

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 Fifth Sunday after Pentecost
June 23, 2013*

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Saturday, June 22 and Sunday, June 23, 2013

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 1

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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 “When Morning Gilds the Skies”

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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 If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
- C **But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

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

- P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.
- C **Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**
- P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C **Amen.**

Introit

Ps. 71:20-24; antiphon: Ps. 71:3



Be to me a rock of refuge, to which I may contin- | ually
come;*

**you have given the command to save me, for you
are my rock and my | fortress.**

You who have made me see many troubles and calamities
will revive | me again;*

**from the depths of the earth you will bring me | up
again.**

You will increase my | greatness*
and comfort | me again.

I will also praise you with the harp for your faithfulness, | O
my God;*

**I will sing praises to you with the lyre, O Holy One
of | Israel.**

My lips will shout for joy, when I sing prais- | es to you;*
my soul also, which you | have redeemed.

And my tongue will talk of your righteous help all | the day
long,*

**for they have been put to shame and disappointed
who sought to | do me hurt.**

**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.**

Be to me a rock of refuge, to which I may contin- | ually
come;*

**you have given the command to save me, for you
are my rock and my | fortress.**

Kyrie 

P In peace let us pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

P For the peace from above and for our salvation let us
pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

P For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of

the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

P For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

P Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

C **Amen.**

Hymn of Praise 🎵 **“Gloria in Excelsis”** *p. 154*

A Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

C **Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father:**

We worship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God:

You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

You are seated at the right hand of the Father; receive our prayer.

For You alone are the Holy One, You alone are the Lord,

You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,

in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Salutation and Collect of the Day *p. 156*

P The Lord be with you.

C 🎵 **And also with you.**

P Let us pray.

- C **O God, You have prepared for those who love You such good things as surpass our understanding. Cast out all sins and evil desires from us, and pour into our hearts Your Holy Spirit to guide us into all blessedness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 65:1-9

¹I was ready to be sought by those who did not ask for me;

I was ready to be found by those who did not seek me.

I said, "Here am I, here am I,"
to a nation that was not called by my name.

²I spread out my hands all the day
to a rebellious people,
who walk in a way that is not good,
following their own devices;

³a people who provoke me
to my face continually,
sacrificing in gardens
and making offerings on bricks;

⁴who sit in tombs,
and spend the night in secret places;
who eat pig's flesh,
and broth of tainted meat is in their vessels;

⁵who say, "Keep to yourself,
do not come near me, for I am too holy for you."
These are a smoke in my nostrils,
a fire that burns all the day.

⁶Behold, it is written before me:
"I will not keep silent, but I will repay;
I will indeed repay into their bosom

⁷both your iniquities and your fathers' iniquities
together,
says the LORD;
because they made offerings on the mountains
and insulted me on the hills,

I will measure into their bosom
payment for their former deeds.”

⁸Thus says the LORD:

“As the new wine is found in the cluster,
and they say, ‘Do not destroy it,
for there is a blessing in it,’
so I will do for my servants’ sake,
and not destroy them all.

⁹I will bring forth offspring from Jacob,
and from Judah possessors of my mountains;
my chosen shall possess it,
and my servants shall dwell there.”

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual

Rom. 10:8b, 10

C **The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart, the word of faith that we proclaim. For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved.**

Epistle

Galatians 3:23–4:7

²³Now before faith came, we were held captive under the law, imprisoned until the coming faith would be revealed. ²⁴So then, the law was our guardian until Christ came, in order that we might be justified by faith. ²⁵But now that faith has come, we are no longer under a guardian, ²⁶for in Christ Jesus you are all sons of God, through faith. ²⁷For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. ²⁸There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male nor female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. ²⁹And if you are Christ’s, then you are Abraham’s offspring, heirs according to promise.

^{4:1}I mean that the heir, as long as he is a child, is no different from a slave, though he is the owner of everything, ²but he is under guardians and managers until the date set by his father. ³In the same way we also, when we were children, were enslaved to the elementary principles of the world. ⁴But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman, born

under the law, ⁵to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as sons. ⁶And because you are sons, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba! Father!" ⁷So you are no longer a slave, but a son, and if a son, then an heir through God.

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

Stand


Alleluia and Verse 

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- C **Alleluia.**
Lord, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life.
Alleluia, alleluia.

Holy Gospel

Luke 8:26-39

- P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the eighth chapter.
- C  **Glory to You, O Lord.**

²⁶Then they sailed to the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. ²⁷When Jesus had stepped out on land, there met him a man from the city who had demons. For a long time he had worn no clothes, and he had not lived in a house but among the tombs. ²⁸When he saw Jesus, he cried out and fell down before him and said with a loud voice, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me." ²⁹For he had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many a time it had seized him. He was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the desert.) ³⁰Jesus then asked him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Legion," for many demons had entered him. ³¹And they begged him not to command them to depart into the abyss. ³²Now a large herd of pigs was feeding there on the hillside, and they begged him to let them enter these. So he gave them permission. ³³Then the demons came out of the man and entered the pigs, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and were drowned.

