



Lutheran Church of the Resurrection

Sunset Hills, Missouri

GATHERING AND EQUIPPING **FULLY ENGAGED DISCIPLES**
THROUGH WORSHIP, FELLOWSHIP, AND SERVICE.



Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost
August 30, 2026

Hymn of Invocation: 544 O Love, How Deep

sts. 1, 5–7

1 O love, how deep, how broad, how high,
 5 For us by wick - ed - ness be - trayed,
 6 For us He rose from death a - gain;
 Δ 7 All glo - ry to our Lord and God

Be - yond all thought and fan - ta - sy,
 For us, in crown of thorns ar - rayed,
 For us He went on high to reign;
 For love so deep, so high, so broad;

That God, the Son of God, should take
 He bore the shame - ful cross and death;
 For us He sent His Spir - it here
 The Trin - i - ty whom we a - dore

Our mor - tal form for mor - tals' sake!
 For us He gave His dy - ing breath.
 To guide, to strength - en, and to cheer.
 For - ev - er and for - ev - er - more.

Text: attr. Thomas à Kempis, 1380–1471; tr. Benjamin Webb, 1819–85, alt.
 Tune: English, 15th cent.
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The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

P In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C who made heaven and earth.

P If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

C But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.

P Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

C **Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.**

Holy Baptism

(5:00pm)

Josephine Nelson

(8:30am)

Peyton Reich

Hymn: 605 Father Welcomes

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray.

Almighty God, Your Son willingly endured the agony and shame of the cross for our redemption. Grant us courage to take up our cross daily and follow Him wherever He leads; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

Sit

O LORD, you know;
remember me and visit me,
and take vengeance for me on my persecutors.
In your forbearance take me not away;
know that for your sake I bear reproach.
Your words were found, and I ate them,
and your words became to me a joy
and the delight of my heart,
for I am called by your name,
O LORD, God of hosts.
I did not sit in the company of revelers,
nor did I rejoice;
I sat alone, because your hand was upon me,
for you had filled me with indignation.
Why is my pain unceasing,
my wound incurable,
refusing to be healed?
Will you be to me like a deceitful brook,
like waters that fail?
Therefore thus says the LORD:
"If you return, I will restore you,
and you shall stand before me.
If you utter what is precious, and not what is worthless,
you shall be as my mouth.
They shall turn to you,
but you shall not turn to them.
And I will make you to this people
a fortified wall of bronze;
they will fight against you,
but they shall not prevail over you,
for I am with you
to save you and deliver you,
declares the LORD.
I will deliver you out of the hand of the wicked,
and redeem you from the grasp of the ruthless."

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Epistle

Romans 12:9–21

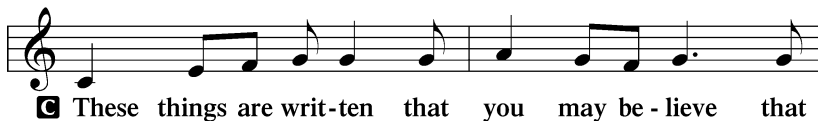
Let love be genuine. Abhor what is evil; hold fast to what is good. Love one another with brotherly affection. Outdo one another in showing honor. Do not be slothful in zeal, be fervent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints and seek to show hospitality.

Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Live in harmony with one another. Do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly. Never be conceited. Repay no one evil for evil, but give thought to do what is honorable in the sight of all. If possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave it to the wrath of God, for it is written, "Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord." To the contrary, "if your enemy is hungry, feed him; if he is thirsty, give him something to drink; for by so doing you will heap burning coals on his head." Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Alleluia and Verse





Holy Gospel

Matthew 16:21–28

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the sixteenth chapter.

G **Glorify to You, O Lord.**

From that time Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and suffer many things from the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, "Far be it from you, Lord! This shall never happen to you." But he turned and said to Peter, "Get behind me, Satan! You are a hindrance to me. For you are not setting your mind on the things of God, but on the things of man."

