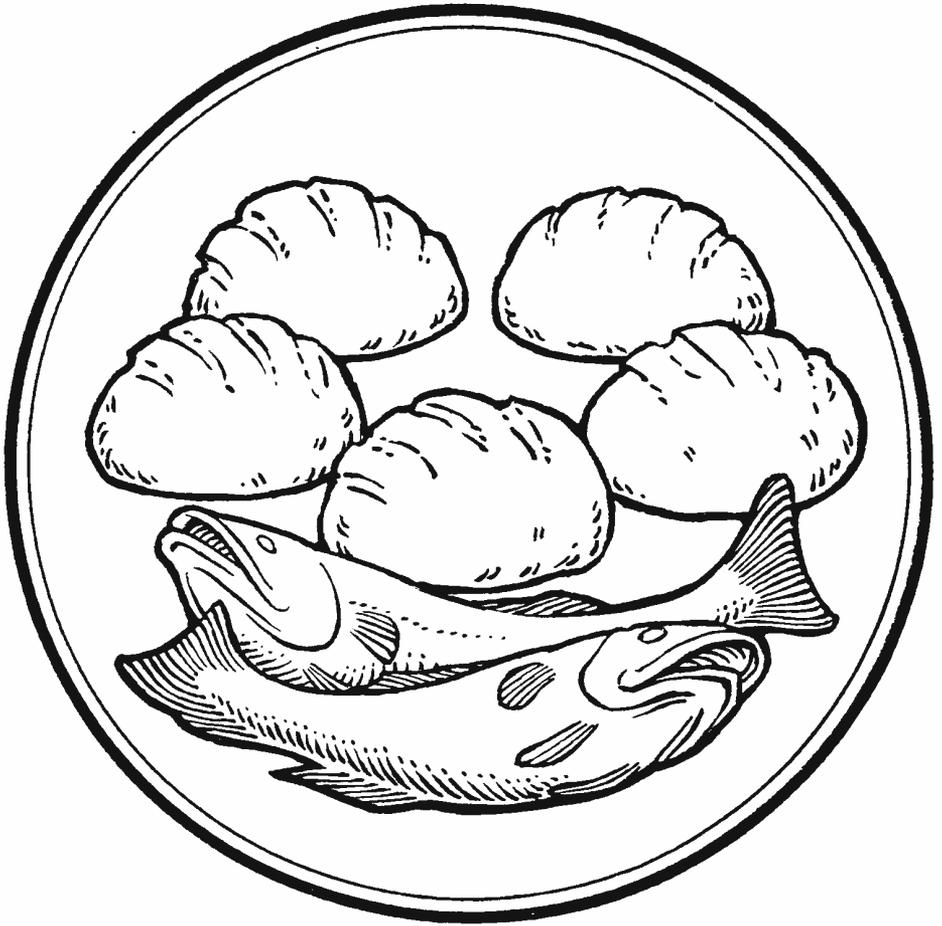


# *Divine Service*



*The Tenth Sunday after Pentecost*

August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Zion Lutheran Church

Kearney, Nebraska

## *A Warm Welcome to Our Guests!*

Please sign our guest book in the narthex or a pew card so we can know how we can best of serve. If you are a member in good standing of a sister LC-MS congregation, we invite you to commune with us. Members of other church bodies with whom we are not in confessional fellowship are asked to please refrain from communing. Our pastor will be happy to explain how our desire for Christian care and unity is shown in our communion practice. All communicants need to register in the narthex prior to the service. Those not communing are invited to come to the altar, cross your arms in front of you, and bow your head to receive a pastoral blessing.

