



*"The Redeemed Before The Throne In Heaven"*

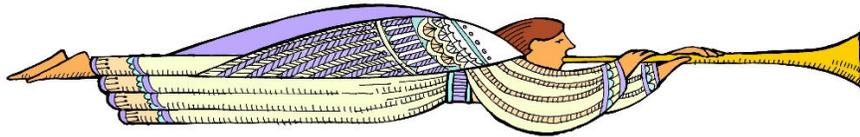
*Our Savior Lutheran Church*

# *Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost*

ST. MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS

*Order of Matins*

*In Nomine Jesu*



*Preservice Music*

*Ringinq of the Bells*

*Prelude*

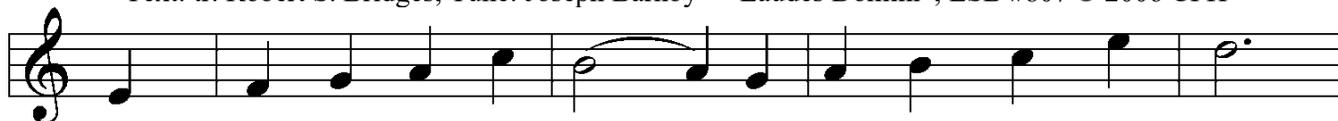
LAUDES DOMINI

*Greetings & Announcements*

# Hymn of Invocation

## WHEN MORNING GILDS THE SKIES

Text: tr. Robert S. Bridges; Tune: Joseph Barnby – “Laudes Domini”; LSB #807 © 2006 CPH



1 When morn-ing gilds the skies, My heart, a - wak - ing, cries,  
2 When mirth for mu - sic longs, This is my song of songs:  
3 No love - lier an - ti - phon In all high heav'n is known  
4 Ye na - tions of man - kind, In this your con - cord find:  
5 Sing, suns and stars of space, Sing, ye that see His face,



“May Je - sus Christ be praised!” When eve - ning shad - ows fall,  
“May Je - sus Christ be praised!” God's ho - ly house of prayer  
Than “Je - sus Christ be praised!” There to the e - ter - nal Word  
“May Je - sus Christ be praised!” Let all the earth a - round  
Sing, “Je - sus Christ be praised!” God's whole cre - a - tion o'er,



This rings my cur - few call: “May Je - sus Christ be praised!”  
Hath none that can com - pare With “Je - sus Christ be praised!”  
The e - ter - nal psalm is heard: “May Je - sus Christ be praised!”  
Ring joy - ous with the sound: “May Je - sus Christ be praised!”  
Both now and ev - er - more Shall Je - sus Christ be praised!

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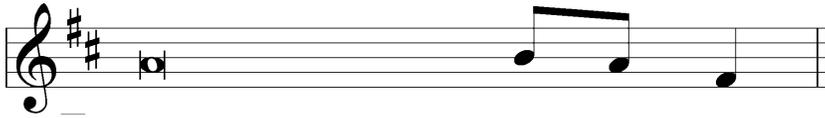


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## Versicles

**P** O Lord, open thou my lips,

(Psalm 51:15)



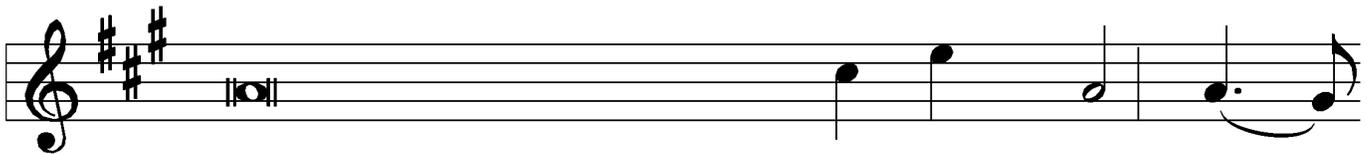
**G** And my mouth shall show forth thy praise.

**P** Make haste, O God, to deliver me;

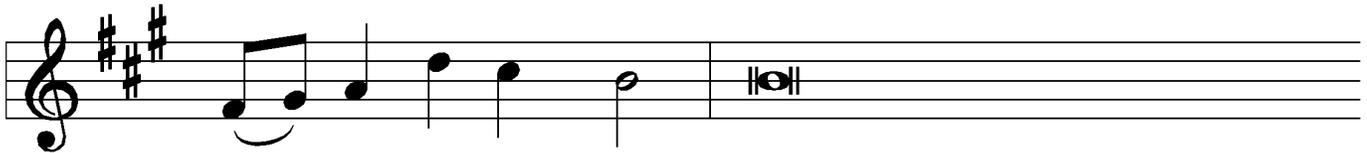
(Psalm 70:1)



**G** Make haste to help me, O Lord.



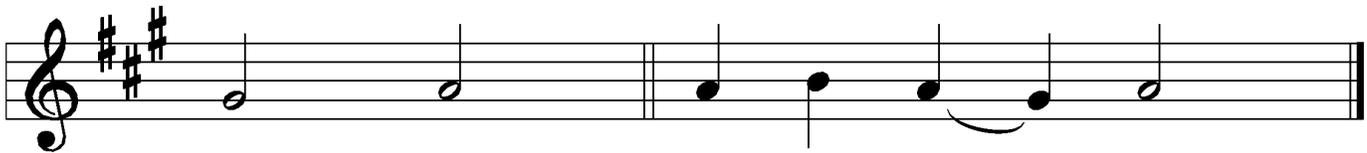
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and



to the Ho-ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is



now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end.



A - men.

Al - le - lu - ia!

