



Salem Lutheran Church

Welcome to the House of the Lord

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

June 21, 2015 - 10:30 a.m.



INTRODUCTION

Now is the acceptable time; now is the day of salvation! Now we are in the storm, the boat almost swamped; but Jesus is here now, and when we call him he will calm the storm. Even the wind and waves listen to him as they would to their creator. We also listen to him and are called to believe in the power of God's word in him, a power greater than all that we fear.

Gathering Music

Welcome and Announcements

Prayer Litany

Lord, you were favorable to your land. You restored our fortunes.
You forgave the iniquity of your people. You pardoned all our sin.

Restore us again, O God of our salvation.

Will you not revive us again, so we may rejoice in you?

Show us your steadfast love, O Lord. Grant us your salvation.

Let us hear what God the Lord will speak, for he will speak peace to his people, to his faithful, to those who turn to him in their hearts.

Surely his salvation is at hand for those who fear him,
that his glory may dwell in our land.

Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet.

Righteousness and peace will kiss each other.

Faithfulness will spring up from the ground.

Righteousness will look down from the sky.

The Lord will give what is good. Our land will yield its increase.

Righteousness will go before him and make a path for his steps.

Song

Big House

Come and go with me, To my Father's house
Come and go with me, To my Father's house
It's a big big house, With lots and lots of room
A big big table, With lots and lots of food
It's a big big yard, Where we can play football
A big big house, It's my Father's house!

Prayer of the Day:

Pastor: O God of creation, eternal majesty, you preside over land and sea, sunshine and storm. By your strength pilot us, by your power preserve us, by your wisdom instruct us, and by your hand protect us, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **C: Amen.**

Scripture

Old Testament

Job 38:1-11

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*The Gospel

Mark 4:35-41

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Children's Sermon

Sermon Prayer

The worst storms, Jesus, are the ones caused
by our fear,
**when we grow afraid of losing our power,
or we grow suspicious of the power of others,
when we refuse to acknowledge your mysterious authority;**

Yet, it's in the storm that we find our capacity to love.
In releasing our weak claim to power
and opening to your reign,
**we discover a new way of seeing ourselves -
as called and useful and beloved -
and the other, whoever they may be -
as dignified and precious and beloved.**

Here in the storm, Jesus, we need you, and we need each other,
and the love you give us to share,
**leads us through sacrifice and self-giving
to peace and calm, if only we will loose our hold on fear.
Amen.**

Sermon

Sermon Song

Peace Like a River

- 1 When peace like a river attendeth my way,
when sorrows like sea billows roll,
whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say,
it is well, it is well with my soul.

Refrain

It is well (it is well)
with my soul, (with my soul,)
it is well, it is well with my soul.

- 2 Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come,
let this blest assurance control,
that Christ has regarded my helpless estate,
and has shed his own blood for my soul. *Refrain*

- 3 He lives--oh, the bliss of this glorious thought;
my sin, not in part, but the whole,
is nailed to his cross and I bear it no more.
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul! *Refrain*

- 4 Lord, hasten the day when our faith shall be sight,
the clouds be rolled back as a scroll,
the trumpet shall sound and the Lord shall descend;
even so it is well with my soul. *Refrain*

Prayers

MEAL

Offering Song

Give Thanks

**Give thanks with a grateful heart; give thanks to the Holy One,
Give thanks because he's given Jesus Christ, his Son.
Give thanks with a grateful heart; give thanks to the Holy One,
Give thanks because he's given Jesus Christ, his Son.
And now let the weak say, "I am strong," let the poor say, "I am rich,"
Because of what the Lord has done for us.
And now let the weak say, "I am strong," let the poor say, "I am rich,"
Because of what the Lord has done for us. *(Repeat)***

***Offering Prayer (Spoken together)**

God of mercy and grace, the eyes of all wait upon you, and you open your hand in blessing. Fill us with good things at your table, that we may come to the help of all in need, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and Lord. Amen

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

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.

Communion

Distribution of Communion

Communion will be served in a continuous manner using intinction. Ushers will direct you. You receive the bread at the center station and then walk to the side where you will dip the bread in the wine or grape juice. All who believe in the real presence of Jesus in the sacrament are welcome at the table. Gluten-free wafers are available.

