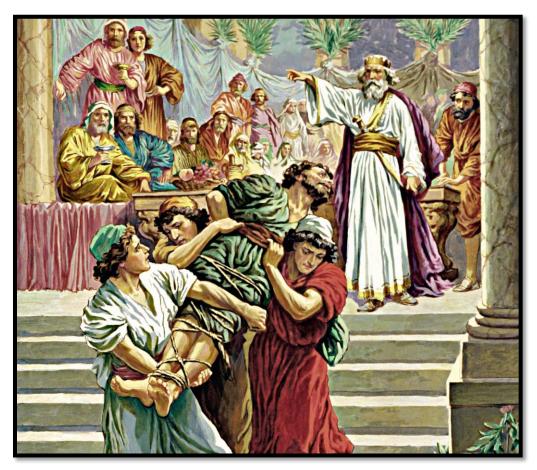
+DIVINE SERVICE III+

OF THE GRACE OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST

TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY + 17 OCTOBER 2021



The Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

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"A Church where God gives and we receive."

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Welcome to our Divine Service!

We are pleased that you are with us.

+Worship Notes+

The entire service, including the rubrics of when to sit and when to kneel or stand, and what to say, is printed out in this folder so you may follow along.

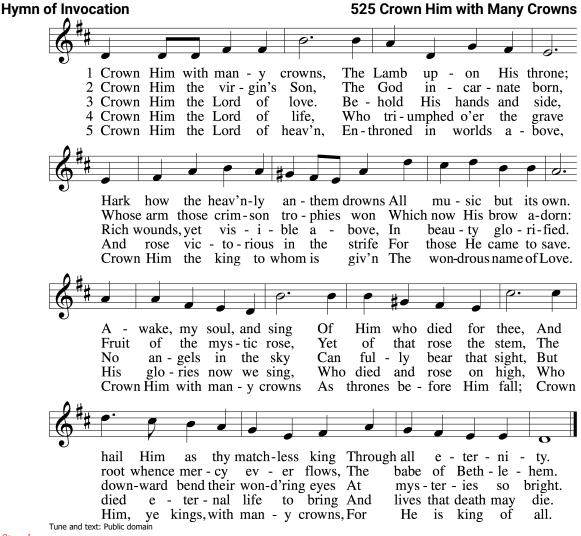
Welcome to weekly Divine Service at The Good Shepherd Lutheran Church! We are a congregation that confesses the Holy Bible as inerrant, that justification is by faith according to the Holy Bible and confessed in the 1580 Book of Concord. God bless you. To all of you who are visiting our service this morning, we extend a most cordial welcome in Jesus' name. Please introduce yourself to our pastor. It is our hope that you will feel at home in our midst and will be blessed by our message of Christ crucified and risen for the sins of the world. If you are looking for a church home and would like to know about our beliefs and practice, please see the pastor. He will be happy to visit with you at your convenience.

A Note From the Organist:

Today we have two treatments of the same chorale by different composers whose lives overlapped. The title may strike some as a bit strange, but it is a hymn of Martin Luther in which he refuted the "enthusiasts" who thought that because they were filled with the Holy Spirit, they didn't need to submit to authority of Scripture. The most recent appearance in an American Lutheran hymnal was in 1931. It is a paraphrase or Psalm 14.

Buxtehude was the most important composer of organ and choral music in the generation just prior to Bach. Walther was a cousin of J. S. Bach and an early example of a musicologist. He preserved much of the music of Buxtehude and others in his library. He is the major source for a great deal of the music of his time.

Confession and Absolution



Stand

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

Invocation

- **P** In the name of the Father and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

Exhortation LSB 184

P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

- P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- who made heaven and earth.
- P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Kneel/Stand

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

Confession of Sins

- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

Absolution LSB 185

- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

Stand

Introit

Service of the Word

The Lord is righteous in all he has | done to us,* for we have not obeyed his com- | mandments.

Glorify your name, | O Lord;*

and deal with us according to your great | mercy.

Great is the LORD and greatly | to be praised*

Psalm 48:1, 9–11; antiphon: Liturgical Text

in the city of our God, his holy | mountain.

We have thought on your steadfast love, | O God,*

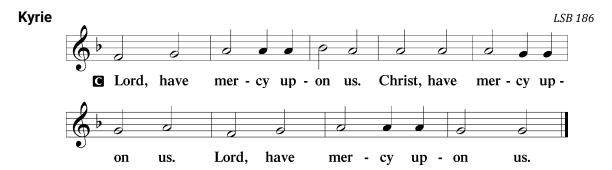
in the midst of your | temple.