# Invitatory

**P** Oh, come, let us worship the Lord:

(Psalm 95:6)



**C** For He is our Mak - er.

## *Venite Exultemus Domino*

PSALM 95:1-7



Oh, come, let us sing unto the Lord: let us make a joyful noise to the Rock of



our sal - va - tion. Let us come before His presence with thanks - giv - ing:



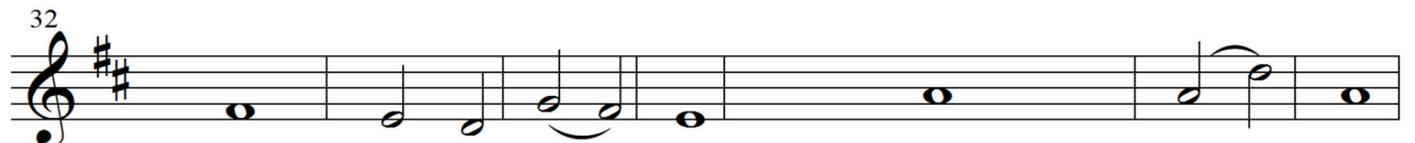
and make a joyful noise unto Him with psalms. For the Lord is a great God:



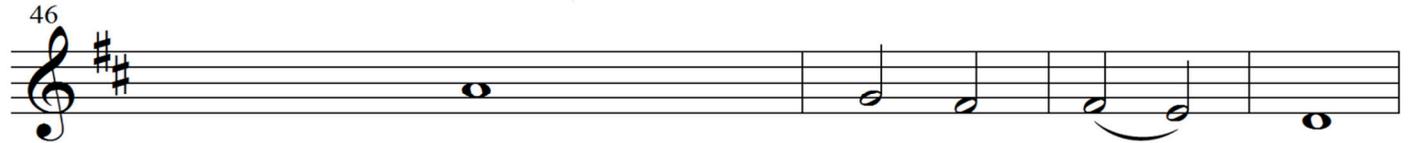
and a great King a - bove all gods. In His hand are the deep places of the earth:

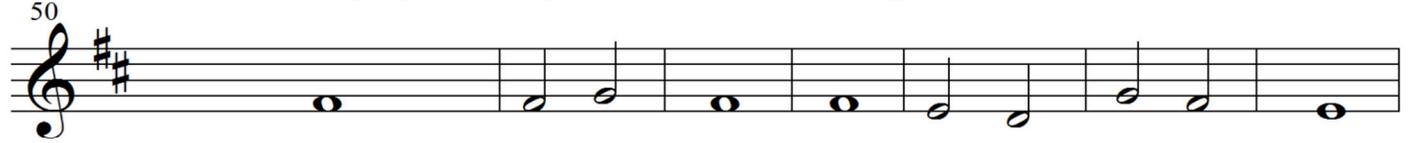


the strength of the hills is His al - so. The sea is His, and He made it:

32  
  
 and His hands formed the dry land. Oh, come, let us worship and bow down:

39  
  
 let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker. For He is our God:

46  
  
 and we are people of His pasture and the sheep of His hand.

50  
  
 Glory be to the Father and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost;

57  
  
 As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

## Psalmody

### “BENEDIC, ANIMA MEA, DOMINUM”

(Psalm 103:20–22; antiphon: Psalm 103:1)

- P** Bless the LORD, O my soul,  
**C** *and all that is within me, bless his holy name!*
- P** Bless the LORD, O you his angels,  
**C** *you mighty ones who do his word, obeying the voice of his word!*
- P** Bless the LORD, all his hosts, his ministers, who do his will!  
**C** *Bless the LORD, all his works, in all places of his dominion.*
- P** Bless the LORD, O my soul!  
**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.*
- P** Bless the LORD, O my soul,  
**C** *and all that is within me, bless his holy name!*

(Be Seated)

# Hymn of the Day

## BRIGHT THE VISION THAT DELIGHTED

Text: L. L. White; Tune: Rowland H. Prichard – “Hyfrydol”; Te Deum #61 © 2016 OSL



1. Bright the vis - ion that de - light - ed, Once the sight of  
2. Round the Lord in heav'n - ly glo - ry Count - less hosts of  
3. From this host, so grand and glor - ious, Sound - ing forth a  
4. Lord, Thy glo - ry fills the heav - ens, All that is, made  
5. With His an - gel host be - fore Him, With His ho - ly



Ju - dah's Seer, Raised a - bove this world be - night - ed; Shroud - ed  
an - gels bright; Ev - 'ry rank and cat - e - gor - y, Splen - did  
won - drous hymn Sing - ing praise to God vic - tor - ious, Cher - u -  
by Thy Word, Un - to Thee be glo - ry giv - en Ho - ly,  
Church be - low; All u - nite to bow be - fore Him; Awe and



in sin's dark - ness drear Earth's sad clam - or now re - ce - ded,  
in their daz - zling light; Six winged ser - aphs, guard - ians migh - ty  
him and Ser - a - phim Joined their voi - ces, sweet, har - mo - nious,  
Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord! All the heav'ns with glo - ry ring - ing  
ad - or - a - tion show; Lord Thy glo - ry fills the heav - ens



An - guished cries of hate and fear; By ce - les - tial  
Cher - u - bim in grace - ful flight; Mi - chael, Cap - tain  
Thanks and hon - or all to Him; Each to each, in  
Earth takes up the an - gels' cry Ho - ly, Ho - ly,  
All that is, made by Thy Word; Un - to Thee be



song u - ni - ted, To en - trance the proph - et's ear.  
of God's ar - my; Sa - tan's con - quer'r in their fight.  
meas - ure prec - ious, Ech - o - ing the end - less hymn.  
Ho - ly, sing - ing Praise to God, the Lord most High.  
glo - ry giv - en, Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord!

# Old Testament Reading

DANIEL 10:10-14; 12:1-3

[10] And behold, a hand touched me and set me trembling on my hands and knees. [11] And he said to me, “O Daniel, man greatly loved, understand the words that I speak to you, and stand upright, for now I have been sent to you.” And when he had spoken this word to me, I stood up trembling. [12] Then he said to me, “Fear not, Daniel, for from the first day that you set your heart to understand and humbled yourself before your God, your words have been heard, and I have come because of your words. [13] The prince of the kingdom of Persia withstood me twenty-one days, but Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me, for I was left there with the kings of Persia, [14] and

*We first learn of Michael – whose name means ‘Who is like God?’ – here in Daniel. We learn that he is a prince of the hosts of God, that he fights for God in the battle against evil, and is the protector of God’s people. The lesson here is that God fights to protect his people and Michael is one of his chief commanders.*

came to make you understand what is to happen to your people in the latter days. For the vision is for days yet to come.” [1] “At that time shall arise Michael, the great prince who has charge of your people. And there shall be a time of trouble, such as never has been since there was a nation till that time. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone whose name shall be found written in the book. [2] And many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. [3] And those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky above; and those who turn many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever.

