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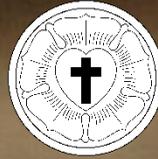
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SO IF THE SON
sets you free,
YOU WILL

BE FREE INDEED.



JOHN 8:36 NIV

Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church is a traditional Lutheran Church, faithful to God's Word and His Sacraments. We equip God's people to serve, love, and encourage one another as we grow in our personal relationship with Christ. We reach out to the community as beacons of light, sharing the love of God in Christ Jesus, our Savior.

REFORMATION DAY October 31, 2021

The Son of God Has Set Us Free from Sin and Death by His Grace

“Wisdom is justified by her deeds” (Matt. 11:19), and the true Wisdom of God, Christ Jesus, the incarnate Son, has justified us by His deeds. He prepares His way by the preaching of repentance, but He has suffered the violence of the Law and voluntarily handed Himself over to violent men, that we might eat and drink with Him in His kingdom and “*remain in the house forever*” (John 8:35). He is “*a friend of tax collectors and sinners*” (Matt. 11:18-19), and He has rescued us by His grace from the slavery of sin and death. By the proclamation of His eternal Gospel “*to those who dwell on earth, to every nation and tribe and language and people*” (Rev. 14:6), “*the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the law*” (Rom. 3:21), “*that he might be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus*” (Rom. 3:26). And by the hearing of that Gospel of Christ Jesus, “*whom God put forward as a propitiation by his blood, to be received by faith*” (Rom. 3:25), “*you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free*” (John 8:31-32).

Quiet preparation and prayer are encouraged before worship. Please save conversation for the Narthex area in order to respect the sacredness of God’s house and the silent meditation of others. Please silence your cell phones and all other electronic devices. There are also several prayers for worship located in the front cover of the Lutheran Service Book. Thank you!

Attendance Register: Please sign the register placed in the rack at the end of the pew and pass it to your neighbor. If you are a visitor please include your address and phone number, and the church you are a member of. Also, if you are a visitor, please sign our guest book on the cabinet below the tract display in the entryway, so we can thank you for joining us. We are glad you are here!

Flowers are placed this morning to the Glory of God by Ron and Trina Foreman.

SERVING AMONG US TODAY

**The Ushers: Ron & Kramer Foreman, Matt Lueck, Joel Carbone
The Organist: LeEtta Luce**

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If you are unable to, or have trouble standing, please feel free to remain seated at the times we stand.

GREETINGS

PROCESSIONAL HYMN . . . “Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word” LSB #655

SPECIAL MUSIC “Reformation Song” (Sunday School Children)

*By faith alone we’re justified;
By grace alone we’re saved.
We stand upon God’s Word alone;
To Christ alone give praise!
To Christ alone give praise!*

1. There was a monk in Germany
Whose name was Martin Luther.
His sins caused him dismay until
He found in Holy Scripture:
REFRAIN

2. It’s true there’s nothing we can
do
To earn our own salvation.

(Please stand)

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Christ paid the debt of our sin with
His death and crucifixion. **REFRAIN**

3. We stand as Martin Luther did,
With faith and great conviction,
And spread the Gospel truth that
marked

The Church’s Reformation. **REFRAIN**

4. We give all thanks and praise to
God

For our faith and confession.

Through water and the Word of God
We are a new creation. **REFRAIN**

because the hour of his judgment has come, and worship him who made heaven and earth, the sea and the springs of water.”

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL - Ps. 91:11; 103:1



Great is the LORD and greatly | to be praised*
in the city | of our God!

Walk about Zion, go around her, number her | towers,*
consider well her ramparts, go through her | citadels,
that you may tell the next gener- | ation*
that this is God, our God forever and | ever.

EPISTLE READING - Romans 3:19-28

¹⁹Now we know that whatever the law says it speaks to those who are under the law, so that every mouth may be stopped, and the whole world may be held accountable to God. ²⁰For by works of the law no human being will be justified in his sight, since through the law comes knowledge of sin.

²¹But now the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the law, although the Law and the Prophets bear witness to it— ²²the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction: ²³for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, ²⁴and are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, ²⁵whom God put forward as a propitiation by his blood, to be received by faith. This was to show God’s righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over former sins. ²⁶It was to show his righteousness at the present time, so that he might be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus.

²⁷Then what becomes of our boasting? It is excluded. By what kind of law? By a law of works? No, but by the law of faith. ²⁸For we hold that one is justified by faith apart from works of the law.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

(Please stand)

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HOLY GOSPEL - John 8:31-36

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the 8th Chapter.

C: **Glory to You, O Lord.**

³¹So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed in him, “If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, ³²and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.” ³³They answered him, “We are offspring of Abraham and have never been enslaved to anyone. How is it that you say, ‘You will become free?’”