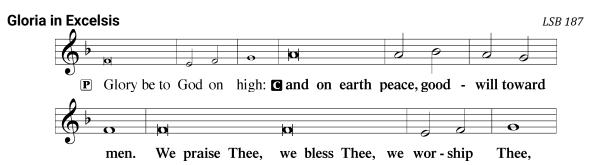
As your name, O God, so your praise reaches to the ends | of the earth.* Your right hand is filled with | righteousness.

Let Mount Zion | be glad!*

Let the daughters of Judah rejoice because of your | judgments!

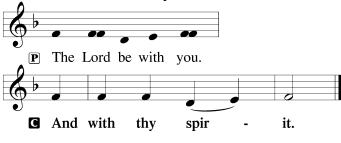








Salutation and Collect of the Day





O Lord, grant to Your faithful people pardon and peace that they may be cleansed from all their sins and serve You with a quiet mind; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Sit

Old Testament Isaiah 55:1–9

1"Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat!
Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price.
2Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy?
Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food.
3Incline your ear, and come to me; hear, that your soul may live; and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David.

⁴Behold, I made him a witness to the peoples, a leader and commander for the peoples.
⁵Behold, you shall call a nation that you do not know, and a nation that did not know you shall run to you, because of the LORD your God, and of the Holy One of Israel, for he has glorified you.

6"Seek the LORD while he may be found; call upon him while he is near;
7let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the LORD, that he may have compassion on him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.
8For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the LORD.
9For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts."

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

Psalm

Psalm 27:1-9; antiphon: v. 8

The LORD Is My Light and My Salvation

¹The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom | shall I fear?* The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I | be afraid?

²When evildoers assail me to eat | up my flesh,* my adversaries and foes, it is they who stum- | ble and fall.

³Though an army encamp against me, my heart | shall not fear;* though war arise against me, yet I will be | confident.

One thing have I asked of the LORD, that will I seek | after:* that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD and to inquire in his | temple.

⁵For he will hide me in his shelter in the day of | trouble;* he will conceal me under the cover of his tent; he will lift me high up- | on a rock.

⁶And now my head shall be lifted up above my enemies all around me, and I will offer in his tent sacrifices with | shouts of joy;*
I will sing and make melody | to the LORD.

⁷Hear, O LORD, when I | cry aloud;*
 be gracious to me and | answer me!
 ⁸You have said, | "Seek my face."*
 My heart says to you,
 "Your face, LORD, | do I seek."
 ⁹Hide not your face from me.
 Turn not your servant away in | anger,*
 O you who have been my help.
 Cast me not off; forsake me not,
 O God of my sal- | vation!

Ephesians 5:15–21

¹⁵Look carefully then how you walk, not as unwise but as wise, ¹⁶making the best use of the time, because the days are evil. ¹⁷Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. ¹⁸And do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery, but be filled with the Spirit, ¹⁹addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with all your heart, ²⁰giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, ²¹submitting to one another out of reverence for Christ.

- P This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

Stand

Alleluia



Holy Gospel Matthew 22:1–14

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-second chapter.



¹Again Jesus spoke to them in parables, saying, ²"The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son, ³ and sent his servants to call those who were invited to the wedding feast, but they would not come. ⁴Again he sent other servants, saying, 'Tell those who are invited, See, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready. Come to the wedding feast.' ⁵But they paid no attention and went off, one to his farm, another to his business, ⁶while the rest seized his servants, treated them shamefully, and killed them. ⁷The king was angry, and he sent his troops and destroyed those murderers and burned their city. ⁸Then he said to his servants, 'The wedding feast is ready, but those invited were not worthy. ⁹Go therefore to the main roads and invite to the wedding feast as many as you find.' ¹⁰And those servants went out into the roads and gathered all whom they found, both bad and good. So the wedding hall was filled with quests.

¹¹"But when the king came in to look at the guests, he saw there a man who had no wedding garment. ¹²And he said to him, 'Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding garment?' And he was speechless. ¹³Then the king said to the attendants, 'Bind him hand and foot and cast him into the outer darkness. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.' ¹⁴For many are called, but few are chosen."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



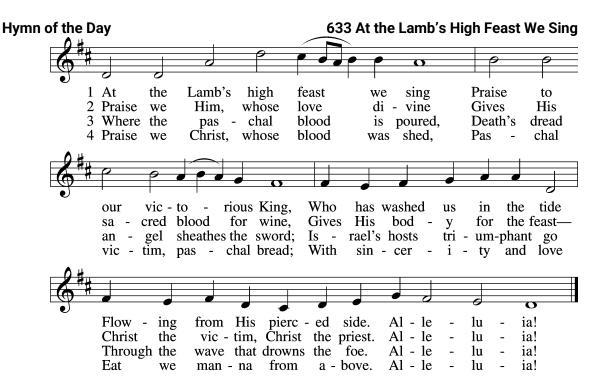
Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds. God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father. by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man: and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
and I look for the resurrection of the dead
and the life + of the world to come. Amen.