**P** But Thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us.



**C** Thanks be to Thee, O Lord.

## Ministry of Music

### THE GIFTS HE OFFERS TO YOU

By Cindy Berry, based on Galatians 5:22-23

#### First Grade

*Love, joy, peace, and patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness too.*

*Gentleness and self-control; these are gifts He offers to you.*

*When you are weak, He is strong and mighty. He wants to use you to share His love.*

*He will supply your ev'ry need; just follow Him wherever He leads.*

*He'll give you love, joy, peace, and patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness too.*

*Gentleness and self-control; these are gifts He offers to you, the gifts He offers to you.*

# Epistle Reading

## REVELATION 12:7-12

[7] Now war arose in heaven, Michael and his angels fighting against the dragon. And the dragon and his angels fought back, [8] but he was defeated and there was no longer any place for them in heaven. [9] And the great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world—he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him. [10] And I heard a loud voice in heaven, saying, “Now the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Christ have come, for the accuser of our brothers has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God. [11] And they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they loved not their lives even unto death. [12] Therefore, rejoice, O heavens and you who dwell in them! But woe to you, O earth and sea, for the devil has come down to you in great wrath, because he knows that his time is short!”

*In one of his visions St. John describes the battle between good and evil, the fight between Michael and the angels against the dragon (Satan). He sees Satan defeated in heaven (the realm of God) but going on a rampage on earth. That rampage has continued to the present.*

**P** But Thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us.



**C** Thanks be to Thee, O Lord.

*(Stand)*

# Gospel Reading

## ST. LUKE 10:17-20

[17] The seventy-two returned with joy, saying, “Lord, even the demons are subject to us in your name!” [18] And he said to them, “I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. [19] Behold, I have given you authority to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall hurt you. [20] Nevertheless, do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.”

*In this short apocalyptic utterance Jesus undergirds the idea of the cosmic struggle between God’s forces and Satan’s. The Gospels point out that there is no doubt about the outcome. Jesus is the Victor. Also, those with him. Yet the struggle continues and Jesus advises that rather than gloating over the defeat of the vanquished, one should rejoice in the fruits of victory.*

**P** But Thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us.



**C** Thanks be to Thee, O Lord.

(Be Seated)

## Baptism Hymn

### GOD'S OWN CHILD, I GLADLY SAY IT

Text: Erdmann Neumeister; Tune: Johann Caspar Bachofen – “Bachofen”; LSB #594 © 2006 CPH



1 God's own child, I glad - ly say it: I am bap - tized  
 2 Sin, dis - turb my soul no long - er: I am bap - tized  
 3 Sa - tan, hear this proc - la - ma - tion: I am bap - tized  
 4 Death, you can - not end my glad - ness: I am bap - tized  
 5 There is noth - ing worth com - par - ing To this life - long



in - to Christ! He, be - cause I could not pay it,  
 in - to Christ! I have com - fort e - ven strong - er:  
 in - to Christ! Drop your ug - ly ac - cu - sa - tion,  
 in - to Christ! When I die, I leave all sad - ness  
 com - fort sure! O - pen - eyed my grave is star - ing:



Gave my full re - demp - tion price. Do I need earth's  
 Je - sus' cleans - ing sac - ri - fice. Should a guilt - y  
 I am not so soon en - ticed. Now that to the  
 To in - her - it par - a - dise! Though I lie in  
 E - ven there I'll sleep se - cure. Though my flesh a -



trea - sures man - y? I have one worth  
 con - science seize me Since my Bap - tism  
 font I've trav - eled, All your might has  
 dust and ash - es Faith's as - sur - ance  
 waits its rais - ing, Still my soul con -



more than an - y That brought me sal -  
did re - lease me In a dear for -  
come un - rav - eled, And, a - gainst your -  
bright - ly flash - es: Bap - tism has the  
tin - ues prais - ing: I am bap - tized



va - tion free Last - ing to e - ter - ni - ty!  
giv - ing flood, Sprin - kling me with Je - sus' blood?  
tyr - an - ny, God, my Lord, u - nites with me!  
strength di - vine To make life im - mor - tal mine.  
in - to Christ; I'm a child of par - a - dise!

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*Sacrament of Holy Baptism for*  
MATEO ALEJANDRO KOTICO

# Sermon Hymn

## CHRIST, THE LORD OF HOSTS, UNSHAKEN

Text: Peter M. Prange; Tune: Carl F. Schalk – “Fortunatus New”; LSB #521 © 2006 CPH



1 Christ, the Lord of hosts, un - shak - en By the dev - il's  
2 Mi - chael fought the heav'n - ly bat - tle, God - ly an - gels  
3 Long on earth the bat - tle ra - ges, Since the ser - pent's  
4 Je - sus came, this word ful - fill - ing, Tram - pled Sa - tan,



seeth - ing rage, Thwarts the plan of Sa - tan's min - ions;  
by his side; Warred a - gainst the an - cient ser - pent,  
first de - ceit; Twist - ed God's com - mand to Ad - am,  
death de - fied; Bore the brunt of our temp - ta - tion,



Wins the strife from age to age; Con - quers sin and  
Foiled the beast, so full of pride, Cast him earth - bound  
Made for - bid - den fruit look sweet. Then the curse of  
On the wretch - ed tree He died. Yet to life was



death for - ev - er; Slams them in their steel - y cage.  
with his an - gels; Now he prowls, un - sat - is - fied.  
God was spo - ken: “You’ll lie crushed be - neath His feet!”  
raised vic - to - rious; By His life our life sup - plied.

5 Swift as lightning falls the tyrant From his heav'nly perch on high,  
As the word of Jesus' vict'ry Floods the earth and fills the sky.  
Wounded by a wound eternal Now his judgment has drawn nigh!

6 Jesus, send Your angel legions When the foe would us enslave.  
Hold us fast when sin assaults us; Come, then, Lord, Your people save.  
Overthrow at last the dragon; Send him to his fiery grave.

