



Prince of Peace Lutheran Church

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

GATHERING SONG Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness vv 1,2ELW 488

Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness



1 Soul, a - dorn your - self with glad - ness, leave the gloom - y
 2 Has - ten as a bride to meet him, ea - ger - ly and
 3 Now in faith I hum - bly pon - der o - ver this sur -
 4 Je - sus, source of last - ing plea - sure, tru - est friend, and



haunts of sad - ness, come in - to the day - light's splen - dor,
 glad - ly greet him. There he stands al - read - y knock - ing;
 pass - ing won - der that the bread of life is bound - less
 dear - est trea - sure, peace be - yond all un - der - stand - ing,



there with joy your prais - es ren - der. Bless the one whose grace un -
 quick - ly, now, your gate un - lock - ing, o - pen wide the fast - closed
 though the souls it feeds are count - less; with the choic - est wine of
 joy in - to all life ex - pand - ing: hum - bly now, I bow be -



bound - ed this a - maz - ing ban - quet found - ed; Christ, though heav'n - ly,
 por - tal, say - ing to the Lord im - mor - tal: "Come, and leave your
 heav - en Christ's own blood to us is giv - en. Oh, most glo - rious
 fore you, love in - car - nate, I a - dore you; wor - thi - ly let



high, and ho - ly, deigns to dwell with you most low - ly.
 loved one nev - er; dwell with - in my heart for - ev - er."
 con - so - la - tion, pledge and seal of my sal - va - tion.
 me re - ceive you, and, so fa - vored, nev - er leave you.

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GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
And also with you.

SONG of PRAISE

C F

O Christ the same, the friend of sin - ners, shar - ing our in - most

C Am D7 G7

thoughts, the se - crets none can hide; still as of

C C7 F G7

old up - on your bo - dy bear - - ing the marks of

C G7 C G7

love in tri - umph glor - i - fied. O Son of

C F G7 C G7

Man, who stooped for us from heav - - en, O Prince of

C F A7 D7 G7

life, in all your sav - ing pow'r; O Christ the

C F C Am7 F G7

same, to whom our hearts are giv - - en: we bring our

C G7 C

thanks for this the pre - - - sent hour.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray.

Ever-loving God, your Son gives himself as living bread for the life of the world. Fill us his presence. Strengthen and sustain us by his risen life so that we may serve you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

First Reading: Proverbs 9:1-6

- ¹Wisdom has built her house,
she has hewn her seven pillars.
²She has slaughtered her animals, she has mixed her wine,
she has also set her table.
³She has sent out her servant-girls, she calls
from the highest places in the town,
⁴“You that are simple, turn in here!”
To those without sense she says,
⁵“Come, eat of my bread
and drink of the wine I have mixed.
⁶Lay aside immaturity, and live,
and walk in the way of insight.”

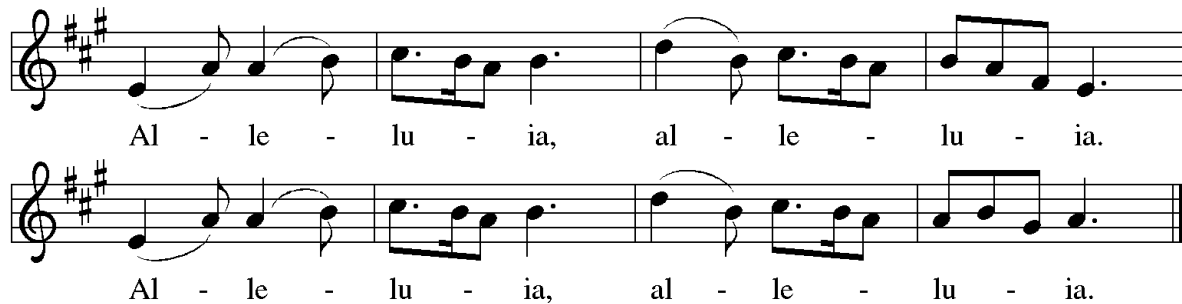
Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