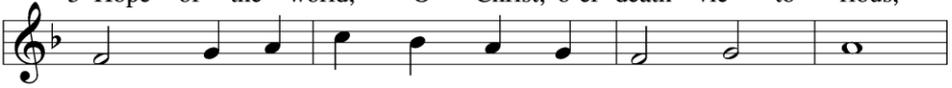
### *Christ Jesus, the Living Bread from Heaven, Feeds the Children of God*

By the Gospel of *“the Christ, who is God over all, blessed forever”* (Rom. 9:5), we are *“the children of God”* (Rom. 9:8), *“not because of works but because of him who calls”* (Rom. 9:11). Therefore, *“listen diligently”* and *“hear, that your soul may live.”* By His sacrificial death in His flesh and blood, He has made *“an everlasting covenant”* for us. Since He now calls us to Himself, we come to Him *“and eat what is good, and delight ... in rich food”* (Is. 55:2-3). He has come with divine compassion to save us from sin and death and to feed us with Himself. As our Lord Jesus once took bread, *“said a blessing,”* broke the loaves, *“and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds”* (Matt. 14:18-19), He also now takes bread, blesses it by His Word to be His very body, and distributes it to His Church by the hand of His called and ordained servants. Just as *“they took up twelve baskets full of the broken pieces,”* there is more than enough for His whole Church to eat and to be satisfied (Matt. 14:20).

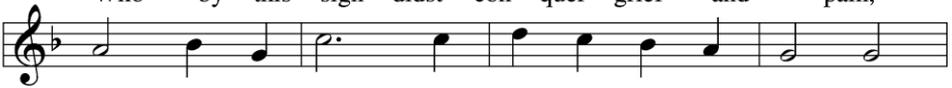
## 690 Hope of the World



1 Hope of the world, Thou Christ of great com - pas - sion;  
 2 Hope of the world, God's gift from high - est heav - en,  
 3 Hope of the world, a - foot on dust - y high - ways,  
 4 Hope of the world, who by Thy cross didst save us  
 5 Hope of the world, O Christ, o'er death vic - to - rious,



Speak to our fear - ful hearts by con - flict rent.  
 Bring - ing to hun - gry souls the bread of life,  
 Show - ing to wan - d'ring souls the path of light,  
 From death and dark de - spair, from sin and guilt,  
 Who by this sign didst con - quer grief and pain,



Save us, Thy peo - ple, from con - sum - ing pas - sion,  
 Still let Thy Spir - it un - to us be giv - en  
 Walk Thou be - side us lest the tempt - ing by - ways  
 We ren - der back the love Thy mer - cy gave us;  
 We would be faith - ful to Thy Gos - pel glo - rious.



Who by our own false hopes and aims are spent.  
 To heal earth's wounds and end our bit - ter strife.  
 Lure us a - way from Thee to end - less night.  
 Take Thou our lives and use them as Thou wilt.  
 Thou art our Lord! Thou dost for - ev - er reign!

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*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

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

**C** Amen.

**P** If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

**C** **But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

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

**P** Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

**C** **Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. 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. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. 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.**

**P** Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

## Service of the Word

### Introit

*Psalm 105:39–43; antiphon: v. 1*

Oh give thanks to the LORD; call up- | on his name;\*

make known his deeds among the | peoples!

He spread a cloud for a | covering,\*

and fire to give | light by night.

They asked, and he | brought quail,\*

and gave them bread from heaven in a- | bundance.

He opened the rock, and water | gushed out;\*

it flowed through the desert like a | river.

For he remembered his holy | promise,\*

and Abraham, his | servant.

So he brought his people | out with joy,\*

his chosen ones with | singing.

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\***

**and to the Holy | Spirit;**

**as it was in the be- | ginning,\***

**is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

Oh give thanks to the LORD; call up- | on his name;\*

make known his deeds among the | peoples!

### Kyrie

*LSB 152*

**A** In peace let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.

**A** For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.

**A** For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.

**A** For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.

**A** Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.



**C** A - men.

## Gloria in Excelsis

LSB 154

**A** Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His people on earth.



**C** Lord God, heav-en-ly king, al-might-y God and Fa - ther:



We wor-ship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glo-ry.



Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God:



You take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.



You are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther; re-ceive our prayer.



