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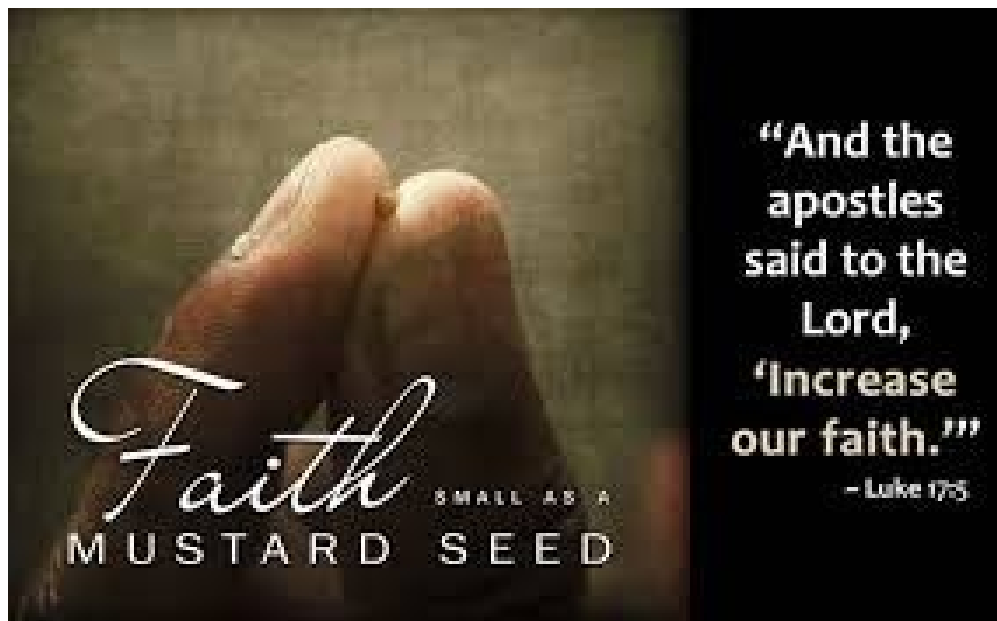
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**LSB Divine Service Setting I  
Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost  
October 5, 2025**

## Hymn of Invocation "Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now" No. 902



1 Lord Je - sus Christ, be pres - ent now; Our hearts in  
 2 Un - seal our lips to sing Your praise In end - less  
 3 Then shall we join the hosts that cry, "O ho - ly,  
 △ 4 All glo - ry to the Fa - ther, Son, And Ho - ly



true de - vo - tion bow. Your Spir - it send with  
 hymns through all our days. In - crease our faith and  
 ho - ly Lord Most High!" And in the light of  
 Spir - it, Three in One! To You, O bless - ed



light di - vine, And let Your truth with - in us shine.  
 light our minds; And set us free from doubt that blinds.  
 that blest place We then shall see You face to face.  
 Trin - i - ty, Be praise through-out e - ter - ni - ty!

Text: Lutherisch Hand-Büchlein, 1648, Altenburg; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1827-78, alt. Tune: Canticale Germanicum, 1628, Gochsheim Text and tune: Public domain

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## Confession and Absolution

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

**C: Amen.** *Matthew 28:19 and 18:20*

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

**C: But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

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

P: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

**C: Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**

P: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

*I John 1:8-10 and Philipians 1:6*

**Introit**

*Psalm 119:162, 164–165, 167; antiphon: v. 166*

P: I hope for your salvation, O LORD,

**C: and I do your commandments.**

P: I rejoice at your word

**C: like one who finds great spoil.**

P: Seven times a day I praise you

**C: for your just and righteous decrees.**

P: Great peace have those who love your law;

**C: nothing can make them stumble.**

P: My soul keeps your testimonies;

**C: I love them exceedingly.**

**All: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

P: I hope for your salvation, O LORD,

**C: and I do your commandments.**

**Lord Have Mercy (Kyrie)**

Mark 10:47

P: In peace let us pray to the Lord



P: For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.



P: For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.



P: For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

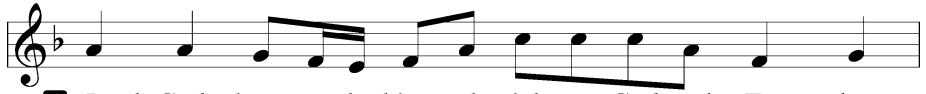


P: Help, save, comfort and defend us,  
gracious Lord.



## Glory to God in the Highest (Gloria in Excelsis) *Romans 8:34*

P: Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His people on earth.



**C** Lord God, heav-en-ly king, al-might-y God and Fa - ther:



We wor-ship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glo-ry.



Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God:



You take a - way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.



You are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther; re-ceive our prayer.



