

Eighth Sunday of Pentecost

August 3, 2025 -- 9:30am

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Church Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday: 10 am to 4 pm

Pastors: Matt & Janine Goodrich Ministers: All the people of God

This is Christ's church.

There is a place for you here.

We are a church that shares a living, daring confidence in God's grace. Liberated by our faith, we embrace everyone as a whole person, with questions, doubts, complexities and all. We are moved by God's grace to welcome all who have ever felt marginalized, no matter your gender identity, sexual orientation, age, race, ethnicity, marital status, or faith background.

We welcome you as we worship, learn, and share Christ's love together.

<u>Listening Devices</u> for hearing enhancement are available in the back of the sanctuary. Please ask an usher for assistance.

<u>Large print bulletins</u> are available in the back of the sanctuary. Please see an usher for your copy. Feel free to take this copy home for reference during the week.

GATHERING

In Jesus' Name

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

PRELUDE

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Surely the Presence of the Lord "

Crossroads

Sure-ly the pres-ence of the Lord is in this place,
I can feel his might-y pow-er and his grace.
I can hear the brush of an-gel's wings, I see glory on each face;
Sure-ly the presence of the Lord is in this place.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Presider: In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

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

Silence is kept for reflection

Presider: Merciful God,

All: 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.

Presider: 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.

All: Amen.

Please stand as you are able

GATHERING HYMN

"Wake, Awake, for Night Is Flying"

ELW #436

Red Hymnal

SALUTATION

Presider: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of

the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: And also with you.

HYMN OF PRAISE

"This is the Feast"

Red Hymnal Setting 4, Pg 149-150

This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia.

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God. Power and riches and wisdom and strength, and honor and blessing and glory are his.

This is the feast of victory for our God.

Alleluia.

Sing with all the people of God and join in the hymn of all creation:
Blessing and honor and glory and might be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen.
This is the feast of victory for our God, for the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign.
Alleluia. Alleluia.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Assisting Minister: The Lord be with you.

All: and also with you.

A.M.: Benevolent God, you are the source, the guide, and the goal of our lives.

All: 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. Amen.

You may be seated.

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

FIRST READING

Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-23

Reader:

² Vanity of vanities, says the Teacher, vanity of vanities! All is vanity.

¹² I, the Teacher, was king over Israel in Jerusalem. ¹³ I applied my mind to seek and to search out by wisdom all that is done under heaven; it is an unhappy business that God has given to humans to be busy with. ¹⁴ I saw all the deeds that are done under the sun, and see, all is vanity and a chasing after wind.

^{2:18} I hated all my toil in which I had toiled under the sun, seeing that I must leave it to my successor, ¹⁹ and who knows whether he will be wise or foolish? Yet he will be master of all for which I toiled and used my wisdom under the sun. This also is vanity. ²⁰ So I turned and gave my heart up to despair concerning all the toil of my labors under the sun, ²¹ because sometimes one who has toiled with wisdom and knowledge and skill must leave all to be enjoyed by another who did not toil for it. This also is vanity and a great evil. ²² What do mortals get from all the toil and strain with which they toil under the sun? ²³ For all their days are full of pain, and their work is a vexation; even at night their minds do not rest. This also is vanity.

Reader:

Word of God, word of life.

All:

Thanks be to God.

Please stand as you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Red Hymnal Setting 4, Pg 151

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia. HOLY GOSPEL Luke 12:13-21

Presider: The holy gospel according to St. Luke the twelfth chapter.

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

Presider: ¹³ Someone in the crowd said to [Jesus,] "Teacher, tell my brother to divide

the family inheritance with me." ¹⁴ But he said to him, "Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?" ¹⁵ And he said to them, "Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed, for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions." ¹⁶ Then he told them a parable: "The land of a rich man produced abundantly. ¹⁷ And he thought to himself, 'What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?' ¹⁸ Then he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. ¹⁹ And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.' ²⁰ But God said to him, 'You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?' ²¹ So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich toward God."

Presider: This is the gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, O Christ.