³⁴Jesus answered them, “Truly, truly, I say to you, everyone who commits sin is a slave to sin. ³⁵The slave does not remain in the house forever; the son remains forever. ³⁶So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to You, O Christ.**

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CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

(Please be seated)

SERMON HYMN “A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” LSB #657

SERMON “The Son Sets You Free” (John 8:31-36)

(Please stand)

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OFFERING

DOXOLOGY LSB #805

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

Irene Feller, Davis Family (Michael, Shelbey, Liam, Henry), Michael & Kelly Gulbranson, Patricia Allison, Michael & Cynthia Schliebe, Bradley & Melissa Varvil, John & Geraldine Simonson, Lindstrom Family (Brien, Lisa Isaac, Miles)

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P: Let us pray to the Lord:

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

This morning we celebrate the Sacrament of the Altar, a feast of forgiveness in which we partake of the true body and blood of Christ along with the visible elements of bread and wine. The Bible gives specific instructions about the Lord's Supper. As it can be received to one's spiritual blessing or to one's spiritual harm (1 Corinthians 11:27-29), the Lord's Table must be approached with sincere faith and a Biblical understanding. That's why all who are new to the Lutheran faith are instructed about this sacred meal before attending the Lord's Supper. Moreover, this Sacrament is also a testimony of our oneness in what we believe (1 Corinthians 10:17). All guests who wish to receive the Sacrament are asked to speak with

Pastor Schuldheisz or the Elder of the Day before the service.

(If unable to kneel, please remain standing. If you take the individual cup please wait for the pastor with the common cup to say, "Take, drink," before drinking.)

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(Please be seated)

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS LSB #'s 627, 644, 662

(Please stand)

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CLOSING HYMN "Thy Strong Word" LSB #578

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 31, 2021	
SUNDAY	9:30 a.m. - D.S. III 10:45 a.m. - Adult Bible Study & Children's Sunday School 12:00 p.m. - First Communion Class 12:00 p.m. - Moctoberfest
MONDAY	6:30 p.m. - Confirmation
TUESDAY	10:00 a.m. - Women's Bible Study 6:00 p.m. - Elders' Meeting 7:30 p.m. - Trustees Meeting
WEDNESDAY	7:30 p.m. - Men's Bible Study
THURSDAY	
FRIDAY	Office Closed
SATURDAY	
UPCOMING EVENTS	11/13 Church Work Party (9am - 2pm) 11/25 Thanksgiving Service (10am) 11/28 Christmas Decorating Party (12:00pm)

OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE FOR: October 24, 2021	
OFFERING: \$	ATTENDANCE CHURCH SERVICE: 100
SPECIAL: \$	ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL: 36
PRESCHOOL: \$	YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL: 10
SUNDAY SCHOOL: \$3.47	
TOTAL DEPOSIT: \$	

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Terry Young (253-355-2154)	Fjone - Lee
Matt Perkovich (253-840-1863)	Lehner - Pfieffer
John Lee (253-863-1529)	Philbrick - Young

EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY - JOIN US!

- **Men's Bible Study** - Join us on Wednesday evenings at 7:30pm as we study the Book of Daniel.
- **Women's Bible Study** - Join us on Tuesday mornings at 10am with a new study on the Minor Prophets!
- **Ladies' Bible Study** - Bible Study is currently on hold, but we plan to start in a few weeks. If you are interested in joining us on our Skype study of the Book of Ezra, please send your email to Elizabeth at Gods.project@gmail.com and we will let you know when we plan to begin.
- **Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class** - Luther's Smalcald Articles from the Lutheran Confessions.

CONGREGATIONAL

- **TODAY!** Join us for Moctoberfest after Bible Study and Sunday School as we celebrate our new members as well as Pastor Appreciation Month!
- **Message from the office:** Thank you all for the lovely card regarding the recent loss of my grandma. Starting next Monday (November 8th), I will be out of town for a week or so as I spend some time with my family in Idaho.
- **The November Newsletter has been distributed!** If you do not have a box, but would like a copy of the newsletter, **there are extra copies by the church office.** It is also posted on the church website, and will be sent out via email.
- **Altar Guild is looking for a few members to join our team.** The commitment is only a couple of months throughout the year and a few special occasion weekend set-ups for Easter and Christmas. Training will be provided, and we always work in teams of 2. We would love to have you join us!! If you're interested or have questions, please feel free to chat with Trina Foreman or email at tm4man@me.com.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

- A gigantic thank you to Ruth and Andy Anderson for suggesting to have an Apple Cider festival and it was a festival! Andy, you were magnificent! The Sunday School children had so much fun (more in newsletter)! Also, thank you to Mary McNally for helping to pick apples from her beautiful apple trees!
- We are in need of a Pre-K - K Sunday School teacher. If interested please speak with Cathy Coleman, 253-332-4880. Thanks!

YOUTH

- Linda Howard is looking for addresses for college students that are away from home. Please contact her if you have any to pass on.

PRESCHOOL

- We are still looking for a part-time Preschool Director. Contact Pastor or Natasha Schuldheisz with any questions.

LWML

- Thank you for your Mite Donations this month!

