

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Coffee Hour** - All are welcome to a time of food and fellowship in the Fellowship Hall following worship!
- Pastor Peter Samuelson** - We thank him so much for these past three months. It has been a joy to have him here to lead us in faith in the absence of Pastor Ali. We wish him all the best as he continues to serve so many church communities in the metro area. **THANK YOU PASTOR PETER AND GOD BLESS YOU!**
- Pastor Ali**—We welcome Pastor Ali back from maternity leave beginning Tuesday, October, 22. We are so glad to have you back!
- Weekly Bible Study** - Please note there is no bible Study on Wednesday October 23, as Pastor Ali will be returning from maternity leave this week. We will be transitioning back to Tuesday mornings at 9:30 beginning October 29th.
- Garden Harvest Table** - Food grown in CoG's community gardens, and your gardens, is being shared at our Garden Harvest Table, located by the Welcome Desk. Next week will be the final week of the harvest table. If you have something to share, bring it in.
- **Fresh Food in the Neighborhood**- CAPI's food shelf is open Tuesdays between 1-4 pm, and Wednesdays-Thursdays between 9-12 or 1-4. BC Farmers Market is 3pm-7pm every Thursday now through October 24th.
- Art Gallery** - Celebrating Life Together! The art and photos are hung and beautiful! Make sure to stop by and take a look. A special thanks to Keith Williams and Renee Dahl for the beautiful mixed media confirmation project titled "The Last Supper."
- Pastoral Care & Visitation** - If you're in need of care, prayer, or conversation, reach out to the office to be connected with the pastor or our Care & Visitation Team. We also invite you to stop by our Community Prayer Wall located just outside the sanctuary.

The Twenty-second Sunday After Pentecost



October 20, 2024

**Cross of Glory Lutheran Church
Brooklyn Center, MN**



We are **CALLED**



We are called to **LIFE**



We are called to life **TOGETHER**

*Welcome to Cross of Glory, where we work to share in the joy of life **together!** If you're visiting, we invite you to fill out a Welcome Card in your pew and put it in the offering plates so we can further extend a welcome.*

Gathering

PRELUDE

WELCOME

CONFESSION + FORGIVENESS

Pastor: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who calls us to life together. In the presence of God and of one another, let us repent and confess our sins.

***Silence for repentance and reflection ***

P: God of grace,

A: We confess that we have sinned, both in words spoken and left unspoken, in actions done and left undone. We exploit the gifts of the earth for our own convenience. We hoard resources while our neighbors hunger. We are quick to take the best seat at the table, putting our own wants before the needs of others. Free us from our sin, gracious God, and lead us by your love, that we might love our neighbors as you love us. Amen.

P: Hear the Good News: in Jesus Christ † your sins are forgiven. God has prepared a feast, a celebration, a seat at the table for you. Come now and be fed by the gifts of God's grace, forgiveness, and love.

All: Amen!



Please join us in lifting up these brothers and sisters in prayer:

*Mavis Wold
Norma Gilbertson
Audrey Swanberg*

*Jeannie Kuzmich
Eric Thompson & family
Dolores Narey*

To be added or removed from the weekly prayer list, please contact the church office (office@crossofglory.us) or call 763-533-8602.

You are welcome to stop at our community prayer wall just outside the sanctuary to place a written prayer in the wall. Further instructions are at the prayer wall.

PRAYER OF GOOD COURAGE

You are invited to face the back doors. Join hands or put your hand on a neighbor as a reminder that we do not go alone.

**ALL: O God, you have called us to ventures
of which we cannot see the ending,
By paths as yet untrodden,
Through perils unknown.
Give us faith to go out with good courage.
Not knowing where we go,
But only that your hand is leading us,
And your love supporting us,
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen!**

DISMISSAL

L: Go in peace. You have been fed for the journey
through Jesus, our Savior and provider!
A: **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

MUSIC CREDITS

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Ministers: The people of Cross of Glory

MUSIC

*** Please rise as you are able ***

Leader: In peace, in peace,
Let us pray to the Lord

**All: Lord, have mercy,
Christ have mercy,
Lord have Mercy**

Leader: For the reign of God
and for the peace through out
the world, for the unity of all,
let us pray to the Lord,

**All: Lord, have mercy,
Christ have mercy,
Lord have Mercy**

MUSIC

Now the Feast and Celebration

Haugen

Refrain

Now the feast and celebration,
All of creation sings for joy
To the God of life
and love and freedom
Praise and glory forevermore!

Verse 1

Now is the feast of the
Lamb once slain,
Whose blood has freed
and united us.
To be one great people of God
(refrain)

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

A: And also with you.

