



KENWOOD

LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Mission Statement:

***“Built on a Rock with Christ as our center, we serve the
community and beyond.”***

“Welcoming, caring, and serving all through Christ’s love.”

Kenwood Lutheran Church
Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost
August 28, 2022
9:30 a.m. Worship

GATHERING

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Gathering Song: "Beautiful One" – Tim Hughes, CCLI #3915912

**Wonderful so wonderful
Is Your unfailing love
Your cross has spoken mercy over me
No eye has seen, no ear has heard
No heart could fully know
How glorious, how beautiful You are**

**Beautiful One I love
Beautiful One I adore
Beautiful One my soul must sing**

**Powerful, so powerful
Your glory fills the skies
Your mighty works displayed for all to see
The beauty of Your majesty
Awakes my heart to sing
How marvelous, how wonderful You are**

**Beautiful One I love
Beautiful One I adore
Beautiful One my soul must sing**

**You opened my eyes to Your wonders anew
You captured my heart with this love
Cause nothing on earth is as beautiful as You**

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***THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM**

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

Your waters are a gift to us: oceans and seas, lakes and rivers, streams and ponds, *[name local bodies of water]* nourishing our land, watering the plants, giving life to us.

Our lives flow from your well of grace.

Your waters are a gift to us: nourishing the Israelites in the desert, offering healing at the pools of Bethesda and Siloam, proclaiming Jesus beloved in the waters of the Jordan.

Our lives flow from your well of grace.

Your waters are a gift to us: drowning us in baptism, washing away our death, calling us to the work of reconciliation.

Our lives flow from your well of grace.

Your waters are a gift to us: soothing our thirst for justice and peace at home, in our community, and around the globe; carrying us forward to our thirsting neighbors in need.

Our lives flow from your well of grace.

Continue to fill us with your love that our lives may proclaim Christ through word and deed, care for others and the world God made, and work for justice and peace.

Amen.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Celebrate insert

WORD

PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD

First Reading, Psalm, Second Reading

Celebrate insert

Response to readings: **Thanks be to God!**

Gospel Reading

Celebrate insert

Response to Gospel announcement: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Response to the reading of the Gospel: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

KID’S TIME

Pastor Jeffrey Holter

SERMON “Humble, Not Humiliated”

Pastor Jeffrey Holter

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

I believe in God, who has created all things and continues to create new life within us.

I believe in Jesus, son of God, son of man, the Savior of the world. By His life, His death and resurrection, I can know the true depth of human possibility, and experience the true joy of an abundant life.

I believe that the Holy Spirit is present, now and always, calling us to faith, giving us gifts and empowering us for service.

I believe that the community of believers called the church can experience the fulness of life through the word, the sacraments, and all that we do.

Song of the Day: “Your Love Never Fails” – Jesus Culture, CCLI #5337172

**Nothing can separate
Even if I ran away
Your love never fails**

**I know I still make mistakes
But You have new mercies for me everyday
Your love never fails**

**You stay the same through the ages
Your love never changes
There may be pain in the night
But joy comes in the morning
And when the oceans rage
I don't have to be afraid
Because I know that You love me
Your love never fails**

**The wind is strong and the water's deep
But I'm not alone in these open seas
Your love never fails
The chasm is far too wide
I never thought I'd reach the other side
Your love never fails**

**You stay the same through the ages
Your love never changes
There may be pain in the night
But joy comes in the morning
And when the oceans rage
I don't have to be afraid
Because I know that You love me
Your love never fails**

**You make all things work together for my good
You make all things work together for my good
You make all things work together for my good
You make all things work together for my good**

**You stay the same through the ages
Your love never changes**

**There may be pain in the night
But joy comes in the morning
And when the oceans rage
I don't have to be afraid
Because I know that You love me
Your love never fails**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Celebrate insert

SHARING OF THE PEACE

MEAL

OFFERING

PRAYER AFTER OFFERING

God of abundance: you have set before us a plentiful harvest.
As we feast on your goodness, strengthen us to labor in your field,
and equip us to bear fruit for the good of all, in the name of Jesus.
Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

COMMUNION LITURGY

Leader: We declare ourselves to be the Easter Community.

People: We have come to share in the table that Jesus has prepared for us.

Leader: He took the sad news of our sin and guilt and turned it around through His dying for us and raising for us.

People: Now, we are a part of that new creation in Christ, and come here to celebrate His Resurrection and presence.

Leader: Jesus was broken for us and torn apart for us to be healed.

People: He rose from the grave to unleash new life in the world.

Leader: And he took the bread, blessed it, and broke it. He said to his friends, “Take, eat; this is my body.”

People: He also took a cup, filled with fruit of the vine. After thanks, He gave it to them saying, “Drink of it, all of you; for this is my blood of the covenant. My forgiveness I give to you, in spite of your sin. New life I give to you. In this remember me.”

LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

HOLY COMMUNION

Communion Song: “All Who Are Thirsty” – Benton Brown, CCLI #2489542

**All who are thirsty
All who are weak
Come to the fountain
Dip your heart in the stream of life
Let the pain and the sorrow
Be washed away
In the waves of His mercy
As deep cries out to deep**

**Come Lord Jesus come
Come Lord Jesus come
Come Lord Jesus come
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**Holy Spirit come
Holy Spirit come
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Holy Spirit come**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Life-giving God, through this meal you have bandaged our wounds and fed us with your mercy. Now send us forth to live for others, both friend and stranger, that all may come to know your love.

