

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

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In the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

The assembly kneels or sits. Silence is kept for reflection.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. 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.

The presiding minister announces God's forgiveness.

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

The assembly stands.

Shout to the Lord



My Je - sus, my Sav - ior, Lord, there is none like you.

All of my days I want to praise the won - ders of your might - y love.

My com - fort, my shel - ter, tow - er of ref - uge and strength;

let ev - ry breath, all that I am nev - er cease to wor - ship you.

Shout to the Lord, all the earth; let us sing pow - er and maj - es - ty, praise

to the King. Moun - tains bow down and the seas will roar at the

sound of your name. I sing for joy at the work of your hands;

for - ev - er I'll love you, for - ev - er I'll stand.

Noth - ing com - pares to the prom - ise I have in you.

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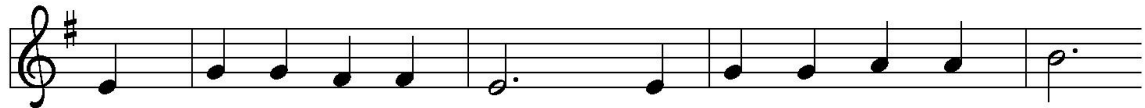
GREETING

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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.

KYRIE

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- 1 Have mer - cy on us, Lord, and hear our sol - emn prayer.
- 2 Have mer - cy on us, Christ, and wash a - way our sin.
- 3 Have mer - cy on us, Lord; make sin and shame de - part.



We come to hear your liv - ing word; it saves us from de - spair.
Pour out your grace and make us whole that new life may be - gin.
Re - new us with your sav - ing pow'r; cre - ate in us new hearts!

SONG OF PRAISE

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- 1 Glo-ry be to God in heav-en; peace, good-will to all the earth.
- 2 Glo-ry be to Christ for - ev - er, Lamb of God and Lord of love.
- 3 Ho - ly One we now ac-claim you; Lord a - lone, to you we call;



Might-y God of all cre - a - tion, Fa - ther of sur - pass - ing worth:
Son of God and gra-cious Sav - ior, you have come from heav'n a - bove;
Ho - ly One in faith we name you, God most high, yet near to all:



we ex - alt you, we a - dore you, we lift high our thanks and praise.
on the cross you died to save us; now you reign at God's right hand.
Je - sus Christ, with God the Spir - it, in the Fa - ther's splen - dor bright.



Saints and an - gels bow be - fore you; here on earth our songs we raise.
Hear our prayer; re - store, for - give us; in your prom - ise firm we stand.
For the peace that we in - her - it, glo - ry be to God on high!

PRAYER OF THE DAY

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Glorious God, your generosity waters the world with goodness, and you cover creation with abundance. Awaken in us a hunger for the food that satisfies both body and spirit, and with this food fill all the starving world; through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

CHILDREN'S BIBLE STORY

FIRST READING 2 Timothy 3:14-4:8, 16-18

¹⁴ But as for you, continue in what you have learned and firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it ¹⁵ and how from childhood you have known sacred writings that are able to instruct you for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. ¹⁶ All scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, ¹⁷ so that the person of God may be proficient, equipped for every good work.

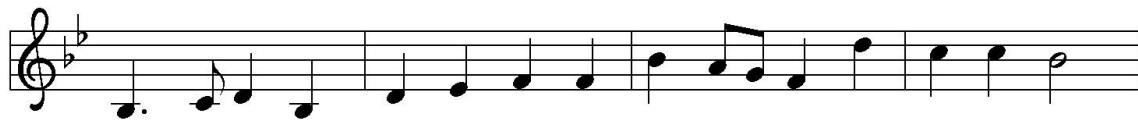
⁸ From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

¹⁶ At my first defense no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! ¹⁷ But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. ¹⁸ The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

The assembly stands.

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Al - le-lu - ia! Lord and Sav - ior: o - pen now your sav-ing word.



Let it burn like fire with-in us; speak un - til our hearts are stirred.



Al - le-lu - ia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

Gospel

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The Gospel according to Luke the 18th chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

Gospel Reading Luke 18:6-8

⁶And the Lord said, "Listen to what the unjust judge says. ⁷And will not God grant justice to his chosen ones who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long in helping them? ⁸I tell you, he will quickly grant justice to them. And yet, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?"