P: Let us pray together... **Sovereign God, you turn your greatness into**

Kyrie

Haugen

Leader: For the people here,
who have come to give you praise
for the strength to live your word,
let us pray to the Lord,

**All: Lord, have mercy,
Christ have mercy,
Lord have Mercy**

Leader: Help, save,
and defend us, O God.

All: Amen,

Verse 2

Power and riches,
wisdom and might,
All honor and glory to Christ
Forever. *(Refrain)*

Verse 3

For God has come to dwell with us,
To make us people of God;
To make all things new. *(Refrain)*

goodness for all the peoples on earth. Shape us into willing servants of your kingdom, and make us desire always and only your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

*** Please be seated ***

Word

FIRST READING

Isaiah 53:4-12

Surely he has borne our infirmities
and carried our diseases;
yet we accounted him stricken,
struck down by God, and afflicted.
But he was wounded for our transgressions,
crushed for our iniquities;
upon him was the punishment that made us whole,
and by his bruises we are healed.
All we like sheep have gone astray;
we have all turned to our own way,
and the Lord has laid on him
the iniquity of us all.
He was oppressed, and he was afflicted,
yet he did not open his mouth;
like a lamb that is led to the slaughter,
and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent,
so he did not open his mouth.
By a perversion of justice he was taken away.
Who could have imagined his future?
For he was cut off from the land of the living,
stricken for the transgression of my people.
They made his grave with the wicked
and his tomb with the rich,
although he had done no violence,
and there was no deceit in his mouth.
Yet it was the will of the Lord to crush him with pain.
When you make his life an offering for sin,
he shall see his offspring, and shall prolong his days;
through him the will of the Lord shall prosper.
Out of his anguish he shall see light;

Sending

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PASTOR PETER

SENDING BLESSING

P: Comforted and confounded by God's love,
in the company of one another and with good courage,
let us go forth now to live out the Good News of this love,
with the blessing of God † Father, Mother, Son, and Holy Spirit,

A: Amen.

*** Please rise as you are able ***

MUSIC

That's Why We Praise Him

Walker

Kids may grab a musical instrument from the basket in the back and return to your seats to make some joyful noise as we sing!

Verse 1

He came to live, live a perfect life.
He came to be
the living word our light.
He came to die
so we'd be reconciled.
He came to rise
to show His pow'r and might.

Chorus

That's why we praise Him,
that's why we sing.
That's why we offer
Him our ev'rything.
That's why we bow down
and worship this King,
'Cause He gave His ev'rything.
'Cause He gave His ev'rything.

Verse 2

He came to live, live again in us.
He came to be
our conquering King and friend.
He came to heal
and show the lost ones His love.
He came to go
prepare a place for us. *(Chorus)*

Bridge

Halle, hallelujah.
Halle, hallelujah.
(Repeat 2x)
(Chorus)

This world
is dying to know who You are.
You've shown us
the way to Your heart.

So, Father, I pray,
make me more like Jesus.
(Chorus 2x)

MUSIC Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me

**Robinson, Farren,
Thompson**

Verse 1

What gift of grace
is Jesus my redeemer.
There is no more
for heaven now to give.
He is my joy,
my righteousness and freedom,
My steadfast love,
my deep and boundless peace.
To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
For my life is wholly bound to his.
Oh, how strange and divine
I can sing all is mine,
Yet not I but through Christ in me.

Oh, the chains are
released.
I can sing I am free.
Yet not I but through
Christ in me

Verse 4

With every breath
I long to follow Jesus
For he has said
that he will bring me home.
And day by day,
I know he will renew me
Until I stand
ith joy before the throne.
To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus,
All the glory evermore to him.
When the race is complete
still my lips shall repeat
Yet not I but through Christ in me.

Ending

When the race is complete
still my lips shall repeat
Yet not I but through Christ in me,
Yet not I but through Christ in me.

Verse 3

No fate I dread. I know I am forgiven.
The future sure,
the price, it has been paid.
For Jesus bled
and suffered for my pardon,
And he was raised
to overthrow the grave.
To this I hold:
my sin has been defeated.
Jesus now and ever is my plea.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

P: God of power, God of plenty, at this table, we have feasted on your abundance and celebrated the gift of life. Send us forth now to share these gifts at the tables of our own lives, that all may be fed.

All: Amen.

he shall find satisfaction through his knowledge.

The righteous one, my servant, shall make many righteous,
and he shall bear their iniquities.
Therefore I will allot him a portion with the great,
and he shall divide the spoil with the strong;
because he poured out himself to death,
and was numbered with the transgressors;
yet he bore the sin of many,
and made intercession for the transgressors.

