

Lutheran Women in Mission



LWML Sunday October 5, 2025

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Pastor: Rev. Joshua Reinke

Director of Parish Music: Tristin Reinke

Secretary: Ruth Denning

Today's Servants:

<u>Peace in Great Falls:</u>

Deacon: Pat Lewis

Organist: Gloria Creek

Ushers: Arnie Gidlow and Cole McPartlin

8 AM - First in Fort Benton:

Organist: Val Martin

Birthdays this week:

Baptism Birthdays this week

Oct 6 – Brant Hasbrouck Oct 6 – Sapphira Reinke Oct 10 – Ruth Denning

Anniversaries this week:

Oct 10 – Steven and Trisha Hasselstrom Oct 10 – Kevin and Kristen Jacobsen

Our Mission Statement:

Gathered as the Body of Christ, led by the Holy Spirit to bring Christ Crucified to the World.

PARTICIPATION IN THE SACRAMENT OF THE ALTAR -

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until He comes.

Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm (1 Cor. 11:27) and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the sacrament are asked first to meet with the pastor before communing.

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Confession and Absolution

Opening Hymn: 512 At the Name of Jesus



- 5 In your hearts enthrone Him;
 - There let Him subdue
 - All that is not holy,
 - All that is not true:
 - Crown Him as your captain
 - In temptation's hour;
 - Let His will enfold you
 - In its light and pow'r.
- 6 Christians, this Lord Jesus
 - Shall return again
 - In His Father's glory,
 - With His angel train;
 - For all wreaths of empire
 - Meet upon His brow,
 - And our hearts confess Him
 - King of glory now.
- \triangle 7 Glory then to Jesus,
 - Who, the Prince of light,
 - To a world in darkness
 - Brought the gift of sight;
 - Praise to God the Father;
 - In the Spirit's love
 - Praise we all together
 - Him who reigns above.

Text: Caroline M. Noel, 1817–77, alt. Tune: Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872–1958 Text and tune: Public domain 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.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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.

Passing of the Peace – You may greet those around you by saying, "Peace of the Lord be with you." If you do NOT wish to participate, please sit down.

Service of the Word

Introit

Psalm 119:162, 164–165, 167; antiphon: v. 166



I hope for your salvation, | O LORD,* and I do your com- | mandments.

I rejoice | at your word*

like one who | finds great spoil.

Seven times a day I | praise you*

for your just and righ- | teous decrees.

Great peace have those who | love your law;*

nothing can make them | stumble.

My soul keeps your testi- | monies;*

I love them ex- | ceedingly.

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 hope for your salvation, | O LORD,* and I do your com- | mandments.

Kyrie LSB 168

A In peace let us pray to the Lord.



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



A 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.



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



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



This Is the Feast LSB 171

A This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia.





Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.



C And al - so with you.

P Let us pray.

Lord Jesus Christ, we implore You to hear our prayers and to lighten the darkness of our hearts by Your gracious visitation; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



¹For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not be quiet, until her righteousness goes forth as brightness, and her salvation as a burning torch. ²The nations shall see your righteousness, and all the kings your glory, and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the LORD will give. ³You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God. ⁴You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and vour land shall no more be termed Desolate. but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her, and your land Married; for the LORD delights in you, and your land shall be married. ⁵For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your sons marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you. ⁶On your walls, O Jerusalem, I have set watchmen; all the day and all the night they shall never be silent. You who put the LORD in remembrance, take no rest. ⁷and give him no rest until he establishes Jerusalem and makes it a praise in the earth.

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

Choir sings Kyrie Eleison by Mary Donnelly

Gradual *Psalm 91:11; 103:1*



He will command his angels con- | cerning 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 Romans 10:11–17

¹¹For the Scripture says, "Everyone who believes in him will not be put to shame." ¹²For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all, bestowing his riches on all who call on him. ¹³For "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

¹⁴But how are they to call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? ¹⁵And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!" ¹⁶But they have not all obeyed the gospel. For Isaiah says, "Lord, who has believed what he has heard from us?" ¹⁷So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.

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

Alleluia and Verse LSB 173



Verse of the Day

Luke 17:3b

P Alleluia. If your brother sins, rebuke him, and if he repents, forgive him. Alleluia.