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

SERMON

My Life Flows On in Endless Song



1 My life flows on in end - less song; a - bove earth's lam-en - ta - tion,
2 Through all the tu - mult and the strife, I hear that mu - sic ring - ing.
3 What though my joys and com-forts die? The Lord my Sav-ior liv - eth.
4 The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, a foun - tain ev - er spring-ing!



I catch the sweet, though far-off hymn that hails a new cre - a - tion.
It finds an ech - o in my soul. How can I keep from sing-ing?
What though the dark - ness gath-er round? Songs in the night he giv - eth.
All things are mine since I am his! How can I keep from sing-ing?

Refrain



No storm can shake my in-most calm while to that Rock I'm cling-ing.



Since Christ is Lord of heav-en and earth, how can I keep from sing-ing?

Text: Robert Lowry, 1826–1899

Music: HOW CAN I KEEP FROM SINGING, Robert Lowry, alt.

Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ,
God's 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 to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come
to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

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Gathered together by the Holy Spirit, let us pray for the church and the needs of the world.

A brief silence.

L: Merciful God, C: receive our prayer.

Trusting you receive all our prayers, we commend our spoken and unspoken prayers to you, O God, through Jesus our Savior.
Amen.

Peace

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The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

MEAL

Offering /Noisy Offering
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Offertory Song

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Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

The musical score is written on three staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, using mostly quarter and half notes. The lyrics are printed below the notes.

Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; praise God, all
crea - tures here be - low; praise God a - bove, ye
heav'n - ly host; praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

Text: Thomas Ken, 1637–1711, alt.

Music: OLD HUNDREDTH, Louis Bourgeois, 1510–1561

OFFERING PRAYER

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Loving God,
we offer at your table the gifts of our hearts.
Help us take heart in you and share freely of your love,
so that all creation can taste your abundance.
We ask this in the name of Jesus,
through the Spirit abiding with us now and forever.
Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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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.

...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, Holy, Holy

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The musical score is written on four staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below each staff. The first staff ends with a double bar line. The second and third staves continue the melody. The fourth staff ends with a double bar line.

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san - na in the high - est.
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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**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.

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

All who desire the Lord's Supper are invited to come forward to receive Holy Communion. Following the usher's invitation, come forward along the side aisle and remain standing as you gather around the altar railing. When everyone has gathered at the railing, you may kneel or remain standing. Receive the wafer of bread in your hands. You may also request a gluten-free wafer. Then take a small cup from the tray: white grape juice is in the center and red wine is around the edge. Deposit your cup in the basket when you are finished and return to your seat down the center aisle. We invite children and those not receiving the bread and wine to come forward to receive a blessing at the altar railing.

COMMUNION HYMN

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1 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
2 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
3 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;

you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer - cy now, we pray.
you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer - cy now, we pray.
e - ter - nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

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Compassionate God,
through the gifts of bread and wine
our hearts are filled with the abundance of your love.
Strengthen us that we, through this holy meal,
may share your love freely, as you have shared with us.
We ask this in the name of Jesus,
through the Spirit nourishing us now and forever.
Amen.

Blessing

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Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer,
✠ one God,
bless, heal, and hold you
today and always.
Amen.

Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise



Thank-ful hearts and voic-es raise; tell ev-'ry-one what God has done.



Let all who seek the Lord re-joyce and bear Christ's ho - ly name.



Send us with your prom-is - es, O God, and lead us forth in



joy with shouts of thanks - giv - ing. Al - le - lu - ia.

Text: John W. Arthur, 1922-1980

Music: *Liturgy of Joy*, James M. Capers, b. 1948

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Dismissal

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God is near. Go, share the good news!

Thanks be to God.

This month's **noisy offering** will go to **Experience Camps**, a free one-week camps **for kids and teens who have experienced the death** of a parent, sibling or primary caregiver. The organization provides a safe environment where kids can **explore** their **grief**, break the isolation they may feel with their non-camp peers, and have a whole lot of fun. For kids **entering grades 4th – 12th** in the 2026-27 school year who are grieving the death of a parent, caregiver, or sibling. The date this year is August 18 – 23, 2026 in Camps Lake of the Woods and Greenwoods in Decatur, MI

Our theme for **Rally Day, Sept 13** is "Building Faith, Brick by Brick." We plan to have some fun building challenges for families at this event. Please **donate gently used Lego bricks** from home. You may place them in the bin in the narthex.