For You a-lone are the Ho-ly One, You a-lone are the Lord,



You a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it,



in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

## Salutation and Collect of the Day

**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And al - so with you.

**P** Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, though we do not deserve Your goodness, still You provide for all our needs of body and soul. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may acknowledge Your gifts, give thanks for all Your benefits, and serve You in willing obedience; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



**C** A - men.

## Old Testament Reading

*Isaiah 55:1–5*

<sup>1</sup>“Come, everyone who thirsts,

come to the waters;

and he who has no money,

come, buy and eat!

Come, buy wine and milk

without money and without price.

<sup>2</sup>Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread,

and your labor for that which does not satisfy?

Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good,

and delight yourselves in rich food.

<sup>3</sup>Incline your ear, and come to me;

hear, that your soul may live;

and I will make with you an everlasting covenant,

my steadfast, sure love for David.

<sup>4</sup>Behold, I made him a witness to the peoples,

a leader and commander for the peoples.

<sup>5</sup>Behold, you shall call a nation that you do not know,

and a nation that did not know you shall run to you,

because of the LORD your God, and of the Holy One of Israel,

for he has glorified you.”

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

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Gradual

*Romans 11:33, 36*

Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowl- | edge of God!\*

How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable | his ways!

For from him and through him and to him are | all things.\*

To him be glory forever. | Amen.

## Epistle

Romans 9:1–13

<sup>1</sup>I am speaking the truth in Christ—I am not lying; my conscience bears me witness in the Holy Spirit—<sup>2</sup>that I have great sorrow and unceasing anguish in my heart. <sup>3</sup>For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my brothers, my kinsmen according to the flesh. <sup>4</sup>They are Israelites, and to them belong the adoption, the glory, the covenants, the giving of the law, the worship, and the promises. <sup>5</sup>To them belong the patriarchs, and from their race, according to the flesh, is the Christ who is God over all, blessed forever. Amen.

<sup>6</sup>But it is not as though the word of God has failed. For not all who are descended from Israel belong to Israel, <sup>7</sup>and not all are children of Abraham because they are his offspring, but “Through Isaac shall your offspring be named.” <sup>8</sup>This means that it is not the children of the flesh who are the children of God, but the children of the promise are counted as offspring. <sup>9</sup>For this is what the promise said: “About this time next year I will return and Sarah shall have a son.” <sup>10</sup>And not only so, but also when Rebecca had conceived children by one man, our forefather Isaac, <sup>11</sup>though they were not yet born and had done nothing either good or bad—in order that God’s purpose of election might continue, not because of works but because of his call—<sup>12</sup>she was told, “The older will serve the younger.” <sup>13</sup>As it is written, “Jacob I loved, but Esau I hated.”

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

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Alleluia and Verse

LSB 156



**C** Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

## Holy Gospel

Matthew 14:13–21

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

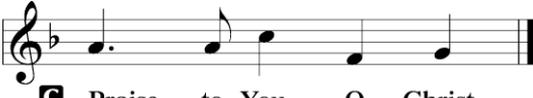


**C** Glo - ry to You, O Lord.

<sup>13</sup>Now when Jesus heard [about the death of John], he withdrew from there in a boat to a desolate place by himself. But when the crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the towns. <sup>14</sup>When he went ashore he saw a great crowd, and he had compassion on them and healed their sick. <sup>15</sup>Now when it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, “This is a desolate place, and the day is now over; send the crowds away to go into the villages and buy food for themselves.” <sup>16</sup>But Jesus said, “They need not go away; you give them something to eat.” <sup>17</sup>They said to him, “We have only five loaves here and two fish.” <sup>18</sup>And he said, “Bring them here to me.” <sup>19</sup>Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass, and taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven and said a blessing. Then he broke the loaves and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the

crowds. <sup>20</sup>And they all ate and were satisfied. And they took up twelve baskets full of the broken pieces left over. <sup>21</sup>And those who ate were about five thousand men, besides women and children.