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*(Stand for Text)*

## Sermon

### ST. MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS – “GUARDS AND GUIDES”

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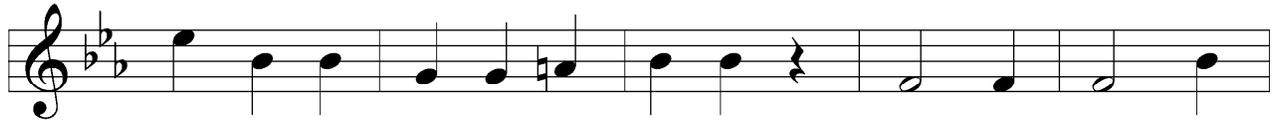
## *Votum*

## *Offertory*

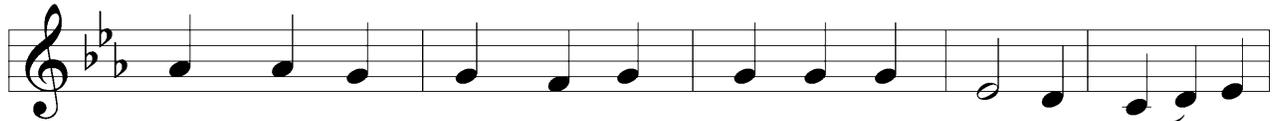
(Psalm 51:10-12)



**C** Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -



new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -



way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it



from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -



tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir-it. A - men.

## *Offering Prayer*

(Be Seated)

## *Offering*

## *Voluntary*

## MORNING OPENS

Blake Crabtree, Trumpet

# LWMQ Hymn

## SERVE THE LORD WITH GLADNESS

Text: Prof. Ernest Lewerenz; Tune: Arthur S. Sullivan – “St. Gertrude”



1. “Serve the Lord with glad - ness!” It is He a - lone  
2. “Serve the Lord with glad - ness!” He gave us com - mand  
3. “Serve the Lord with glad - ness!” There’s no great - er joy



Who re - deemed us sin - ners, Guides us as His own  
To pro - claim His Gos - pel Now in ev’ - ry land  
Than to serve the Mas - ter, Work in His em - ploy.



To en - joy the bless - ings Of His love and grace,  
So that fel - low sin - ners May, like us, be blest.  
As we build His king - dom An - gels, too, re - joice



Will at last in glo - ry Meet us face to face.  
Lead - ing them to Je - sus, We can serve Him best.  
Ov - er ev’ - ry sin - ner Brought to hear His voice.



On - ward, then, for Je - sus! Let this be our



aim: “Serve the Lord with glad - ness!” Glo - ri - fy His name.

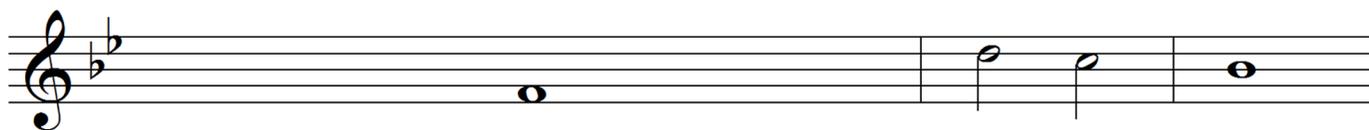
## THE LEAGUE PLEDGE

*In fervent gratitude for the Savior’s dying love and His blood-bought gift of redemption we dedicate ourselves to Him with all that we are and have; and in obedience to His call for workers in the harvest fields, we pledge Him our willing service wherever and whenever He has need of us. We consecrate to our Savior our hands to work for Him, our feet to go on His errands, our voice to sing His praises, our lips to proclaim His redeeming love, our silver and our gold to extend His Kingdom, our will to do His will, and every power of our life to the great task of bringing the lost and the erring into eternal fellowship with Him. Amen.*

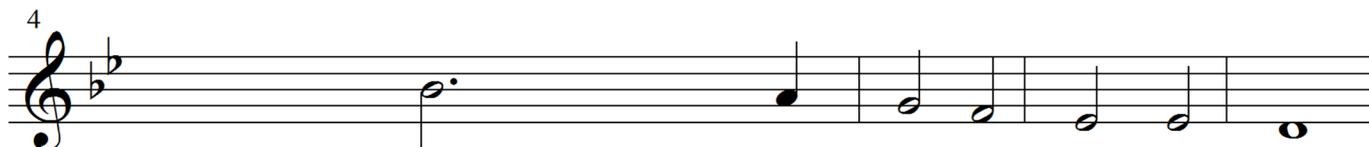


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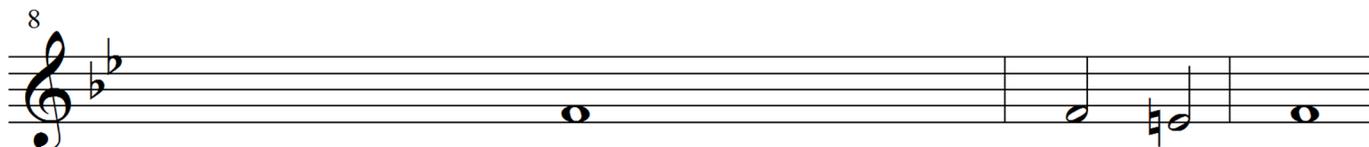
## *Canticle - Te Deum Laudamus*



1. We praise Thee, O God; we acknowledge Thee to be the Lord.  
 3. Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sab - a - oth;  
 5. The noble army of martyrs praise Thee;



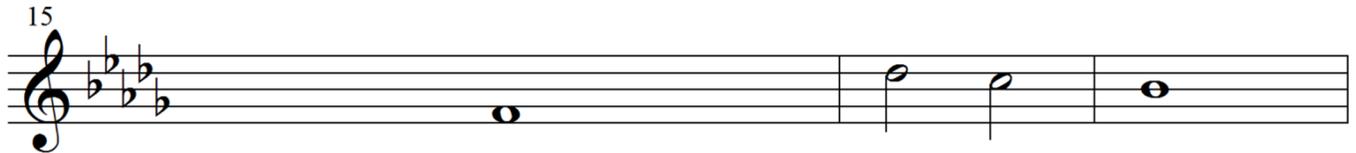
1. All the earth doth worship Thee, the Fa - ther ev - er - last - ing.  
 3. Heaven and earth are full of the majes - ty of Thy glo - ry.  
 5. The holy Church throughout all the world doth ac - knowl - edge Thee:



