

# 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 Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost  
August 14, 2016*

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**The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost  
Saturday, August 13 and Sunday, August 14, 2016**

**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* *p.151*

*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, Thou Almighty King”* *#905*

*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.**

# Service of the Word

## Introit

Ps. 55:1, 12-14, 16; antiphon: Ps. 55:22



Cast your burden on the LORD, and he will sus- | tain you;\*  
**he will never permit the righteous to | be moved.**

Give ear to my prayer, | O God,\*

**and hide not yourself from my plea for | mercy!**

For it is not an enemy who taunts me—then I could | bear  
it,\*

**it is not an adversary who deals insolently with  
me—then I could | hide from him.**

But it is you, a man, my | equal,\*

**my companion, my fam- | iliar friend.**

We used to take sweet counsel to- | gether;\*

**within God's house we walked | in the throng.**

But I | call to God,\*

**and the LORD will | save me.**

**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.**

Cast your burden on the LORD, and he will sus- | tain you;\*  
**he will never permit the righteous to | be moved.**

## Kyrie

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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 **Merciful Lord, cleanse and defend Your Church by the sacrifice of Christ. United with Him in Holy Baptism, give us grace to receive with thanksgiving the fruits of His redeeming work and daily follow in His way; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

*Sit*

<sup>16</sup>Thus says the LORD of hosts: "Do not listen to the words of the prophets who prophesy to you, filling you with vain hopes. They speak visions of their own minds, not from the mouth of the LORD. <sup>17</sup>They say continually to those who despise the word of the LORD, 'It shall be well with you'; and to everyone who stubbornly follows his own heart, they say, 'No disaster shall come upon you.'"

<sup>18</sup>For who among them has stood in the council of the  
LORD

to see and to hear his word,  
or who has paid attention to his word and listened?

<sup>19</sup>Behold, the storm of the LORD!

Wrath has gone forth,  
a whirling tempest;  
it will burst upon the head of the wicked.

<sup>20</sup>The anger of the LORD will not turn back  
until he has executed and accomplished  
the intents of his heart.

In the latter days you will understand it clearly.

<sup>21</sup>"I did not send the prophets,  
yet they ran;  
I did not speak to them,  
yet they prophesied.

<sup>22</sup>But if they had stood in my council,  
then they would have proclaimed my words to my  
people,

and they would have turned them from their evil way,  
and from the evil of their deeds.

<sup>23</sup>"Am I a God afar off, declares the LORD, and not a God afar off? <sup>24</sup>Can a man hide himself in secret places so that I cannot see him? declares the LORD. Do I not fill heaven and earth? declares the LORD. <sup>25</sup>I have heard what the prophets have said who prophesy lies in my name, saying, 'I have dreamed, I have dreamed!' <sup>26</sup>How long shall there be lies in the heart of the prophets who prophesy lies, and who prophesy the deceit of their own heart, <sup>27</sup>who think to make my people forget my name by their

dreams that they tell one another, even as their fathers forgot my name for Baal? <sup>28</sup>Let the prophet who has a dream tell the dream, but let him who has my word speak my word faithfully. What has straw in common with wheat? declares the LORD. <sup>29</sup>Is not my word like fire, declares the LORD, and like a hammer that breaks the rock in pieces?"

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

*Gradual*

*Ps. 34:9, 19, alt.*

- C **Fear the Lord, you his saints,  
for those who fear him lack nothing!  
Many are the afflictions of the righteous,  
but the Lord delivers him out of them all.**

*Epistle*

*Hebrews 11:17-31, 12:1-3*

<sup>17</sup>By faith Abraham, when he was tested, offered up Isaac, and he who had received the promises was in the act of offering up his only son, <sup>18</sup>of whom it was said, "Through Isaac shall your offspring be named." <sup>19</sup>He considered that God was able even to raise him from the dead, from which, figuratively speaking, he did receive him back. <sup>20</sup>By faith Isaac invoked future blessings on Jacob and Esau. <sup>21</sup>By faith Jacob, when dying, blessed each of the sons of Joseph, bowing in worship over the head of his staff. <sup>22</sup>By faith Joseph, at the end of his life, made mention of the exodus of the Israelites and gave directions concerning his bones.

<sup>23</sup>By faith Moses, when he was born, was hidden for three months by his parents, because they saw that the child was beautiful, and they were not afraid of the king's edict. <sup>24</sup>By faith Moses, when he was grown up, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter, <sup>25</sup>choosing rather to be mistreated with the people of God than to enjoy the fleeting pleasures of sin. <sup>26</sup>He considered the reproach of Christ greater wealth than the treasures of Egypt, for he was looking to the reward. <sup>27</sup>By faith he left Egypt, not being afraid of the anger of the king, for he endured as seeing him who is invisible. <sup>28</sup>By faith he kept the Passover and

sprinkled the blood, so that the Destroyer of the firstborn might not touch them.