Leader: The word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

SECOND READING

Psalm 91:9-16

Because you have made the Lord your refuge,
the Most High your dwelling-place,
no evil shall befall you,
no scourge come near your tent.
For he will command his angels concerning you
to guard you in all your ways.
On their hands they will bear you up,
so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.
You will tread on the lion and the adder,
the young lion and the serpent you will trample under foot.
Those who love me, I will deliver;
I will protect those who know my name.
When they call to me, I will answer them;
I will be with them in trouble,
I will rescue them and honour them.
With long life I will satisfy them,
and show them my salvation.

Leader: The word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

CHOIR ANTHEM

Rejoice

Krentz-Organ

*Rejoice, rejoice in the Lord. Rejoice, rejoice in the Lord; I say, rejoice.
Rejoice, rejoice in the Lord. Rejoice, rejoice in the Lord; I say, rejoice.
Let your gentleness be known to ev'ryone. The Lord is near.*

*Rejoice, rejoice in the Lord. Rejoice, rejoice in the Lord; I say, rejoice.
Do not worry, do not worry about anything. The Lord is near.
And the peace of God will guard your hearts and guard your minds.
Will guard you in Christ Jesus.
Rejoice, rejoice in the Lord. Rejoice, rejoice in the Lord; I say, rejoice.
The peace of God will keep you in Christ Jesus.*

GOSPEL READING

Mark 10:35-45

*** Please stand as you are able ***

P: The Gospel according to Mark the tenth chapter.

ALL: Glory to you, O Lord.

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, 'Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.' And he said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' And they said to him, 'Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.' But Jesus said to them, 'You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?' They replied, 'We are able.' Then Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.'

When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, 'You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.'

Leader: The word of the Lord.

ALL: Praise to you, O Christ.

*** Please be seated ***

SERMON

LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered together as one body by the Holy Spirit, let us pray the prayer Jesus taught us...

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.

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

L: The feast is ready. Come, eat, and live.

HOLY COMMUNION

***If you're worshiping onsite, you're invited to come forward when an usher cues your row. You'll be offered bread (gluten-free option available), and then wine (grape juice option available). If you'd like to take communion in your seat, simply cue an usher and they will be glad to bring it to you. ***

P: The body of Christ is given for you.

The blood of Christ is shed for you.

All: Amen.

MUSIC

More Like Jesus

Ligertwood/Stanfill/Younger

Verse 1

You came to the world You created,
Trading Your crown for a cross.
You willingly died,
Your innocent life paid the cost.

Verse 2

Counting Your status as nothing,
The King of all kings came to serve,
Washing my feet,
Covering me with Your love.

Chorus

If more of You means less of me,
Take ev'rything.
Yes, all of You is all I need
Take ev'rything.

Verse 3

You are my life and my treasure,
The One that I can't live without.
Here at Your feet,
My desires and dreams I lay down.
Here at Your feet,
My desires and dreams I lay down.
(Chorus 2x)

Bridge

Oh Lord, change me
like only You can.
Here with my heart in Your hands,
Father, I pray,
make me more like Jesus.

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OFFERING

We give thanks for the ways your generous giving empowers us to share God's gift of life together in our congregation and wider community. You may share an offering in the plates as they're passed or scan the QR code here to make a secure, online gift. Thank you!



MUSIC

Verse 1

Be thou my vision,
O Lord of my heart;
naught be all else to me,
save that thou art:
thou my best thought
both by day and by night,
waking or sleeping,
thy presence my light.

Verse 2

Be thou my wisdom,
and thou my true word;
I ever with thee

Be Thou My Vision

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and thou with me, Lord.
Thou my soul's shelter,
and thou my high tow'r,
raise thou me heav'nward,
O Pow'r of my pow'r.

Verse 4

Light of my soul, after victory won,
may I reach heaven's joys,
O heaven's Sun!
Heart of my own heart,
whatever befall,
still be my vision,
O Ruler of all.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

"Spirit open My Heart" Sung between petitions

Spirit, open my heart,
To the joy and pain of living.
As you love may I love,

In receiving and in giving.
Spirit, open my heart.

Table

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

On the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me. Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

MUSIC

Alleluia, Sing to Jesus

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Verse 1

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus;
his the scepter, his the throne;
Alleluia! his the triumph,
his the victory alone.
Hark! The songs of peaceful Zion
thunder like a mighty flood:
"Jesus out of ev'ry nation
has redeemed us by his blood."

Verse 3

Alleluia! Bread of heaven,
here on earth our food, our stay;
Alleluia! here the sinful
flee to you from day to day.
Intercessor, friend of sinners,
earth's redeemer, hear our plea
where the songs of all the sinless
sweep across the crystal sea.

CONFESSION OF FAITH

Apostles Creed

*** Please stand as you are able ***

**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

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

A: And also with you.

P: Let's share a sign of God's peace with one another.

*** Please be seated ***