³⁴When the herdsmen saw what had happened, they fled and

told it in the city and in the country. ³⁵Then people went out to see what had happened, and they came to Jesus and found the man from whom the demons had gone, sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind, and they were afraid. ³⁶And those who had seen it told them how the demon-possessed man had been healed. ³⁷Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked him to depart from them, for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned. ³⁸The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him, but Jesus sent him away, saying, ³⁹“Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you.” And he went away, proclaiming throughout the whole city how much Jesus had done for him.

- P This is the Gospel of the Lord.
C  Praise to You, 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.**

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Children's Message

Sermon Hymn "Rise, Shine, You People"

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Sermon

Offering

Stand

Offertory 

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- C** What shall I render to the Lord for all His benefits to me? I will offer the sacrifice of thanksgiving and will call on the name of the Lord.
I will take the cup of salvation and will call on the name of the Lord. I will pay my vows to the Lord now in the presence of all His people, in the courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Jerusalem.

Prayer of the Church

After each petition of the prayers:

P For all Your sons and daughters

C **Abba, Father, hear our prayer**

After the final petition:

P You and the Holy Spirit, 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.**

Benediction

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- P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and † give you peace.
- C  **Amen.**

Closing Hymn “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”#686

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Announcements

After the announcements, please stand for the closing Doxology.

Doxology

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***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: | |
| The Organist: | Mr. Kenneth Butherus |
| Greeters: | E –Debbie Haynes & L- Ben Hilderbrand |
| Elder Greeters: | Saturday: Ed Steinbruegge E-Jim Steinbruegge & L- Dennis Henneman |
| Acolytes: | Sunday 6:30 a.m.: Sunday 10:30 a.m.: |
| 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 Ben Hilderbrand to the Glory of God.

BLESSED SAVIOR'S CALENDAR

June 23 – June 30, 2013

TODAY: 8:00 & 10:30 a.m. Worship Services
SUNDAY 9:15 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Bible Classes
June 23

MONDAY: 6:00 p.m. VBS Begins
June 24

TUESDAY:
June 25

WEDNESDAY: 9:30 a.m. Adult Bible Study
June 26 **NO** 6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study (McKenna)

THURSDAY: **NO** 6:00 p.m. Bd. Of Outreach due to VBS
June 27 **NO** 7:00 p.m. Bd. Of Directors due to VBS

FRIDAY: Pastor & Vicar - Day with family
June 28 Last day for VBS

SATURDAY: 7:00 a.m. MOBS Bible Study @ Denny's
June 29 10:00 a.m. Elders Retreat in Large Classroom
2:00 p.m. F. Hall in use (Legoute')
6:00 p.m. Worship Service

NEXT 8:00 & 10:30 a.m. Worship Services
SUNDAY 9:15 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Bible Classes
June 30 12:00 p.m. Guatemala Mission Luncheon

2013 LCMS National Offering – Final Sunday. The National offering embodies our walk Together as Synod in Witness, Mercy, and Life Together as we proclaim the Gospel and provide for our brothers and sisters in Christ in our congregations, communities and world. **June 23, 2013 is the final Sunday offerings will be taken. The offering basket is on the table in the sanctuary by the Crucifix.**

Guatemala Luncheon Signup sheet – If you would like to hear about the trip and enjoy a good meal, please sign up in fellowship hall **by today, June 23rd.**

Portals of Prayer for July thru September are available and located in the Narthex. **Also**, please take the opportunity to go in fellowship hall and check to see if you have mail in your mailbox. Thank you.

Part Time Position at the Campus Store – Interested parties may view the full job description at www.csl.edu and click on the employment link. If interested, please submit a resume to humanresources@csl.edu or fax to 314-505-7338 or submit via US mail to Human Resources, Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, 801 Seminary Place, St. Louis, MO 63105.

Blessed Savior's VBS Starts Monday, June 24th!!



“Paul’s Dangerous Journey to Share the Truth” June 24 - 28, 2013 from 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

*There is still time for your child to sign up for VBS or for parents to volunteer their time. **Registration forms** are available on the table in fellowship hall. Please take registration forms and give them to your friends, neighbors, co-workers and family.*

Volunteer signup sheets are available on the wall in fellowship hall.

Blood Drive Results - On Monday, June 3rd the American Red Cross collected 9 units of blood during our blood drive. Four units were donated by individuals who were not members of Blessed Savior but who indicated that our church was a convenient location to make their blood donation. Thank you to those members of Blessed Savior who donated of themselves and gave blood. Your donation will truly make a difference in the lives of others.

A special thank you to the members of Blessed Savior who took time to help by either baking goods, helping with set up or take down, greeting visitors, and/or working at the canteen. We could not have had a blood drive without our volunteer help.

We will have a fall blood drive. No date has been set but the need is constant and a blood drive is a great way to help others in need as well as provide a great location for the community to participate in helping others.

June 23 The 5th Sunday after Pentecost Luke 8:37

“Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked him to depart from them, for they were seized with great fear.” The Gerasenes don’t want Jesus – they are upset that He killed their pigs. They refuse to receive Jesus because of what Jesus has cost them. And so they miss out on the blessings that Jesus would give them.