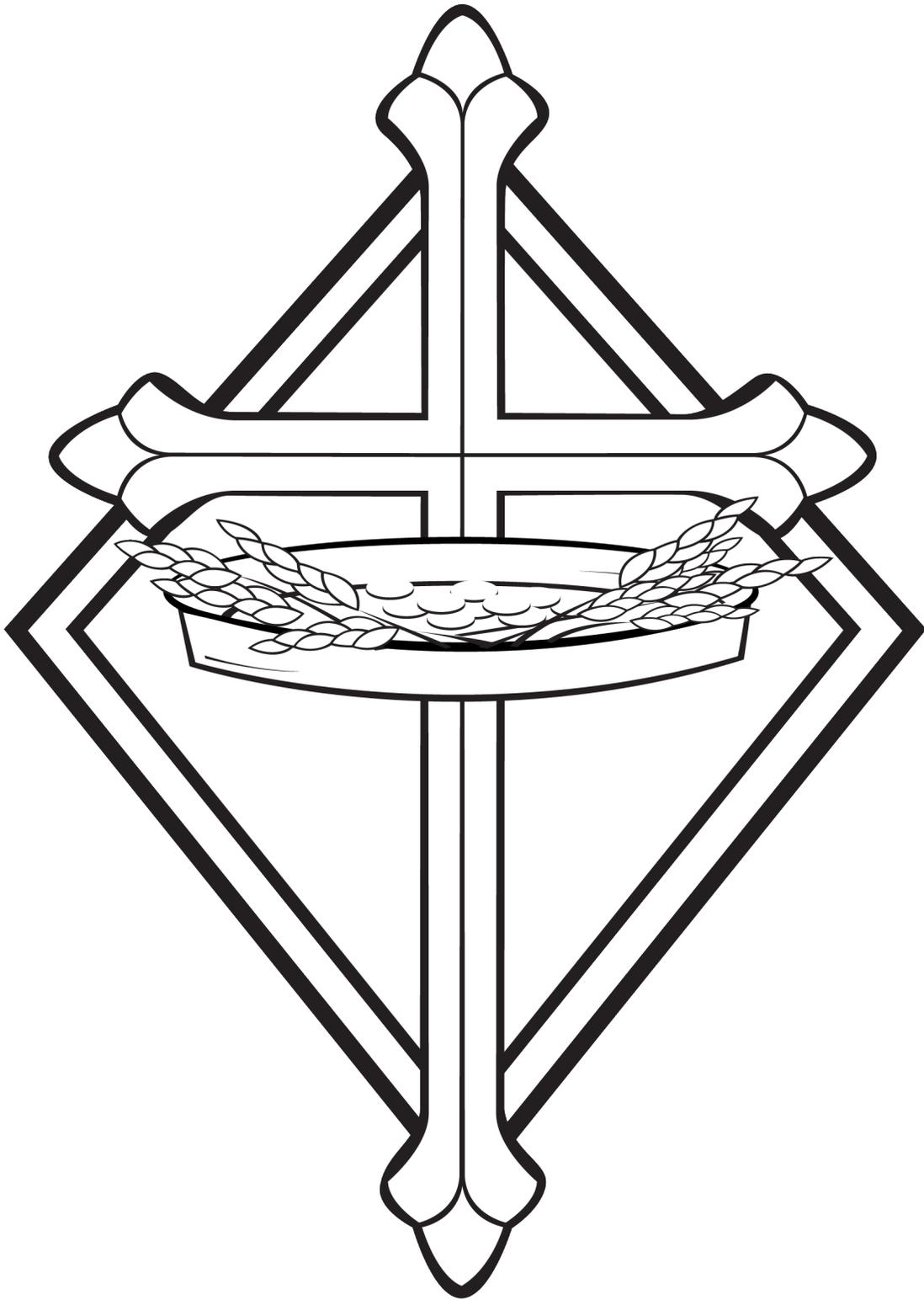


Hope Lutheran Church

9:30am Bible Class – 10:30am Divine Service

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The 9th Sunday after Trinity

August 13, 2017

~ The Divine Service ~

Rite 1, p. 41

I. The Service of Preparation

Opening Prayer

P: O Lord, our Maker, Redeemer, and Comforter, we are assembled in Your presence to hear Your holy Word. We pray You to open our hearts by Your Holy Spirit, that through the preaching of Your Word, we may be taught to repent of our sins, to believe on Jesus in life and death, and to grow day by day in grace and holiness. Hear us for Christ's sake. Amen

Opening Hymn

51, "All People That on Earth Do Dwell"

Confession of Sin, p. 41

P: Let us bow before the Lord and confess our sins: Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean, and that we have sinned against You by thought, word and deed. Therefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.