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



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

**642 O Living Bread from Heaven**



1 O liv - ing Bread from heav - en, How well You  
 2 My Lord, You here have led me To this most  
 3 You gave me all I want - ed; This food can  
 4 Lord, grant me then, thus strength - ened With heav'n - ly



feed Your guest! The gifts that You have giv - en  
 ho - ly place And with Your - self have fed me  
 death de - stroy. And You have free - ly grant - ed  
 food, while here My course on earth is length - ened,



Have filled my heart with rest. Oh, won - drous food of  
 The trea - sures of Your grace; For You have free - ly  
 The cup of end - less joy. My Lord, I do not  
 To serve with ho - ly fear. And when You call my



bles - sing, Oh, cup that heals our woes! My heart, this  
 giv - en What earth could nev - er buy, The bread of  
 mer - it The fa - vor You have shown, And all my  
 spir - it To leave this world be - low, I en - ter,



gift pos - sess - ing, With prais - es o - ver - flows.  
 life from heav - en, That now I shall not die.  
 soul and spir - it Bow down be - fore Your throne.  
 through Your mer - it, Where joys un - min - gled flow.

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**Sermon**

*Stand*

## Apostles' 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.

## Prayer of the Church

*Sit*

## Consecration of the Offering

*Please be seated. The altar is set for the Lord's Supper and the offering is consecrated. You may use the prayers in the front of the hymnal or meditate on a communion hymn as you prepare to receive the sacrament.*

*Stand*

## Offertory

LSB 159

**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  
vows to the Lord now in the pres-ence of all His peo-ple, in the  
courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Je - ru - sa - lem.

## Preface

LSB 160

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And al - so with you.

**P** Lift up your hearts.

**C** We lift them to the Lord.

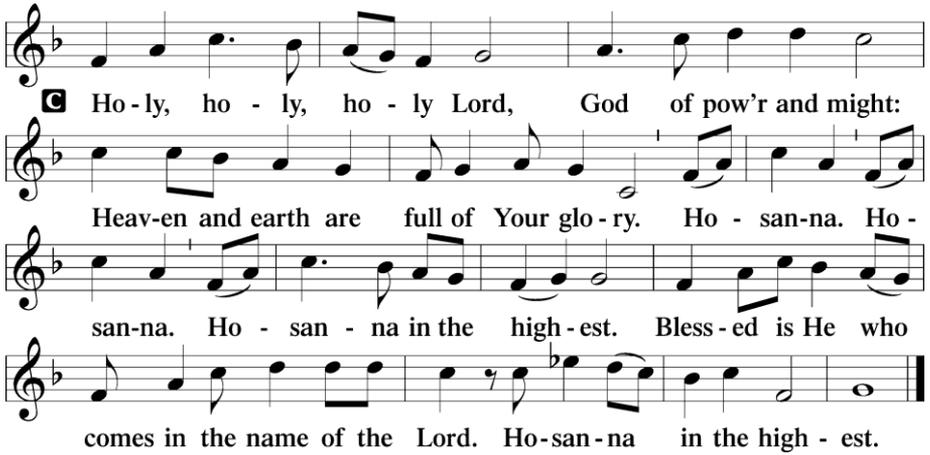
**P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C** It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

**P** It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who, out of love for His fallen creation, humbled Himself by taking on the form of a servant, becoming obedient unto death, even death upon a cross. Risen from the dead, He has freed us from eternal death and given us life everlasting. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

## Sanctus

LSB 161



**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might:  
Heav-en and earth are full of Your glo-ry. Ho - san-na. Ho -  
san-na. 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.

## The Words of Our Lord

LSB 197

**P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My  $\text{✠}$  body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My  $\text{✠}$  blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

**P** As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.

## Lord's Prayer

LSB 196

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

**C** 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.

# Pax Domini

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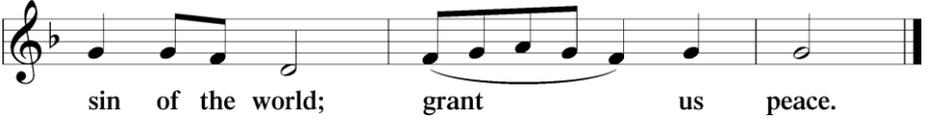
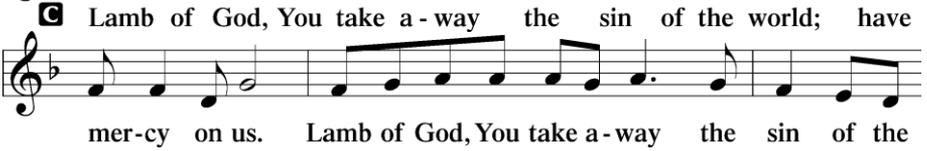
**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.