<sup>29</sup>By faith the people crossed the Red Sea as if on dry land, but the Egyptians, when they attempted to do the same, were drowned. <sup>30</sup>By faith the walls of Jericho fell down after they had been encircled for seven days. <sup>31</sup>By faith Rahab the prostitute did not perish with those who were disobedient, because she had given a friendly welcome to the spies.

<sup>12:1</sup>Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, <sup>2</sup>looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.

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

*Stand*


*Alleluia and Verse* 

*p. 156*

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

*Holy Gospel*

*Luke 12:49-53*


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

<sup>49</sup>Jesus said: "I came to cast fire on the earth, and would that it were already kindled! <sup>50</sup>I have a baptism to be baptized with, and how great is my distress until it is accomplished! <sup>51</sup>Do you think that I have come to give peace on earth? No, I tell you, but rather division. <sup>52</sup>For from now on in one house there will be five divided, three against two and two against three. <sup>53</sup>They will be divided, father against son and son against father, mother against daughter and daughter against mother, mother-in-law against her



daughter-in-law and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C  Praise to You, O Christ.

*Apostles' Creed*

*p. 159*

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*

*Children's Message*

*Sermon Hymn “Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word” #655*

*Sermon*

*Offering*

*Stand*

## Offertory

p. 159

- 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** Let us pray to the Lord.

**C** **Lord, have mercy.**

*After the final petition:*

**P** Holy Spirit, One God, now and forever.

**C** **Amen.**


## *Lord's Prayer*

p. 162

- 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**

p. 166

- 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 “My Faith Looks Up to Thee”**

#702

Sit

## **Announcement**

*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
The Organist:	Mr. Kenneth Butherus
Greeters:	E – Betty Lipham & L- Mary Bremer
Elder Greeters:	Saturday: Ed Steinbruegge E- Ray Ehrhard & L- Terry Bossaller
Acolytes:	Sunday 8:00 a.m. Sunday 10:30am:
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 Dale & Eileen Montonye in celebration of their 69<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary and for God's many blessings.

**August 21 at 3:00 p.m. - MOBS is hosting an Ice Cream Social & Movie.** Please come and enjoy some food, fun and fellowship.

**August 28<sup>th</sup> - LiGHTS Bake Sale** – Lights will be selling muffins before and after Adult Bible Study and after the 10:30 a.m. Worship Service.

**Sunday Morning Bible Class, Topic Bible Study** – We meet at 9:15 a.m. in fellowship hall. We are currently talking about the Lodge (Mason's). Our next topic will be the Mormons.



**KFUO Sponsor week of August 14, 2016**

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*Thankful Members  
For all of God's Blessings*

Announcer: Mike Kroehnke

**BLESSED SAVIOR'S CALENDAR**

**August 14 – August 21, 2016**

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

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

**11:45 a.m. Bd. Of Stewardship**

**12:00 p.m. Youth**

**Aug. 14 12:15 p.m. Bd. Of Outreach**

**MONDAY:**

**Aug. 15 Shut In Visits**

**TUESDAY:**

**Aug. 16**

**WEDNESDAY: 9:30 a.m. Adult Bible Study**

**Aug. 17 6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study (McKenna)**

**THURSDAY: 7:00 p.m. Christian Ed**

**Aug. 18**

**FRIDAY: Pastor & Vicar**

**Aug. 19 Day with family**

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

**Aug. 20 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**

**Aug. 21 3:00 p.m. MOBS Ice Cream Social & Movie**

**Thrivent Choice Dollars** - Eligible Thrivent members can recommend where Thrivent Financial distributes some of its charitable outreach funds by directing Choice Dollars.

**Salem Lutheran Church - Today, Sunday, August 14, 2016 -- Watch the "Luther" movie on DVD** (the one that hit the local theaters in 2006) in the basement of Salem Lutheran, Blackjack. The DVD will be paused for comments by Rev (Rev. Richard Thur), retired LCMS pastor and questions and comments by the participants. It will be shown from 3-6 pm with breaks at 4 and 5 pm. Bring lawn chairs, seat pads, popcorn and other snacks-and friends. Register with Rev at 314-706-6232. Cost: free. Don't hear well? We will have closed caption. More information on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

**Calling all Ladies that love to craft** - we meet at church at 6:30 p.m. on Monday evenings in the Lights classroom #1 and also on Wednesday's at noon (brown bag) in fellowship hall. We have a lot of fun and fellowship and hope you can join us.

**Table & Tailgate Sale, Saturday, October 1<sup>st</sup> (rain-out date October 8<sup>th</sup>) from 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.** A table inside is \$15.00 and 3 parking spaces outside is \$15.00. If you choose outside, please bring your own tables. All proceeds will go to the missionaries we support. A sign up sheet is available in fellowship hall. If you have any questions, please call Paula Bossaller.

**Aug. 14**

**Luke 12:51**

“Do you think that I have come to give peace on earth? No, I tell you, but rather division.” Jesus has come to divide us out of the world – to carve out a people for Himself, redeemed by His Blood and trusting His Word. The world hates this Word, but for us it is life and salvation. We seek to follow Jesus' Word in all things because we know Him who gave us the Word: we know He always seeks to bless us.