

**ST. JOHN'S**  
**LUTHERAN CHURCH AND SCHOOL**  
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**Prelude** “St. Crispin” settings by Paul Bauman & Wayne L. Wold  
“In Gottes Namen Fahren Wir” settings by Jeffrey Blersch & Wolfgang Briegel  
**Announcements**

**Opening Hymn: “These Are the Holy Ten Commandments” sts. 1-4 LSB 581**  
*Please stand for last verse*

**Invocation**

**P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

**Confession and Absolution**

**P** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

**P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,

**C** **who made heaven and earth.**

**P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

**C** **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

**P** O almighty God, merciful Father,

**C** **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

**P** Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

## Opening Versicles

- L** This is the day which the Lord has made;
- C** let us rejoice and be glad in it.
- L** From the rising of the sun to its setting,
- C** the name of the Lord is to be praised.
- L** Better is one day in Your courts than a thousand elsewhere;
- C** I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of the wicked.
- L** Make me to know Your ways, O Lord.
- C** Teach me Your paths.
- L** Sanctify us in Your truth.
- C** Your Word is truth.
- L** From the rising of the sun to its setting,
- C** the name of the Lord is to be praised.
- C** Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

## Old Testament Canticle

LSB 176



**C** What shall I ren - der to the Lord for all His ben - e-fits to



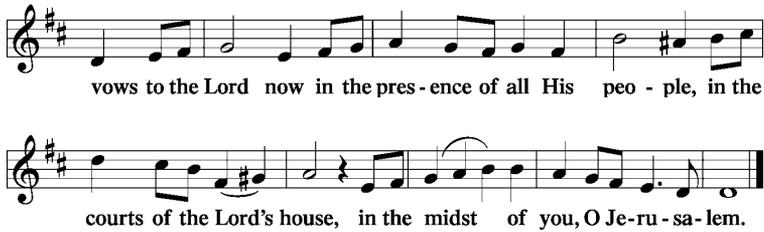
me? I will of - fer the sac - ri - fice of thanks - giv - ing and will



call on the name of the Lord. I will take the cup of sal-



va - tion and will call on the name of the Lord. I will pay my



*Sit*

### Readings From Holy Scripture

#### Old Testament Reading

*Exodus 20:1-17*

<sup>1</sup>And God spoke all these words, saying,

<sup>2</sup>"I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

<sup>3</sup>"You shall have no other gods before me.

<sup>4</sup>"You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. <sup>5</sup>You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the Lord your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, <sup>6</sup>but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.

<sup>7</sup>"You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain, for the Lord will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.

<sup>8</sup>"Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. <sup>9</sup>Six days you shall labor, and do all your work, <sup>10</sup>but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the Lord your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. <sup>11</sup>For in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested the seventh day. Therefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.

<sup>12</sup>"Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the Lord your God is giving you.

<sup>13</sup>“You shall not murder.

<sup>14</sup>“You shall not commit adultery.

<sup>15</sup>“You shall not steal.

<sup>16</sup>“You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

<sup>17</sup>“You shall not covet your neighbor’s house; you shall not covet your neighbor’s wife, or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor’s.”

**A**This is the Word of the Lord.

**C**Thanks be to God.

**Hymn: “These Are the Holy Ten Commandments”** sts. 5-8 **LSB 581**

### **Epistle**

*Romans 6:3-11*

<sup>3</sup>Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? <sup>4</sup>We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life.

<sup>5</sup>For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. <sup>6</sup>We know that our old self was crucified with him in order that the body of sin might be brought to nothing, so that we would no longer be enslaved to sin. <sup>7</sup>For one who has died has been set free from sin. <sup>8</sup>Now if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. <sup>9</sup>We know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. <sup>10</sup>For the death he died he died to sin, once for all, but the life he lives he lives to God. <sup>11</sup>So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

**A**This is the Word of the Lord.

**C**Thanks be to God.

**Hymn: “These Are the Holy Ten Commandments”** sts. 9-12 **LSB 581**

*Stand*

## Alleluia and Verse



Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

The image shows a musical score for the Alleluia and Verse. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff on top and a bass clef staff on the bottom. The music is in a simple, homophonic style with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The lyrics 'Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.' are written below the treble staff, with the notes of the melody aligned with the syllables. The bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes.

