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Mission Statement

We are disciples of Jesus, Growing in faith, Serving our community, and Connecting others to Christ.

16TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST September 29, 2019

Worship with Holy Communion 8:30 a.m.

Christ Lutheran Church, ELCA

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Please remember to turn off your cell phones.

THE CONGREGATION IS INVITED TO RESPOND WHERE PRINT IS IN **BOLD** AND MARKED WITH A **C**

The archangel Michael is pictured as a prince and a general of the heavenly army, defeating the dragon (the ancient serpent, the devil, Satan). It is important, though, to see in Revelation 12:11 that God's victory ultimately comes by Jesus' death and the testimony of his followers. The power of God's truth gives us confidence in the face of evil on earth, even in the face of our own death.

GATHERING (please join us in song) BLESSED BE YOUR NAME / Redman

Blessed be Your name in the land that is plentiful, where Your streams of abundance flow,

Blessed be Your name.

Blessed be Your name when I'm found in the desert place, Though I walk through the wilderness, Blessed be Your name.

Every blessing You pour out I'll turn back to praise. When the darkness closes in Lord, still I will say;

CHORUS *

Blessed be the Name of the Lord, Blessed be Your name. Blessed be the Name of the Lord, Blessed be Your glorious name.

Blessed be Your name when the sun's shining down on me, when the world's all as it should be,

Blessed be Your name.

Blessed be Your name on the road marked with suffering, Though there's pain in the offering,

Blessed be Your name.

Every blessing You pour out I'll turn back to praise. When the darkness closes in Lord, still I will say;

*CHORUS

BRIDGE

You give and take away, you give and take away, My heart will choose to say, Lord Blessed be Your Name. (Repeat)

*CHORUS

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOCUS

Lord Have Mercy / Merkel

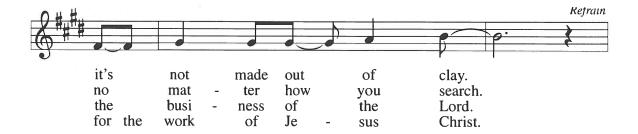
Jesus I've forgotten, the words that You have spoken Promises that burned within my heart have now grown dim.. With-a-doubting heart I follow, the paths of earthly wisdom Forgive me for my unbelief renew the fire again

Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy Lord have mercy, on me Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy Lord have mercy, on me

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS (please stand as you are able)

- P Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, the strength of our ancestors, the host of this meal, the builder of the city that is to come.
- C Amen
- P Seeking reconciliation with God and neighbor, let us remember the gift of baptism and confess our sin. Silence is kept for reflection.
- P God of mercy,
- C we confess that we have sinned against you, against one another, and against the earth entrusted to our care. We have failed to live as your disciples. We are worried and distracted by many things, and we fail to love you above all else. We store up treasures for ourselves and turn away from our neighbors in need. Refresh our hearts and forgive our sin. Raise us to the new life you have chosen for us in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. AMEN.
- P When we were laid low by sin and guilt, God made us alive together with Christ, forgiving us all our trespasses by taking our sins to the cross. Put your trust in this promise: God will never leave you or forsake you. You who were lost have been found. For the sake of † Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Rejoice with the angels at this good news.
- C AMEN.





THE GREETING

- P The grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- C And also with you.



THE PRAYER OF THE DAY (said in unison)

Everlasting God, you have wonderfully established the ministries of angels and mortals. Mercifully grant that as Michael and the angels contend against the cosmic forces of evil, so by your direction they may help and defend us here on earth, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God whom we worship and praise with angels and archangels and all the company of heaven, now and forever. AMEN

(please be seated)

FIRST READING: Daniel 10:10-14; 12:1-3

Daniel trembles in the presence of an angel. That angel tells the prophet about the good and terrible future when the dead will be resurrected and the archangel Michael will usher in the deliverance of the nation.

Just then a hand touched me and lifted me, still trembling, to my hands and knees. And the man said to me, "Daniel, you are very precious to God, so listen carefully to what I have to say to you. Stand up, for I have been sent to you." When he said this to me, I stood up, still trembling. Then he said, "Don't be afraid, Daniel. Since the first day you began to pray for understanding and to humble yourself before your God, your request has been heard in heaven. I have come in answer to your prayer. But for twenty one days the spirit prince of the kingdom of Persia blocked my way. Then Michael, one of the archangels, came to help me, and I left him there with the spirit prince of the kingdom of Persia. Now I am here to

explain what will happen to your people in the future, for this vision concerns a time yet to come."