For You a-lone are the Ho-ly One, You a-lone are the Lord,



You a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it,



in the glo - ry of God the Fa-ther. A - men.

## Salutation and Collect

P: The Lord be with you.



**C** And al - so with you.

P: Let us pray. O God, our refuge and strength, the author of all godliness, by Your grace hear the prayers of Your Church. Grant that those things which we ask in faith we may receive through Your bountiful mercy; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C: Amen.**

*(sit)*

### **Old Testament Reading**

*Habakkuk 1:1–4; 2:1–4*

<sup>1</sup>The oracle that Habakkuk the prophet saw.

<sup>2</sup>O LORD, how long shall I cry for help,  
and you will not hear?

Or cry to you "Violence!"  
and you will not save?

<sup>3</sup>Why do you make me see iniquity,  
and why do you idly look at wrong?  
Destruction and violence are before me;  
strife and contention arise.

<sup>4</sup>So the law is paralyzed,  
and justice never goes forth.  
For the wicked surround the righteous;  
so justice goes forth perverted.

<sup>1</sup>I will take my stand at my watchpost  
and station myself on the tower,  
and look out to see what he will say to me,  
and what I will answer concerning my complaint.

<sup>2</sup>And the LORD answered me:

"Write the vision;  
make it plain on tablets,  
so he may run who reads it.

<sup>3</sup>For still the vision awaits its appointed time;  
it hastens to the end—it will not lie.  
If it seems slow, wait for it;  
it will surely come; it will not delay.

<sup>4</sup>"Behold, his soul is puffed up; it is not upright within him,  
but the righteous shall live by his faith."

P: This is the Word of the Lord

**C: Thanks be to God.**

## Learn-By-Heart Scripture

Luke 17:3-4

**"Pay attention to yourselves! If your brother sins, rebuke him, and if he repents, forgive him and if he sins against you seven times in the day, and turns to you seven times, saying, 'I repent,' you must forgive him."**

## Epistle

*2 Timothy 1:1–14*

<sup>1</sup>Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God according to the promise of the life that is in Christ Jesus,

<sup>2</sup>To Timothy, my beloved child:

Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

<sup>3</sup>I thank God whom I serve, as did my ancestors, with a clear conscience, as I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day.

<sup>4</sup>As I remember your tears, I long to see you, that I may be filled with joy. <sup>5</sup>I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that dwelt first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, dwells in you as well. <sup>6</sup>For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands, <sup>7</sup>for God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control.

<sup>8</sup>Therefore do not be ashamed of the testimony about our Lord, nor of me his prisoner, but share in suffering for the gospel by the power of God, <sup>9</sup>who saved us and called us to a holy calling, not because of our works but because of his own purpose and grace, which he gave us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, <sup>10</sup>and which now has been manifested through the appearing of our Savior Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel, <sup>11</sup>for which I was appointed a preacher and apostle and teacher, <sup>12</sup>which is why I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know whom I have believed, and I am convinced that he is able to guard until that Day what has been entrusted to me. <sup>13</sup>Follow the pattern of the sound words that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. <sup>14</sup>By the Holy Spirit who dwells within us, guard the good deposit entrusted to you.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

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## Alleluia and Verse

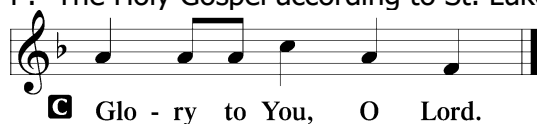
John 6:68



## Holy Gospel

Luke 17:1-10

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the seventeenth chapter.

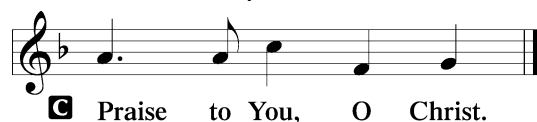


<sup>1</sup>[Jesus] said to his disciples, "Temptations to sin are sure to come, but woe to the one through whom they come! <sup>2</sup>It would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck and he were cast into the sea than that he should cause one of these little ones to sin. <sup>3</sup>Pay attention to yourselves! If your brother sins, rebuke him, and if he repents, forgive him, <sup>4</sup>and if he sins against you seven times in the day, and turns to you seven times, saying, 'I repent,' you must forgive him."

<sup>5</sup>The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith!" <sup>6</sup>And the Lord said, "If you had faith like a grain of mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you.

<sup>7</sup>"Will any one of you who has a servant plowing or keeping sheep say to him when he has come in from the field, 'Come at once and recline at table'? <sup>8</sup>Will he not rather say to him, 'Prepare supper for me, and dress properly, and serve me while I eat and drink, and afterward you will eat and drink'? <sup>9</sup>Does he thank the servant because he did what was commanded? <sup>10</sup> So you also, when you have done all that you were commanded, say, 'We are unworthy servants; we have only done what was our duty.'"