Holy Gospel

Luke 24:44–53

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the twenty-fourth chapter.



⁴⁴Then [Jesus] said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled." ⁴⁵Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures, ⁴⁶and said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, ⁴⁷and that repentance and forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. ⁴⁸You are witnesses of these things. ⁴⁹And behold, I am sending the promise of my Father upon you. But stay in the city until you are clothed with power from on high."

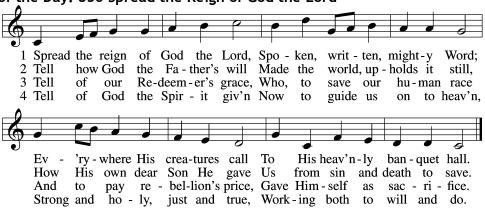
⁵⁰Then he led them out as far as Bethany, and lifting up his hands he blessed them. ⁵¹While he blessed them, he parted from them and was carried up into heaven. ⁵²And they worshiped him and returned to Jerusalem with great joy, ⁵³and were continually in the temple blessing God.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Sit

Hymn of the Day: 830 Spread the Reign of God the Lord



Continued

- 5 Enter, mighty Word, the field; Ripe the promise of its yield. But the reapers, oh, how few For the work there is to do!
- 6 Lord of harvest, great and kind, Rouse to action heart and mind; Let the gath'ring nations all See Your light and heed Your call.

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Sermon based on Luke 24:44-53

Stand

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man: and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
and I look for the resurrection of the dead
and the life 🕂 of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer of the Church

Let us pray for the whole Church of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

Father in heaven, You give to Your people a spirit not of fear, but of power and self-control. Bless Your people with winsomeness and wisdom, that they might confidently speak Your Word in faith and love to all who will hear. Lord, in Your mercy, hear our prayer.

Almighty God, remember our pastors whom You have called to a holy calling. Embolden them in their testimony concerning our Lord Jesus, and strengthen them by Your power to suffer courageously for the Gospel and guard the good deposit entrusted to them. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Everlasting Father, guide husbands and wives to love and forgive each other, and strengthen them in their life together. Help parents to be faithful examples for their children, and grant that orphans may know the joy of a home to call their own. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

O Lord, hear us on behalf of those who exercise authority over us, who order us according to our laws, who execute justice and who defend us against our enemies. Bless our president; Congress; governor; legislature; and all who make, administer and judge our laws. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

God, our Rock, grant faith, perseverance and, if it is for their good, healing to those who are suffering from the effects of sin in their bodies or minds especially Angelika, Gary, Emich, John, Eloise, Ann, Carol, Bruce, Connie, Erich, Michael, Mark, Becky, Steve, Ben, Marge, Jody, Marylan, and those we name in our hearts. Be their refuge so they are not shaken even in times of trouble. Lord, in Your mercy, hear our prayer.

Dear God, bless those among us who celebrate gifts of life and family, on their birthdays, especially **Brant, Sapphira and Ruth**, and those celebrating their baptismal birthdays, that they exult with us in these blessings as tokens of forgiveness in Christ Jesus and foretastes of resurrection to everlasting life in the new creation. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Holy Father. thank you for the gift of marriage. On this day we rejoice with **Steven and Trisha, Kevin and Kristen,** as they observe their wedding anniversaries. Bless them in the years to come so that they may remain faithful to You and devoted to each other. By Your presence gladden each day that You graciously grant them. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Merciful Lord, Your Word became flesh and dwelt among us. This day we rejoice that our sins are forgiven in the washing of Baptism, the declaration of absolution, and the eating and drinking of the body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Continually strengthen our faith through Your Word, and prepare our hearts to faithfully receive this divine gift, which brings the immortal body and blood of Jesus to our very lips. Lord, in Your mercy, hear our prayer.

