



GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
Ministers: All The People of The Congregation
Called by God to: Grow; Serve; Love; Care and Worship

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost October 19, 2014
9:00 a.m. Holy Communion * Please stand

Welcome
*Gathering Song "You Servants of God" ELW 825

*Confession and Forgiveness
P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, the Sovereign over all the earth, the Wisdom from on high, our merciful Judge and Savior.

C: Amen.
P: Let us boldly approach the throne of grace, trusting in God's mercy and love.
Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Generous and faithful God,
C: We confess to you all the ways, known and unknown, that we reject and undermine your steadfast love. Though you made us your people, we treat strangers with suspicion. Though you forgave our debts, we collect without mercy. Yet we are quick to pass judgment on others. Have mercy on us, O God, and remember your promise to us, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

P: The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God will stand forever. Through the living Word, Jesus Christ, God forgives your every debt, your every sin, and gives you a new heart and a new spirit.

C: Amen.
*Kyrie Eleison ELW page 184

*Prayer of the Day
C: Sovereign God, raise your throne in our hearts. Created by you, let us live in your image; created for you, let us act for your glory; redeemed by you, let us give you what is yours, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Choir Anthem "O God Beyond All Praising" Adult Choir
Lesson Isaiah 45:1-7

Thus says the Lord to his anointed, to Cyrus, whose right hand I have grasped to subdue nations before him and strip kings of their robes, to open doors before him--and the gates shall not be closed: ²I will go before you and level the mountains, I will break in pieces the doors of bronze and cut through the bars of iron, ³I will give you the treasures of darkness and riches hidden in secret places, so that you may know that it is I, the Lord, the God of Israel, who call you by your name. ⁴For the sake of my servant Jacob, and Israel my chosen, I call you by your name, I surname you, though you do not know me. ⁵I am the Lord, and there is no other; besides me there is no god. I arm you, though you do not know me, ⁶so that they may know, from the rising of the sun and from the west, that there is no one besides me; I am the Lord, and there is no other. ⁷I form light and create darkness, I make weal and create woe; I the Lord do all these things.

Psalm 96:1-9 (read responsively)

¹Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth.
²**Sing to the Lord, bless the name of the Lord; proclaim God's salvation from day to day.**
³Declare God's glory among the nations and God's wonders among all peoples.
⁴**For great is the Lord and greatly to be praised, more to be feared than all gods.**
⁵As for all the gods of the nations, they are but idols; but you, O Lord, have made the heavens.
⁶**Majesty and magnificence are in your presence; power and splendor are in your sanctuary.**

⁷Ascribe to the Lord, you families of the peoples, ascribe to the Lord honor and power.
⁸**Ascribe to the Lord the honor due the holy name; bring offerings and enter the courts of the Lord.**

⁹Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness; tremble before the Lord, all the earth.
Announcement of Gospel

P: The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, the 22nd chapter.
C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

*Gospel Matthew 22:15-22
¹⁵Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap him in what he said. ¹⁶So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. ¹⁷Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?" ¹⁸But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, "Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? ¹⁹Show me the coin used for the tax." And they brought him a denarius. ²⁰Then he said to them, "Whose head is this, and whose title?" ²¹They answered, "The emperor's." Then he said to them, "Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor's, and to God the things that are God's." ²²When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.

P: The Gospel of the Lord.
C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**
Children's Message

The Sermon "What's Not in Your Wallet?"
Song of the Month "For by Grace You Have Been Saved". ELW 598

*The Apostles' Creed
C: **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 to the dead. 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 of the Peace
The Offering/Loose Change Offering
Offertory Prayer
C: **Merciful God, as grains of wheat scattered upon the hills were gathered together to become one bread, so let your church be gathered together from the ends of the earth into your kingdom, for yours is the glory through Jesus Christ, now and forever. Amen.**

The Prayers of the Church (kneel or sit)
Words of Institution/The Lord's Prayer
Communion Blessing

*Benediction
*Sending Song "Earth and All Stars". ELW 731
*Dismissal
L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord!
C: **Thanks be to God!**

Preaching & Presiding: Rev. Roger Haug
Assisting Worship Leader: Gary Hagen
Communion Servers: Eldo & JoAnn Ovrebo, Coni Olson
Acolytes: Taylor Jacobson, Nolan Magnuson
Scripture Reader: Jeanette Groskreutz

Birthdays -Oct1 9-25 (If your birthday is not listed please contact the church office with mm/dd/yy.)

19-Mike Christensen 20-Scott Berg 23-Dale Tatge Braden Rucker
Gladys Johanson 21-Blayze Stern Barb Ziegler Sara Teskey
Nora Theede Brody Stern 24-Gaylord Korman 25-Carl Forderer

Thank You to everyone who donated salads, bars, and those who worked for the WELCA Salad Luncheon. Thank you also to everyone who attended the luncheon. All enjoyed great fellowship and salads.

Due to medical reasons Pastor Mary Iverson's first Sunday at Good Shepherd will be Nov. 16th.

Can You Help? - Pastor Mary is planning on moving to Wells the second week in November. We need several members who are willing to help load and unload Pastor May's household that week. Please call the church office 553-3513 if you are able to help.

The Wells Area Food Shelf is currently in need of volunteers on Tuesdays during the Food Shelf time. We are also in need of volunteers to help unload the food truck on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month and to help pick up food from Kwik Trip in Blue Earth every Tuesday and Friday. If you have a little extra time and want to help, please call 507-553-3513.

Daily Scripture Readings

Oct 20 -Psalm 98 Daniel 3:1-18
Revelation 18:1-10, 19-20

Oct 21 -Psalm 98 Daniel 3:19-30
Revelation 18:21-24

Oct 22 -Psalm 98 Daniel 6:1-28
Matthew 17:22-27

Oct 23 -Psalm 1 Numbers 5:5-10
Titus 1:5-16

Oct 24-Psalm 1 D e u t e r o n o m y
9:25—10:5 Titus 2:7-8, 11-15

Oct 25 -Psalm 1 Proverbs 24:23-34
John 5:39-47

Guess Who's Coming to Dinner

Sunday, November 16, 2014 at 5:00 p.m.

Food and fellowship

Come join us for a “night out” on November 16th. All adults who attend Good Shepherd are invited to a fun evening of sharing dinner at someone's house. We will meet at the church at 5:00 p.m. for appetizers and then be given a ticket to go to a house for dinner. After dinner all participants will meet at the church for dessert. Donations will go to the backpack/food shelf program.

In order for this event to be a success we will need volunteer help.

_____ I would be willing to provide a dinner at my house for 6-8 people.

Name _____ Phone _____
Circle 6 or 8.

_____ I would be willing to provide an appetizer for this event.

Name _____ Phone _____

_____ I would be willing to provide a dessert for the event.

Name _____ Phone _____

If you are planning to attend the event, please sign-up in the church office by November 1st. If you have any questions or are interested in helping with this event, please call Linda Hagen at 553-5057.



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