Then Jesus told his disciples, "If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me. For whoever would save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will find it. For what will it profit a man if he gains the whole world and forfeits his life? Or what shall a man give in return for his life? For the Son of Man is going to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay each person according to what he has done. Truly, I say to you, there are some standing here who will not taste death until they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

G **Praise to You, O Christ.**

Apostles' Creed (11am only)

Sit

Hymn of the Day: 531 Hail, Thou Once Despised Jesus

Sermon

Offering *In gratitude, obedience, and Christian love, we return to the Lord of the gifts we have first received from His hand. If you have not yet, please be sure to fill out the attendance book- this allows for faithful spiritual care, and the opportunity to greet those next to you by name.*

Stand

Prayer of the Church

Following the prayers, the people may greet one another in the name of the Lord, saying, "Peace be with you," as a sign of reconciliation and of the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace (Matt. 5:22–24; Eph. 4:1–3).

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

Preface

LSB 208

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts.

C **We lift them to the Lord.**

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

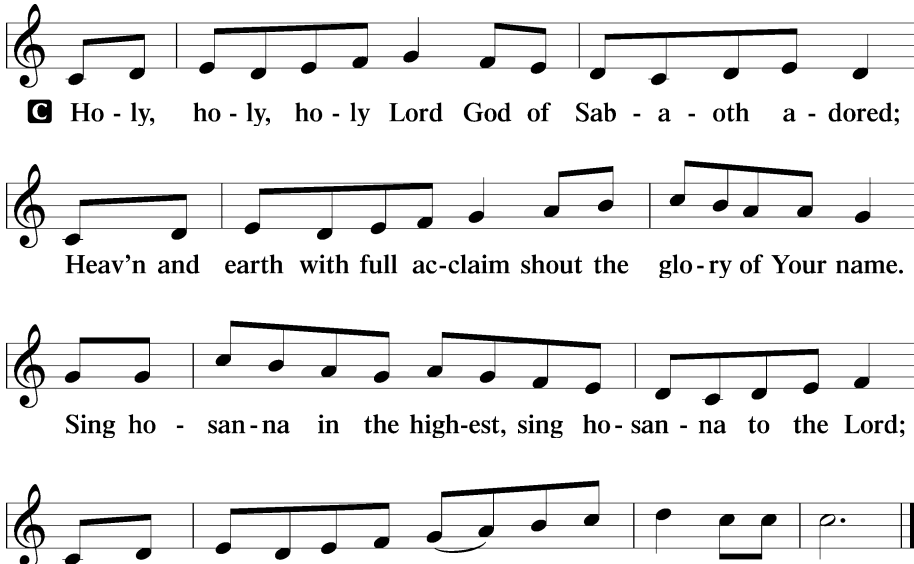
C **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

P It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, for the countless blessings You so freely bestow on us and all creation. Above all, we give thanks for Your boundless love shown to us when You sent Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, into our flesh and laid on Him our sin, giving Him into death that we might not die eternally. Because He is now risen from the

dead and lives and reigns to all eternity, all who believe in Him will overcome sin and death and will rise again to new life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus

LSB 208



C Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth a - dored;
Heav'n and earth with full ac-claim shout the glo-ry of Your name.
Sing ho - san-na in the high-est, sing ho-san - na to the Lord;
Tru - ly blest is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

Text: Stephen P. Starke

Lord's Prayer

- C** 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.

The Words of Our Lord

Pax Domini

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C Amen.

Agnus Dei

LSB 210

C 1 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
2 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
You take the sin of the world a - way;
You take the sin of the world a - way;
O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus Christ,
Have mer - cy on us, Lord, we pray.
And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.

Text: Stephen P. Starke

Distribution Hymns:

(5pm & 8:30am)

426 When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

685 Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus

411 I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light

566 By Grace I'm Saved

(11am) *Lyrics on backside*

At the Cross

Free, Amen

Stand

Dismissal and Benediction

Hymn to Depart: 525 Crown Him with Many Crowns

Acknowledgments

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RECENT PRAYER REQUESTS *new prayer requests are in bold

Sharon, Larry, Marianne, Drea, Angela, Gary, Curtis

FIRST RESPONDERS AT HOME Brandon, Randy, Rachel, Jason, Robin, Mike, Jacob

FOR THOSE WITH CHILD Becca, Krista, Jessica, Holly, Danielle

FOR THOSE IN OUR ARMED FORCES John Bantle, Michael Crain, Jake

Barbosa, Xyon Scott, Kyle Finley, Nick Oberkrom, Chris Whelan, Matthew

Moss, Joseph Collins, Jeramy Brown, Zane Robertson, Carey Thomas, George Stahl, Drew, Ben Aumiller

WE PRAY FOR OUR PARTNERS IN KINGDOM BUILDING Vicar Stephen Christian & Sam Held

IN THANKSGIVING For the birth of Lily Sue Wimmer, granddaughter of Dale and Kristie Schulz

For the birth of James Gruenwald, son of Matthew and Maddy

FOR THOSE WHO MOURN Family and friends of John Groth, son of Evangeline.