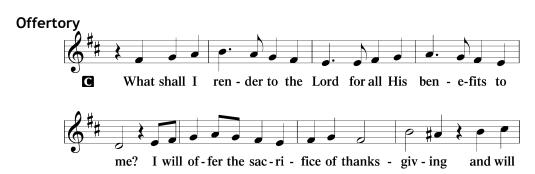
Faithful God, strengthen us against all temptation and guard our steps, that in our weakness or in our liberty, we do not cause others to sin. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Almighty and everlasting God, deliver us from temptation and the powers of evil, that we may be faithful unto death and receive from Your hand the crown of everlasting life. Whether we live or die, we belong to You. Comfort us with this promise, that we may join the company of the saints on Your appointed day and enter into the heavenly places to worship at Your throne on high; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forevermore. **Amen.**

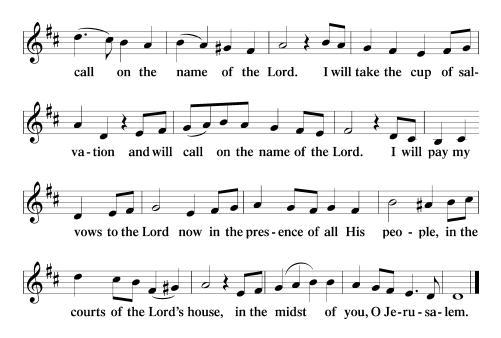
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Offering

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Service of the Sacrament

If you would like to know more about our belief and practice of Holy Communion, please see the announcement on the front of the bulletin. If you have not communed here before, we kindly ask you to refrain from doing so until you have had the opportunity to visit with the pastor before the service.

Preface LSB 177

P The Lord be with you.



P Lift up your hearts.



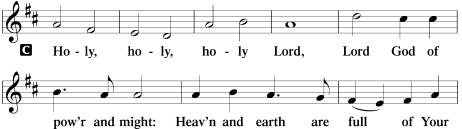
P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

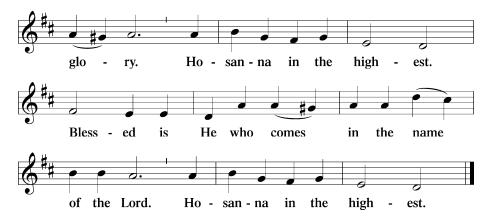


It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus LSB 178





Prayer of Thanksgiving

LSB 178

P Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross.

Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Lord's Prayer LSB 179

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

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.

The Words of Our Lord

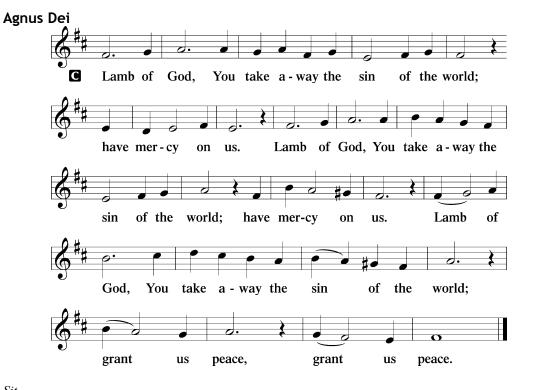
P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini LSB 180

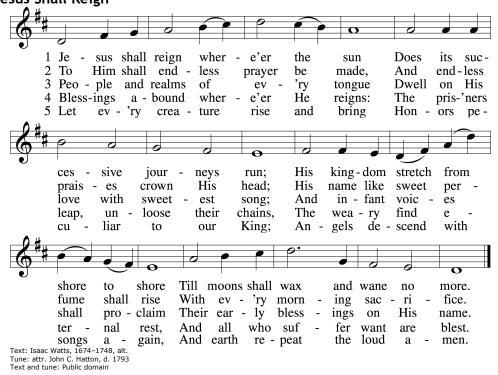
P The peace of the Lord be with you always.





Sit

Distribution Hymns: 832 Jesus Shall Reign



823 May God Bestow on Us His Grace



LSB 181

Stand



Post-Communion Collect

A Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Benediction LSB 183

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.



Closing Hymn: 539 Christ Is the World's Redeemer



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PLEASE KEEP THESE PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK.

We pray for shut-ins, including Connie Juden. We pray for those suffering from disease: Rev. John Vallie; Rev. Erich Kaelberer of Cody WY, Michael Drummond; Rev. Mark Grunst of Billings, Becky Schlund, and Rev. Steve Schlund. We pray for Ben Aagaard and Marge Johnsten who are battling cancer. We pray for Angelika Fisher, Gary Link, Eloise Morehead, Carol Thurston, and Bruce Kempf who have health issues. From the congregation of First Lutheran in Fort Benton, we pray for Jody Decker and Marylan Dallum who have health issues.