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.



(Sit)

# Hymn of the Day "I Know My Faith Is Founded" No. 587



1 I know my faith is found - ed On Je - sus Christ, my  
2 In - crease my faith, dear Sav - ior, For Sa - tan seeks by  
3 In faith, Lord, let me serve You; Though per - se - cu - tion,



God and Lord; And this my faith con - fess - ing, Un -  
night and day To rob me of this trea - sure And  
grief, and pain Should seek to o - ver - whelm me, Let



moved I stand on His sure Word. Our rea - son can - not  
take my hope of bliss a - way. But, Lord, with You be -  
me a stead - fast trust re - tain; And then at my de -



fath - om The truth of God pro - found; Who trusts in hu - man  
side me, I shall be un - dis - mayed; And led by Your good  
par - ture, Lord, take me home to You, Your rich - es to in -



wis - dom Re - lies on shift - ing ground. God's Word is  
Spir - it, I shall be un - a - fraid. A - bide with  
her - it As all You said holds true. In life and



all - suf - fi - cient, It makes di - vine - ly sure; And  
me, O Sav - ior, A firm - er faith be - stow; Then  
death, Lord, keep me Un - til Your heav'n I gain, Where



trust - ing in its wis - dom, My faith shall rest se - cure.  
I shall bid de - fi - ance To ev - 'ry e - vil foe.  
I by Your great mer - cy The end of faith at - tain.

Text: Erdmann Neumeister, 1671-1756; tr. The Lutheran Hymnal, 1941, alt. Tune: Concentus novi, 1540, Augsburg Text and tune: Public domain

## Sermon

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## The Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.**



**And in Jesus Christ, His 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 into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

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

### **Prayer of the Church - *After each petition***

**P:** Lord, in your mercy,

**C:** hear our prayer.

*(sit)*

### **Offering**

*(stand)*

### **Offertory**



**What shall I ren-der to the Lord for all His ben-e-fits to me? I will of - fer the sac-ri-fice of thanks-giv - ing and will call on the name of the Lord. I will take the cup of sal-va - tion and will call on the name of the Lord. I will pay my vows to the Lord now in the pres-ence of all His peo-ple, in the courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Je - ru - sa-lem.**

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

*Matthew 6:9-13*

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

## Concluding Collect

### The Benediction

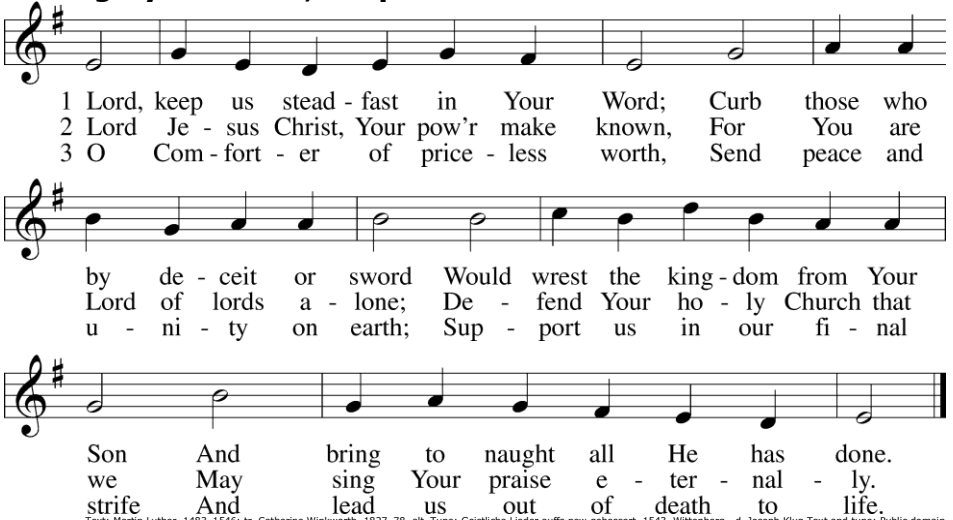
*Numbers 6:24-26*

P: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine on you And be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

**C: Amen.**

*(Sit)*

### Closing Hymn "Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word" No. 655



1 Lord, keep us stead - fast in Your Word; Curb those who  
2 Lord Je - sus Christ, Your pow'r make known, For You are  
3 O Com - fort - er of price - less worth, Send peace and

by de - ceit or sword Would wrest the king - dom from Your  
Lord of lords a - lone; De - fend Your ho - ly Church that  
u - ni - ty on earth; Sup - port us in our fi - nal

Son And bring to naught all He has done.  
we May sing Your praise e - ter - nal - ly.  
strife And lead us out of death to life.