C: **O most merciful God, You have given Your only-begotten Son to die for us: have mercy upon us, and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Your Holy Spirit increase in us a true knowledge of You, and of Your will, and true obedience to Your Word, to the end that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

Kyrie Eleison, "Lord have mercy," p. 42

C: ♪ **O God the Father in heaven, have mercy upon us.
O God the Son, Redeemer of the world, have mercy upon us.
O God the Holy Ghost, true Comforter, have mercy upon us.**

Absolution, p. 43

P: Hear the holy and comforting Word of our Lord:
"Come unto Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only-begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life."

Lift up your hearts! By the authority of God and of my holy office I forgive you all your sins, in the name of the Father and of the Son ✠ and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Gloria in Excelsis Deo, "Glory to God in the Highest," p. 44

P: ♪ Glory be to God in the highest.

C: ♪ **And on earth peace, good will toward men.**

All glory be to God on high Who hath our race befriended!

To us no harm shall now come nigh, The strife at last is ended;

God showeth His good will to men, and peace shall dwell on earth again; O thank Him for His goodness.

Salutation, p. 45

P: ♪ The Lord be with you.

C: ♪ **And with your spirit.**

Prayer for the day, p. 45

P: ♪ Let us pray: *The pastor leads the congregation in prayer*

C: ♪ **Amen.**

II. The Service of the Word

Old Testament Lesson

1 Chronicles 29:10-13

Psalm

Psalm 54



P: ♪ O God, save me 'by Your name / and vindicate me 'by Your might.

C: ♪ **O God, 'hear my prayer / give ear to the words 'of my mouth.**

P: ♪ For strangers have risen against me; ruthless men 'seek my life / they do not set God be'fore themselves.

C: ♪ **Behold, God is my 'helper / the Lord is the upholder 'of my life.**

P: ♪ He will return the evil to my 'enemies / in Your faithfulness put an 'end to them.

C: ♪ **With a freewill offering I will sacri'fice to You / I will give thanks to your name, O Lord, for 'it is good.**

P: ♪ For He has delivered me from every *'trouble* /
and my eye has looked in triumph on my *'enemies*.

C: ♪ **Glory be to the Father, and 'to the Son /
and to the 'Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, 'is now /
and ever shall be, forevermore. 'Amen.**

Epistle Lesson

1 Corinthians 10:6-13

Holy Gospel

Luke 16:1-9

Gospel Response, p. 46

C: ♪ **God be praised for His glad tidings!**

Apostles' Creed, p. 46

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 is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
From there He shall 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.**

Chief Hymn

443, "O that I Had a Thousand Voices"

Sermon

Prayer of the Church

*The Pastor leads the Congregation in this prayer. Each petition concludes, "Lord in Your mercy," to which the congregation replies, "**Hear our prayer.**"*

Offering

*If you are visiting with us today, please do not feel obligated to give.
We are glad to have you with us.*

III. The Service of Holy Communion

Preface & Proper Preface, p. 50

P: ♪ The Lord be with you.

C: ♪ **And with your spirit.**

P: ♪ Lift up your hearts unto the Lord.

C: ♪ **We lift up our hearts unto the Lord.**

P: ♪ Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.

C: ♪ **It is good and right so to do**

The pastor chants the proper preface



Sanctus, "Holy," p. 51

C: ♪ **Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sabaoth;**

Heav'n and earth are full of Your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Lord's Prayer, p. 53

P: ♪ 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.

