

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

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Sundays at 8 am and 10:30 am
and Wednesdays at 6:30 pm

Communion Statement:

In our congregation we follow the historic Lutheran practice of closed communion. This is nothing new, nor a novel innovation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. Rather, for many centuries, this was the universal practice of all of Christendom, and to this day, is still practiced by the majority of the Christian Church.

We observe closed communion because the Lord's Supper is a public profession of our unity of faith. (1 Corinthians 10:16-17)

We believe Christ's body and blood are truly present in the bread and the wine for forgiveness of our sins. (1 Corinthians 11:23-25)

*We observe closed communion to protect people in body and soul from taking the Lord's Supper to their judgment and harm.
(1 Corinthians 11:27-32)*

Our practice is prompted by our love, care, and concern for all people. If you are not a communicant member of a congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, please do not commune today.

However, please know that we look forward to having you at the Lord's Table soon. We sincerely invite you to visit with Pastors Poppe or Moline about the joys of Holy Communion. They will offer you instruction about our Lutheran faith and this sacrament of the Lord's Supper, so you will be ready to stand with us and partake of this wonderful meal.

Visitation

(Transferred)

July 1, 2020

Introit (*1 Sam. 2:1-2, 7-8; antiphon: Luke 1:46b-47*)



My soul magni- | fies the Lord,*
and my spirit rejoices in God my | Savior.
My heart exults in the LORD; my strength is exalted | in the LORD.*
My mouth derides my enemies, because I rejoice in your sal- | va-
tion.
There is none holy like the LORD; there is none be- | sides you;*
there is no rock | like our God.
The LORD makes poor and | makes rich;*
he brings low and | he exalts.
He raises up the poor from the dust; he lifts the needy from the | ash
heap*
to make them sit with princes and inherit a seat of | honor.
For the pillars of the earth | are the LORD's,*
and on them he has | set the world.
Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.
My soul magni- | fies the Lord,*
and my spirit rejoices in God my | Savior.

Collect of the Day

Almighty God, You chose the virgin Mary to be the mother of Your Son and made known through her Your gracious regard for the poor and lowly and despised. Grant that we may receive Your Word in humility and faith, and so be made one with Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gradual (*Ps. 103:2; 105:5; 100:4*)

Bless the LORD, | O my soul,*
and forget not all his | benefits.
Remember the wondrous works that | he has done,*
his miracles, and the judgments he | uttered.
Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his | courts with praise!*
Give thanks to him; | bless his name!

DIVINE SERVICE SETTING THREE LSB 184

Welcome and Prayer	
Opening Hymn	LSB 935
Invocation, Confession and	
Absolution*.	LSB 184-185
Introit—See <i>Propers</i> *	
Kyrie*	LSB 186
Hymn of Praise* Gloria in Excelsis	
Salutation and Collect of the Day*	
Scripture Readings (<i>on back</i>):	
Old Testament..... Isaiah 11:1-5	
Gradual— See <i>Propers</i>	
Epistle	Romans 12:9-16
Gospel*	Luke 1:39-45 (46-56)
Nicene Creed*	LSB 191
Hymn of the Day	
	LSB 518 vs 1,22,3
Sermon:..... Pastor Clint K. Poppe	
Offertory and Offering* ...	LSB 192-193
Prayer of the Church*	
SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT	
Preface*	LSB 194
Sanctus*	LSB 195
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Words of Institution*	LSB 197
Agnus Dei*	LSB 198
Distribution Hymns	LSB 401, 384, 357
Nunc Dimittis*	LSB 199-200
Thanksgiving*	LSB 200-201
Salutation and Benedicamus*	
	LSB 201-202
Benediction*	LSB 202
Closing Hymn	LSB 933

*Please Stand

Hymns for today—

OPENING HYMN

LSB 935.....Tell Out, My Soul, the Greatness of the Lord

SERMON HYMN

LSB 518 vs 1,22,3.....By All Your Saints in Warfare

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

LSB 401.....From God the Father, Virgin-Born

LSB 384....Of the Father's Love Begotten

LSB 357.....O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

CLOSING HYMN

LSB 933.....My Soul Rejoices

Old Testament:

Isaiah 11:1–5

¹There shall come forth a shoot from the stump of Jesse, and a branch from his roots shall bear fruit. ²And the Spirit of the LORD shall rest upon him, the Spirit of wisdom and understanding, the Spirit of counsel and might, the Spirit of knowledge and the fear of the LORD. ³And his delight shall be in the fear of the LORD. He shall not judge by what his eyes see, or decide disputes by what his ears hear, ⁴but with righteousness he shall judge the poor, and decide with equity for the meek of the earth; and he shall strike the earth with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips he shall kill the wicked. ⁵Righteousness shall be the belt of his waist, and faithfulness the belt of his loins.

Epistle: Romans 12:9–16

⁹Let love be genuine. Abhor what is evil; hold fast to what is good. ¹⁰Love one another with brotherly affection. Outdo one another in showing honor. ¹¹Do not be slothful in zeal, be fervent in spirit, serve the Lord. ¹²Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer. ¹³Contribute to the needs of the saints and seek to show hospitality. ¹⁴Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. ¹⁵Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. ¹⁶Live in harmony with one another. Do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly. Never be conceited.

Holy Gospel:

Luke 1:39–45 (46–56)

³⁹In those days Mary arose and went with haste into the hill country, to a town in Judah, ⁴⁰and she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth. ⁴¹And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the baby leaped in her womb. And Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit, ⁴²and she ex-

claimed with a loud cry, “Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb! ⁴³And why is this granted to me that the mother of my Lord should come to me? ⁴⁴For behold, when the sound of your greeting came to my ears, the baby in my womb leaped for joy. ⁴⁵And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfillment of what was spoken to her from the Lord.”

⁴⁶And Mary said,

“My soul magnifies the Lord, ⁴⁷ and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, ⁴⁸ for he has looked on the humble estate of his servant.

For behold, from now on all generations will call me blessed;

⁴⁹ for he who is mighty has done great things for me, and holy is his name.

⁵⁰ And his mercy is for those who fear him from generation to generation.

⁵¹ He has shown strength with his arm; he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts;

⁵² he has brought down the mighty from their thrones and exalted those of humble estate;

⁵³ he has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent empty away.

⁵⁴ He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy,

⁵⁵ as he spoke to our fathers, to Abraham and to his offspring forever.”

⁵⁶ And Mary remained with her about three months and returned to her home



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