

# Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

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## 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 Moline or Goodroad 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. **If you are not yet prepared to receive communion, please come forward and cross your arms over your chest and the pastor will give you a baptismal blessing.**

## St. Mary, Mother of Our Lord

(Transferred)

August 16, 2023

**Introit** (*Ps. 34:2-5; antiphon: Ps. 34:1*)



I will bless the LORD at | all times;\*  
his praise shall continually be | in my mouth.  
My soul makes its boast | in the LORD;\*  
let the humble hear | and be glad.  
Oh, magnify the | LORD with me,\*  
and let us exalt his name to- | gether!  
I sought the LORD, and he | answered me\*  
and delivered me from | all my fears.  
Those who look to him are | radiant,\*  
and their faces shall never | be ashamed.  
**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.**  
I will bless the LORD at | all times;\*  
his praise shall continually be | in my mouth.

## Collect of the Day

Almighty God, You chose the virgin Mary to be the mother of Your only Son. Grant that we, who are redeemed by His blood, may share with her in the glory of Your eternal kingdom; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

## Gradual (*Ps. 45:13-14*)

All glorious is the princess in her | chamber,\*  
with robes interwo- | ven with gold.  
In many-colored robes she is led | to the king,\*  
with her virgin companions following be- | hind her.

## Verse (*Luke 1:46b-47*)

My soul magni- | fies the Lord,\*  
And my spirit rejoices in God my | Savior.

## DIVINE SERVICE SETTING

THREE LSB 184

Welcome and Prayer

**Opening Hymn** .....LSB 356

Invocation, Confession and  
Absolution\* .....LSB 184-185  
Introit—*See Propers*\*

Kyrie\* .....LSB 186

Hymn of Praise\* ..... Gloria in Excelsis

Salutation and Collect of the Day\*

Scripture Readings (*on back*):

Old Testament..... Isaiah 61:7-11

Gradual—*See Propers*

Epistle ..... Galatians 4:4-7

Alleluia and Verse\* .....LSB 190

Gospel\* ..... Luke 1:(39-45) 46-55

Apostles' Creed\* .....LSB 192

**Hymn of the Day** .....LSB 670

Sermon ..... *Pastor Adam Moline*

Offertory and Offering\* ...LSB 192-193

Prayer of the Church\*

## SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

Preface\* .....LSB 194

Sanctus\* .....LSB 195

Lord's Prayer\* .....LSB 196

Words of Institution\* .....LSB 197

Agnus Dei\* .....LSB 198

**Distribution Hymns** .....LSB 905,

**855 vv.1, 8, 3, 4 LSB 352, 594**

Nunc Dimittis\* .....LSB 199-200

Thanksgiving\* .....LSB 200-201

Salutation\* .....LSB 201

Benedicamus\* .....LSB 202

Benediction\* .....LSB 202

**Closing Hymn** .....LSB 933

\*Please Stand

## Hymns for today—

### OPENING HYMN

**LSB 356.....**The Angel Gabriel  
from Heaven Came

### SERMON HYMN

**LSB 670.....**Ye Watchers and  
Ye Holy Ones

### DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

**LSB 905.....**Come, Thou  
Almighty King

**LSB 855 vv.1, 8, 3, 4.....**For  
all the Faithful Women: Mary,  
Mother of Our Lord

**LSB 352.....**Let the Earth Now  
Praise the Lord

**LSB 594.....**God's Own Child,  
I Gladly Say It

### CLOSING HYMN

**LSB 933.....**My Soul Rejoices

### Old Testament:

#### Isaiah 61:7–11

<sup>7</sup>Instead of your shame there shall be a double portion; instead of dishonor they shall rejoice in their lot; therefore in their land they shall possess a double portion; they shall have everlasting joy. <sup>8</sup>For I the LORD love justice; I hate robbery and wrong; I will faithfully give them their recompense, and I will make an everlasting covenant with them. <sup>9</sup>Their offspring shall be known among the nations, and their descendants in the midst of the peoples; all who see them shall acknowledge them, that they are an offspring the LORD has blessed. <sup>10</sup>I will greatly rejoice in the LORD; my soul shall exult in my God, for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation; he has covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself like a priest with a beautiful headdress, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels. <sup>11</sup>For as the earth brings forth its sprouts, and as a garden causes what is sown in it to sprout up, so the Lord God will cause righteousness and praise to sprout up before all the nations.

### Epistle: Galatians 4:4–7

<sup>4</sup>But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman, born under the law, <sup>5</sup>to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as sons.

<sup>6</sup>And because you are sons, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba! Father!" <sup>7</sup>So you are no longer a slave, but a son, and if a son, then an heir through God.

### Holy Gospel:

#### Luke 1:(39-45) 46–55

<sup>46</sup>And Mary said, "My soul magnifies the Lord, <sup>47</sup>and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, <sup>48</sup>for he has looked on the humble estate of his servant. For behold, from now on all generations will call me blessed; <sup>49</sup>for he who is mighty has done great things for me, and holy is his name. <sup>50</sup>And his mercy is for those who fear him from generation to generation. <sup>51</sup>He has shown strength with his arm; he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts; <sup>52</sup>he has brought down the mighty from their thrones and exalted those of humble estate; <sup>53</sup>he has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent empty away. <sup>54</sup>He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy, <sup>55</sup>as he spoke to our fathers, to Abraham and to his offspring forever."

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