**C** A - men.

# Agnus Dei

LSB 163



*Sit*

# Distribution

## 628 Your Table I Approach



1 Your ta - ble I ap - proach; Dear Sav - ior, hear my prayer.  
2 Lord, I con - fess my sins And mourn their wretch - ed bands;  
3 Your bod - y and Your blood, Once slain and shed for me,  
4 Search not how this takes place, This won - drous mys - ter - y;



Let not an un - re - pen - tant heart Prove hurt - ful to me there.  
A con - trite heart is sure to find For - give - ness at Your hands.  
Are tak - en at Your ta - ble, Lord, In blest re - al - i - ty.  
God can ac - com - plish vast - ly more Than what we think could be.

5 O grant, most blessèd Lord,  
That earth and hell combined  
May not about this sacrament  
Raise doubt within my mind.

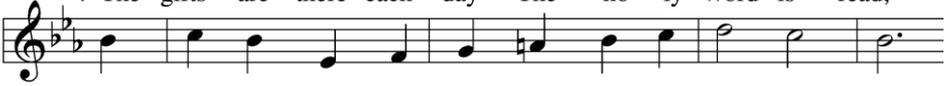
6 Oh, may I never fail  
To thank You day and night  
For Your true body and true blood,  
O God, my peace and light.

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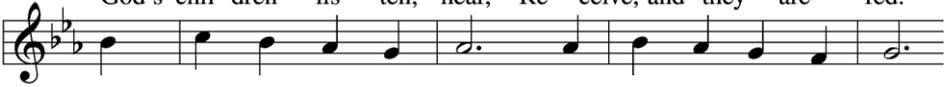
## 602 The Gifts Christ Freely Gives



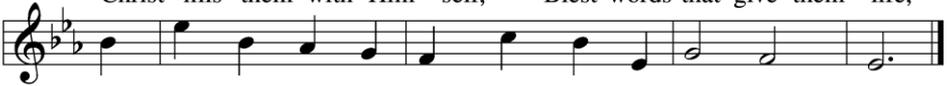
1 The gifts Christ free - ly gives He gives to you and me  
 2 The gifts flow from the font Where He calls us His own;  
 3 The gifts of grace and peace From ab - so - lu - tion flow;  
 4 The gifts are there each day The ho - ly Word is read;



To be His Church, His bride, His cho - sen, saved and free!  
 New life He gives that makes Us His and His a - lone.  
 The pas - tor's words are Christ's For us to trust and know.  
 God's chil - dren lis - ten, hear, Re - ceive, and they are fed.



Saints blest with these rich gifts Are chil - dren who pro - claim  
 Here He for - gives our sins With wa - ter and His Word;  
 For - give - ness that we need Is grant - ed to us there;  
 Christ fills them with Him - self, Blest words that give them life,



That they were won by Christ And cling to His strong name.  
 The tri - une God Him - self Gives pow'r to call Him Lord.  
 The Lord of mer - cy sends Us forth in His blest care.  
 Re - stor - ing and re - fresh - ing Them for this world's strife.

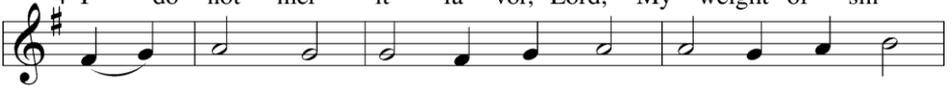
5 The gifts are in the feast,  
 Gifts far more than we see;  
 Beneath the bread and wine  
 Is food from Calvary.  
 The body and the blood  
 Remove our ev'ry sin;  
 We leave His presence in  
 His peace, renewed again.

