

September 7, 2025
ONE Worship 10am



**ROSEVILLE LUTHERAN
CHURCH**

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 am • ONE Worship • Sunday, September 7, 2025

*Words in **BOLD** are for congregational participation, either said or sung.*

Words to hymns are printed in this bulletin, but you are encouraged to open up and use the red ELW (Evangelical Lutheran Worship) hymnal found below or in front of your seat. Hymn numbers are provided.

PRELUDE

*Sonata No. 3 (1670)
Lobe den Herren (1665)*

Johann Pezel
Emewerten Gesangbuch

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INVOCATION

This Is the Day

Anne Krentz Organ

OPENING HYMN

You Servants of God

ELW 825

**You servants of God, your master proclaim and publish abroad his wonderful name;
The name, all-victorious, of Jesus extol, His kingdom is glorious and rules over all!**

**Ascended on high, almighty to save, yet still he is nigh, his presence we have.
The great congregation his triumph shall sing, ascribing salvation to Jesus, our king!**

**Salvation to God, who sits on the throne! Let all cry aloud and honor the Son.
The praises of Jesus the angels proclaim, fall down on their faces, and worship the Lamb.**

**Then let us adore and give him his right, all glory and pow'r and wisdom and might,
All honor and blessing with angels above, and thanks never ceasing, and infinite love!**

CALL TO WORSHIP

**This is the day that the Lord has made.
Let us rejoice and be glad in it.**

**We gather for worship in the name of God our Creator,
In whose image we are made beloved children of God.**

**In the name of Christ our Savior,
Whose death and resurrection has freed us from sin and death.**

**In the name of the Holy Spirit,
Who transforms and empowers us for lives of discipleship and service.**

**For the Lord is good and God's steadfast love endures forever.
Hallelujah! Praise the Lord!**

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

Amen

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Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Together, let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen

God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts and lives through faith.

Thanks be to God. Amen

SONG OF PRAISE

Arise, Shine

Arise, shine, for your light has come.

Arise, shine, for your light has come.

Nations will come and kings will bow

As the glory of God shines on you.

Lift up your hearts, lift up your voice,

See the King of kings, the Lord of hosts,

See the Prince of Peace shine on you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

Direct us, O Lord God, in all our doings with your continual help, that in all our works, begun, continued, and ended in you, we may glorify your holy name; and finally, by your mercy, bring us to everlasting life, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen

BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

Children are invited forward as the congregation sings:

**Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah!
Halle, halle, hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

ANTHEM

The Blood Will Never Lose Its Power

Andraé Crouch/arr. Bolks

PREPARING FOR THE WORD

Lord, Let My Heart Be Good Soil

ELW 512

**Lord, let my heart be good soil, open to the seed of your word.
Lord, let my heart be good soil, where love can grow and peace is understood.
When my heart is hard, break the stone away.
When my heart is cold, warm it with the day.
When my heart is lost, lead me on your way.
Lord, let my heart, Lord, let my heart,
Lord, let my heart be good soil.**

READING

Deuteronomy 30:15-20

“See, I have set before you today life and prosperity, death and adversity. If you obey the commandments of the Lord your God that I am commanding you today, by loving the Lord your God, walking in his ways, and observing his commandments, decrees, and ordinances, then you shall live and become numerous, and the Lord your God will bless you in the land that you are entering to possess. But if your heart turns away and you do not hear but are led astray to bow down to other gods and serve them, I declare to you today that you shall certainly perish; you shall not live long in the land that you are crossing the Jordan to enter and possess. I call heaven and earth to witness against you today that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Choose life so that you and your descendants may live, loving the Lord your God, obeying him, and holding fast to him, for that means life to you and length of days, so that you may live in the land that the Lord swore to give to your ancestors, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob.”

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL

Luke 14:25-33

Now large crowds were traveling with him, and he turned and said to them, “Whoever comes to me and does not hate father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters, yes, and even life itself, cannot be my disciple. Whoever does not carry the cross and follow me cannot be my disciple. For which of you, intending to build a tower, does not first sit down and estimate the cost, to see whether he has enough to complete it? Otherwise, when he has laid a foundation

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and is not able to finish, all who see it will begin to ridicule him, saying, 'This fellow began to build and was not able to finish.' Or what king, going out to wage war against another king, will not sit down first and consider whether he is able with ten thousand to oppose the one who comes against him with twenty thousand? If he cannot, then while the other is still far away, he sends a delegation and asks for the terms of peace. So therefore, none of you can become my disciple if you do not give up all your possessions.

The gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

MESSAGE

Pastor Kent Claussen Gubrud

HYMN OF THE DAY

The Church of Christ in Every Age

ELW 729

**The church of Christ in every age, beset by change but Spirit led,
Must claim and test its heritage and keep on rising from the dead.**

**Across the world, across the street, the victims of injustice cry
For shelter and for bread to eat, and never live until they die.**

**Then let the servant church arise, a caring church that longs to be
A partner in Christ's sacrifice, and clothed in Christ's humanity.**

**For he alone, whose blood was shed, can cure the fever in our blood,
And teach us how to share our bread and feed the starving multitude.**

**We have no mission but to serve in full obedience to our Lord:
To care for all, without reserve, and to spread his liberating Word.**

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

born of the virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, died, and was buried;

he descended into hell.

On the third day he rose again;

he ascended into heaven,

he is seated at the right hand of the Father,

and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,

the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

SHARING THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you all.

And also with you.

Let us share the peace of Christ with those around us. Introduce yourself to someone new.

OFFERING

We gather as a people of God, in the presence of God, to offer up our thanks and praise.

Offering is one way in which we support and sustain our shared ministry.

You may text your gift: Text <amount> to 651-383-1504,

or scan the QR code in this bulletin.

Children are invited to bring their offering up to the front of the Worship Center.



OFFERING MUSIC

Who Am I?

Casting Crowns

PRAYERS

Prayer response: God of grace, **receive our prayer.**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

COMMUNION PRAYER

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

ELW P. 153

Holy, holy, holy Lord,

Lord God of pow'r and might,

Heav'n and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come,
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory
forever and ever. Amen**

DISTRIBUTION

Taste and see that the Lord is good. Christ's table is ready and all are welcome to receive the sacrament of Holy Communion. Non-communing children are welcome to come forward and receive a blessing. Gluten/peanut free bread is available - please indicate this preference to the server. White grape juice is available and can be found in the cups toward the center of the tray. If you are unable to come forward, we will bring the sacrament to you in your seat. Please indicate this preference as the communion minister walks down your aisle.

COMMUNION MUSIC

Lamb of God

ELW p. 154

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.**

COMMUNION ANTHEM

In the Singing

Shirley E. Murray/Carlton Young

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

BLESSING

**The God of righteousness,
who gives justice to the oppressed,
who gives food to the hungry,
who sets the prisoners free,
bless you now and forever.
Amen**

**This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine, this little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine,
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine, let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.**

Everywhere I go, I'm gonna let it shine...Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine, shine, let it shine, let it shine.

**Jesus gave it to me, I'm gonna let it shine...
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.**

DISMISSAL

**Go in peace and serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God!**

Participants

Pastor Kent Claussen Gubrud

Pastor Marty Wyatt

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Musicians: RLC Choir

RLC Brass Ensemble

10:30 Worship Ensemble

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