- Mighty Victim from the sky, Hell's fierce pow'rs beneath You lie; You have conquered in the fight, You have brought us life and light. Alleluia!
- 6 Now no more can death appall, Now no more the grave enthrall; You have opened paradise, And Your saints in You shall rise.

Alleluia!

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- 7 Easter triumph, Easter joy! This alone can sin destroy; From sin's pow'r, Lord, set us free, Newborn souls in You to be. Alleluia!
- ∆ 8 Father, who the crown shall give, Savior, by whose death we live, Spirit, guide through all our days:
 Three in One, Your name we praise.

Alleluia!

Sermon Pastor Edward Killian

Stand



Offering *Collected after service in the back of the church.*

Prayer of the Church

The proper response is "Hear our prayer."

P Let us pray for the whole Church of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

Holy One of Israel, righteous in all Your works toward us, Your name be glorified. Deal with us not according to our sins, but according to Your great compassion. Lord, in Your mercy,

- C hear our prayer.
- P Your kingdom come, O Lord. Preserve the invitation of Your saving Gospel among us, that many may come into Your Son's eternal wedding feast. Protect and vindicate Your servants who preach and teach Your Word, and guard their

- families from those who oppose their ministry and way of life. Open our ears to listen diligently to Your living and life-giving Word. Lord, in Your mercy,
- P Your will be done, O Lord. Bless our homes, that generation after generation may walk not as unwise but as wise, and so redeem these evil days until Your Son's return. In this foolish world, fill us with Your Spirit, that we would give You thanks and submit to all authorities out of reverence for Christ. Lord, in Your mercy,
- Give us bread that satisfies and all that is needful not for our sakes, but graciously on account of Christ. Provide, we pray, for every need of body and soul especially for Alice, Carmen, Charlotte, Cynthia, the Conrad's, Dalton, David, Debra, Faith, Gloria, James, Jason and all California Fire Fighters, Jamsetta, Jod, Johnathan, Karen, Lynette, Marion and her family, Sabrina, Susie, Lord, in Your mercy,
- P Forgive us our trespasses, O Lord, in this Supper prepared through the sacrifice of Christ on the cross and delivered according to His testament. Gathered together with Your guests, lead us to forgive those who trespass against us. Lord, in Your mercy,
- P Spare us from all temptations, Lord, and deliver us from evil. In true repentance, lead us to forsake our wicked ways and unrighteous thoughts and return to You for abundant pardon, seeking You while You may be found, that when Christ returns in His glory, we may not be cast into the outer darkness but welcomed into His everlasting wedding hall by grace; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- Amen.

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Lift

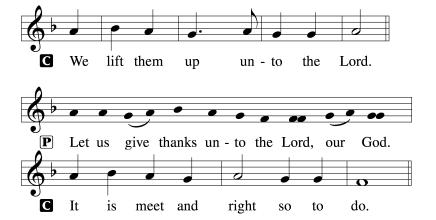
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your hearts.

Service of the Sacrament

P The Lord be with you.

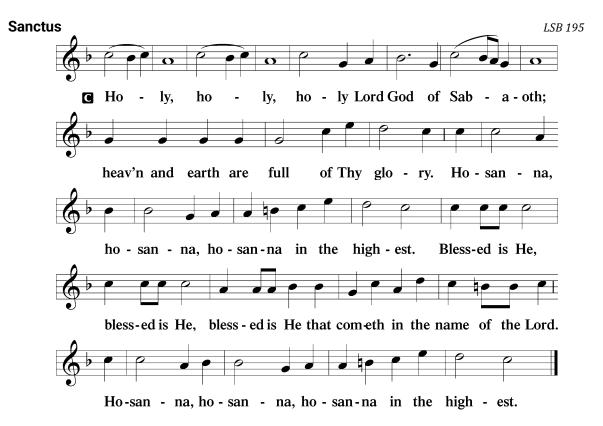
And with thy spir - it.