6 All glory to the One  
 Who lavishes such love;  
 The triune God in love  
 Assures our life above.  
 His means of grace for us  
 Are gifts He loves to give;  
 All thanks and praise for His  
 Great love by which we live!

## 625 Lord Jesus Christ, Life-Giving Bread



1 Lord Je - sus Christ, life - giv - ing bread, May I in grace  
 2 To pas - tures green, Lord, safe - ly guide, To rest - ful wa -  
 3 O bread of heav'n, my soul's de - light, For full and free  
 4 I do not mer - it fa - vor, Lord, My weight of sin



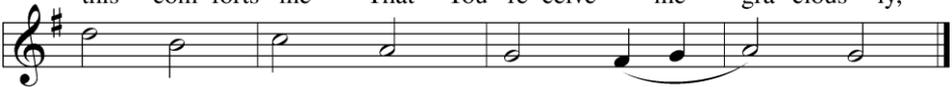
pos - sess You. Let me with ho - ly food be fed,  
 ters lead me; Your ta - ble well for me pro - vide,  
 re - mis - sion I come with prayer be - fore Your sight  
 would break me; In all my guilt - y heart's dis - cord,



In hun - ger I ad - dress You. Pre - pare me well  
 Your wound - ed hand now feed me. Though wea - ry, sin -  
 In sor - row and con - tri - tion. Your righ - teous - ness,  
 O Lord, do not for - sake me. In my dis - tress



for You, O Lord, And, hum - bly by my prayer im - plored,  
 ful, sick, and weak, Ref - uge in You a - lone I seek,  
 Lord, cov - er me That I re - ceive You wor - thi - ly,  
 this com - forts me That You re - ceive me gra - cious - ly,



Give me Your grace and mer - cy.  
 To share Your cup of heal - ing.  
 As - sured of Your full par - don.  
 O Christ, my Lord of mer - cy!

## 774 Feed Thy Children, God Most Holy

Feed Thy chil-dren, God most ho - ly; Com - fort sin - ners  
poor and low - ly. O Thou Bread of Life from heav-en, Bless the  
food Thou here hast giv - en! As these gifts the bod-y nour - ish,  
May our souls in grac - es flour - ish Till with saints in  
heav'n - ly splen - dor At Thy feast due thanks we ren - der.

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### The Dismissal

**P** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart ✠ in peace.

**C** Amen.

### Thank the Lord

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**C** Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev-'ry-one what He has done.  
Let all who seek the Lord re - joice and proud-ly bear His name.  
He re-calls His prom-is - es and leads His peo-ple forth in joy  
with shouts of thanks-giv-ing. Al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia.

## Post-Communion Collect

**P** Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



## Benediction

LSB 166

**P** The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

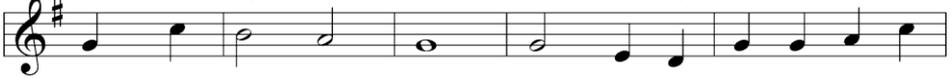


## 652 Father, We Thank Thee



1 Fa - ther, we thank Thee who hast plant - ed Thy ho - ly

2 Watch o'er Thy Church, O Lord, in mer - cy, Save it from



name with - in our hearts. Knowl - edge and faith and life im -  
e - vil, guard it still, Per - fect it in Thy love, u -



mor - tal Je - sus, Thy Son, to us im - parts.  
nite it, Cleansed and con - formed un - to Thy will.



Thou, Lord, didst make all for Thy plea - sure, Didst  
As grain, once scat - tered on the hill - sides, Was



give us food for all our days, Giv - ing in Christ the  
in this bro - ken bread made one, So from all lands Thy



Bread e - ter - nal; Thine is the pow'r, be Thine the praise.  
Church be gath - ered In - to Thy king - dom by Thy Son.

