# November 9, 2025 9:00 am



# ROSEVILLE LUTHERAN CHURCH

## 22nd Sunday after Pentecost

### 9:00 am • Sunday, November 9, 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.

**P**RELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INVOCATION Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

OPENING HYMN Let the Whole Creation Cry ELW 876

Let the whole creation cry, "Glory to the Lord on high!" Heav'n and earth, awake and sing, "Praise to our almighty king!" Praise God, angel hosts above, ever bright and fair in love; Sun and moon, lift up your voice, night and stars, in God rejoice!

Servants striving for the Lord, prophets burning with the word, Those to whom the arts belong add their voices to the song. Pow'rs of knowledge and of law, to the glorious circle draw; All who work and all who wait, sing, "The Lord is good and great!"

Men and women, young and old, raise the anthem loud and bold, And let children's happy hearts in this worship take their parts; From the north to southern pole let the mighty chorus roll: "Holy, Holy, Holy One, glory be to God alone!"

#### 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** 

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

HYMN OF PRAISE

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

ELW 858 Vs. 1, 4

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation! O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and salvation! Let all who hear now to his temple draw near, joining in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is in me adore him! All that has life and breath, come now with praises before him! Let the amen sound from his people again. Gladly forever adore him!

PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

O God, our eternal redeemer, by the presence of your Spirit you renew and direct our hearts. Keep always in our mind the end of all things and the day of judgment. Inspire us for a holy life here, and bring us to the joy of the resurrection, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen

STORYTIME

Storytime is for the entire congregation as we begin our exploration of our text for the day.

Children are invited forward for Storytime as the congregation sings:

# Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

As storytime ends, children in grades 1st-6th are invited to leave the worship center for RLC Kids time and activities in the Activity Center. They will rejoin families at offering time. Children in Pre-K through Kindergarten are welcomed to go to Room 45A at the beginning of the service and stay for the entirety of the worship service.

Anthem Make a Joyful Noise John Helgen

PREPARING FOR THE WORD

Open Your Ears, O Faithful People

**ELW 519** 

Open your ears, O faithful people, open your ears and hear God's word. Open your hearts, O royal priesthood, God has come to you.

God has spoken to the people, hallelujah!

READING

2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17

As to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered together to him, we beg you, brothers and sisters, not to be quickly shaken in mind or alarmed, either by spirit or by word or by letter, as though from us, to the effect that the day of the Lord is already here. Let no one deceive you in any way, for that day will not come unless the rebellion comes first and the lawless one is revealed, the one destined for destruction. He opposes and exalts himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, declaring himself to be God. Do you not remember that I told you these things when I was still with you?

But we must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters beloved by the Lord, because God chose you as the first fruits for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and through belief in the truth. For this purpose he called you through our gospel, so that you may obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. So then, brothers and sisters, stand firm and hold fast to the traditions that you were taught by us, either by word of mouth or by our letter.

Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and through grace gave us eternal comfort and good hope, comfort your hearts and strengthen them in every good work and word.

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to him and asked him a question: "Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. Now there were seven brothers; the first married a woman and died childless; then the second and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. Finally the woman also died. In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her."

Jesus said to them, "Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage, but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. Indeed, they cannot die anymore, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. Now he is God not of the dead but of the living, for to him all of them are alive."

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

Pastor Kent Claussen Gubrud

HYMN OF THE DAY

Message

I Know That My Redeemer Lives!

Vs. 1-4 ELW 619

I know that my Redeemer lives! What comfort this sweet sentence gives! He lives, he lives, who once was dead; he lives, my ever-living head.

He lives triumphant from the grave; he lives eternally to save; He lives exalted, throned above; he lives to rule his church in love.

He lives to grant me rich supply; he lives to guide me with his eye; He lives to comfort me when faint; he lives to hear my soul's complaint.

He lives to silence all my fears; he lives to wipe away my tears; He lives to calm my troubled heart; he lives all blessings to impart.

HOLY BAPTISM OF BERGEN READ WEBER

Parents: Lexie and Henrik Weber

Sponsors: Brittany Metteer and Oscar Weber

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

#### CONGREGATIONAL WELCOME

Let us welcome the newly baptized.

We welcome you into the body of Christ and into the mission we share: join us in giving thanks and praise to God and bearing God's creative and redeeming word to all the world.

#### BAPTISMAL HYMN

Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so; Little ones to him belong, they are weak, but he is strong. Yes, Jesus loves me, yes, Jesus loves me, Yes, Jesus loves me, the Bible tells me so.

#### 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.

#### **O**FFFRING

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 Taste and See James Moore

#### **PRAYERS**

Prayer response: Hear us, O God, your mercy is great.

#### 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

#### 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

CLOSING HYMN

Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing

**FLW 545** 

Lord, dismiss us with your blessing; fill our hearts with joy and peace; Let us each, your love possessing, triumph in redeeming grace. O refresh us, O refresh us, trav'ling through this wilderness.

Thanks we give and adoration for your gospel's joyful sound: May the fruits of your salvation in our hearts and lives abound: Ever faithful, ever faithful to the truth may we be found.

Savior, when your love shall call us from our struggling pilgrim way, Let no fear of death appall us, glad your summons to obey. May we ever, may we ever reign with you in endless day.

#### DISMISSAL

Go in peace and serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

#### **POSTLUDE**

# **Participants**

Pastor Kent Claussen Gubrud Reader: Julie Hanson Musicians: RLC Choir, John Helgen Video and Sound: Jeff Bowar, Jeff Johnson

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