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16<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
Sunday, September 12, 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 \* *What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine* RED #774  
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 #4* RED p. 337  
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 Jesus, I Have Promised* RED #810  
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\* *Lead On, O King Eternal!* RED #805  
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**

Fay Nelms, Tara Beachtel, Elaine Chubb (friend of Barb Johnson), 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.

#### **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.

### Congregational Meeting

Please plan to attend our congregational meeting scheduled for Sunday, September 26<sup>th</sup> after our morning worship. Mark your calendars! At this meeting we will have our election of new council members & handle other business. **In order to do so we need a quorum of 30 members in attendance.**

**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.**

### 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 & will be happy to come out & get your donation from you. If you would like to make a monetary donations, please mark your envelopes "Manna Food Pantry" and place it with your regular giving envelope. Thank you.

### WELCOME TO OUR SAVIOUR TODAY

- Please put your cell phones on quiet mode.

The altar vases today are presented to the Glory of God by Mindy Grace in honor of her daughter, Heidi Euliss and her granddaughter, Everly Ahrens' birthdays.

### ASSISTING TODAY

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

### NEXT WEEK, SUNDAY, September 19, 2021

<b>9:00 am</b>	Reader	Deb Flage
	Ushers	Donna Miller, Nancy Pinko, Dawne Veet
	Counters	Donna Miller, Sara Smith, Sandy Moritz

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

Today	9:00am	Worship
Tuesday, September 14	7:00pm	Meeting with Epiphany, here
Wednesday, September 15	6:30pm	Council
Saturday, September 18	11:00am	Memorial service for Julie Drake
Sunday, September 19	9:00am	Worship

**newsletter deadline**