

PRINCE OF PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

August 31, 2008

Pre-service Meditation

Psalm 119 IV; pg 149

Opening Hymn: 507 "Spread, Oh, Spread, Thou Mighty Word"

Our Order of Worship: Lutheran Hymnal pg. 5

Psalm for the Day: (from Psalm 78)

- P: Give ear, O my people, to my law;
C: Incline your ears to the words of my mouth.
P: I will open my mouth in a parable;
C: I will utter dark sayings of old,
P: Which we have heard and known,
C: And our fathers have told us.
P: We will not hide them from their children, Telling to the generation to come the praises of the LORD,
C: And His strength and His wonderful works that He has done.
P: For He established a testimony in Jacob,
C: And appointed a law in Israel,
P: Which He commanded our fathers,
C: That they should make them known to their children;

- P: That they may set their hope in God,
C: And not forget the works of God.
P: GLORY BE TO GOD!
ALL: ♪ "Glory be to the Father..."

~ The Gloria in Excelsis ~

"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 reign with us again;
Oh thank Him for His goodness! "

(TLH 237:1 adapted)

~ The Collect ~

- P: *Let us pray* - Almighty and everlasting God, who wills that none of these little ones should perish and have sent Your only begotten Son to seek and to save that which was lost and has said through Him has said, "Suffer the little children to come unto Me and forbid them not; for of such is the kingdom of God," most heartily we implore You so to bless and govern the children of Your Church by Your Holy Spirit that they may grow in grace and in knowledge of Your Word; protect and defend them against all danger and harm, giving Your holy angels charge over them; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever.
ALL: "A- - men"

Scripture Readings

"These are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing you may have life in His name." - *John 20:31*

Old Testament Lesson: Isaiah 52:1-10 Awake, awake; put on thy strength, O Zion; put on thy beautiful garments, O Jerusalem, the holy city: for henceforth there shall no more come into thee the uncircumcised and the unclean. 2 Shake thyself from the dust; arise, and sit down, O Jerusalem: loose thyself from the bands of thy neck, O captive daughter of Zion. 3 For thus saith the LORD, Ye have sold yourselves for nought; and ye shall be redeemed without money. 4 For thus saith the Lord GOD, My people went down aforetime into Egypt to sojourn there; and the Assyrian oppressed them without cause. 5 Now therefore, what have I here, saith the

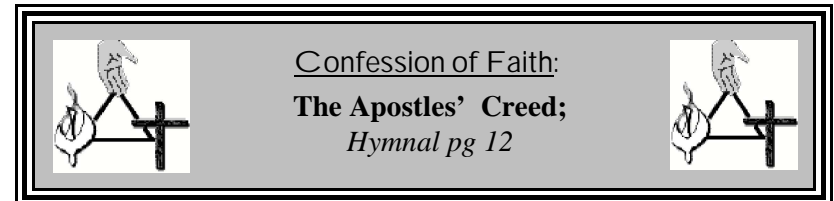
LORD, that my people is taken away for nought? they that rule over them make them to howl, saith the LORD; and my name continually every day is blasphemed. 6 Therefore my people shall know my name: therefore they shall know in that day that I am he that doth speak: behold, it is I. 7 How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings, that publisheth peace; that bringeth good tidings of good, that publisheth salvation; that saith unto Zion, Thy God reigneth! 8 Thy watchmen shall lift up the voice; with the voice together shall they sing: for they shall see eye to eye, when the LORD shall bring again Zion. 9 Break forth into joy, sing together, ye waste places of Jerusalem: for the LORD hath comforted his people, he hath redeemed Jerusalem. 10 The LORD hath made bare his holy arm in the eyes of all the nations; and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God.

New Testament Lesson: Romans 8:1-34 Brethren, my heart's desire and prayer to God for Israel is, that they might be saved. 2 For I bear them record that they have a zeal of God, but not according to knowledge. 3 For they being ignorant of God's righteousness, and going about to establish their own righteousness, have not submitted themselves unto the righteousness of God. 4 For Christ is the end of the law for righteousness to every one that believeth. 5 For Moses describeth the righteousness which is of the law, That the man which doeth those things shall live by them. 6 But the righteousness which is of faith speaketh on this wise, Say not in thine heart, Who shall ascend into heaven? (that is, to bring Christ down from above:) 7 Or, Who shall descend into the deep? (that is, to bring up Christ again from the dead.) 8 But what saith it? The word is nigh thee, even in thy mouth, and in thy heart: that is, the word of faith, which we preach; 9 That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. 10 For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.

P: Hallelujah, Hallelujah. Faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God. Hallelujah! (Rom 10:17)
 ALL: ♪ Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Gospel Lesson: John 10:11-18 I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd giveth his life for the sheep. 12 But he that is an hireling, and not the shepherd, whose own the sheep are not, seeth the wolf coming, and leaveth the sheep, and fleeth: and the wolf catcheth them, and scattereth the sheep. 13 The hireling fleeth, because he is an hireling, and careth not for the sheep. 14 I am the good shepherd, and know my sheep, and am known