Proper Preface (Abbreviated)

LSB 194

P It is truly meet, right, and salutary . . . evermore praising You and saying:



Lord's Prayer LSB 196 Our Father who art in heav - en, hal - low - ed be Thy name, 00 00 0 Thy king - dom come, Thy will on earth as it done be heav - en; give us this day our dai - ly in bread; is and forgive us our tres - pass - es as we forgive those who 0 tres - pass a - gainst and lead us not us; but deliver us temp - ta tion, from vil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the

ev - er.

glo - ry for - ev - er and

men.



My + blood, which is shed for you for the for-give-ness of sins.



This do, as often as you drink it, in re-mem-brance of Me."



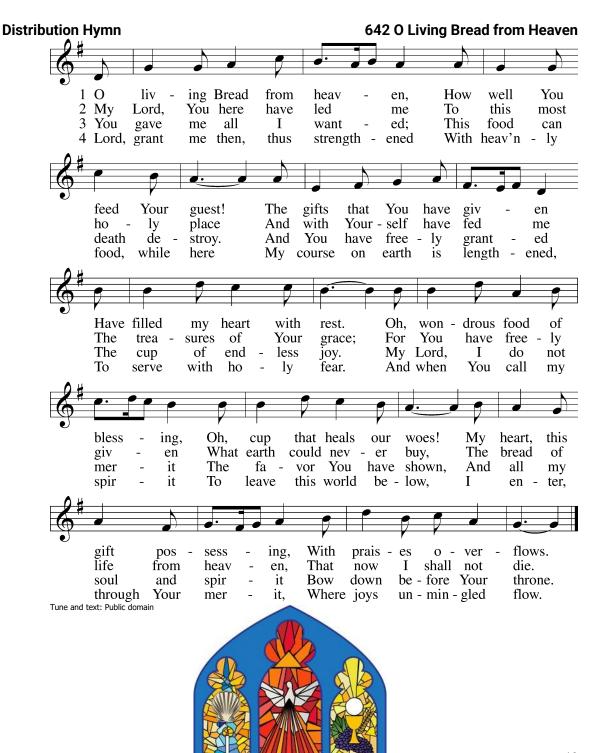
P The peace of the Lord be with you al - ways.





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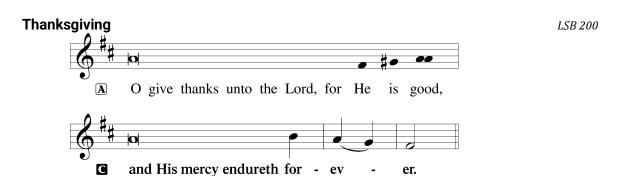
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Stand









Post-Communion Collect

P Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



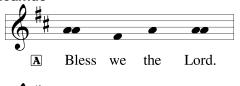
Salutation

LSB 201

P The Lord be with you.

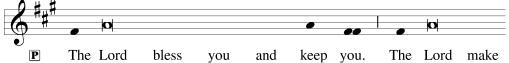


Benedicamus LSB 202





Benediction LSB 202





His face shine upon you and be gra-cious un - to you.



The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and + give you peace.







644 The Church's One Foundation



- 1 The Church's one foun-da-tion Is Je sus Christ, her Lord; 2 E - lect from ev - 'ry na-tion, Yet one o'er all the earth;
- 3 Though with a scorn-ful won-der The world sees her op-pressed,
- 4 Through toil and trib u la tion And tu mult of her war
- 5 Yet she on earth has u nion With God, the Three in One,



She is His new cre - a - tion
Her char - ter of sal - va - tion:
By schisms rent a - sun - der,
She waits the con - sum - ma - tion
And mys - tic sweet com - mu - nion

By wa - ter and the Word. One Lord, one faith, one birth. By her - e - sies dis-tressed, Of peace for - ev - er - more With those whose rest is won.



From heav'n He came and sought her His ho - ly To be bride; Par - takes one ho - lv One ho - lv name she bless - es, food. Yet saints their watch are keep - ing; Their cry goes up, "How long?" vi - sion glo - rious Her long - ing eyes are Till cho - rus! Lord, save 0 bless - ed heav'n-ly us by Your grace



With His own blood He bought her, And for her life He died. hope she press - es And to one With ev - 'rv grace en - dued. night of weep - ing And soon the Shall be the morn of song. And the great Church vic - to - rious Shall be the Church at rest. That we, like saints be - fore us. May see You face face.

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The Mouth of Fools Doth God Confess

J.G Walther (1684-1748)

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