SMALL GROUPS - New sprint is beginning the week of September 14!

Descriptions and Signups are in the Narthex. Questions? Contact Deaconess Britt, ext. 102 or britt@lcrstl.org

SERVE AT RESURRECTION – Are you interested in serving at Resurrection? Get involved now!

Contact Jamie in the church office to see what our needs are jamie@lcrstl.org

RALLY DAY – Children, ages 3 – 5th grade! Sunday, September 13 kicks off our new year of Sunday School!

Join us downstairs in the Sunday School rooms during Discipleship Hour to learn about our new curriculum

for the year and complete a special project. One parent should plan to attend with your child. Children ages

3 – 5th grade are encouraged to attend for Rally Day and each Sunday afterward during Discipleship Hour.

We will now have four Sunday school classes: Little Lambs (3yr-4yr), Faithful Followers (K-1st grade), Bold

Believers (2nd-3rd grade), and Kingdom Kids (4th-5th grade).

Youth, grades 6th-8th – Rally Day is for you, too! Come hang out in our newly renovated Youth Room (Trinity

3) to do an art project and learn about the fantastic new curriculum just for youth.

FALL FESTIVAL - Join us on October 25th for Resurrection's Fall Festival! Children are invited to dress in

their best costumes and members of all ages are invited to visit creatively decorated tables, thematic

crafting, and enjoy a fall themed snack. Come and go between 2-4 p.m. Please contact Vicar Stephen if you

are interested in volunteering! Stephen@lcrstl.org

MISSION CIRCLE MEETING - Wednesday, September 9 at noon in the coffee lounge

Bring a sack lunch and enjoy fellowship! All are welcome!

LCMS FOUNDATION

Getting started in putting together a Christian estate plan is often the most difficult part. Wise planning

requires conversations on many levels, with family, your professional advisors such as attorneys, financial

planners and tax advisors, and maybe even ministry leaders. Your LCMS Foundation Gift Planning Counselor

can be with you in all these conversations, even helping you to set up the appointments. You don't have to

walk through this alone. Contact Erich Faulstich 314-779-6494

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Guest Wi-Fi Password is John11:25

At The Cross (Love Ran Red)

There's a place
Where mercy reigns and never dies
There's a place
Where streams of grace flow deep and wide
Where all the love I've ever found
Comes like a flood comes flowing down

At the cross at the cross I surrender my life
I'm in awe of You I'm in awe of You
Where Your love ran red and my sin washed white
I owe all to You I owe all to You Jesus

There's a place
Where sin and shame are powerless
Where my heart
Has peace with God and forgiveness
Where all the love I've ever found
Comes like a flood comes flowing down

At the cross at the cross I surrender my life
I'm in awe of You I'm in awe of You
Where Your love ran red and my sin washed white
I owe all to You I owe all to You

Here my hope is found
Here on holy ground
Here I bow down here I bow down
Here arms open wide
Here You saved my life
Here I bow down here I bow

At the cross at the cross I surrender my life
I'm in awe of You I'm in awe of You
Where Your love ran red and my sin washed white
I owe all to You I owe all to You

Free Amen

Amen amen amen
Amen amen amen

Hope falling down like rain
Love that I can't explain
Peace that stills my soul
Light in the darkest place
Life even in the pain
It feels like coming home

Where the Spirit of the Lord is
There is freedom
I am free amen
(REPEAT)

Here I'm alive again
Gone is the weight of sin
Oh sweet liberty
Praise God
Who saved my life
I'm bought with the blood of Christ
I have been redeemed

Where the Spirit of the Lord is
There is freedom
I am free amen
(REPEAT 3 times)

Free at last
Free at last
Thank God almighty
I am free at last
All my chains
Are in the past
Thank God Almighty
I am free at last
(REPEAT)

Where the Spirit of the Lord is
There is freedom
I am free amen
(REPEAT 2 times)