You may be seated

CHILDRENS SERMON

Pastor Dwayne Brown

SERMON "The Teacher" Pastor Dwayne Brown

GOSPEL HYMN OF THE DAY "Let Us Walk with Jesus" ELW #802

Red Hymnal

APOSTLES' CREED

All: 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 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 THE FAITHFUL

A.M.: After each petition of "God of grace,"

the congregation will respond, "hear our prayer."

GREETING OF PEACE

Presider: The Peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And also with you.

Presider: Let us greet one another with a sign of God's peace.

OFFERING

As we sing our offertory, we will bring forward our gifts for FISH Food Pantry.

For our regular giving, an offering plate is in the back of the Sanctuary for you to place your financial support, or you may mail it to:

Faith Lutheran Church PO Box 2349 Roseburg OR 97470, o r you may give an offering online on our website: www.faithroseburg.org.

Thank you for your faithful support of our ministry in this place.

Together we are God's hands and feet for one another and for our community.

We Come to the Hungry Feast

ELW #479

Red Hymnal

1 We come to the hungry feast hungry for a word of peace.To hungry hearts unsatisfied the love of God is not denied.We come, we come to the hungry feast.

2 We come to the hungry feast hungry for a world released from hungry folk of ev'ry kind, the poor in body, poor in mind. We come, we come to the hungry feast.

3 We come to the hungry feast hungry that the hunger cease, and knowing, though we eat our fill, the hunger will stay with us; still we come, we come to the hungry feast.

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OFFERING PRAYER

Presider: Creator God, in your wisdom you bring forth all that is good and the

harvest is plentiful.

All: 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.

Amen.

MEAL.

God feeds us with the presence of Christ

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Presider: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

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

All: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Presider: It is indeed right and salutary that we should at all times and in all places

offer thanks and praise to you, O Lord, holy Father, through Christ our Lord; who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. And so, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join

their unending hymn:

SANCTUS

Red Hymnal Setting 4, Pg 153

Holy, holy, holy Lord,
Lord God of pow'r and might:
Heav'n 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.

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER (The pastor prays over the bread and wine)

LORD'S PRAYER

Presider: Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

All: 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.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Presider: The kingdom of God is set before you. Eat and rejoice.

AGNUS DEI (Lamb of God)

Red Hymnal Setting 4, Pg 153

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
grant us peace, grant us peace.

DISTRIBUTION OF THE SACRAMENT

Today we celebrate Christ's presence among us as he comes to us with grace and forgiveness in the ordinary bread and wine of the Holy Eucharist. The cups contain red wine and white grape juice. We have Gluten-Free bread available.

After you receive the Sacrament, you may take time to pray at the altar rail if you wish.

At Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church, ALL are welcome to receive communion.

COMMUNION BLESSING

Presider: Mothering God, you gathered us to your table and we drank deeply of your

grace. Send us out by your Spirit to love our neighbors as ourselves

and proclaim your love in Jesus' name.

All: Amen

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

A.M.: Let us pray . . . Mothering God, you gathered us to your table and we

drank deeply of your grace.

All: Send us out by your Spirit to love our neighbors as ourselves and

proclaim your love in Jesus' name. Amen.

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

BLESSING

Presider: The love of God abound in you; the grace of our Savior Jesus Christ fill

your hearts; and the life of the Spirit + bless you and give you peace.

All: Amen

ANNOUNCEMENTS

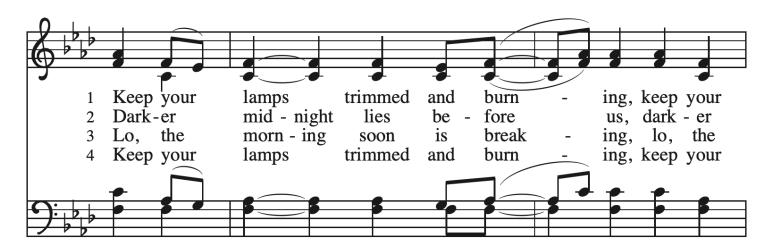
Please stand as you are able.

SENDING SONG

"Keep Your Lamps Trimmed and Burning"

ACS #949
Red Hymnal

Keep Your Lamps Trimmed and Burning







Text: African American spiritual

Music: KEEP YOUR LAMPS, African American spiritual

DISMISSAL

A.M.: Go in peace. Live by the spirit.