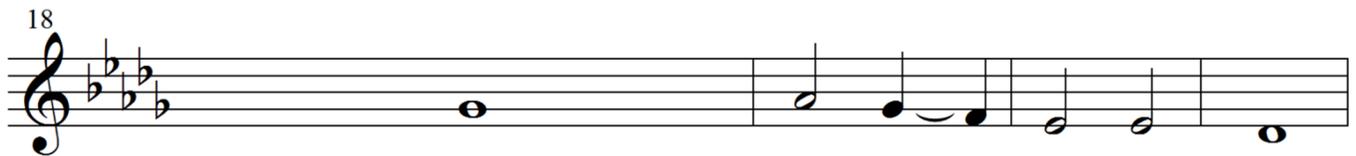
2. To Thee all angels cry aloud, the heavens and all the powers there - in;  
 4. The glorious company of the Apostles praise Thee;  
 6. The Father of an infinite majesty; Thine adorable true and on - ly Son,  
 7. Thou art the King of Glory, O Christ.



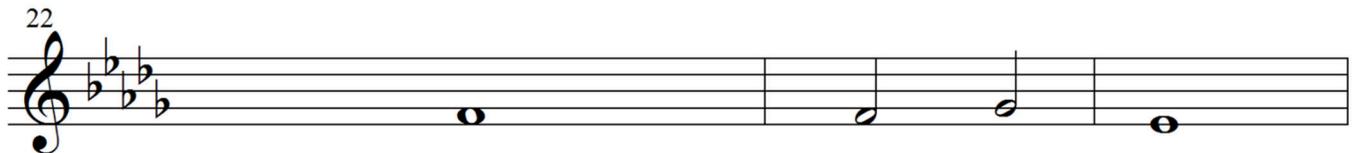
2. To Thee cherubim and seraphim con - tin - ual - ly do cry:  
 4. The goodly fellowship of the proph - ets praise Thee;  
 6. also the Holy Ghost, the Com - fort - er.  
 7. Thou art the everlasting Son of the Fa - ther.



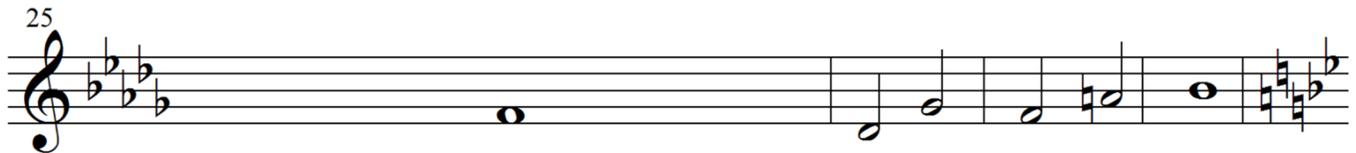
8. When Thou tookest upon Thee to de - liv - er - man,  
 10. Thou sittest at the right hand of God  
 12. We therefore pray Thee, help Thy ser - vants,



8. Thou didst humble Thyself to be born of a vir - gin.  
 10. in the glory of the Fa - ther.  
 12. whom Thou hast redeemed with Thy pre - cious blood.



9. When Thou hadst overcome the sharpness of death,  
 11. We believe that Thou shalt come  
 13. Make them to be numbered with Thy saints



9. Thou didst open the kingdom of heaven to all be - liev - ers.  
 11. to be our Judge.  
 13. in glory ev - er - last - ing.



# Lord's Prayer

(St. Matthew 6:9-13)

- 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*

## Salutation

(2 Timothy 4:22)

- P** The Lord be with you.



- C** And with thy spir - it.

## Intercessory Prayer

- P** Lord, in Your mercy,  
**C** *hear our prayer.*

## Benedicamus

(Psalm 103:1)

- P** Let us bless the Lord.



- C** Thanks be to God.

## Benediction

(2 Corinthians 13:14)

- P** The grace of our Lord ✠ Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.



- C** A - men.

## Closing Hymn

# WE PRAISE YOU AND ACKNOWLEDGE YOU, O GOD

Text: Stephen P. Starke; Tune: Gustav Holst – “Thaxted”; LSB #941 © 2006 CPH



1 We praise You and ac - knowl - edge You, O God, to be the Lord,  
2 The band of the a - pos - tles in glo - ry sing Your praise;  
3 You, Christ, are King of glo - ry, the ev - er - last - ing Son,  
4 You sit in splen - did glo - ry, en - throned at God's right hand,



The Fa - ther ev - er - last - ing, by all the earth a - dored.  
The fel - low - ship of proph - ets their death - less voic - es raise.  
Yet You, with bound - less love, sought to res - cue ev - 'ry - one:  
Up - hold - ing earth and heav - en by forc - es You com - mand.



To You all an - gel pow - ers cry a - loud, the heav - ens sing,  
The mar - tyrs of Your king - dom, a great and no - ble throng,  
You laid a - side Your glo - ry, were born of vir - gin's womb,  
We know that You will come as our Judge that fi - nal day,



The cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim their prais - es to You bring:  
Sing with the ho - ly Church through - out all the world this song:  
Were cru - ci - fied for us and were placed in - to a tomb;  
So help Your ser - vants You have re - deemed by blood, we pray;



“O ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;  
“O all - ma - jes - tic Fa - ther, Your true and on - ly Son,  
Then by Your res - ur - rec - tion You won for us re - prieve—  
May we with saints be num - bered where prais - es nev - er end,



Your maj - es - ty and glo - ry fill the heav - ens and the earth!”  
And Ho - ly Spir - it, Com - fort - er— for - ev - er Three in One!”  
You o - pened heav - en's king - dom to all who would be - lieve.  
In glo - ry ev - er - last - ing. A - men, O Lord, a - men!

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# Welcome!

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**Number 40**

*Enter reverently, meditate quietly, worship sincerely, serve Christ faithfully.*

It is our heartfelt prayer that all who worships here this day may encounter the love of our Savior. According to His promise, He is here today reaching out to us in love through Word and Sacrament. If you are seeking a church home, we hope that you have found it here so that we may rejoice in serving the Lord together. If we can be of service to you or your family in any way please do not hesitate to ask.