C: ♪ **Amen.**

Words of Institution, p. 54

Agnus Dei, "Lamb of God," p. 55

C: ♪ **O Christ, the Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world,
 have mercy upon us.
O Christ, the Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world,
 have mercy upon us.
O Christ, the Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world,
 grant us Your peace. Amen.**

Distribution

*The Lord's Supper is intended for those who have been instructed in the truths of God's Word, who can examine themselves spiritually, so that they can receive our Lord's body and blood for their spiritual benefit (1 Cor. 11:25-27). If you are not a member of this church, please speak with Pastor Webber before communing.
 All are welcome to come forward to receive a blessing.*

Hymn of Thanksgiving

325, "O Jesus, Blessed Lord, to Thee"

Prayer of Thanksgiving, p. 56

P: ♪ Let us give thanks and pray: *The Pastor chants the prayer*
C: ♪ **Amen**

Benediction, p. 56

P: ♪ The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give ☩ you peace.
C: ♪ **Amen.**

Closing Hymn

446, "What Is the World to Me," verses 1-2, 8

Closing Prayer, p. 57

P: O Lord, we render unto You our heartfelt thanks that You have taught us what You would have us believe and do. Help us, O God, by Your Holy Spirit, for the sake of Jesus Christ, to keep Your Word in pure hearts, that we thereby may be strengthened in faith, perfected in holiness, and comforted in life and death. Amen.

~ Depart in Peace ~

Thank you for worshiping with us today. If you are visiting, please sign our guest register before you leave. Join us again soon.

The Week Ahead

Tuesday, August 15th

9am – Coffee with Pastor

Wednesday, August 16th

7pm – The Divine Service

Sunday, August 20th

9:30am – Bible Class & Sunday School

10:30am – The Divine Service

1pm(ish) – Golf Outing (will call about tee-times and let you know)

Ladies Bible Study & Ladies of Hope

These two meetings will be resuming next month. If you have any particular thoughts on when and where you would like these meetings to take place, please speak to Pastor Webber or Audrey Pruett. Thanks

Installation at Prince of Peace

Our sister congregation in Taylorsville will be installing a new pastor on August 27th. The service is at 5pm, with a meal served following the service. Hopefully you can come in prayerful support of our fellow Confessional Lutherans in the Salt Lake Valley.

THE NINTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Stewardship of God's Gifts

OLD TESTAMENT – 1 Chronicles 29:10–13

Therefore David blessed the LORD in the presence of all the assembly. And David said: “Blessed are You, O LORD, the God of Israel our father, forever and ever. Yours, O LORD, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the victory and the majesty, for all that is in the heavens and in the earth is Yours. Yours is the kingdom, O LORD, and You are exalted as head above all. Both riches and honor come from You, and You rule over all. In Your hand are power and might, and in Your hand it is to make great and to give strength to all. And now we thank You, our God, and praise Your glorious Name.”

(ESV)

EPISTLE – 1 Corinthians 10:6–13

Now these things took place as examples for us, that we might not desire evil as they did. Do not be idolaters as some of them were; as it is written, “*The people sat down to eat and drink and rose up to play.*” We must not indulge in sexual immorality as some of them did, and twenty-three thousand fell in a single day. We must not put Christ to the test, as some of them did and were destroyed by serpents, nor grumble, as some of them did and were destroyed by the Destroyer.

Now these things happened to them as an example, but they were written down for our instruction, on whom the end of the ages has come. Therefore let anyone who thinks that he stands take heed lest he fall. No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and He will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation He will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it. (ESV)

HOLY GOSPEL – St. Luke 16:1–9

[Jesus] also said to the disciples, “There was a rich man who had a manager, and charges were brought to him that this man was wasting his possessions. And he called him and said to him, ‘What is this that I hear about you? Turn in the account of your management, for you can no longer be manager.’

“And the manager said to himself, ‘What shall I do, since my master is taking the management away from me? I am not strong enough to dig, and I am ashamed to beg. I have decided what to do, so that when I am removed from management, people may receive me into their houses.’

“So, summoning his master’s debtors one by one, he said to the first, ‘How much do you owe my master?’ He said, ‘A hundred measures of oil.’ He said to him, ‘Take your bill, and sit down quickly and write fifty.’

“Then he said to another, ‘And how much do you owe?’ He said, ‘A hundred measures of wheat.’ He said to him, ‘Take your bill, and write eighty.’

“The master commended the dishonest manager for his shrewdness. For the sons of this world are more shrewd in dealing with their own generation than the sons of light. And I tell you, make friends for yourselves by means of unrighteous wealth, so that when it fails they may receive you into the eternal dwellings.” (ESV)