All: Thanks be to God.

Music to send us on our way into the world.



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Livestream: https://streamlabs.com/faithlutheranchurchroseburg

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Pray for those in need of healing and for those with on-going cares and concerns:

Beverly, Barbara, Ed, Jon (Son in law of Jerry & Mary), Mark, Torr (Family member of Sue)

Save the dates...

Crafting with Jenn – Pet Portraits - <u>August 24, 12:30pm</u>

Morning Prayer on Wednesday mornings at 10:00am at St. George Episcopal Church 1024 SE Cass Ave Roseburg

Bible study will be on hold July 23^{rd} – August 6^{th} and will resume August 13^{th} .

Brewed Theology will meet

August 28th at 2:30 and 6:30 in Brix Upper Room.

Web & Mobile Giving

The two options for giving at Faith are Web and Mobile giving. Both these options are powered by tithe.ly (recommended by the ELCA).

To give via the web go to:

https://faithroseburg.org/online-giving/



To give via your mobile device (phone and/or tablet), make sure location services is turned on, go to your android or iPhone App store, search for Tithe.ly Click on ELCA giving tool by tithe.ly and download (get) the App.

It is super simple!!

This week Jon, Beverly's son, came into the church office and shared about her new living situation. Beverly now resides at:

Brookdale Senior Center at 3400 NW Edenbower, 541-464-5600.

Beverly is asking for visitors to please come and visit or maybe call. She does not have a private phone but if you call the front desk they will locate her.

Beverly is still able to go out for church on Sundays, or have lunch, or a nice country ride, just check in with the front desk so they are aware. She will need a ride on Sundays for worship. Please consider asking her to ride with you if you live close by.



Serving This Week's Service – August 3, 2025

Acolyte/Crucifer	Brandi, Halenea, Cora
Assisting Minister	Beth
Lector	Rebecca
Communion Assistant	Jennifer
Ushers	Jackie and Bill
Greeter	Open
Altar Guild	Margaret, Jane, Debby,
Fellowship Celebration of August's Birth	days and Anniversaries
Musicians	Pianist – Gwen
Flowers	Open

Serving Next Week's Service - August 10, 2025

Acolyte/Crucifer	Brandi, Halenea,Cora
Assisting Minister	Wendy
Lector	Nancy
Communion Assistant	Cindy
Ushers	Christy and Lavonne
Greeter	Open
Altar Guild	Margaret, Jane, Debby,
Fellowship	Coffee and Refreshments
Musicians	Pianist – Gwen
Flowers	Open

August 3, through August 10th, 2025

Sunday - August 3, 2025

8:30am Crossroads rehearsal - SA

9:30am Worship - SA

10:30am Celebration of August's Birthdays & Anniversaries – FH

10:30am Gospel of St. Matthew bible study – ABS

7:00pm Mt Nebo AA Meeting – AT

Monday - August 4, 2025

Pastors' on vacation - return 8/12

10:00am Watercolor Fellowship - AT

Tuesday - August 5, 2025

12:00pm......Alanon Meeting – AT

Wednesday - August 6, 2025

10:00pm.... Morning Prayer at St. George

10:30am ... Bible Study is on hold until 8/13

6:00pm..... Twisted Sisters AA (Women only) - SSR

6:30pm Alanon Meeting – CR

7:00pm Learning to Live Again NA Meeting – AT

<u>KEY</u>

FH = Fellowship Hall

FLY = Youth Room

CR = Conference Room

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SA = Sanctuary

AT = Atrium

SSR = Sunday

School Rooms

ABS = Adult Bible

Study

(behind sanctuary)

PO = Pastors office

Thursday - August 7, 2025

1:00pm.... Lydia's Ladies Quilting – Home of Jane Hill

7:00pm..... Mt Nebo AA Meeting – AT

Friday - August 8, 2025

Saturday - August 9, 2025

Sunday – August 10, 2025

8:30am Crossroads rehearsal - SA

9:30am Worship - SA

10:30am Coffee and Refreshments - FH

10:30am Gospel of St. Matthew bible study - ABS

7:00pm Mt Nebo AA Meeting – AT