This we pray in the name of Jesus.

Amen.

SENDING

BLESSING

The God of peace,
Father, ✝ Son, and Holy Spirit,
bless you, comfort you,
and show you the path of life
this day and always.

Amen.

Sending Song: "You Are Holy (Prince of Peace)" – Michael W. Smith,
CCLI # 2332149

You are holy (You are holy)
You are mighty (You are mighty)
You are worthy (You are worthy)
Worthy of praise (worthy of praise)
I will follow (I will follow)
I will listen (I will listen)
I will love You (I will love You)
All of my days (all of my days)

I will sing to and worship
(You're the Lord of Lords, You're the King of Kings)
The King who is worthy
(You're the Mighty God, Lord of everything)
I will love and adore Him
(You're Emmanuel, You're the Great I Am)
I will bow down before Him
(You're the Prince of Peace, who is the Lamb)
I will sing to and worship
(You're the living God, You're my saving grace)
The King who is worthy
(You will reign forever, You are ancient of days)
I will love and adore Him
(You're the Alpha, Omega, beginning and end)
I will bow down before Him
(You're my Savior, Messiah, Redeemer, and Friend)

You're my Prince of Peace and I will live my life for You

You are holy (You are holy)
You are mighty (You are mighty)
You are worthy (You are worthy)
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You're my Prince of Peace and I will live my life for You

***DISMISSAL**

**Go in peace. Love your neighbor.
Thanks be to God.**

Our Announcements

WELCOME members and visitors!

Please sign the pew pads, which allow us to track visitors and communion attendance. Please join us in the Messiah Room after worship for Hospitality!

Visitors are invited to introduce themselves to Pastor Holter and to stop by the Welcome Center for a gift in remembrance of your time with us today. The service can be heard and viewed from our lounge in the event that your child needs your attention during the worship service. Kids' Bags are available at each entrance into the sanctuary.

All are welcome to communion. Communion at the altar-Pastor Holter will hand you the bread. Take a cup of wine or juice from the tray. After drinking from your cup, place it in the container to the side. Alternatively, pre-packaged communion is available. Peel back the top layer of plastic to access the communion wafer, then peel back the next layer of plastic to drink the grape juice.

This Morning: Altar: Carol Kolari

Communion Server: Cindy Peterson

Scripture Reader: Christine Gilbertson

Welcome Center: Ushers: Sherry Goutermont & Lori Robison

Acolyte: Hospitality:

Attendance Last Sunday: 35

Thank you for your support of Kenwood Lutheran Church Ministries, electronic options are available for your convenience. **Simply Giving-**a program which allows your donations to be made through a pre-authorized withdrawal from your bank account. Contact the church office for details to enroll. Another option is **Online Giving-** Scan our QR code or go to our website at www.kenwoodlutheran.org for a secure, safe and private way to donate to Kenwood!



Today-we'll be collecting your loose change for LSS Change for Changing Lives. LSS Center for Changing Lives coin offering in July Was \$108.24; \$406.81 for the year.

Happy birthday-to Pastor Holter! Join us for cake in the Messiah Room after worship.

LWR School Kits-School supplies are on sale! Bags will be available in the Messiah Room. Items needed for each school kit: 4 notebooks (70 sheets, spiral bound), 5 pencils, 5 pens, 1 box crayons (24 count), 1 scissors, 1 ruler, 1 eraser, 1 pencil sharpener. **Especially needed are notebooks, rulers, and pencil sharpeners.**

Senior Lunch-will be held Wednesday, September 7, 12:00 noon at The Breeze Inn. Please note the time change from the usual luncheon time, as they do not open until noon.

Church Book Club- It's been over 2 years since the Church Book Club has met. Depending on the situation with Covid, we will try to meet on the 3rd Sunday of the month, beginning September 18, after church in the Fireside Room. We will be discussing *Night Road* by Kristin Hannah. October 16th book will be *House Rules* by Jodi Picoult. If we can continue to meet in the future months, bring selections for discussion on September 18.

Confirmation Orientation-will be Wednesday, September 28 at 6:00 p.m. If your child is in 7th grade or older and has not yet started Confirmation, please get in touch with the church office.

During September- Men's and women's socks and underwear will be collected for CHUM. Drop them off in the specially marked box in the Messiah Room.

Seeking organist and or/pianist-we're still looking for a permanent organist/pianist, and are reaching out again to see if there's anyone who would be willing to help occasionally until that happens. If you don't play the organ, but do play the piano, that's just fine! You wouldn't HAVE to play the liturgy, but could if you wanted to. No pressure! We mostly need Prelude, Postlude, and the hymns played. Please contact a member of personnel, the Worship Team, or the church office.

Weekly Financial overview:

Weekly needed to make Budget: 4696.00

Offering Last Sunday: 2195.00

Average Weekly Electronic Giving: 650.06

**This week, please remember
in your prayers:**

Elaine Greenfield

Trevor, Amy, Treston & Alanna Stokes

Kevin & Bonnie Mickelson

Peggy Pruden

Harry & Jan Podgorski

Dolores Carlson

This Week at Kenwood

Sunday, August 28

9:30 a.m. Worship

10:30 a.m. Hospitality

Monday, August 29

9:00 a.m. Tai Chi

Tuesday, August 30

8:30 a.m. TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

Wednesday, August 31

8:00 a.m. TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

5:30 p.m. A.A.