## Holy Gospel

*Matthew 5:20–26*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fifth chapter.

**G** **Glory to You, O Lord.**

<sup>20</sup>“For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>21</sup>“You have heard that it was said to those of old, ‘You shall not murder; and whoever murders will be liable to judgment.’ <sup>22</sup>But I say to you that everyone who is angry with his brother will be liable to judgment; whoever insults his brother will be liable to the council; and whoever says, ‘You fool!’ will be liable to the hell of fire. <sup>23</sup>So if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother has something against you, <sup>24</sup>leave your gift there before the altar and go. First be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift. <sup>25</sup>Come to terms quickly with your accuser while you are going with him to court, lest your accuser hand you over to the judge, and the judge to the guard, and you be put in prison. <sup>26</sup>Truly, I say to you, you will never get out until you have paid the last penny.

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**G** **Praise to You, O Christ.**

## Responsory

**L** Forever, O Lord, Your Word is firmly set in the heavens.

**G** **Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.**

**L** Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and keep it.

**C** Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.

**L** Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

**C** Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.

### Creed

**C** I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His 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 into hell.

The third day He rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven

and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.

From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy Christian Church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life ✠ everlasting. Amen.

### Catechism. – *The Table of Duties*

**P** What does God require of citizens?

**C** Give to Caesar what is Caesar's, and to God what is God's. Matt. 22:21  
It is necessary to submit to the authorities, not only because of possible punishment but also because of conscience. This is also why you pay taxes, for the authorities are God's servants, who give their full time to governing. Give everyone what you owe him: If you owe taxes, pay taxes; if revenue, then revenue; if respect, then respect; if honor, then honor.

*Rom. 13:5–7*

## Children's Message

**Hymn of the Day:** "Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness"

LSB 563

**Sermon** *Mercy Part 2*

## Offering

**Voluntary:** "Draw Us to Thee" by Johann Gottfried Walther

**Doxology:** "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

LSB 805

*Stand*

## Prayer of the Church

### Lord's Prayer

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

**C** **Our Father who art in heaven...**

### Collect of the Day

**L** Lord of all power and might, author and giver of all good things, graft into our hearts the love of Your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of Your great mercy keep us in the same; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** **Amen.**

### Collect for the Word

**L** Blessed Lord, You have caused all Holy Scriptures to be written for our learning. Grant that we may so hear them, read, mark, learn, and take them to heart that, by the patience and comfort of Your holy Word, we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives on reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** **Amen.**

## Morning Prayer

**C** I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please You. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

## New Testament Canticle

LSB 182



**C** Lord, now You let Your ser-vant go in peace; Your word has been ful -



filled. My own eyes have seen the sal - va-tion which You have pre -



pared in the sight of ev - 'ry peo - ple: A light to re -



veal You to the na-tions and the glo-ry of Your peo-ple Is - ra - el.



Glo-ry be to the Fa-ther and to the Son and to the Ho-ly Spir-it;



as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and will be for-ev-er. A - men.

## Blessing

- L** Let us bless the Lord.
- C** Thanks be to God.