LUTHERAN RESOURCES

- **EDUCATING A NEW GENERATION OF LUTHERANS...**This week's topics include: What I Wish My Non-Lutheran Family Knew about Good Works; The Hymn "Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones;" The Movie "Dune;" Old Testament Prophet Nehemiah and more. You can listen at your convenience at issuesetc.org, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.
- **Thoughts on Witness and Outreach:** Mark 12:28-37: Jesus gives us what we call "The Golden Rule" - love your neighbor as yourself! May this rule guide our witness as we seek to share the very same love, forgiveness, and grace that has been given to us by Jesus Christ.
- **Thoughts on Stewardship:** Romans 3:20 - "For by works of the law no human being will be justified in his sight, since through the law comes knowledge of sin." The Law of God is good - it's just that we sinners cannot save ourselves by the Law. Salvation is a free gift of God because that is the only way we could ever be saved. The Law shows us God's holiness and thus our own sin. And now in Christ we can look at the Law and see it in a new light - as a guide for how to live a godly life in thanksgiving to God for His gracious forgiveness in Christ.

IN OUR PRAYERS

CANCER

- **Mikko (Lee)**- possible lung cancer and serious heart condition; in critical care
- **Steve (Remick)** - battling cancer
- **Pam Salness (S. Loy sister)** - for complete healing and recovery from surgery after breast cancer
- **Chuck Lundin (member)** - melanoma continues to metastasize, but treatments no longer an option
- **June Pittelko (M. Mantey grandma)** - recent cancer diagnosis; just finished 6-weeks of radiation
- **Marlene Cole (Schulz daughter)** - for God's healing of her recently discovered breast cancer
- **Bishop Bielec (Boyer son-in-law)** - is home and continuing treatment for infections and lymphoma leukemia
- **Becky (Baldwin)** - recent lung cancer diagnosis and upcoming treatments
- **Cindy (V. Cook)** - battling breast cancer
- **Cheryl (V. Cook)** - battling breast cancer
- **Collette (DeLaPaz)** - going through treatment for pancreatic cancer
- **Don Schill (R. Schill brother)** - diagnosed with bladder cancer
- **John Bratek (M. McNally brother)** - diagnosed with liver cancer

SICK & HEALING

- **Diane Tiefel (member)** - upcoming appointments with rheumatologist, gynecologist/oncologist, including a lung biopsy
- **Elizabeth Cook (member)** - struggling with MS fatigue

- Lana Hunsberger (member) - recovering from surgery for broken leg

BEREAVEMENT

- Waetzig Family (members) - as they mourn the loss of Cristal’s dad on 10/21
- Waetzig Family (members) - as they mourn the loss of Todd’s dad on 10/10
- Family of Sue Lambuth (M. Mantey grandma) - as they mourn her passing on 10/10
- Family of Jordan (Reiker) - as they mourn his passing from suicide this past week
- Sehlin Family (Schill) - as they mourn the loss of Sean

SHUT-IN MEMBERS

Jeanette Mitchell
Nancy Bellack
Margaret Donnelly

Marilyn Bauer
Joy Longé
Carol Myers

Ken Giese
Janice Westmark

MEN & WOMEN SERVING OUR COUNTRY

US ARMY

- Gerad Nelson (Lee) Special Forces
- Jimmy Soto (De La Paz)
- Conor Curry
- Sean Sobus (Smith)
- Douglas Smith, SSG
- Aaron Spratt

- Michael Broch, Capt. (Hunsberger)
- Kirsten Villalpando (Schill)
- Alex Villalpando (Schill)
- David Brumbaugh, 1st Lt.
- Robert Paz, Col. (DeLaPaz)
- Casi Soto (DeLaPaz)
- Sean Wilson, Captain (member)

US MARINES

- Chaplain Mario Ancira, Lt.

US NAVY

- Logan Tiefel (member)
- Alex Klein (Schill)

US AIR FORCE

- Curtis Sinewe, Pilot

TACOMA SEAFARER’S CENTER CHRISTMAS BOXES

They are here! Help support a ministry we have been doing for over 40 years by taking one (or two or three), boxes to fill for Christmas. Instructions for items needed and the letter to enclose in the box are in the narthex. They need to be returned by November 21st. Thank you for your continued support of this ministry!

November Birthdays & Anniversaries

1st Kathi Boyer
1st Jan Whittig
1st Jacob Gehrmann
4th John Lee
5th David DeWitt
7th Kymberlee Loy
10th Joanne Lund
10th Taila Lund
10th Terry Young
11th Nancy Bellack
13th Mary Mills
14th Marlene Carroll
14th Seth Ferris
14th Maverick Lueck

15th Carol Raphael
18th Jerry Nettnin
18th Carrie Sinewe
19th Evan Crady
19th Ellie Wilson
19th Shelbey Davis
20th Austin Lueck
20th Michael Frost
22nd Charles Morehead
23rd Elizabeth Cook
27th Joshua Ferris
28th John Schulz
29th Julie Christensen
29th Vicki Pfeiffer



8th Ron & Karen Schlaht
22nd Matt & Lynette Perkovich