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### Prayers for Our Members

Madisen Skaggs	Expecting
Judy Ahrens	Healing
DyAnn Altwine	Healing
Jim Catterson	Healing
Lyle Colsden ( <i>Mother Hull</i> )	Healing
Pat Flodine ( <i>Cambridge Court</i> )	Healing
Jade Florang	Healing
Vi Fox ( <i>Mother Hull</i> )	Healing
Marilyn Fuqua	Healing
Jan Hatfield	Healing
Ruby Hatfield	Healing
Evelyn Heiden ( <i>Mother Hull</i> )	Healing
Teresa Leising	Healing
Linda Luhn	Healing
Diane Plummer	Healing
Debra Schinkel	Healing
Don Trampe	Healing
Ivan Bombeck	Cancer
Bertha Marienau	Cancer

## Prayers for Our Members' Family & Friends

<i>Family and Friends of Don Todd, Jr. (Marilyn Fuqua's nephew)</i>	Grief
<i>Makenzie Brooks (Bruce and Joni's daughter-in-law)</i>	Expecting
<i>Nicole Teten (Chris and Sarah Hoehner's daughter)</i>	Expecting
<i>Roger Young (Tiffany Davis' father)</i>	Parkinson's
<i>Andrew Powers (Kim Wilkens' brother)</i>	Deployment
<i>Joan Bentley (Family friend of the Kreutzer's)</i>	Healing
<i>Elaine de la Motte (Carol Herron's sister-in-law)</i>	Healing
<i>Norm Erickson (Jackie Zehendner's father)</i>	Healing
<i>Jerry Foote (Carol Herron's friend)</i>	Healing
<i>Robert Haubold (Don Helmbrecht's brother-in-law)</i>	Healing
<i>Roger Hoffman (Marc's father)</i>	Healing
<i>Luetta Lammers (Ruby Hatfield's sister)</i>	Healing
<i>Tim Powers (Kim Wilkens' brother)</i>	Healing
<i>Howard Quandt (Don &amp; Shirley Helmbrecht's family)</i>	Healing
<i>David &amp; Carol Shiers (Jessica's parents)</i>	Healing
<i>Randy Solomon (Beth Rosenthal's father)</i>	Healing
<i>Virginia Vest (Sue Bartels' cousin)</i>	Healing
<i>Jonah (Jase &amp; Jarren Blattner's friend)</i>	Cancer
<i>Diane Brandt (Friend of Junge's and Helmbrecht's)</i>	Cancer
<i>Glenda Fichtner (Ruby Hatfield's niece)</i>	Cancer
<i>Sarah Forinash (Richmond's daughter)</i>	Cancer
<i>Ron Halvorsen (Jeff's dad)</i>	Cancer
<i>Ann Koopman (Todd's sister-in-law)</i>	Cancer
<i>Gay Koopman (Todd Koopman's sister)</i>	Cancer
<i>Lynda Kreutzer (Rich &amp; Carol's sister-in-law)</i>	Cancer
<i>Helen Lange (friend of the Bartels')</i>	Cancer
<i>Sharon Mulhair (Pam Uhlir's cousin)</i>	Cancer
<i>Milton Naprstek (Marilyn Fuqua's brother)</i>	Cancer
<i>Tyrone Uhlir (Pam's nephew)</i>	Cancer
<i>Ray Vang (Don &amp; Shirley Helmbrecht's brother-in-law)</i>	Cancer

## Response to the Gospel

Date: 7/30/2023

Offering: \$ 8,428.30

Weekly Need: \$7,500

### Offering Options:

To worship the Lord with your offering:

- 1) Place your offering in the offering plate as you enter or leave.
- 2) Go to [zionkearney.churchtrac.com/give](http://zionkearney.churchtrac.com/give)
- 3) Go to [zionkearney.com](http://zionkearney.com) and click on the ChurchTrac icon
- 4) Mail your gift to Zion Lutheran Church, 2421 C Ave, Kearney, NE 68847 or place it in the mail slot on the south side of the building.

Today's Radio Broadcast is sponsored by the Welcott Family,  
All glory to God.

Today's Altar Flowers are sponsored by Chris and Sarah Hoehner,  
In honor of Kellsey and Andy's wedding.