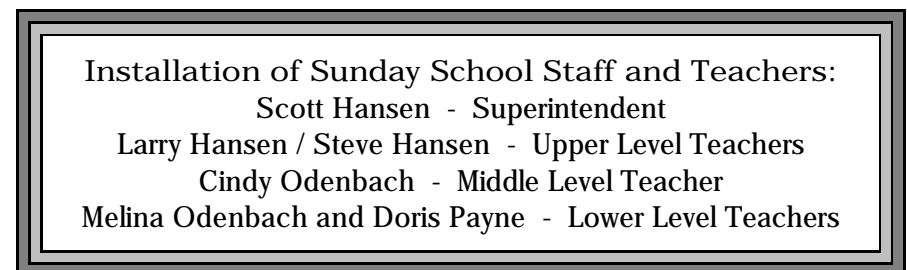
of mine. 15 As the Father knoweth me, even so know I the Father: and I lay down my life for the sheep. 16 And other sheep I have, which are not of this fold: them also I must bring, and they shall hear my voice; and there shall be one fold, and one shepherd. 17 Therefore doth my Father love me, because I lay down my life, that I might take it again. 18 No man taketh it from me, but I lay it down of myself. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it again. This commandment have I received of my Father



HYMN - A SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER'S PRAYER
by, Robert H. Helberg, 1947; Tune - TLH #352

O Jesus, dearest Savior, Help all of us to know
 The truths of Thy salvation, And give us faith to go
 To Thee alone for pardon, For comfort, and for peace,
 For everlasting glory, While life on earth shall cease.

Help us to tell to others - Thy lambs within our care -
 How Thou has died to save them,
 That they in heaven may share
 The fruits of Thy redemption
 Through faith alone in Thee:
 To be Thy children always And live eternally. AMEN



~ The Sermon ~

Romans 10:11-17 For the Scripture says, "Whoever believes on Him will not be put to shame." 12 For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek, for the same Lord over all is rich to all who call upon Him. 13 For "whoever calls on the name of the LORD shall be saved." 14 How then shall they call on Him in whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in Him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher? 15 And how shall they preach unless they are sent? As it is written: "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the gospel of peace, Who bring glad tidings of good things!" 16 But they have not all obeyed the gospel. For Isaiah says, "Lord, who has believed our report?" 17 So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

THE BEAUTIFUL FEET OF THE GOSPEL PREACHER


- Beautiful because of the message they bring
- Beautiful because of who the message is for
- Beautiful because of what the message is

P: "Now these are the commandments, the statutes, and the judgments, which the LORD your God commanded to teach you,...You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, when you lie down, and when you rise up"
(Deut. 6:1,7)

ALL: God's Word is our great heritage And shall be ours forever;
To spread its light from age to age Shall be our chief endeavor.
Through life it guides our way, In death it is our stay.
Lord, grant, while worlds endure, We keep its teachings pure
Throughout all generations. Amen. (TLH 283)

~ *Offering of Thankful Hearts and Prayers* ~

Affirmation of
Holy Baptism



Holy
Baptism

Monty Lee Angstman
born: August 16, 2008
baptized: August 17, 2008

Sponsors: Larry and Nancy Hansen

The Benediction

Closing Hymn: 644 *"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"*

WELCOME TO YOU ALL! We rejoice at the opportunity to share with you the hope that is within us. We pray that you might ever desire to learn more about the grace and peace that is yours through Jesus Christ. If you are visiting and would like to learn more about our church, our teachings, or today's service please speak with the pastor. We hope you may be able to join us again! We ask that our visitors record their visit by signing our guest register.

BIBLE CLASS STUDY This morning in Bible Class we begin a study of the role of women in the church. This study was prompted by the question of how women soloists in the worship service fit into what God has set forth in His Word. But we also hope to answer other questions such as: Why do we have the practices we do? Why does God forbid women from having certain roles in the church? We hope you will join us that we may explore God's Word together and seek His will and guidance for our lives!

POTLUCK / RECEPTION Following Bible Class and Sunday School this morning will be a potluck dinner and reception for Monty Lee and his family. Please stick around and join us!

SUNDAY SCHOOL Next Sunday we begin our Sunday School season. Last year our students left off with the Children of Israel on the end of their 40 year journey in the wilderness. They now stand on the border of the Promised Land, ready to enter and conquer Canaan with the LORD's might. So too we wish for our children to be ready to enter THE Promised Land. We know they cannot do it without the LORD's might. This He works through His Word in the hearts of even our little ones. May the LORD bless our Sunday School season, staff, and teachers as the lead His little lambs to the Promised Land!

PAINTING THANKS!!! You may have noticed that the exterior of our church looks a little whiter than it did last Sunday. Our thanks go out Larry, Mick, and Paul for all the time the put into prepping, taping, and painting both the church and the parsonage. On Monday work started on the church and work on the parsonage was completed yesterday. Stay tuned - there still may be window work that needs to be done during our fall clean-up!

This week at Prince of Peace . . .
Today

10:15 Bible Class and Sunday School video

Wednesday

5:00 Catechism Class

Sunday, September 7 - 16th Sunday after Trinity

9:00 Worship Service with Holy Communion

10:15 Bible Class and Sunday School (OT 30)

Down the road -

September 9-11 West Central Pastoral Conference in Mapleton

September 15-23 Pastor on Vacation

September 28 Mission Festival Service, 3 pm - Pastor E. Hallauer, preaching

Serving In September:

Ushers: Scott and Larry

Cleaners: Boniek



“How beautiful on the mountains
are the feet of those who bring good
news, who proclaim peace, who
bring good tidings, who proclaim
salvation, who say to Zion,
‘Your God reigns!’”

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