**PRAYER OF THE DAY:** Great and wonderful are all your works, O God; majestic is your name. Unto the ends of the earth you display your dominion; beyond the reaches of the heavens your glory shines. Hear the praises we offer as we gather to worship; receive the confession we make through your mercy and grace. As we open your Word, we discern your goodness. Your way is holy, great God of all. Amen

**ATTENDANCE CARDS – MEMBERS (yellow) & VISITORS (blue),** remember to fill out an attendance card listing all in attendance for your family. Please note any changes, otherwise you do not have to fill in the address information each week. It is appreciated if first-time visitors would include their address and phone number. Email and work numbers are helpful for inner-office needs. By filling out a card, your attendance and communing is recorded, and your comments are addressed. It is not necessary to indicate common or individual cup. Place cards in the offering plate or give to an usher on your way out. Thanks!

- *The Cry-Room and the four row spans directly in front of it are reserved for parents with small children. Thank you.*
- *Hearing devices are available from the ushers if you need this assistance.*



**HOLY COMMUNION** will be celebrated next on Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup> @ 9:30 AM. “Let a man examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup.” *1 Corinthians 11:28*

The Word of God teaches that the bread and wine of the Sacrament are the true Body and Blood of the Lord Jesus Christ.

This precious gift of God’s grace is to be received in a sense of reverent awe after careful self-examination. The Bible defines that self-examination as a personal recognition of the real presence of Christ’s Body and Blood in the Sacrament, and a repentant acknowledgment of my own sinfulness recognizing my absolute dependence upon Christ as the only source of forgiveness for my sin. Scripture further instructs that our participation in Christ’s Body and Blood together is the most profound and powerful way for Christians to acknowledge their unity in the faith. That is to say, when we share in the Body and Blood of Jesus at this altar, we are thereby indicating our common commitment to all of the doctrines of God’s Word as they are taught in this congregation. Because of these Biblical convictions, we respectfully request that visitors, who wish to join us in receiving the Body and Blood of Christ and thereby identify with our confession of Bible truth, speak with one of our pastors before attending the Lord’s Supper.

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## *Bible Classes & Sunday School Options for All:*

### **8:15 AM** –

**7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Catechism/Confirmation:** Confirmation students learn together as they develop their faith, learning how to pray, read and study Scripture, and defend their faith. (Pastor Cholak – Youth 4:12 Room)

**Genesis:** The Beginning of All Things – A study of Creation in Scripture, chapters 1-11 (Pastor White - Bible Class Room)

### **10:45 AM** – Adults

**The Cost of Discipleship:** This will be an intense study to help each of us understand what it truly means to be a Christian according to the Word of God. Our outline will be based on the life and the writings of Dietrich Bonhoeffer. Pastor Bonhoeffer was brutally martyred by the Nazis for his courageous stand against the evil which had engulfed his country. Most Christians remained silent while everything they professed to believe was denied and destroyed. Join us for this important Bible study because it is happening again all around us. Let God call us back to real discipleship. (Pastor White - Bible Class Room)

**Lutheran Confessions:** Our Lutheran Confessions were developed out of a genuine concern with false teachings obscuring the glory and merit of our Savior. These unconditional affirmations are as understandable and poignant today as when they were written. Learn their history and development, as well as their relevance in the daily life of a Christian. Through discussion, you will see how others are asking the same questions and how Scripture offers solid, reliable answers. (James Kriegel, C101)

**Bethel Bible Series:** We are proud to be Christians following in the footsteps of Martin Luther's teachings of Scripture alone, grace alone, and faith alone through Christ alone. Our focus is based solely on the Bible. It alone is our rule and guide. The Bethel class is now studying the Old Testament which serves as a foundation for studying the New Testament. If you have never studied the Bible or would like to sharpen or improve your overall knowledge level then please consider joining the Bethel Class. (Herb Peterson, C102)

**Women's Bible Study:** As a Christian, you face the pressure and stressors of the world daily. You look for rest at every turn—rest from your job, family drama, personal struggles—but the only true rest can come from Christ. Michelle Diercks invites you to find His *Promised Rest* by studying eight different names and characteristics of God. This study will feature a new name or characteristic of God along with its pronunciation and a biblical fact about it. Learn how you can, and should, cling to God's names during times of anxiety and hardship. (Family Room, Church)

**Applying Scripture to Current Events:** This class for young adults will focus on today's headlines and current events and discuss these topics in light of scripture and how the verses covered each week apply to everyday life. (Adam White, C106)

**The Early Church:** The history of the first four centuries of the early Church, exploring how God guided and sustained the first Christians, and what it means for us today. (Karl Baughman, Cafeteria)

**YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETS AS LISTED – 10:45 AM –**

High School – 4:12 Youth Room  
7<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade – C105  
6<sup>th</sup> Grade – C103

5<sup>th</sup> Grade – C113  
3<sup>rd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade – C116  
1<sup>st</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade – C115

Kindergarten – B107  
3 & 4 yrs – B108  
18 mos. – 3 yrs – B111



The flowers are given to the glory of God by Jeff & Debbie Armstrong in celebration of Jude's birthday 10/4; and by Ahmed & Ethel Fikal in honor of her birthday 9/30.

The Flower Chart is available to sponsor the church flowers for your special occasions!

Each flower arrangement is \$45. You will find the flower clipboard on the hutch in the narthex. Remember to write a "W" if you want the flowers, or "S" to send them to the sick. Thank you!

**UPDATE YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION:** Remember to log in to your Breeze account, and make sure all your contact information is correct – phone numbers, address, email accounts, etc. You can even **add your own PHOTO**. Call the church office if you need help: 713-290-9087.



**Young Adults—Mondays—7PM—OSL Youth Room:** This group is young adults (both married and single). We meet on Monday evenings at 7PM in the 4:12 Lounge (the Youth Room). We'll have snacks and refreshments as we gather to study and visit. Please tell your friends!

**WEEKLY MEN'S BIBLE STUDY** –All men are invited on Wednesday mornings in the Bible Class Room, at 6:30-7:30 a.m. Contact Channing Wood at [channing@toddyblends.com](mailto:channing@toddyblends.com).

**PASTOR WHITE'S WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS** meets from 10:00-12:00, and we are studying *Romans, Chief Part of the New Testament and the Very Purest Gospel*. Make Bible study a regular part of your schedule. Food and fellowship provided of course!