At that time Michael, the archangel who stands guard over your nation, will arise. Then there will be a time of anguish greater than any since nations first came into existence. But at that time every one of your people whose name is written in the book will be rescued. Many of those whose bodies lie dead and buried will rise up, some to everlasting life and some to shame and everlasting disgrace. Those who are wise will shine as bright as the sky, and those who lead many to righteousness will shine like the stars forever."

- R The Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God

PSALM 103: 1-5, 20-22 (read responsively)

Let all that I am praise the LORD; with my whole heart, I will praise his holy name.

Let all that I am praise the LORD; may I never forget the good things he does for me.

He forgives all my sins and heals all my diseases.

He redeems me from death and crowns me with love and tender mercies.

He fills my life with good things. My youth is renewed like the eagle's! Praise the LORD, you angels, you mighty ones who carry out his plans, listening for each of his commands.

Yes, praise the LORD, you armies of angels who serve him and do his will! Praise the LORD, everything he has created, everything in all his kingdom. Let all that I am praise the LORD.

SECOND READING: Revelation 12:7-12

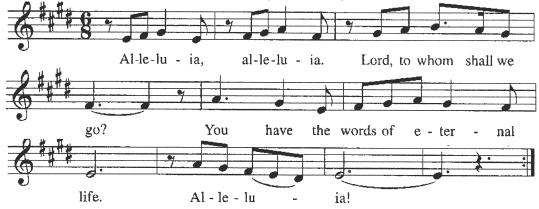
Armed with the power of God, Michael and the angels of God fight those armed with the power of evil, the devil and the devil's angels. The "blood of the Lamb," our crucified Lord Jesus, gives Michael the power to force the devil from a place in heaven.

Then there was war in heaven. Michael and his angels fought against the dragon and his angels. And the dragon lost the battle, and he and his angels were forced out of heaven. This great dragon—the ancient serpent called the devil, or Satan, the one deceiving the whole world—was thrown down to the earth with all his angels. Then I heard a loud voice shouting across the heavens, "It has come at last—salvation and power and the Kingdom of our God, and the authority of his Christ. For the accuser of our brothers and sisters has

been thrown down to earth—the one who accuses them before our God day and night. And they have defeated him by the blood of the Lamb and by their testimony. And they did not love their lives so much that they were afraid to die. Therefore, rejoice, O heavens! And you who live in the heavens, rejoice! But terror will come on the earth and the sea, for the devil has come down to you in great anger, knowing that he has little time."

- R The Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (please stand as you are able)



GOSPEL: Luke 10:17-20

The missionary church ("the seventy-two") is given magnificent power. Greater than this gift of power over the enemy, however, is the gift of salvation: their names are written in heaven.

- P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 10th chapter.
- C Glory to you, O Lord.

The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!" He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you.

Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

- P The Gospel of the Lord
- C Praise to you, O Christ. (please be seated)

CHILDRENS MESSAGE
THE SERMON

Pastor Emil Klatt Pastor Emil Klatt

THE CREED (sung in unison) This I Believe / arr: David Kuhlmann

Our Father everlasting, the all creating One God Almighty Through Your Holy Spirit, conceiving Christ the Son Jesus our Savior

CHORUS

I believe in God our Father,
I believe in Christ the Son
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
Our God is three in one
I believe in the resurrection,
That we will rise again
For I believe in the name of Jesus

Our Judge and our Defender, suffered and crucified Forgiveness is in You Descended into darkness, You rose in glorious life Forever seated high

BRIDGE

I believe in You,
I believe You rose again
I believe that Jesus Christ is Lord [x2]

OUTRO

I believe in life eternal,
I believe in the virgin birth
I believe in the saints' communion,
and in Your holy Church
I believe in the resurrection,
when Jesus comes again
For I believe in the name of Jesus,
For I believe in the name of Jesus
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THE PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

P Drawn to the light of Christ, made bold in the waters of baptism, and filled with the Spirit, we lift up our prayers in confidence that God loves us and listens to us... **Sung Prayer Response**

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord
Open the eyes of my heart
I want to see you, I want to see you (repeat once)

After each portion of the prayers:

P Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

(REPEAT SUNG PRAYER RESPONSE BEFORE FINAL PRAYER)

- P Good and Gracious God, we ask all these things and whatever else you see that we need, with a sure and certain hope in your goodness and mercy, through Jesus Christ our Savior.
- C AMEN.

THE PEACE (We may greet one another in the name of the Lord)

- P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- C And also with you.

