



**GLORY OF CHRIST**  
**LUTHERAN CHURCH**

**Missouri Synod**

**The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost**

July 8-9, 2018

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**Welcome all** in the name of Jesus, especially those who are worshiping for the first time with us. Please sign our guest book (make sure to indicate if you would like the Pastor to visit) and accept our invitation to worship with us again.

**Who should commune at the Altar of Glory of Christ Lutheran Church?** According to the Scriptures and the Confessional statements of the church only those should commune who "have been examined and absolved" by the pastor. If you wish to commune at Glory of Christ for the first time, please talk to the Pastor before doing so. Holy Communion is the most intimate expression of Christian fellowship and it is important to the members of Glory of Christ Lutheran Church that all who commune have a common understanding and commitment to the Gospel teachings of the Bible.

**Following along with the Service:** At Glory of Christ the pastor typically makes announcements after the service. So the service just starts at the appropriate time without a specific welcome. (The welcome actually occurs in the service itself when the pastor says, "The Lord be with you" and the congregation responds.) To follow the service, you should turn to the page indicated at the top of your bulletin insert. This week the page is 184. Usually we simply work through the service interrupting the process for the singing of hymns, certain prayers and the scripture readings. The prayers are usually printed in the service folder as are the Scripture readings. Hymns are found in the latter half of the Service book. If you are having trouble following the service you can ask someone nearby and they will help you. You can also comfort yourself with the knowledge that almost everyone has a little trouble following the service the first time through. It gets easier.

# **The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost**

## **Worship Notes**

### **The Second Article**

#### **"Resurrection"**

#### **"The third day He rose again from the dead"**

It would be an understatement to say that Easter has lost some of its shock value. Perhaps it's inevitable that when we talk about Jesus' resurrection so much, that it becomes another mundane event, like driving to work or flossing. But each Sunday when we confess the Creed, we confess the most astounding, unnerving truth: a man came back to life. No, he did not have a near-death experience. He was dead. On the third day, he was alive again. This sort of thing just doesn't happen. But Jesus' resurrection is even more remarkable. Yes, there are a scarce few other examples of dead people coming back to life: the widow of Zeraphath's son, that boy from Nain, and of course, Lazarus. But Jesus is different. He is raised by the Father *never to die again*. All the other folks who had been resurrected still had to face the indignity of death again, but not Jesus. He *won't* die again. And there is still yet one more impossibly hopeful truth. All those who believe and trust in this raised-and-never-to-die-again man will themselves experience the same fate. They too will rise and the prospect of death will be a forgotten memory. For my money, that's a bit more hopeful than a rabbit who delivers candy and brightly-painted eggs.

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*"The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done" – Woodwind Ensemble*

**OPENING HYMN #464 – "The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done"**

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## **SERVICE OF THE WORD**

### **INTROIT**



I will sing to the LORD, for he has triumphed | gloriously;\*  
the horse and his rider he has thrown in- | to the sea.

**The LORD is my strength | and my song,\***  
**and he has become my sal- | vation.**

**Your right hand, O LORD, glorious | in power,\***  
**your right hand, O LORD, shatters the | enemy.**

**You have led in your steadfast love the people whom you | have redeemed;\***  
**you have guided them by your strength to your ho- | ly abode.**

**You will bring them in and plant them on your own | mountain,\***  
**the place, O LORD, which you have made for | your abode,**  
**the sanctuary, O Lord, which your hands have es- | tablished.\***

**The LORD will reign forever and | ever.**

**Glorify 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.**

I will sing to the LORD, for he has triumphed | gloriously;\*  
the horse and his rider he has thrown in- | to the sea.

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**COLLECT**

O God, for our redemption You gave Your only-begotten Son to the death of the cross and by His glorious resurrection delivered us from the power of the enemy. Grant that all our sin may be drowned through daily repentance and that day by day we may arise to live before You in righteousness and purity forever; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**G** **Amen.**

**OLD TESTAMENT READING** Isaiah 65:17-25

<sup>17</sup>For behold, I create new heavens  
and a new earth,  
and the former things shall not be remembered  
or come into mind.

<sup>18</sup>But be glad and rejoice forever  
in that which I create;  
for behold, I create Jerusalem to be a joy,  
and her people to be a gladness.

<sup>19</sup>I will rejoice in Jerusalem  
and be glad in my people;  
no more shall be heard in it the sound of weeping  
and the cry of distress.

<sup>20</sup>No more shall there be in it  
an infant who lives but a few days,  
or an old man who does not fill out his days,  
for the young man shall die a hundred years old,  
and the sinner a hundred years old shall be accursed.

<sup>21</sup>They shall build houses and inhabit them;  
they shall plant vineyards and eat their fruit.