**ZOOM BIBLE STUDY THURSDAYS** – Join us for the Word on the Web as we study Matthew's Gospel on Thursdays at 6PM. Go to: <https://osl.cc/the-word-on-the-web> to join the study. You need Zoom installed on your phone or computer with microphone and camera to participate.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS** in the Sunday services are for latest news & emergencies. Regular news and information is printed in the **Sunday bulletin** and the **monthly Voice newsletters**. The requestor's name and contact information needs to be included, both for Member and Church/School requests.

- **For Sunday bulletins**, all information must be received in the Church office by Noon on Wednesday of each week.
- **For newsletters**, all information must be received in Church office by the 15th of the current month for the next month's newsletter.
- **For website updates**, at least two business days are needed.



**\*\*Don't forget to schedule a meeting room.** Last minute schedules are not impossible, but cannot be guaranteed. A minimum of a week is needed, a month is better. We will check with the school to confirm there are no conflicts, and get AC and Heating scheduled for you! **Please email:** [jhester@osl.cc](mailto:jhester@osl.cc), [bmushinski@osl.cc](mailto:bmushinski@osl.cc), [sbaughman@osl.cc](mailto:sbaughman@osl.cc) or [church@osl.cc](mailto:church@osl.cc) with your requests, or call us at 713-290-9087.  
**Thank you.**



## fellowship lutherfest meeting today!

Join us in the Bible Class Room, today after Sunday School, to make plans and preparations for our upcoming **Reformation Lutherfest, on October 30!**

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**Coed Volleyball!** -- We play on **Sundays in the gym at 6:00pm**. If you or anyone you know is interested, they can contact Brian Waiser at [allthewaiser@gmail.com](mailto:allthewaiser@gmail.com).

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**Come Join OSL's Music Ministry!** -- **Carillon Ringers** meet on **Thursdays at 6:15pm**, and **Jubilate Choir** begins at **7:00pm**. Both groups meet in the choir loft. No prior musical knowledge is needed, just a desire to praise the Lord in this special way. **Laudate Choir** (women's choir) meets on **Communion Sundays** following Bible Study in the **CHURCH music room**. *(Please note change in location)*. Being part of the music ministry is a great way to make new friends or catch up with old ones. If you have any questions, please contact Jeff Armstrong.

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**CART CREW DRIVERS NEEDED!** Please consider joining a Cart Crew Team! You must be 16 or older and have a valid driver's license. Please contact the church office to add your name to the list.

**GREETERS NEEDED to serve the Lord with gladness!** Get to know your fellow church family. Call Pastor Krieg for information: 713-290-9087, ext 209.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for audio-visual ministries:** If you would like to learn from a "hands on" perspective, call 713-290-9087, leave your name, number, and we will contact you. No experience needed.

**RECYCLE** Paper in the bin which is now in the back parking lot to the north.

**STAMPS** – Cheerful Helpers are collecting stamps trimmed to ¼". Please put them in the mailbox in Pastor White's Bible Class Room. – Sandi Hall, Human Care Chairman.

**Greeting Cards are available in the Bible Class Room.** Each box is \$6 or \$7. Make checks payable to OSL, with Circle of Grace in the memo.

**AMAZON SMILE & OSL** – Now enjoy everything Amazon offers while supporting OSL School. Amazon will donate .5% of the price of your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to Our Savior Lutheran School. How? Visit [Smile.Amazon.com](http://Smile.Amazon.com), search "Our Savior Lutheran Church and School, Houston" and select us as your preferred charity. Who knew supporting your school could be so easy?

**KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS PROGRAM** — Please make sure your account has our new NPO account number, **XB926**. Log in to your account at [Kroger.com](http://Kroger.com), place the cursor on the Savings & Rewards link at the top left-hand side, and click on Kroger Community Rewards. Choose the "View Details" button under "I'm a Customer". Verify that the Organization Number is **XB926**. You should also see "You are contributing to Our Savior Lutheran School" at the bottom of your grocery receipt.

**JOBS** – Toddy, Inc. Winery, Distillery, Brewery and Event Venue is currently hiring for the following positions: Daiquiri Store Attendants, Bartenders, Bar-Backs, Servers, Drivers, Salesmen and Cooks. Send resume to [recruiter@toddyoaks.com](mailto:recruiter@toddyoaks.com), located at 20120 Franz Rd, Katy, TX 77449.





## HOUSEHOLDS OF FAITH SMALL GROUP STUDY

In LHM's *Households of Faith* video study, you'll learn how to apply spiritual disciplines, extend hospitality, and engage in spiritual conversations so you can transform your household into a more open and engaging place where God's love is shared, and people are encouraged to learn more about Jesus.

Join us  
October 5, 2022  
School Cafeteria  
6:30 pm

Spaghetti Dinner 5:30 pm to benefit the 8th  
grade Washington DC trip  
Child care will be provided  
Class continues during FAST  
10/12, 10/19, 10/26

COMING IN OCTOBER...

# HONEY SUNDAY



**You care  
for the land  
and water it;  
you enrich it  
abundantly.**

Psalm 65:9, NIV

*It is time to plant our fall garden with the Early Childhood scholars. We need volunteers to help with the preparing, planting, and maintenance of our garden. You can help with as little or as much as you want; there is a place for all volunteers.*

*Please reach out to Lynette Cherington at:*

*[lcherington@oslschool.org](mailto:lcherington@oslschool.org)*

*or call the school office at 713-290-8277 if you would like to help.*

**MEASURE OF DEVOTION:** Last Sunday, we had 373 people in attendance (last year 277), 286 viewers online.

**Our Ministry Challenge**

Tithes & Offerings for last week .....	\$ 19,380.75
Tithes & Offerings to date – week 39 .....	\$ 1,307,392.99
Tithes & Offerings needed each week .....	\$ 39,769.23
Tithes & Offerings needed to date – week 39 .....	\$ 1,550,999.97
General Fund Income to date .....	\$ 3,071,295.48
Special Contributions to date .....	\$ 591,353.10

*“Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this,” says the Lord Almighty, “and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that you will not have room enough for it.” Malachi 3:10*

*Please use your assigned envelopes which are mailed to you, and have your number on them. That way we can be sure you are properly credited for ALL your contributions. Thank You!*