A look ahead - Join us next Sunday when we celebrate the Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost. Our service will be Divine Service Setting 3 with Holy Communion. We will sing hymns 815 All Praise to Thee, for Thou, O King Divine, 846, Your Hand, O Lord, in Days of Old, and 790, Praise to the Lord, the Almighty. Communion hymns will be 661, The Son of God Goes Forth to War, and 620, Jesus Comes Today with Healing. The readings for next Sunday are from Ruth 1:1-19a, 2 Timothy 1-13, and Luke 17:11-19. The scheduled ushers are Pat Lewis and Jayden McPartlin.

Family Night is this Wednesday with a potato bar themed potluck meal beginning at 6 PM followed by Bible study at 6:30 PM. We close with a short devotion at 7:30 PM. Come and join us for this time to be together as the family of God at Peace Lutheran Church.

The Fall Voters meeting for members of Peace Lutheran will be on Sunday October 19 at 12 noon. If you are not currently a voting member, please contact Chairman Greg Franczyk so it can be voted on at the meeting. We will be discussing the budget for next year and many other important issues about our church. Plan now to be there!

Special Offering – The Board of Elders agreed to take a special offering starting today and for the next 2 weeks for the congregations in Plentywood, Wolf Point and Glasgow. See the insert for more details. Checks can be made out to Peace Lutheran Church, make a note on the memo line for special offering, and we will write one check to the Montana District.

Offering counters needed – We are looking for people to help count the offering for the month of November. You may sign up for one week or the entire month. The sign up is posted on the bulletin board. For more information, please contact Greg Franczyk.

Trunk or Treat

Date: Friday, October 31, 2025

Time: 5:30pm - 7:30pm

Location: Peace Lutheran Parking Lot

Planning: 50 Kids

Please sign up on the bulletin board.

➢ Youth Group Fundraiser
 ➢ For Sale:
 12-Month Calendars — \$10
 Magnetic Note Pads — \$5
 Small Purse Calendars — \$5

Would you be willing to help brighten someone's day?

We are collecting donations to provide calendars and note pads for shut-ins in our congregation. Your support will not

only give them something useful but also share hope and encouragement.

A Thank you for supporting our youth and caring for others!

National Life Chain Sunday is TODAY from 1-2 PM. We stand on both sides of Tenth Ave South in front of the mall with laminated signs urging that people pray to end abortion. The backs of our signs have scripture verses and songs with which to fill the quiet time. We meet at the northeast corner of the parking lot to get a sign and stand at good distances along the sidewalk. A quiet way to make a statement about the sanctity of life.

YOU SUPPORT THE CHURCH'S MISSION BY ...

YOUR PRESENCE: Worship Bible study / Sunday School
Sept 28 40 14 2
Family Night 11

Family Night Your offerings:

General Fund Sept 28 Given to the Lord Budget Goal \$891.21.00 \$3,192.50

Designated offering: None.

OPPORTUNITIES TO GROW AND SERVE During the Week of October 5, 2025

TODAY 10:00 AM Divine Worship with Holy Communion

11:30 AM Bible study and Sunday School3:00 PM Divine Worship at First Lutheran in Fort Benton

MONDAY

9:00 AM Church office is open from 9 AM to 1 PM through Thursday

9:00 AM Chair exercise at Peace

TUESDAY

1:00 PM Ladies AA meeting at Peace

5:00 PM Wee Disciples fund raiser at Fuddruckers until 9 PM

5:30 PM Choir practice at Peace 6:30 PM Bell practice at Peace 7:00 PM AA meets at Peace

WEDNESDAY

6:30 AM Men's Bible study at R & R, 3801 10th Avenue South

9:00 AM Chair exercise at Peace

6:00 PM Family Night with a potato bar themed potluck meal then Bible study for all ages

THURSDAY

9:00 AM Quilters meet at Peace

7:00 PM AA at Peace

FRIDAY

9:00 AM Church office closed 9:00 AM TOPS meet at Peace 10:15 AM Chair exercise at Peace

SATURDAY

1:00 PM CLCD worship at Peace