

Pastor: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Jesus Christ and for all people according to their needs.

For the whole Christian community around the world that, as people united in faith, we are emboldened to witness to the good news that is ours in Christ Jesus,

Pastor: let us pray to the Lord. **People: Lord, have mercy.**

Pastor: Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we

pray, trusting in Your mercy through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

People: Amen.

Service of the Sacrament

Preface LSB 194

P It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus, Lord's Prayer, The Words of Our Lord, Pax Domini, Agnus Dei

Sit - **Distribution -** The pastor and those who assist him receive the body and blood of Christ first and then distribute them to those who come to receive.

Instrumental Hymn

Thine the Amen, Thine the Praise

LSB 680

Stand - Nunc Dimittis, Thanksgiving, Salutation and Benedicamus, Benediction

Christ, the Word of God Incarnate

LSB 540

Attendance last Sunday: 42
Vacancy Officiant: Pastor Brian Roehrborn
Organist: Christ Cutts
Elder: Ben Berg
Ushers:
Altar Guild: Karen Tesch

TURKEY DINNER PLANNING MEETING: is today at 10:00am, or prior to the church service.

<u>SPECIAL VOTERS MEETING</u> will be <u>TODAY</u> Sunday, October 4th after service.

<u>ADULT BIBLE CLASS:</u> Will continue with "Christianity The First Three Centuries." Please come and join us as we learn more about our Christian Heritage on Sunday mornings 9:15am.

FOR THE SAFETY OF CHRIST LUTHERAN SCHOOL STUDENTS please follow signage on School/Church doors when entering the building during school hours.

<u>CONFIRMATION CLASS</u> will be every other Wednesday from 6-8pm, the next class is October 7th.

<u>CHRIST LUTHERAN SUNDAY SCHOOL</u> has started for the year. Please see Narthex Announcement Board or church website for Sunday School dates. If you can bring snack for any of these dates, please see signup sheet in Narthex. The next Sunday School date is Sunday, October 11.

Thank you for your time and support.

Christ Lutheran School is looking for a small SWING SET: This will allow the younger grades to be able to swing and still social distance from the other students. If you or someone you know may have one to donate, please call the school at 920-867-3263.

THIS WEEK:

SUNDAY- OCTOBER 4

9:15am Bible Class 10:00am Turkey Dinner planning meeting 10:30am Worship Service w/ Holy Communion Voters meeting after worship service

WEDNESDAY- OCTOBER 7

1:00pm Chapel service

SUNDAY- OCTOBER 11

9:15am Bible Class 10:30am Worship Service Children Sing Sunday School

<u>CHRIST LUTHERAN SCHOOL FALL FESTIVAL:</u> Anyone interested in donating candy, small trinkets, pencils etc. for the students Fall Festival gift bags, please leave the donations under the table in the Narthex by October 22. Thank you for your donation!

PRINCIPALS' CORNER: A couple times a month we will be updating you, the congregation, on what is happening at your Christ Lutheran School.

In Ms. Schroeder's classroom, things are progressing well even though we are in the midst of Covid-19 environment. Students are remembering to wear masks and wash hands often. The 4/5 class is learning where the Garden of Eden was, in the Fertile Crescent. We will be creating cuneiform on clay in art class. The 6thgr is learning about England, and about plants and flowers in science. We have an awesome class this year. Poor Darrian Lund has broken his wrist-please pray for swift healing for Darrian.

In Mrs. Willis's Class the students have been getting into the swing of having school in the classroom again. Students have been learning the days of the week, counting to 100 and doing various centers. All the students very much enjoy Mrs. Rita coming to read to them on Thursdays!

In gym class the children played "Get off the Island!" During this game, the children could use various gym equipment to get from one side of the gym to the other without touching the ground. You may have seen the various pictures posted on Facebook of this fun time for the students!

CELC Prayer List— Darrian Lund (healing for his broken arm), Mary Jane Baehman (surgery & healing), Verona Lipke (healing & strength); Mary Gray (hospice); Tim Rohan (cancer), Sonny Bauer's son in law; Samuel Cartwright; Bob Buchholtz; Michael Felske, CarrieAnn Rohm's Father; Megan Morissey (healing) Goddaughter of Jim & Sue Boshers; Ron Lund (hospice) father of Jeremy & Ronnie Lund; Raymond Pagel (healing & strength).

In the Military: Kolden Baehman, Grandson of Jim & Mary Jane Baehman, in the Marines

Our Shut Ins: Mary Grambsch, Lisa Liepert, Stanley Behm, Lynnette Hannemann, Esther Nehring, Sam & Betty Cartwright, Karen Pagel

For an emergency please contact......

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