<sup>22</sup>They shall not build and another inhabit;  
they shall not plant and another eat;  
for like the days of a tree shall the days of my people be,  
and my chosen shall long enjoy the work of their hands.

<sup>23</sup>They shall not labor in vain  
or bear children for calamity,  
for they shall be the offspring of the blessed of the LORD,  
and their descendants with them.

<sup>24</sup>Before they call I will answer;  
while they are yet speaking I will hear.

<sup>25</sup>The wolf and the lamb shall graze together;  
the lion shall eat straw like the ox,  
and dust shall be the serpent's food.  
They shall not hurt or destroy  
in all my holy mountain,"  
says the LORD.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## GRADUAL



**Christ has risen | from the dead.\***  
**[God the Father] has crowned him with glory and | honor,**  
**He has given him dominion over the works | of his hands;\***  
**he has put all things un- | der his feet.**

## EPISTLE 1 Corinthians 15:19-26

<sup>19</sup>If in this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied.

<sup>20</sup>But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. <sup>21</sup>For as by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead. <sup>22</sup>For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive. <sup>23</sup>But each in his own order: Christ the firstfruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ.

<sup>24</sup>Then comes the end, when he delivers the kingdom to God the Father after destroying every rule and every authority and power. <sup>25</sup>For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. <sup>26</sup>The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

**HOLY GOSPEL** Luke 24:1-12

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the ninth chapter.

**C** **Glory be to Thee, O Lord.**

<sup>1</sup> On the first day of the week, at early dawn, they went to the tomb, taking the spices they had prepared.

<sup>2</sup>And they found the stone rolled away from the tomb, <sup>3</sup>but when they went in they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. <sup>4</sup>While they were perplexed about this, behold, two men stood by them in dazzling apparel. <sup>5</sup>And as they were frightened and bowed their faces to the ground, the men said to them, "Why do you seek the living among the dead? <sup>6</sup>He is not here, but has risen. Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, <sup>7</sup>that the Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men and be crucified and on the third day rise." <sup>8</sup>And they remembered his words, <sup>9</sup>and returning from the tomb they told all these things to the eleven and to all the rest. <sup>10</sup>Now it was Mary Magdalene and Joanna and Mary the mother of James and the other women with them who told these things to the apostles, <sup>11</sup>but these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. <sup>12</sup>But Peter rose and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; and he went home marveling at what had happened.

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** **Praise be to Thee, O Christ.**

**APOSTLES' CREED – THE SECOND ARTICLE - "*Resurrection*"**

*What is the Second Article?*

**And in Jesus Christ, His 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. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

*What does this mean?*

**I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true man, born of the virgin Mary, is my Lord,**

**who has redeemed me, a lost and condemned person, purchased and won me from all sins, from death, and from the power of the devil; not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood and with His innocent suffering and death,**

**that I may be His own and live under Him in His kingdom and serve Him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness,**

**just as He is risen from the dead, lives and reigns to all eternity.**

**This is most certainly true.**

**SERMON HYMN #954 – “We All Believe in One True God”**

**SERMON**

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**OFFERING – “Bach Chorale” – Woodwind Ensemble**

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## **The Distribution Hymns:**

**Hymn #514** – *“The Bridegroom Soon Will Call Us”*

**Hymn #467** – *“Awake, My Heart, with Gladness”*

**Hymn #465** – *“Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds”*

## **Individual Prayer for after Communion:**

*(It is suggested that you pray this in your pew after returning from the altar.)*

O Jesus, blessèd Lord, to Thee  
My heartfelt thanks forever be,  
Who hast so lovingly bestowed  
On me Thy body and Thy blood.

Break forth, my soul, for joy and say:  
What wealth is come to me this day!  
My Savior dwells within my heart:  
How blessed am I! How good Thou art!

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**CLOSING HYMN #509** – *“Christ Is Surely Coming”*

## WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Altar Flower Chart:** The cost of the Altar flowers is \$40 per Sunday and you will be able to take your flowers home with you after the service in a box located ***now in the kitchen on the shelf above the triple sink.*** To have your payment for flowers applied correctly, please use one of the *Designated Offering* envelopes found in your box of envelopes or label the outside of one of your regular envelopes with the words 'Altar flowers'. *If you take the black liners home, please be sure to bring them back to church by the following Wednesday.* Janice Hartness is our flower coordinator. If you have any special requests, please contact her at 763-355-5427 by the Wednesday prior. Please see the schedule below through July:

July 15<sup>th</sup> – Dan & Debbie Cheek

July 22<sup>nd</sup> – Garry & Cheryl McCreary

July 29<sup>th</sup> – Gangestad/Johnson/Lane Families

**Jim & Jean Small** gave Altar flowers in celebration of their wedding anniversary. May God Bless them on this special occasion!

