Our Savior Evangelical Lutheran Church

18 September A.D. 2016

THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY



Jesus said, "For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted." Luke 14:11

VISITORS Welcome!

We give thanks to the Lord that you are here with us today! Please be sure to introduce yourself to the Pastor and to other members. Take a moment to sign the "Record of Fellowship" booklet located in your pew near the center aisle. If you don't have a church home, please leave us with the appropriate information and we will contact you. We would be delighted to serve you at Our Savior!

THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood is celebrated in the Divine Service. Participation in the Lord's Supper indicates unity in faith (1 Corinthians 10:16-21). Visitors desiring to commune are asked to first speak with the Pastor. Ushers are available to arrange a meeting prior to the service. Parents who bring children to the altar to be blessed during the Lord's Supper, to avoid spillage, please refrain from giving them the individual communion cup after you have communed.

ORDER OF SERVICE

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

DIVINE SERVICE, SETTING TWO, PAGES 167 - 183

Please use this sheet to assist you in following the Order of Service printed in the hymnal.

Prelude

"Seek Where You May to Find a Way" (The Hymn of the Day) P. Kickstat

Kneel/Stand

Confession and Absolution

LSB 167

Stand

Psalm 119:1, 2, 5-6; antiphon: Psalm 119:137, 124

Righteous are you, | O LORD,*

and right are your | just decrees.

Deal with your servant according to your | steadfast love,* and teach me your | statutes.

Blessèd are those whose way is | blameless,*

who walk in the law | of the LORD!

Blessèd are those who keep his testi- | monies,*

who seek him with their | whole heart.

Oh that my ways may be | steadfast*

in keeping your | statutes!

Then I shall not be | put to shame,*

having my eyes fixed on all your com- | mandments.

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.

Righteous are you, | O LORD,*

and right are your | just decrees.

Deal with your servant according to your | steadfast love,* and teach me your | statutes.

Kyrie LSB 168

Hymn of Praise "Gloria in Excelsis" LSB 170

Salutation and Collect of the Day

LSB 172

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Proverbs 25:6–14

Ephesians 4:1–6

Stand

Alleluia and Verse LSB 173

Holy Gospel Saint Luke 14:1–11

(Please remain standing for the Hymn of the Day.)

Hymn of the Day

"Seek Where You May to Find a Way" LSB 557

Sit

Sermon

Stand

Nicene Creed LSB 174

Prayer of the Church LSB 175

Sit

Offering

"Oh, How Good Is Christ the Lord" V. Wright / J. Reeves

(Please pass the "Record of Fellowship" booklet. Be sure to enter each family member/visitor and check the communion box if the member/visitor is partaking.)

Stand

Offertory

"What Shall I Render" ISB 176

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

(Reception of the Lord's Supper indicates unity in confession and faith. If you are a visitor, please refrain from receiving the Blessed Sacrament unless you have first spoken with the Pastor.)

Preface
LSB 177
Sanctus & Prayer of Thanksgiving
LSB 178
Lord's Prayer & Words of Our Lord
LSB 179

Pax Domini & Agnus Dei LSB 180

Sit

Hymns at the Distribution

"When I Behold Jesus Christ" LSB 542
(Stanzas 1 & 3: Junior Choristers)

"For Me to Live Is Jesus" LSB 742

"I Know My Faith Is Founded" LSB 587

"Love in Christ Is Strong and Living" LSB 706
"Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness" LSB 636

Stand

Dismissal

Post-Communion Canticle "Thank the Lord" LSB 181

Post-Communion Collect LSB 183

Benediction LSB 183

Hymn at the Retiring Procession "God of Grace and God of Glory" LSB 850

Postlude "God of Grace and God of Glory" M. Helman

4 Soli Deo Gloria 4

IN PREPARATION for the Divine Service next Sunday, **25 September A.D. 2016**, Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity, take time this week to read the lessons appointed for that day, Psalm 34:8-22, Deuteronomy 10:12-21; I Corinthians 1:1-9, Matthew 22:34-46, and the Hymn of the Day, "Thee Will I Love My Strength, My Tower", *LSB* 694.

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THE FLOWERS ADORNING OUR LORD'S ALTAR today are placed to the glory of our Triune God by Mary Ann Brueggeman in thanksgiving for blessings received.

PARTICIPANTS

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