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*August 3, 2025 – 9:00 a.m.*  
*8<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost*  
\* All who are able please stand.

P: Pastor    C: Congregation

*Prelude*      *Sun of My Soul*      arr. Matthews

\* *Hymn*      *Son of God, Eternal Savior*      ELW 655      *insert*

\* *Confession and Forgiveness*

P: In the name of the Father, and of the ☩ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

P: Baptized into Christ, let us confess our sin.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

P: Merciful God,

C: you free us to love others, but we neglect our neighbors and follow our own way.  
You lead us by the Spirit of joy and peace, but we turn away from the abundant life you offer. You surround us with patience, kindness, and generosity, but we grow weary in doing what is right. In your mercy, forgive us. Do not give up on us. Heal us, break our bonds, and show us the path of life.

Amen.

P: You belong to Christ Jesus and you are God's children through faith.

In the cross of ☩ Christ, and through the power of the Holy Spirit, your sins are forgiven.

Clothed with Christ, you are a new creation.

C: Amen.

\* *Greeting*

P: Sisters and brothers in Christ, beloved children of God, grace, mercy, and peace be with you all.

C: And also with you.

\* *Prayer of the Day*

P: Benevolent God, you are the source, the guide, and the goal of our lives. Teach us to love what is worth loving, to reject what is offensive to you, and to treasure what is precious in your sight, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen

*Readings (insert)*

## *Sermon*

### *\* Apostle's Creed*

C: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

### *\* Prayers of Intercession*

### *\* Sharing the Peace*

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

### *\* Offering Prayer*

P: Creator God, in your wisdom you bring forth all that is good and the harvest is plentiful. Strengthen us at your table with these gifts of the earth and our labor, that we may work for the good of all; through Jesus Christ, our Savior.

C: Amen.

### *\* The Great Thanksgiving*

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with You.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

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

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

P: It is indeed right, our duty...

...hosts of heaven we praise your name and join in their unending hymn:

C: Holy, holy, holy, Lord, God of power and might, heaven 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.

### *\* The Eucharistic Prayer*

P: In the night in which he was betrayed...

Brought together as one by the Holy Spirit let us pray as Jesus taught us.

### *\* The Lord's Prayer*



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### ***St. Luke's Upcoming Calendar***

Tuesday, August 5<sup>th</sup>  
Sunday, August 10<sup>th</sup>

Conference Committee Mtg. – 7:00 p.m. (zoom)  
Communion Service – 9:00 a.m.  
After service – Faith Formation

### ***Service Assistants***

<b>Greeters:</b>	Marty Jordan, Charlotte Christman
<b>Lay Reader:</b>	Joyce Brothers
<b>Altar Guild:</b>	Joyce Brothers
<b>Welcome Center:</b>	Mike Way, Merlyn Jordan, Dennis & Gail Faust
<b>Counters:</b>	Peggy Brendlinger, Marty Jordan

### ***Next Week's Service Assistants***

<b>Greeters:</b>	Clark & Jane VanBuskirk
<b>Lay Reader:</b>	Jen Christman
<b>Altar Guild:</b>	Joyce Brothers
<b>Welcome Center:</b>	Julie Kinzel
<b>Counters:</b>	Randi Rose, Jerry Jordan



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