**Sunday Schedule: Divine Service 9:00 AM;** followed by Bible Class at 10:30.

**Monday Evening Divine Service 7:00 PM**

**Wednesday morning Prayer Service and Bible Study** – Morning Prayer service begins at 9:15 am, followed by Bible Study at 10:00 am.

**Northwest Suburban Circuit Congregation Prayers** – Each week we will be praying for a congregation in the circuit and for others who have or have had a connection with them. This week, we are asking for prayers for New Life (Neej Tshiab) Lutheran, worshiping at Redeemer Lutheran, Robbinsdale, and Pastor Yia Lo and Pastor Jonny Vang.

**Everyone Welcome!** Pastor Johnson and Pastor Krueger are doing **monthly Chapel Services** at Cherrywood Pointe in Plymouth (Where Arta Walter now lives) 18405 Old Rockford Rd, Plymouth, MN 55446. The next one will be on Monday July 9<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 am. Please feel free to attend this service.

**The 5<sup>th</sup> Major?** We can debate that after the round on August 18<sup>th</sup> with tee times beginning at 3:30 PM. It's the **Glory of Christ Golf Event.** A 9-hole event at Shamrock golf course. We will have fellowship, dinner and awards following play. Please sign-up in the narthex. All skill levels welcome – it is a good time! Questions? Contact Mike Miller or Naomi Teske.

**Mom's Group Playgroups in the Park are back for the summer!** Every Wednesday (weather permitting), beginning at 10 am, we'll rotate to different parks to bring our kids to play and have some much-needed mom social time. Please remember that these events are "nut-free" to keep them safe for several who have nut allergies.

Here's where we'll meet:

July 11th- Gleason Lake Playfields/Playground -- 18815 67th Ave N., Maple Grove, MN-- this is located on County Road 101 North

July 18th- Baker Park Playground

July 25th- Greenwood Elementary

August 1- Heather Ponds

August 8- Gleason Lake Playfields/Playground

August 15- Baker Park

August 22nd-Greenwood Elementary

Questions--Please ask Susan Johnson-- [sjhoelz@gmail.com](mailto:sjhoelz@gmail.com), 816-517-0155

**Sewing for Pro Life Group - July 14<sup>th</sup>** - Your congregation is invited to the next Pro Life Sewing Saturday. All are welcome to come and sew or tie blankets. Bring sewing machine & scissors. We deliver finished sewing projects to pregnancy centers: City Life Center, Minneapolis and WomenSource, Anoka. Come anytime 9am - 3pm. Lunch is included. Please RSVP for planning purposes to LeAnn Cummins 763-420-2317 or Gretchen Kliche 763-477-6163. St. John's Lutheran Church 9141 County Road 101 Corcoran, MN 55340.

**Women of Glory of Christ**--looking for your own "night away?" Didn't get the Mother's Day gift you were hoping for?! Look no more! Paint and Pinot is back at Glory of Christ on Thursday, August 23rd beginning at 6:30 pm. This is a fun event where we serve appetizers, drink wine, and learn how to paint from our very own Vicki Garding. This time, she'll be leading us in painting fall scenes. We still have 21 slots left for this event. Tickets are \$65 and include all food/drinks and supplies. ALL ticket sales go directly towards MissionsFest and the great missions we support. Please sign up in the office with Brenda if you'd like a ticket. If you have further questions, see Vicki Garding, Shannon Lindh, or Susan Johnson

**GoC Red Cross Blood drive:** There will be a Red Cross Blood drive on Monday August 13<sup>th</sup> from 1:00-7:00 pm. More details to come regarding signing up, but place this date on your calendars! Thank You.

**2018 Glory of Christ Men's Retreat:** The Men's Retreat has been set for September 14<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>. It will be at the same location on the Whitefish Chain of Lakes in Crosslake, MN. The retreat last year was a big success and we are continuing the tradition. Please sign up on the signup sheet in the Narthex. When you sign up, please indicate the day and time you plan to arrive. If you have any questions about the event please ask one of the Elders. If you attended last year, recruit others who missed out on this great fellowship event!

**Update on Pauline Hemingway** – Pauline is now recuperating at her sisters' home in Spicer MN. Please see Brenda if you would like the address. Thank You!

**Prayer List:** As a reminder, if you have a friend or loved one that you ask to be on the prayer list, their name will remain for one month and then removed, unless otherwise notified. Thank You!

