

SAVING GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Order of Worship for Sunday, June 20, 2021

8:30 am Live Stream Service

11:30 am Parking Lot Service Broadcast on 93.3 FM

GATHERING

INVOCATION In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen**

GATHERING HYMN *“Rise Up, O Saints of God!”* **HYMN #383**

Rise up, O saints of God! From vain ambitions turn;
Christ rose triumphant that your hearts with nobler zeal might burn.

Speak out, O saints of God! Despair engulfs earth's frame;
As heirs of God's baptismal grace, the word of hope proclaim.

Rise up, O saints of God! The kingdom's task embrace;
Redress sin's cruel consequence; give justice larger place.

Give heed, O saints of God! Creation cries in pain;
Stretch forth your hand of healing now, with love the weak sustain.

Commit your hearts to seek the paths which Christ has trod;
And, quickened by the Spirit's pow'r, rise up, O saints of God!

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Almighty God, Your wisdom is beyond all understanding. You have laid the foundations of the world and created all that we know. Who are we to question You? You alone are worthy to be praised!

Yet we focus on our own wisdom and control in our lives.

Lord Jesus, You are God, You have power over all things, and have given us great endurance that other might see the day of salvation, to the glory of God the Father.

Forgive us when we think only of our needs and ignore the peace You bring in the middle of the storm.

Holy Spirit, give us wisdom and insight that we may see the blessings You have given us.

Open our hearts and minds to trust and have faith in Jesus Christ our Lord above all circumstances in this world.

(moment of silence for personal reflection and self-examination)

God's wisdom is infinite! He chose you before the foundation of the world was laid. You have not accepted the grace of God in vain. (2 Corinthians 6:1) Through faith in Jesus Christ your sins are forgiven. As a called minister of the church of Christ and by His authority, I therefore declare to you, who do truly believe in Jesus Christ, the entire forgiveness of all your sins. As we trust Him in all situations in life and serve Christ who "is all and in all" (Colossians 3:11) that others may believe in Him. **Amen**

PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you always. **And also with you.**

GREETING

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

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty God, our defender and strength, storms rage around us and cause us to be afraid. Turn our eyes upon Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, that we may know peace in our hearts. Teach us to place our trust in You, as Your humble servants to Your glory, through Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever. Amen

PASTORAL WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE WORD

FIRST READING	Job 38:1-11	SECOND READING	2 Corinthians 6:1-13
<i>(When Reading is concluded, the congregation responds, "Thanks be to God.")</i>			

SPECIAL MUSIC	<i>"Faith of Our Fathers"</i>	Sara Hartwig
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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION	HYMN P. 83
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**Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?
You have the Words of eternal life! Alleluia!**

GOSPEL	Mark 4:35-41
<i>(Before the Gospel is announced, the congregation says, "Glory to you, O Lord!")</i>	
<i>(After the Gospel is concluded, the congregation says, "Praise to you, O Christ!")</i>	

SERMON	<i>"In Your Hands..."</i>	Pastor David Irgens
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RESPONSE TO THE WORD

HYMN OF THE DAY	<i>"My God, How Wonderful Thou Art"</i>	HYMN #524
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**My God, how wonderful thou art, Thy majesty how bright!
How beautiful thy mercy seat in depths of burning light!**

**How wonderful, how beautiful the sight of thee must be -
Thine endless wisdom, boundless pow'r, and awesome purity!**

**No earthly father loves like thee; no mother, e'er so mild,
Bears and forbears as thou hast done with me, thy sinful child.**

Yet, I may love thee too, O Lord, almighty as thou art,
For thou hast stooped to ask of me the love of my poor heart.

My God, how wonderful thou art, Thou everlasting friend!
On thee I stay my trusting heart till faith in vision end.

APOSTLES' CREED

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

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and
born of the virgin Mary. He 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, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He
will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the
forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the
life everlasting. Amen

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION *Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.*

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

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

COMMUNION

POST COMMUNION BLESSING & PRAYER

SENDING

SENDING HYMN

"Blessed Assurance"

BLUE HYMN #699

Blessed assurance: Jesus is mine! Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God, born of his Spirit, washed in his blood.

Refrain:

This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long;
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Perfect submission; perfect delight, visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
Angels descending bring from above echoes of mercy, whispers of love. (Refrain)

Perfect submission: all is at rest, I in my Savior am happy and blest;
Watching and waiting, looking above, filled with his goodness, kept in his love. (Refrain)

BENEDICTION/DISMISSAL

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



Serving today: Pastor Dan Doran, Pastor David Irgens, Pianist Sadie O'Leary

In-person & Livestream Worship: Sunday 8:30 & 10:00 AM

Parking Lot Worship Sunday 11:30 AM



Monday June 21

1:00 pm Women's Bazaar Group

Tuesday June 22

4:00 pm Communion Care Ministry

(If you have interest in helping with serving communion at home visits, please join us for this informational meeting)

7:00 pm Isaiah Small Group Bible Study

Thursday June 23

9:30 Oakwood Hills Worship

Saturday June 25

7:30 am Men's Breakfast – All men welcome!

Summer Office Hours

Monday – Wednesday
9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Coming Soon...

Saturday, July 10 – 5:00 pm Worship