*Those To Serve:*

	<b>Today, October 2, at 9:30 AM</b>	<b>Next Sunday, October 9, at 9:30 AM</b>
<b>ELDERS:</b>	Chuck Hall / Scott Nitsch / Jason Stephens / Shaun Downie	Chuck Hall / Scott Nitsch / Jason Stephens / Shaun Downie
<b>USHERS:</b>	Lehr Team	Halbert Team
<b>SOUND:</b>	Wilbanks	Greenwood
<b>CARTS:</b>	Kriegel Team	Gavin Team
<b>ACOLYTES:</b>	Livy Adams / Abigail White	Huck Bender / Lorenzo Gonzales
<b>ALTAR GLD:</b>	—	Glenda Cochran Team
<b>COMM. ASST:</b>	—	Chuck Hall / Scott Nitsch / Jason Stephens / Shaun Downie
<b>EVANGELISM:</b>	Team 1 Garry	Team 2 Ken
<b>GREETERS:</b>	Team 8	Team 9
<b>MUSIC:</b>	1st Grade Choir / Blake Crabtree	Jubilate Choir
<b>VIDEO:</b>	Amélie Boerger / Chad Greenwood / Mitchell Stephens / Adam White / Wesley White	



*Don't Forget to Tithe!*

*Use the OSL app from Subsplash! It is free in the App Store. No monthly fee -No set up fee -No hidden fees.*

*Lowest processing rates that drop as your giving increases.*

*All credit and debit cards (including AMEX) are processed at 2.3% + .30 cents per transaction.*

*All ACH donations are 1% with no cents. "GIVE" link at the top of our website: [www.OSL.cc](http://www.OSL.cc)*

# OSL at a Glance

## Sunday, October 2, 2022

<i>Event</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
Bible Class	8:15 am	Bible Class Room
Confirmation Class	8:15 am	Youth Room
<b>Matins - Baptism</b>	<b>9:30 am</b>	<b>Church &amp; online</b>
Sunday School	10:45 am	
Fellowship Meeting	12:00 pm	Bible Class Room
Sr Youth Meeting	4:12 pm	Youth Room
Coed Volleyball	6:00 pm	Gym

## Monday, October 3, 2022

Potter's Vessel-FR	6:30 pm	Family Room
Young Adults-YR	7:00 pm	Youth Room

## Tuesday, October 4, 2022

40 Days for Life-Stand & Pray	7:00 am	Gulf Fwy PP
Church Council-BC	7:00 pm	Bible Class Room



## Wednesday, October 5, 2022

Men's Bible Study-BC	6:30 am	Bible Class Room
Bible Class-BC	10:00 am	Bible Class Room
Bulletin Deadline	12:00 pm	Church Office
Spaghetti Dinner & Households of Faith Study	5:30 pm	Cafeteria A101

## Thursday, October 6, 2022

Prayer Request printing deadline	3:00 pm	Church office
Zoom Bible Study	6:00 pm	<a href="https://osl.cc/the-word-on-the-web">https://osl.cc/the-word-on-the-web</a>
Carillon Ringers	6:15 pm	Choir Loft
Jubilate Choir	7:00 pm	Choir Loft
Lutheran Confessions Bible Study Group-BC	7:00 pm	Bible Class Room

## Sunday, October 9, 2022

Bible Class	8:15 am	Bible Class Room
Confirmation Class	8:15 am	Youth Room
<b>Communion</b>	<b>9:30 am</b>	<b>Church &amp; online</b>
Sunday School	10:45 am	
Private Baptism	12:00 pm	Church
Laudate	12:00 pm	Church Music Room
Coed Volleyball	6:00 pm	Gym



**You can still DONATE to our Life Walk Team, through Oct 10! We moved up to 3<sup>rd</sup> place.**

Scan the code, or write checks to:

**Houston Coalition for Life.**

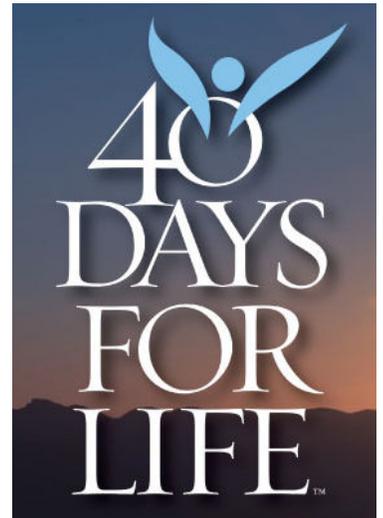
*Thanks!*

Fear will make us do crazy things - but shame is worse . . .

*When we pray at Planned Parenthood we interrupt their plan.*

*The no-show rate for abortion appointments can go up to as high as 75% when we are outside the facility praying. That's why 45% of abortion facilities to close after a 40 Days for Life campaign were located in abortion-friendly states. Even many of their workers quit because of their conscience through our prayers.*

**Please consider praying** outside Planned Parenthood, Gulf Freeway, for 2 hours on **Tuesday, October 4th**, any time from **7:00 am to 7:00 pm**. Typically, shifts are 2 hours but any time you can spare is very much appreciated.



**WILL YOU PRAY WITH US?** Please visit [www.OSL.cc](http://www.OSL.cc) and click the *Sanctity of Life* menu, or call Cindy Blake 832-398-5303, to sign up for any time you have available. *Thanks so much. There is much power in prayer!* See what God has done thus far! Now that He has our nation's attention, perhaps *WE* can be useful in His plan to turn the hearts of the cold and apathetic to His love and care.

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**Fall F.A.S.T. (Fellowship and Study Together)** – will be held on Wednesdays this fall, **October 12** through **November 9**. Plan to join us for a light meal at 5:30pm, a short study at 6:30 (*many from which to choose*), and evening prayer. Look for more information and class descriptions on the OSL website and the weekly bulletin.

*Would you like to teach?*

*Would you like more information?*

Please contact Pastor Cholak at [scholak@osl.cc](mailto:scholak@osl.cc).



LWML White Oak Zone presents

# Fall Rally & Prayer Service

Today, October 2<sup>nd</sup>

Registration Begins at 1:30pm - **Event at 2:00pm**

**Gethsemane Lutheran Church** – 4040 Watonga Blvd, 77092



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