Text: Martin Luther, 1483-1546; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1827-78, alt. Tune: Geistliche Lieder aufs new gebessert, 1543, Wittenberg, d. Joseph Klug Text and tune: Public domain



✝ **THE ALTAR FLOWERS** are given to the glory of God by Jane Osburn in honor of Fall Birthdays.

✝ **IN OUR PRAYERS** we remember all who are ill or under medical care, Cindy Griffith, Barb Sweet, Marty Villers, Diana Trent, Randy Sweet, Sue Krueger, Marcie Wellday, Dana Anderson, Janet Shrewsberry, Tyler Voegele, Deanna Hegedus, Elise Smith, Mark Eckstein, Traci Williams, Vida Rood, Mark Uphoff & Carol Welton (family of Marilyn Marrs), Terry Krueger, Marsha Seals, Duane Oestmann, The Twin Rivers Staff & Colleen.

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**Thank you to those who have help fill in the schedule for  
Sunday School Teachers! Still needed:**

October 26<sup>th</sup>    December 28<sup>th</sup>

**Please consider signing up for one of these dates!**

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## Orphan Grain Train service project!

**Oct 22 (Wednesday) and Oct 25 (Saturday)** are the dates that we will be volunteering our time to help sort and box items for OGT. If you would like to help on either or both dates, please sign the sheet on the Narthex table – name, phone # &or email address. If you would like to meet us there, that would be fine also, but please sign the sheet driving on my own. **ALL ladies of the congregation are invited!**

We will leave the church at 8:30 a.m., volunteer at OGT from 9:30-noon, eat lunch and return to Winfield by 2:00 pm. Questions, contact Katie Wilson at (620) 705-1014 or [lwmlkatie@gmail.com](mailto:lwmlkatie@gmail.com).



The Stewardship Board will be hosting Oktoberfest again this year on **October 12<sup>th</sup>** after the service. Come join in on the fun, fellowship, and good food.



It is that time of the year again. All who would like to be involved with this fun community project, please sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board in the entryway. There are lots of opportunities to help. You can decorate your trunk, dress up yourself, or both. The more the merrier.



The Stewardship Board will have a candy donation box in the entryway.



If you would like to donate individually wrapped candy for Trunk or Treat please try to have it here by October 26<sup>th</sup>. If you would like to participate but don't care to go shopping, you can give a monetary gift to Ellen Cales or Cathy in the office marked Trunk or Treat.

## New address for Dawson O'Donnell



Spc. O'Donnell, Dawson  
1 – 78 FA BN 428 FA BDE  
Delta Battery  
4407 Liberty Road  
Fort Sill, OK 73503

Immanuel Lutheran Church  
909 S. Market St.  
Wichita, Kansas 67211

Immanuel will host the Annual Joint Circuit Reformation Festival this year on Sunday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 4 pm followed by a potluck supper. The guest preacher will be the Rev.

Fr. Larry Beane, pastor of Salem Lutheran Church in Gretna, LA. Pastor Beane is a teacher and Chaplain of Wittenberg Academy and is a contributor and Blog and Sermons Editor of Gottesdienst. Come join your Lutheran brothers and sisters in Lutheran worship and good Lutheran fellowship with a true Lutheran Potluck! Please bring a dish and beverages to share. The collected offering at the service will be split between an honorarium for our guest preacher and the Joint Seminary Fund. Singers are invited to join the Reformation Choir. The choir will rehearse on Sunday, Oct. 26<sup>th</sup> at 4 pm, Thursday, Oct. 30<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm, and Sunday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 3 pm.

### **NEXT WEEK'S READINGS –**

**FIRST READING:** Ruth 1:1–19a

**SECOND READING:** 2 Timothy 2:1–13

**GOSPEL:** Luke 17:11–19

### **THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER**

**TODAY:** 9:00 am Sunday School  
10:15 am Divine Service without Holy Communion

**WEDNESDAY:** **6:30 pm Catechism Class**  
**7:30 pm Youth Group**

**THURSDAY:** **7:00 pm Adult Member Class**

**NEXT SUNDAY:** 9:00 am Sunday School  
10:15 am Divine Service with Holy Communion

### **After Service: Oktoberfest Meal**

8:00 am Lutheran Hour on 1280 AM

10:30 am Lutheran Hour on 95.9 FM

### **THOSE SERVING AT REDEEMER**

**Officiating Elder:** Raymond Rahn  
**Greeter:** Joyce Holloway  
**Altar Committee:** Joyce Holloway, Linda Shepard, Nancy Pond  
**Acolyte:** Cara Cales

**Budget Needs Weekly - \$3,421.94**

**Home Budget Offering - \$1,687.00**