**Remember in our Prayers:** Sean Breininger, Arta Walter, Lee Hart, Velva Kosel, CLEF, Lutheran Synod of Mexico, Zachary Hoffman (friend of Russ and Eunice McBroom), Allen Yount, Aaron Klein (Nephew of Cheryl McCreary), Connie Klein (Sister of Cheryl McCreary), Sarah Miller, Erik Bungler (nephew of Carla Claussen), Pauline Hemingway and Eileen Zimmerman (Carla Clausen's cousin)



**Summer Music Camp at Glory of Christ! DEADLINE EXTENDED. It's not too late to register for Gloria Christi Music Camp!** Open to kids entering grades 2 - 8, the camp is designed to develop the God-given singing voices and musical aptitude of children through experience in choir and other musical activities. Monday - Friday, July 16 - 20, from 9:00am-11:45am. Registration forms can be found in the narthex or on the church website under "Events." With questions about the camp, please contact Alyssa Burdick at [alyssa.burdick.mezzo@gmail.com](mailto:alyssa.burdick.mezzo@gmail.com).

# GLORIA CHRISTI MUSIC CAMP

**JULY 16 - 20, 2018**

9:00 AM - 11:45 AM

GLORY OF CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH  
IN PLYMOUTH

## ABOUT THE CAMP:

Gloria Christi Music Camp is a five-day half-day program designed to develop the God-given singing voices and musical aptitude of children through experience in choir. Sessions will include choral/vocal technique, instruments, choir chimes, and Lutheran liturgy. The culminating activity will be the "choirs" proclaiming God's Word through song in the Divine Service at Glory of Christ Lutheran Church on Sunday July 22 at 9 am. This year's theme is "I believe..."

## REGISTRATION:

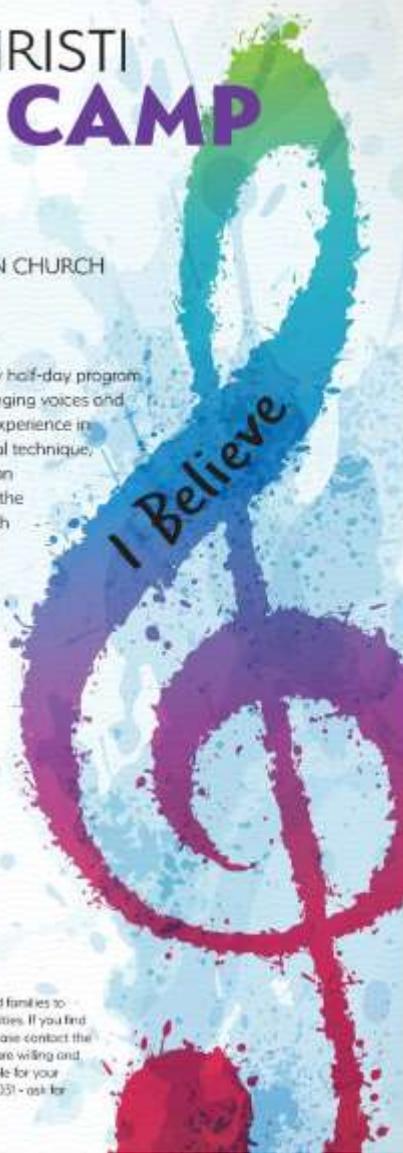
Registration deadline: June 17  
Camp fee is \$50\* per child,  
with a minimum of \$25 due at  
the time of registration

- Space is limited
- Registration forms available at [gloryofchrist.org](http://gloryofchrist.org) or in the church office

## QUESTIONS:

please contact Alyssa Burdick at  
[alyssa.burdick.mezzo@gmail.com](mailto:alyssa.burdick.mezzo@gmail.com)

\*Gloria Christi Music Camp wishes for all interested families to participate in the camp, regardless of financial abilities. If you find yourself unable to pay the \$50 registration fee, please contact the Church Office to speak to one of our pastors. We are willing and happy to help financially to make this camp possible for your young musician. Office Phone Number 763-478-6031 - ask for Pastor Johnson or Pastor Krueger



I Believe



**It's almost here! A few quick Christmas in July party reminders:**

***On July 22<sup>nd</sup> the fun starts at 2:00 pm and wraps up at 7:00 pm!***

1. Meat and beverages provided. Please bring a dish to share--consider an insulated container to keep it cold.
2. White Elephant Gift Exchange-- White Elephant means funny, weird, something you shouldn't go out and buy full price! However many gifts you bring is the number you trade and take home!
3. Just a friendly reminder--if your child is swimming in the pool, please be in the pool with your child or poolside. Parent supervision is needed to keep everyone safe.
5. Other items to bring: sunscreen, **lawn chairs**, lawn games, swim diapers, towels, swimsuits.
6. Parking: You may enter the party through the shop garage located at 21340 Cty Rd 30. Plenty of parking is available on that driveway. Otherwise, feel free to park in the house driveway: [9706 Lily Pond Lane, Corcoran](https://www.google.com/maps/place/9706+Lily+Pond+Lane,+Corcoran,+OR) and enter through the garage.