Responsive Reading - Psalm 34:9-14

- ⁹Fear the Lord, you saints | of the Lord,
for those who fear the | Lord lack nothing.
**¹⁰The lions are in want and | suffer hunger,
but those who seek the Lord lack nothing | that is good.**
¹¹Come, children, and lis- | ten to me;
I will teach you reverence | for the Lord.
**¹²Who among you takes plea- | sure in life
and desires long life to en- | joy prosperity?**
¹³Keep your | tongue from evil
and your lips from | lying words.
**¹⁴Turn from evil | and do good;
seek peace | and pursue it.**

Acclamation

The assembly stands.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

The image shows two staves of musical notation in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and repetitive, consisting of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics 'Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.' are written below the notes. The first staff ends with a double bar line, and the second staff continues the melody and lyrics.

The Holy Gospel according to John the sixth chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

Gospel Reading: John 6:51-58

[Jesus said,] ⁵¹“I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.”

⁵²The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, “How can this man give us his flesh to eat?” ⁵³So Jesus said to them, “Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. ⁵⁴Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; ⁵⁵for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. ⁵⁶Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. ⁵⁷Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. ⁵⁸This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever.”

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON

I Am the Bread of Life

Leader or All

1 "I am the Bread of life. You who
 2 bread that . . . I will give is my
 3 "Un - less . . . you . . . eat of the
 4 "I am the res - ur - rec - tion, . . .
 5 Yes, Lord, . . . I be - lieve that . . .

come to me shall not hun - ger, and who be -
 flesh for the life of the world, . . . and if you
 flesh of the Son of Man . . . and . . .
 I . . . am the life. . . . If you be -
 you . . . are the Christ, . . . the . . .

lieve in me shall not thirst. No one can come to
 eat . . . of this bread, and you shall . . . live for -
 drink . . . of his blood, and drink . . . of his
 lieve . . . in . . . me, e - ven . . . though you
 Son . . . of . . . God, who . . . have . . .

me un - less the Fa - ther beck - ons."
 ev - er, . . . you shall live for - ev - er."
 blood, you shall not have life with - in you."
 die, . . . you shall live for - ev - er."
 come in - to . . . the . . . world. . . .

Refrain
 All

"And I will raise you up, and I will raise you up,
 and I will raise you up on the last day."

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PRAYERS

Merciful God, **receive our prayer.**

PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you.

OFFERING

God's work. Our hands.

This summer we celebrate Prince of Peace's 60th Anniversary and 60 years of serving God side-by-side. During offering time, we invite you to share a story of service, lifting up ways you have witnessed God's people making a difference in God's world. Talk about your own meaningful service experience or write a thank-you for another's. Small gestures to big projects, all stories are wonderful and wanted! Use the bulletin insert or check-out the kiosk in the narthex. Drop your story in the office or the offering plate. Thank you for telling the story of God's work through our hands over the past 60 years!

OFFERING SONG

G C G D
 God's work, our hands: work - - ing to -
 Em Bm C Am7 G C D G
 -geth - er, build - ing a fu - ture, re - pair - ing the world,
 Am G D7 G D
 rais - - ing up homes, plant - - ing new
 A D C Am7 G C D G
 gar - dens, feed - ing the hun - gry and shelt - 'ring the cold.
 D
 Bless, God, our hands as we work in your
 Em G Am D G
 name, shar - ing the good news of your Gos - - pel.

OFFERING PRAYER

Jesus, Bread of life,
 you have set this table with your very self,
 and called us to the feast of plenty.
 Gather what has been sown among us,
 and strengthen us in this meal.
 Make us to be what we receive here,
 your body for the life of the world.

Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

This is Christ's table and Christ welcomes each and every single one of you.

DISTRIBUTION

COMMUNION SONG

CAPO 3 C Am F G C

The King of love my shepherd is, whose goodness
 Where streams of living water flow, my ransom
 Thou spreadst a table in my sight; thine blessing

Am 3 F G C Am

fail - eth nev - er; I nothing lack for
 soul he lead - eth and, where the ver - dant
 grace be - stow - eth; and, oh, what trans - port

F Dm C Am Gsus G

I am his and he is mine for - ev - er.
 pas - tures grow, with food cel - les - tial feed - eth.
 of de - light from thy pure cha - lice flow - eth.