### Sunday, August 6<sup>th</sup> - 9:00a

Elder: Nathan Gaunt  
Acolyte: Amy Tonniges  
Announcer: Carol Kreutzer

Usher: Fred Flessner  
Engineer: Eric Rosenthal  
Altar Guild: Beth Rosenthal &  
Shirley Helmbrect

### Sunday, August 13<sup>th</sup> - 9:00a

Elder: Keith Nuttelman  
Acolyte: Luke Barefoot  
Announcer: Brooke Fisher

Usher: Steve Junge  
Engineer: Jamie Nikodym  
Altar Guild: Beth Rosenthal &  
Shirley Helmbrect

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## This Week at Zion

<b>Sun 8/6</b>	<b>9:00a</b> <b>10:30a</b> <b>10:30a</b>  <b>5:00p</b>	<b>Divine Service</b> <b>Adult Bible Study</b> <b>Radio Broadcast</b> <b>1460AM &amp; 92.1FM</b> <b>Divine Service</b>
<b>Mon 8/7</b>	<i>Birthdays</i>	<i>Ellen Koopman</i>
<b>Tues 8/8</b>	<b>1:30p</b> <b>5:15p</b> <b>7:00p</b>  <i>Birthdays</i>	<b>Sleeping Mats</b> <b>Church Foundation Meeting</b> <b>Bd of Ed</b> <b>Bd of Elders</b> <b>Bd of Trustees</b> <i>Linda Luhn</i>
<b>Wed 8/9</b>	<i>Birthdays</i>	<i>Crystal Hartman</i>
<b>Thurs 8/10</b>	<i>Birthdays</i>	<i>Marc Hoffman</i> <i>Norrine Rockwell</i>
<b>Fri 8/11</b>	<i>Birthdays</i>	<b>Peach Sales - TBD</b> <i>Rebecca Dahlgren</i>
<b>Sat 8/12</b>	<i>Anniversaries</i>	<i>Richard &amp; Carol Kreutzer</i>
<b>Sun 8/13</b>	<b>9:00a</b> <b>10:30a</b> <b>10:30a</b>  <b>5:00p</b> <i>Birthdays</i>	<b>Divine Service</b> <b>Adult Bible Study</b> <b>Radio Broadcast</b> <b>1460AM &amp; 92.1FM</b> <b>Divine Service</b> <i>Erica Peoples</i>

## Announcements for August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2023

**HELP WANTED:** The next part of our Sanctuary Renovation Project, “the painting phase,” begins today. But we need help! Please join the Board of Trustees this afternoon at 2:00 p.m., as we move pews and furnishings to prepare for the professional paint crew that will begin work tomorrow. We will also set up chairs and a temporary chancel in the gym for worship next Sunday.

**Church Mailboxes:** The Stewardship Board has updated the church mailboxes. Let the office know if your mailbox is missing or your name is misspelled.

**3rd Quarter Missions:** All mission offering from July-September will help Rev. Jonathan Clausing and his family, who are serving in Tanzania. To access more information about the Clausing family and their mission, go to: [www.lcms.org/clausing](http://www.lcms.org/clausing).

**Peach Sales:** Here are the tentative dates for the Peach Sales:

August 10<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup> - Mary Martha

August 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> - Board of Education

September 13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup> - Youth Board

## SCHOOL NEWS

**Final Registration:** If you did not attend Final Registration, please contact the office to set up a time to bring in all necessary paperwork.

**Back to School Night:** Next Tuesday, August 15<sup>th</sup> from **5:00p-6:30p** (new time), the Board of Education will be hosting Back to School Night. They will be grilling hamburgers and hotdogs. Weather permitting, there will be a bounce house! Come by and meet the teachers and classmates!

**First Day of School:** K-8 will start school August 16<sup>th</sup>. There will be an early dismissal at 11:30a. Normal hours will start on August 17<sup>th</sup>. MWF and both Pre-K classes will start August 21<sup>st</sup> and TTH on August 22<sup>nd</sup>. We are so excited for the new school year!

**Cross Country Practice:** Practices are well underway. If you are a Zion member and would like to join, contact the office for information.