THE RETURNING OF GIFTS (please be seated)

THE RETURNING OF GIFTS RESPONSE (please stand as you are able)





THE RETURNING of GIFTS PRAYER (said in unison)

God of abundance, we return to you from the gifts which you have first entrusted to us, and with them our very lives. Through these gifts, help us to bless the lives of others in the strength of your holy name. AMEN.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

- P The Lord be with you.
- C and also with you.
- P Lift up your hearts
- C We lift them to you, Lord
- P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God
- C It is right to praise you, Lord.
- P Blessed are you, Lord Christ! At the right time, you came to live among us, as one of us, bringing good news to the poor, healing the sick, raising the dead, sharing table with the unrighteous, and teaching the ways that leads to life.

By your incarnation, life, suffering, death, and resurrection you delivered us from slavery to sin and made a new covenant with us.

On the night of your betrayal, you took bread, blessed it, broke it, gave it to your disciples and said, "This is my body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

You did the same with the cup after the supper, saying, "This cup that is poured out is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me."

In response to all you have done to save us, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

- C Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.
- P Pour out your Spirit on us. Pour out your Spirit on these gifts. Make these gifts the body and blood of Christ. Make us, through them, Christ's body alive in the world
- C AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (said in unison)

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.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

- P These are the gifts of God for the people of God.
- C AMEN

(please be seated)

THE DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

All baptized persons who believe in the real presence of Christ in our Sacrament for the forgiveness of sins are welcomed to commune. The elements will be received by Intinction. You will receive the Host from the Pastor; move to the chalice bearer to dip a portion of the Host in the wine. Grape juice is available as an alternative to the wine in the second chalice. Children not yet prepared to receive this sacrament are invited to come forward to receive a blessing.

Please come forward at the direction of the ushers.

Let an usher know if you need the Pastor to serve you communion in your seat.





Create in Me a Clean Heart/Music by Tami Kuhlmann 2/08

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Your presence and take not your Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Your salvation and uphold me with Your free Spirit. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. (repeats)

THE POST COMMUNION BLESSING (please stand as you are able)

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

P O God, in this holy communion you have welcomed us into your presence, nourished us with words of mercy, and fed us at your table. Amid the cares of this life, strengthen us to love you with all our heart, serve our neighbors with a willing spirit, and honor the earth you have made; through Christ our Lord.

C AMEN

THE BLESSING

THANKSGIVING AT THE CONCLUSION OF A CALL

L Pastor Emil, we of Christ Lutheran Church called you to be our pastor in this place: to proclaim God's word, to baptize and teach, to announce God's forgiveness, and to preside at the Lord's Table. With the gospel you have comforted us in times of sickness and trouble, and at the death of our loved ones. Sharing our joys and sorrows, you and Barbara have been important to our life together in the church of Jesus Christ, in our service to this community, and in God's mission to the whole world. As you leave this community of faith, we say farewell, and we pray for God's blessing.

People of God, members of Christ Lutheran Church, do you release The Reverend Dr. Emil Klatt as your pastor?

- C We do, and we give thanks to God for our ministry together.
- L Pastor Emil, do you recognize and accept the completion of your ministry with Christ Lutheran Church?
- P I do, and I give thanks to God for our ministry together

THANKSGIVING AND SENDING

L Let us pray. Almighty God, through your Son Jesus Christ you gave the holy apostles many gifts and commanded them to feed your flock. You equip your people with abilities that differ according to the grace given to them, and you call them to various avenues of service. We give you thanks for the ministry of Pastor Emil and Barbara among the people of God in this place.

You watch over our going out and our coming in: bless this time of ending and beginning. You surround your people in every time and place: Keep us close in your love. You accompany your people in times of joy and times of trial: prosper all that has been done to your glory in this time together: heal and forgive all that has fallen short of your will for us. Help Pastor Emil and Barbara and all of us to live with courage and gladness in the future you give to us.

As they have been a blessing to us, so now send them forth to be a blessing to others: through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord,

C AMEN.

SENDING SONG

My Lighthouse / Rend Collective

In my wrestling and in my doubts, in my failures, You won't walk out. Your great love will lead me through. You are the peace in my troubled sea, You are the peace in my troubled sea.

In the silence You won't let go, in the questions Your truth will hold. Your great love will lead me through. You are the peace in my troubled sea, You are the peace in my troubled sea.

Chorus*:

My Lighthouse, my Lighthouse, shining in the darkness, I will follow You. My Lighthouse, my Lighthouse, I will trust the promise You will carry me safe to shore, safe to shore, safe to shore, safe to shore

I won't fear what tomorrow brings, with each morning I'll rise and sing. My God's love will lead me through. You are the peace in my troubled sea, You are the peace in my troubled sea.

*Chorus

Fire before us, You're the brightest, You will lead us through the storms. Fire before us, You're the brightest, You will lead us through the storms

*Chorus

THE DISMISSAL

- P Let us go with God and remember our mission...
- C We are disciples of Jesus, *Growing* in faith, *Serving* our community and *Connecting* others to Christ. Thanks be to God!

