

Blessed Savior Lutheran Church Florissant, Missouri



*“Empowered by God’s Holy Word,
we joyfully share the love of Jesus with all people;
through worship, teaching, fellowship,
service and witnessing.”*

*The Seventeenth Sunday after
Pentecost
October 9, 2011*

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Saturday, October 8 and Sunday, October 9, 2011

WE WELCOME YOU to our worship service this morning. We pray God's rich blessings upon you as you hear His Word and praise His holy name. We ask our members and visitors to please use the friendship pad found on the pew. Kindly hand the friendship pad to the person sitting next to you. The Ushers will collect them after the service. Thank You.

THIS WORSHIP FOLDER / CHURCH BULLETIN is prepared for your convenience and contains the entire order of worship with all spoken and sung responses. However, if you are more comfortable using the hymnal, you may use the order of worship found in the front pages of Lutheran Service Book where all the melodies are shown for the sung responses of the congregation.

Divine Service 3

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Choir (8 a.m.) "This is the Day"

Greeting of Peace 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).

Opening Hymn "Come to Calvary's Holy Mountain" #435

Stand

Confession and Absolution

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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 Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C **who made heaven and earth.**

P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

C **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

P O almighty God, merciful Father,

C **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

Service of the Word

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Introit

Is. 61:10; antiphon: Ps. 146:2



I will praise the LORD as long | as I live;*

**I will sing praises to my God while I have my |
being.**

I will greatly rejoice | in the LORD;*

my soul shall exult | in my God,

for he has clothed me with the garments of sal- | vation;*

he has covered me with the robe of | righteousness,
as a bridegroom decks himself like a priest with a beautiful
| headdress,*

and as a bride adorns herself | with her jewels.

Glory 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 praise the LORD as long | as I live;*

**I will sing praises to my God while I have my |
being.**

Kyrie

- C Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Gloria in Excelsis


Luke 2:14; John 1:29

- P Glory be to God on High,
- C **and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.**
We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee.
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy
great glory.
O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father
Almighty.
O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy
upon us.

**Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.
For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.
Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.**

Salutation and Collect of the Day

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P The Lord be with you.
C  **And with thy spirit.**

P Let us pray.

C **Almighty God, You invite us to trust in You for our salvation. Deal with us not in the severity of Your judgment but by the greatness of Your mercy; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

Sit

Choir (8 a.m.) "Stand Up, Stand Up, for Jesus"

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 25:6-9

⁶On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wine, of rich food full of marrow, of aged wine well refined.

⁷And he will swallow up on this mountain the covering that is cast over all peoples, the veil that is spread over all nations.

⁸He will swallow up death forever; and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken.

⁹It will be said on that day, "Behold, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us.

This is the LORD; we have waited for him;

let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.”

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- C **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual

Ps. 91:11; 103:1

- C **He will command his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways.**

**Bless the LORD, O my soul,
and all that is within me, bless his holy name!**

Epistle

Philippians 4:4-13

⁴Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. ⁵Let your reasonableness be known to everyone. The Lord is at hand; ⁶do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. ⁷And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

⁸Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. ⁹What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me—practice these things, and the God of peace will be with you.

¹⁰I rejoiced in the Lord greatly that now at length you have revived your concern for me. You were indeed concerned for me, but you had no opportunity. ¹¹Not that I am speaking of being in need, for I have learned in whatever situation I am to be content.

¹²I know how to be brought low, and I know how to abound. In any and every circumstance, I have learned the secret of facing plenty and hunger, abundance and need. ¹³I can do all things through him who strengthens me.

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- C **Thanks be to God.**

Stand

Alleluia and Verse 🎵

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- C **Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

Holy Gospel

Matthew 22:1-14

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-second chapter.

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

¹Again Jesus spoke to them in parables, saying, ²“The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son, ³and sent his servants to call those who were invited to the wedding feast, but they would not come. ⁴Again he sent other servants, saying, ‘Tell those who are invited, See, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready. Come to the wedding feast.’ ⁵But they paid no attention and went off, one to his farm, another to his business, ⁶while the rest seized his servants, treated them shamefully, and killed them. ⁷The king was angry, and he sent his troops and destroyed those murderers and burned their city. ⁸Then he said to his servants, ‘The wedding feast is ready, but those invited were not worthy. ⁹Go therefore to the main roads and invite to the wedding feast as many as you find.’ ¹⁰And those servants went out into the roads and gathered all whom they found, both bad and good. So the wedding hall was filled with guests.

¹¹“But when the king came in to look at the guests, he saw there a man who had no wedding garment. ¹²And he said to him, ‘Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding garment?’ And he was speechless. ¹³Then the king said to the attendants, ‘Bind him hand and foot and cast him into the outer darkness. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.’ ¹⁴For many are called, but few are chosen.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

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

Apostles' Creed

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C **I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**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.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life + everlasting. Amen.**

Sit

Mite Box Sunday

Children's Message

Sermon Hymn

“Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers”

#515

Sermon

Offering

Stand

Offertory 

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- **Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.**

Prayer of the Church

After each petition of the prayers:

P Let us pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

After the final petition:

P One God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

Lord's Prayer

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P Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

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.**

Salutation and Benedicamus

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P The Lord be with you.

C  **And with thy spirit.**

P Bless we the Lord.

C  **Thanks be to God.**

Benediction

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P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and + give you peace.