***Post Communion Blessing and Prayer**

SENDING

Blessing

As you go from here, remember this:
The God we serve is merciful and compassionate,
endlessly patient and full of faithful love.
He is trustworthy in all that he says,
and faithful in all that he does.
So go out in confidence,
knowing that God goes with you.
Amen!

Closing Song

I Will Call Upon the Lord

I will call upon the Lord (ECHO)
Who is worthy to be praised (ECHO)
So shall I be saved from my enemies (ECHO)

The Lord liveth
And blessed be my Rock
And let the God of my salvation be exalted
(REPEAT)

Dismissal

P: Go in peace. Live in love, as Christ loved us.
C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Preaching & Presiding: Pr. Peter Soli
Music: Pr. Peter Soli
Reader: Bruce Adams

The radio broadcast this morning is given in loving memory of Sharon Brackey's birthday, June 23, 1940, from Leroy and family.

Salem has a wheel chair available for use. It is kept in the narthex.

The 8:30 a.m. worship service is broadcast weekly on KLOW-FM 107.3. Cost for 2015 is \$83. Call the office to reserve your dates.

Dates available for 2015: Oct. 18, Nov. 1, 29, Dec. 6, 13, 27



Live Internet Broadcast!

We have started a sponsorship program for the live internet broadcast of the 10:30 a.m. worship service. Sponsorship is available for \$40 per Sunday.

Call the office to reserve a date - 641.592.1771.

Next Week's Lessons: Lamentations 3: 22-33, 2 Corinthians 8:7-15, Mark 5:21-43



Summer is an exciting time for children. But for many children who receive free and reduced-price meals at school, summer can mean hunger.

If you would like to help, Salem Lutheran members are asked to help serve on Tuesdays throughout the summer. Please contact Janelle at 641-590-2986 or janelle.gilbertson@yahoo.com if you are willing to serve. Thank you for helping to make this program a success!

Meals are served at Salem from 11:00 – 12:00 p.m. weekdays.



Summer Schedule Worship Schedule

The traditional worship service: 8:30 a.m. in the sanctuary.

Coffee Fellowship: 9:30 a.m. in the fellowship hall.

Outdoor worship service: 10:30 a.m. on the south lawn, weather permitting. In the event of inclement weather, the service will be held in the sanctuary. You may bring lawn chairs or blankets. Folding chairs will be available.

Wednesday worship service: 6:00 p.m. in the air-conditioned fellowship hall.

THIS WEEK AT SALEM

SUNDAY, JUNE 21

8:30 a.m. Traditional Communion Worship - Sanctuary

9:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship – Fellowship Hall

10:30 a.m. Outdoor Communion Worship

MONDAY, JUNE 22

11:00 a.m. Summer Lunch Program – Fellowship Hall

2:00 – 5:00 p.m. Food Shelf

5:30 p.m. Stewardship Board – Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY, JUNE 23

11:00 a.m. Summer Lunch Program – Fellowship Hall

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24

11:00 a.m. Summer Lunch Program – Fellowship Hall

1:45 p.m. Mills Harbour Communion

2:30 p.m. LMCC Communion

6:00 p.m. Informal Communion Worship – Fellowship Hall

THURSDAY, JUNE 25

11:00 a.m. Summer Lunch Program – Fellowship Hall

FRIDAY, JUNE 26

11:00 a.m. Summer Lunch Program – Fellowship Hall

SUNDAY, JUNE 28

8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship - Sanctuary

9:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship – Fellowship Hall

10:30 a.m. Outdoor Worship

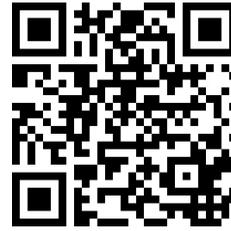
Those worshipping June 3/7, 2015: 162

Last week's giving to the Glory of God: \$3593

Please remember in prayer this week:

Ruth Tweeten, Roger Juveland, Darlene Madson, Clarine (Claire) Johnson

Prayer Families: James/Virginia Kingland, Dan Kirschbaum Family, Kim Kirschbaum Family, Avah Klebsch, Bernice Kloster, Chad/Kelly Kloster Family, Derald/Joan Kloster, Leila Kloster, Andrew/Jennie Knudtson, Cleone Knudtson



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