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The altar flowers today are given by:

- 1. Karen & Eric Momberger --thanking God for our wonderful 25 years together!
- 2. The Heins Family in honor of Herb's birthday

PRAYER CARES: Nancy Catapano³, (relative of Robin & Fran Baselice) over the sudden loss of her son; Jeff Eanes³, heart surgery; Lois Rockefeller³, (sister of Ann Hamnes) increasing paralysis; Chris Wilcox and family¹ as they mourn the passing of her father, Charles Wilcox; Sunny Tupman², dealing with sudden death of son, Kenneth; Lois Gregory¹, recent fall & shoulder fracture; Steve Alfred* (husband of Rita Hungate) undergoing treatment for Acute Promyelocytic Leukemia; Jackie Young*, breast cancer; JoAnn Livingston*, undergoing treatment for multiple myeloma; Manfred Pyrlik*, recovering from surgery to remove pancreatic cancer mass; Steve Bassford*, hospitalized in Savannah; Sandy Shackelford*, Parkinson's Disease; Gary Gregory*, (son of Lois Gregory) healing; Donna Putrino*; Sandy & Herb Heins*. ALL service personnel; ALL those suffering from natural disasters. // *Ongoing prayer needed. Please use the Blue Cards in the Pew Racks to forward a prayer concern or update to the office

Worship: Communion Assistants and Lectors NEEDED

To participate in a worship service as a Lector or Communion Assistant is a special way to serve our Church.

It's not difficult. It gives you a special feeling when you serve other church members in the service of our Lord. And it may be just the ministry you are looking to try.

If you would like to be either or both or simply have questions as to how this works, please contact Phyllis Rowe, 843-384-9888 or jprowe@hargray.com

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

MY NAME IS

AND MY MINISTRY IS

ST. JAMES SOUP KITCHEN: CLC is called to mission at the soup kitchen EVERY THURSDAY of the month! If you are interested in volunteering or simply want more information, contact Alice Graeb -- 740-298-1086 or the church office

<u>Cookie Bakers</u>: Interested in baking cookies for the Soup Kitchen? Please bring your baked goods to the office by Wednesday noon for Alice to pick up and take to the Soup Kitchen. Need to drop them off sooner? – No Problem! We can place them in the freezer for pick up later in the week



OCTOBER Food Shopping List

"helping our island neighbors in need by providing basic assistance in emergency situations"

Peanut Butter
Jelly
Pasta Sauce
Rice Product Packages (like Rice A Roni, Uncle Ben's etc)
Non-sweetened Cereal (like Cherrios, Rice Krispies)
Canned Chicken, Tuna
Canned Vegetables
Canned Baked Beans
Baby Wipes

For answers to questions or further information contact Chris Wilcox at 843-342-9711.

A new fund has been created!



The Phyllis Novosad Altar Guild Fund

Gifts to this fund are in honor of Phyllis Novosad and the many years she has dedicated to the Altar Guild and Worship & Music Team. Funds will be used to purchase durable goods such as altar candles/holders, chalices, ciboriums, altar

linens, etc.

Thank you to Christy Marsden for suggesting this and kicking it off!

If you wish to donate to the fund, simply put *Novosad Altar Guild Fund* on your envelope or the memo line of your check.

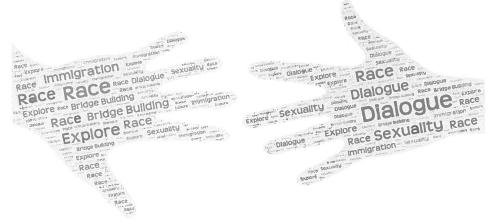
Thanks in advance for your support!



CONNECTED - SPIRITED CONVERSATIONS

Join us on Wednesdays, as we resume CONNECTED @ CLC in Heinrichs Hall at 6 pm with light supper treats and Spirited Conversations.

For this coming 2019/20 year the DIALOGUE IS ON!



> RACE: Oct. 2, 9 & 30; & Nov 6, 13, & 20

Issues prominent in **Dialogues on Race** include environmental justice, immigration, and treaty rights for indigenous people of the Americas. Yet the unique features of anti-black racism remain central to the discussion.

Today, dialogues on race are as apt to occur in street protests as they are in church basements or coffee shops. Actions and words are not seen as separate encounters. There is an expectation that our personal life and our organization's structural reality are transforming and moving toward the justice that our values and faith call us to proclaim.

Dialogues On Race offers a range of perspectives! COME AND BE PART OF THE DIALOGUE!