## Closing Hymn: “Christ the Eternal Lord”

LSB 829

## Postlude “Diademata” by Donald Busarow

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### 7/8

### 7/15

Preacher	7/8	7/15
<b>Preacher</b>	Rev. Adam Jacobsen	Rev. Adam Jacobsen
<b>Organist</b>	Miguel Ruiz	Christa Packer
<b>Head Elder</b>	Greg Mauck	Greg Mauck
<b>Assisting Elder</b>	Tim Rincker	Tim Rincker
<b>Ushers</b>	8:00 am: Collin Richey 10:30 am: Todd Thoman	8:00 am: Collin Richey 10:30 am: Todd Thoman
<b>Acolytes</b>	8:00: Ashlynn Smith & Olivia Lawler 10:30 am: Josh Sipes & Miles Harlin	8:00: Kaylin Richey & Laney Brandenburg 10:30 am: Lexi Saunders & Marley VanHoveln
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Tina Smith & Janice Mann	Tina Smith & Janice Mann
<b>Driver</b>	Janice Mann 234-6084	Karen Stoll 258-6377

### Altar Flowers:

**Center Flowers** are given by the Aubrey family in celebration of Ryan’s birthday.

**Side flowers** are given by the Kolbus family in memory of Lowell. *“11 years ago God took you from us, but it gave Him an extra angel in heaven.”* ~ The Kolbus Family

### Prayer Requests:

#### Those In Need of Comfort, Health, & Recovery (Recently Added)

Derald Doehring	Ron Phillips
Caralea Smith	Art ZuHone
Bonnie Kenney	
Ronnie – Brother of Connie Elder	Ruth Jubelt - Jane Roth’s Mother
Jack Galeotti – Infant of a friend of the Crackel and Ferree Family	

## Schedule for July 8 – July 15

<b>Sun</b>	8:00 & 10:30 am Worship 9:25 am Education Hour 3:00 pm Farmer - Gym	<b>Wed</b>	10:00 am Archery – Gym
<b>Mon</b>	8:00 am LOL 10:00 am Archery – Gym 6:30 pm Trustee Meeting	<b>Thu</b>	8:30 am Exercise Class 9:15 am Thursday Morning Bible Study 5:30 pm Farmer – Gym
<b>Tue</b>	6:30 am Men’s Bible Study @ 8:30 am Exercise Class 9:30 am Degler – Fam Rm 5:30 pm Farmer - Gym 6:30 pm Men’s Bible Study @ Pastor’s House	<b>Sat</b>	9 am – 12 pm FIRE Car Wash – U-Drive 10:00 am Diepholz Family Reunion
		<b>Sun</b>	8:00 & 10:30 am Worship w/Holy Communion 9:25 am Education Hour 3:00 pm Farmer - Gym

### Church News, Events, and Announcements:

**Men’s Tuesday AM Bible Study:** Pagliacci’s has closed, so the location of the Men’s Tuesday AM study has been moved to Denny’s for a trial this Tuesday.

**Bulletin Announcements:** Bulletin announcements are due Wednesday by noon of the week you would like it printed. Please email to [bailey@stjohns-mattoon.org](mailto:bailey@stjohns-mattoon.org) Thank you!

**The FIRE** will be having a car wash on July 14 from 9 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. There will be a free will offering to help us raise funds for the 2019 National Youth Gathering in Minneapolis, MN.

**New Church Business Manager:** The church has hired Chantel Thompson, as the new business manager. Chantel will take over as bookkeeper and school secretary in the school office.

**New Member Class will start August 22.** Many of our members are planning to attend. This is a good chance to review basic Christian teachings. Who can you bring? Invite someone to the class!

**Thank You:** I wanted to let Ladies Aid know how much I appreciated the lovely bouquet from last week. Their thoughtfulness was acknowledged. I thoroughly enjoyed being parish nurse at St. John’s for the past 13 years, and hope I was able to pass on some helpful information. God bless, Joyce Zschau

**School News, Events, and Announcements:**

**Scrip:** Summer order schedule has begun. The order weeks are as follows: July 16, July 30, August 13. Weekly orders will resume August 20.

**NEW School Job Openings:** St. John's School is now taking applications for:

- Middle school teacher with a concentration in math (A math degree is not necessary.)

**Community News, Events, and Announcements:**

**The Original Jonah Fish Fry:** St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Wheeler will have their annual fish fry on Friday, July 20 from 4:30-7:30 pm. Carry out is available. The flyer is on the church bulletin board with more info.