Farmers, backyard gardeners, beekeepers, and more - please **send in photos of your summer labors** - fields of all stages, farming equipment, livestock, and most importantly – YOU! Email pictures to princeofpeaceida@gmail.com or text them to Kelsey at 734-224-4135.

Our family would like to sincerely thank our church family for the many prayers, cards, texts, hugs, and kind words of comfort shared with us during the loss of my brother. Your love and support have been a true blessing and have carried us through a difficult time. We are deeply grateful to be part of such a caring church family. Deena and Ryan Salenbien and family

Today is nametag Sunday!
Please fill one out in the narthex and put it on!

Opportunities to schedule your photography session
will be available in the narthex on
Sundays August 9 & 16 and Wednesdays August 12 & 19
If you have any questions, contact Robin Opfermann 734-430-5306

A **teacher** for our **3rd–5th grade class** is needed. Every lesson, every conversation, and every Sunday helps **build** a **strong foundation** of faith in the lives of our children. This ministry can be shared with another volunteer, allowing you to serve on a rotating schedule. There is a **guided curriculum** that may be used. Your help can have **impact** on the **faith of our youth**. Contact Parish Ed, Ann Clark (419-350-2524), Amy Lynn or Vicky Smith if interested or with questions

A **leader** for the **Children's handbells** is also **needed**. The kids play once a month, Sept-June. Kim Cramer has led the group for years and is available to show you the ropes. Talk to Parish Ed or Kim Cramer with questions.

Local event...

There's a Big Band Concert at St Paul Lutheran Church in Maybee, 7771 High St on Tues Aug 11 @ 7 PM. Bring a lawn chair and enjoy this outdoor concert.

Support God's Ministry at Prince of Peace

Give via our website: princeofpeaceida.org.

You may also direct deposit or scan to donate:



Serving our congregation this morning:

Acolytes – Shane Clark

Altar Guild – Lynne Zabawa and Terri Meadows

Fellowship Hour – The Lynn Family w/donations from Faye Lorenzo and Elizabeth Roose

Liturgical Minister – Kim Zietlow

Media – Paul Ness

Organist – Ray Smith

Ushers – Dick Leonard; Head Usher, Gary Miller, Bob Winkelman

Schedule:

Sunday: Holy Communion - 9 AM

Fellowship Hour – 10 AM

Directory Sign-Up

Tuesday: Worship Committee Meeting – 6:00 PM

Church Council Meeting

Alcohol Anonymous - 7 PM

Wednesday: Mid-Week Worship – 7 PM

Directory Sign-Up

Thursday: Holy Grounds - TBD

Friday: Model T Car Event

Coming Soon:

Sat Aug 29 -

Sun Aug 30 – Baptism Class – 10:15 AM

Mon Aug 31 – IKC Open House – 6 PM

Mon Sept 07– Labor Day

Sun Sept. 13 – Rally Day

Tues Sept. 15 – Bible Study Begins – 9:30 AM

Wed Sept 16 – Worship Time Changes to 6:30 PM

Wed Sept 16 – Bible Study Begins – 7:30 PM

Wed Sept 16 – Newsletter Deadline

Michigan Jamboree of TS



will be at

PRINCE OF PEACE

on

AUGUST 14TH

**FOR A
COFFEE STOP.**



9:00 - 10:00



A LUTHERAN WELCOME TO
HOLY BAPTISM



Baptism Class
for All Ages and Families

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30, 10:15AM

Rally Day

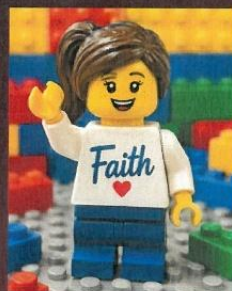
Building Faith, Brick by Brick

Sunday, September 13th

10:00-11:00 a.m.

Join us for this special event
as we kick off our Sunday School year!

**We offer Sunday school for ages
preschool through high school.**



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