C  **Amen, amen, amen.**

Closing Hymn “Spread the Reign of God the Lord” #830

Sit

Announcements

After the announcements, please stand for the closing Doxology

Doxology

#805

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

Go and Serve the Lord

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The Liturgist:	Pastor Matthew Roeglin
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Elder Greeters:	Saturday: Brian McKenna E- Mike Kroehnke & L- Ray Radford
Acolytes:	Sunday 8:00 am: Maria Koop Sunday 10:30 am: Joseph Croghan
Christian Education:	Sunday 9:15 a.m. Adults, Young Adults, Youth, and Sunday School Wednesday morning Bible Class 9:30 a.m.

Altar flowers - Are placed by Clara Johnson in loving memory of her husband, mother, father, sisters and brother in God’s loving care.

Altar Flowers are needed for November 13th & 20th. If you are interested, please mark the flower chart on the back wall of the sanctuary. Thank You.

BLESSED SAVIOR'S CALENDAR

October 9 – October, 2011

TODAY: 8:00 a.m. (KFUO) & 10:30 a.m. Worship Services
Sunday *Mite Box Sunday*

9:15 a.m. Sunday School & Bible Classes

Oct. 9 9:15 a.m. Youth Confirmation Classes

MONDAY:

Oct. 10

TUESDAY: 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Oct. 11 Pastor & Vicar at Conference

WEDNESDAY: **NO** 9:30 a.m. Bible Study- Pastor & Vicar at Conference

Oct. 12 6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study (McKenna)

THURSDAY 6:45 p.m. LiGHTS

Pastor & Vicar at Conference

Oct. 13

FRIDAY: Pastor & Vicar Day with family

Oct. 14

SATURDAY: 7:00 a.m. MOBS Bible Study @ Denny's

Oct. 15 6:00 p.m. **Worship Service with Holy Communion**

NEXT 8:00 a.m. (KFUO) & 10:30 a.m. Worship Services
SUNDAY with Holy Communion

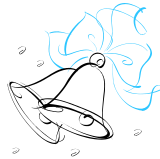
9:15 a.m. Sunday School & Bible Classes

Oct. 16 9:15 a.m. Youth Confirmation Classes

**October 2011 Sponsors
KFUO 850 AM**

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- Oct. 2 Norman & Bernice Loebes
“In celebration of Norman’s 80th Birthday”
- Oct. 9 Don & Ruth Woodson*
“Thanks be to God for Pastor Roeglin’s faithfulness”
- Oct. 16 William & Imogene Freeman
“For God’s Holy Word”
- Oct. 23 Marcia Loesing
“To the Glory of God”
- Oct. 30 Anita Butherus
“All Glory to God”



***The Congregation of Blessed Savior
Is Invited to the Wedding of***

***Jennifer Joellenbeck and Les Eyman
Saturday, October 22, 2011
at 3:30 p.m.***



Walther 200th Birthday Celebration – Special Oct 23rd Worship Service at Old Trinity

A special service of worship and celebration commemorating the 200th anniversary of the birth of C.F.W. Walther, will take place 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, October 23, 2011, at Trinity Lutheran Church (Corner of 8th and Soulard Streets) in St. Louis.

Walther was one of the founders of the LCMS, having led the struggling colony of Saxon immigrants in Perry County, Mo., out of the physical hardship, discord and confusion that threatened to engulf them. He served as the first president of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, as well as Seminary president and editor of *Der Lutheraner*. Following the afternoon service there will be a reception with light refreshments. There will also be the regular monthly German service at Trinity that morning at 8:45 a.m., which will also focus on Walther and his accomplishments while pastor at Trinity.

Parking is available on the church lot across Soulard Street from the church, as well as on-street parking, but there will also be additional parking one block away on the large lot on the east side of 7th Street. For more information please call the church office at (314) 231-4092.

Please join us on Sunday's

C.F.W. Walther -Five-part DVD series Bible Study - led by Sem. Chris Griffith on Sunday's October 2nd - October 30th at 9:15 a.m. in fellowship hall. Viewers will travel across the globe from Wittenberg, Germany to Wittenberg, MO. Each of the five parts will focus on a particular area of Dr. Walther's life.

Friday, October 28th



5:30 p.m. Decorate Trunk

6:00 p.m. Treat!!



Blessed Savior is having our Trunk R Treat night on Friday, October 28TH at 6:00 p.m. (5:30 for cars). Prizes will be given for best costume and best decorated trunk. Then enjoy a hot dog, chips, drinks, and s'mores! There is a sign-up sheet for attendance and another for car

decorating. This event is open to the community, so please invite your family, neighbors and co-workers. If you have any questions, please call Kim Bossaller.



Reformation/Pastor Appreciation Luncheon -October 30th after late service.

Come and give thanks to faithful Pastors. Enjoy some fun, food and fellowship. The meal will be provided, but please sign up so we

know how much food to get and how many are coming. Thank You.

For Sale - A Blessed Savior member has a two grave lots 11x7 ft. at Salem (Black Jack) cemetery for \$800.00 or best offer. If you are interested, please call the church office at 831-1300.

Oct 9

17th Sun. after Pentecost

Philippians 4:4-13: In the closing verse of our Epistle reading Paul declared that “he can do everything through Him [Jesus] who gives him the strength.” What a beautiful understanding of what we can do as God’s stewards when we use all that God has entrusted to us to give witness to the hope we have in Jesus and to bring honor and glory to the God we love and serve.