SONG AFTER COMMUNION

G Em Am D7

Let all things now living a song of thanks - giving to
 God the cre - a - tor tri - um - phant - ly
 raise, who fash - ioned and made us, pro - tect - ed and stayed us, who
 still guides us on to the end of our days.
 God's ban - ners are o'er us, God's light goes be - fore us, a
 pil - lar of fire shin - ing forth in the night, till
 shad - ows have van - ished and dark - ness is ban - ished, as
 for - ward we trav - el from light in - to light.

Prayer after Communion

Jesus, Bread of life,
we have received from your table
more than we could ever ask.
As you have nourished us in this meal,
now strengthen us to love the world with your own life.
In your name we pray.
Amen.

Blessing

Leader

C G C F C

God be with you till we meet a - gain; by good coun - sels guide, up - hold you,

G C C F G C

with a shep - herd's care en - fold you; God be with you till we meet a - gain.

Congregation

C F C G

Till we meet, _____ till we meet, _____ till we meet at Je - sus' _____ feet;

C F C G C

Till we meet, _____ till we meet, _____ God be with you till we meet a - gain.

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. You are the body of Christ.
Thanks be to God.

This morning we welcome Pastor Barry Osterbur. Pastor Aaron will be back to the office this week.

It's our anniversary! Please plan to join us in celebratory worship, dedication and fellowship on Sunday, August 25th as we recognize 60 years of serving God, our community and each other. God's work. Our hands. Enjoy special music and the dedication of recent gifts. A breakfast buffet provided by church council will be served immediately after worship and some historical items will be on display in the gym. Please join us there before heading back to the sanctuary for usher training as we begin preparing for the next sixty years!

Please join in the Usher training in the sanctuary following coffee hour on August 25. Ushering provides a service opportunity in which everyone can participate. Ushers can sign up to serve for one Sunday or the entire month. The deacons will make sure that first-time ushers are paired with veterans if you choose until you feel comfortable. Wouldn't it be a fantastic way to involve your entire family in serving the church together? If everyone takes a turn, each person will only have to commit once a year.

Our church has been given a special task. We've been asked to collect school supplies which will be handed out by Dundee Caring & Sharing to children in need. We are calling this project "Blessings in a Backpack". Dozens of backpacks have been donated. Needed items can be found on the tags decorating the tree in the Narthex. Purchased items can be placed under the tree in baskets by next Sunday, August 25. If you have any questions, please contact Holly Jenuwine @ Hollyjenuwine@yahoo.com

Altar guild is looking for additional ladies to assist with communion setup and care of the altar. It is not a difficult or time-consuming service for our church and we will pair you up with a veteran! Individual training will be provided. Please contact Mindy Stadler at 734-755-6052 for details.

Schedule:

Sunday: Holy Communion - 9:00 AM
Fellowship Hour

Tuesday: AA - 7:00 PM

Wednesday: Mid-Week Service – 7:00 PM

Thursday: Holy Grounds – 9:00 AM

Serving our congregation this morning:

Acolytes – Oliver Hearl and Lexi Lynn

Altar Guild – Lynne Zabawa and Terri Meadows

Coffee Hour – The Lynn Family w/donations from Michelle Healy and Jessica Dusa

Financial Stewards – Brian DeLand and Chris Knaggs

Liturgical Minister – Jennifer Henry

Media – Kelsey DeLand

Organist – Ray Smith

Ushers – Jim DuRocher, Head Usher; Cindy DuRocher, Paul & Marilyn Ness

Vocalist – Elaine Bodi

Coming Soon...

Aug. 25 – PoP 60th Anniversary Dedication

Aug. 25 – Flooring Dedication

Aug. 25 – Usher Training

Aug. 25 – School Supply Donations Due

Aug. 26 – IKC Open House – 6 PM

Sept. 01- Blessing of the Backpacks & Back to school

Sept. 08 – Event Coordinator Installation

Sept. 08 – Rally Day



welcome
JENNIFER HENRY
PRINCE OF PEACE'S NEW
EVENT COORDINATOR

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We'll celebrate her installation as our newest ministry team member on Rally Day: SUN SEP 08, 2024 @ 9AM.