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15th Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, September 5, 2021
Worship 9:00 am

Throughout the service, where you find an asterisk () you are invited to stand as you are able.*

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Gathering

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION * RED pp. 116-118
SHARING OF THE PEACE * *(Please remain in your pew.)*
OPENING HYMN * *My Faith Looks Up to Thee* RED #759
APOSTOLIC GREETING * RED p. 120
KYRIE * RED pp. 120-121
HYMN OF PRAISE * RED pp. 122-123
This is the Feast ...
PRAYER OF THE DAY * *See Celebrate*

Word

FIRST READING *(Response: Thanks be to God.)* *See Celebrate*
PSALM *(Chanted responsively by whole verse.)* *See Celebrate*
Psalms Tone #10 RED p. 338
SECOND READING *(Response: Thanks be to God.)* *See Celebrate*
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (RED p. 124) & Gospel* RED p. 124
GOSPEL *(Responses: Glory to you, O Lord./Praise to you, O Christ.)* *See Celebrate*
SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY* *O Christ, Your Heart, Compassionate* RED #722
APOSTLES' CREED RED p. 127
PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION* *See Celebrate*

Meal

OFFERTORY VERSE * RED #184
DOXOLOGY *
*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.*
OFFERTORY PRAYER * RED p. 129
GREAT THANKSGIVING & *HOLY, HOLY, HOLY* * RED pp. 129-130
WORDS OF INSTITUTION * RED p. 130
LORD'S PRAYER * RED p. 134
LAMB OF GOD * RED p. 135
COMMUNION OF THE FAITHFUL
COMMUNION BLESSING * RED p. 135
POST COMMUNION CANTICLE * RED p. 135
PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION * RED p. 136

Sending

BLESSING * *(Response: Amen, Amen, Amen)* RED p. 136
CLOSING HYMN* *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* RED #733
DISMISSAL * *(Response: Thanks be to God.)*
POSTLUDE

We also welcome back Mitchell Sensenig to our worship this morning and thank him for providing our music.

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Help us keep an updated prayer list. If you have placed an individual on our prayer list, please remember to notify the office when that individual can be removed. Thank you.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Todd MacMurtrie (Hope Bowling's nephew), Lisa Tosheff (Marion's daughter-in-law), Russ Kolacek (Tom & Wendy Snyder's son-in-law), Tiffany Crosby, Brian Bair (friend of Marianne McCann), Jeff Noaker (friend of the Flemings), Kathy Dare, Rebecca (friend of Kathy Dare), Kelly Farner (friend of Kathy Dare), Marion Tosheff, Annabelle Paul, Jim Simmons, Leroy MacMurtie (Hope Bowling's father), Andrew (friend of Pastor Joel), Lisa (Dawne Veets' family member), Robyn, Evelyn, and their family (friends of the Zimmermans), Robin Ellerman (Wendy Snyder's sister), Ed Digon (Malane's husband), Cheryl Digon (Ed & Malane Digon's daughter-in-law), Julianna Stoner (friend of Eva Kunz), Bob Sheetz (Bill's brother), Makwan Sayed (friend of the Flemings), Veronika Lenker (friend of the Flemings), Corine Harold (friend of Kathy Dare), Joe Newman (friend of Kathy Dare), Betty Giovaninello (friend of Linda Schreier), Sondra Andrews (Bob & Jean Lisse's daughter), Barbara Hammell (Betty's daughter), Vernel Brown (friend of the Flemings), Bishop Dunlop.

Pray for missionaries, especially Tonya Starner in Mongolia.

Pray for our military, especially Ian Bowling, Jason Nunez, Noel Sanchez & George Schreffler, III.

Pray for our shut-ins, especially Shirley Kaltreider, Irene Nanov, Miriam Reinard, Ellavene Rutter, Alta Shadel, George Sheleman, Tom & Wendy Snyder.

Prayers of remembrance for Christy Silvers and condolences to Nedda Pollock and her family.

MISSION STATEMENT

Our Saviour Lutheran Church, a caring congregation dedicated to the word of Christ welcomes all people to worship and grow with us as we share His love and salvation with our neighbors, our children and ourselves.

WELCOME TO OUR SAVIOUR TODAY

- Please put your cell phones on quiet mode.

The altar vases today are presented to the Glory of God in memory of Henry Heberle, Sr. by his family.

ASSISTING TODAY

9:00 am	Reader	John Zimmerman
	Ushers	Nadine & Otis Martin, Deb Flage, Phoebe Drake
	Counters	Herb Logan, Nadine & Otis Martin

NEXT WEEK, SUNDAY, September 12, 2021

9:00 am	Reader	Hope Bowling
	Ushers	Alice & Jim Lubrecht, Nancy Pinko
	Counters	Jim Lubrecht, Barb Johnson

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Today	9:00am	Worship
Monday, September 6		office closed
Wednesday, September 8	9:00am	GermanFest prep day
Thursday, September 9	9:00am	GermanFest prep day
Friday, September 10	9:00am	GermanFest prep day
Saturday, September 11	11:00am	Drive-Through GermanFest
Sunday, September 12	9:00am	Worship

Congregational Meeting

Please plan to attend our congregational meeting scheduled for Sunday, September 26th after our morning worship. Mark your calendars! At this meeting we will have our election of new council members & handle other business. **We are looking for additional/new members to serve on council. If you are interested in serving or if you have questions, please see Pastor Joel.**

Drive-Through GermanFest 2021

GermanFest will be held on Saturday, September 11, 2021 beginning at 11:00 am (until sold out!). It will be a drive-through food only event with a limited menu. The menu will be:

Sauerbraten dinners and Chicken Schnitzel dinners that include the German potato salad and red cabbage side dishes.

Brats on the grill (with peppers and onions) and a side dish of potato salad

Cheese strudel and apple strudel

There will be no advance orders taken!

Flyers are now in the Narthex. Please take some and help us get the word out!

Although the event is pared down for this year, we will still need help preparing (our usual prep days) and serving the food (day of the event). Mark your calendars & come out to help make this a success!!

There are sign-up sheets now in the Narthex for all the days we will need help with to make this another successful GermanFest. Please check them out & sign up for the days that you would like to help with.

Help Is Still Needed!

As we have resumed in-person worship we are in need of additional readers, ushers **and especially counters!** If you would like to help us with either of these duties, **on a rotating basis**, please call the church office (717-545-9992) or email Barb (ossec@comcast.net). Thank you.

Flower & Bulletin Sponsors Needed

We still have open dates for altar flowers & bulletins to sponsor. You may sponsor one or the other, or both, it is your choice. If you would like to sponsor a Sunday please see the sign-up sheets on the bulletin board outside the church office, call the church office (717-545-9992) or email Barb (ossec@comcast.net). Thank you.

Manna Food Pantry

Our "2nd Sunday" food collection is still ongoing. During this time of the pandemic food pantries are still seeing a greater demand of their services. If you would like to make a donation you may bring your items into the church & place them on the table in the Narthex at any time. There is a list of suggested items now on the table. If you are not comfortable with coming into the church building we would be happy to offer "curbside drop-off" during regular office hours. Just let us know & we will be happy to come out & get your donation from you. If you would like to make a monetary donation, please mark your envelopes "Manna Food Pantry" and place it with your regular giving envelope. Thank you.