

**“Recognize the One
who alone brings peace”**



**Emmaus Evangelical Lutheran Church
August 25, 2019
10th Sunday after Trinity**

THE GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE BEFORE HIM

OPENING HYMN

“Delay Not! Delay Not” (CW #337)

STAND

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son (+) and of the Holy Spirit.

C: *(spoken)* Amen.

CONFESSION OF SINS

P: Beloved in the Lord: let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins to God our Father, asking him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

C: **Holy and merciful Father, I confess that I am by nature sinful and that I have disobeyed you in my thoughts, words, and actions. I have done what is evil and failed to do what is good. For this I deserve your punishment both now and in eternity. But I am truly sorry for my sins, and trusting in my Savior Jesus Christ, I pray: Lord, have mercy on me, a sinner.**

LORD, HAVE MERCY

Kyrie

Lord, have mer-cy on us. Christ, have mer-cy on us. Lord, have mer-cy on us. A - men.

P: God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given His only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son (+) and of the Holy Spirit.

C: *(spoken)* Amen.

P: In the peace of forgiveness, let us praise the Lord.

School Wish Tree - Thank you to everyone who has purchased an item from the wish tree. Feel free to look over the tree and pick an apple or two if you would still like to help. The purchased items can be brought back and given to the office. Your generosity is truly appreciated!

Martin Luther College Silver Anniversary Campaign - 2020 marks the 25th anniversary of the amalgamation of Dr. Martin Luther College and Northwestern College to become Martin Luther College, the WELS College of Ministry. One college that offers all tracks of ministry training.

To celebrate this anniversary, MLC is launching *Equipping Christian Witnesses*. For more information, pick up a pamphlet in the narthex under the mailboxes. There is also a poster in the Fellowship Hall hallway.

Alpha Pregnancy Resource Center - Despite the heat that our summer brings we still have many clients that come in for help. We are blessed by the many conversations that we have with these women. Through The Holy Spirit we can reach them with the saving grace of Jesus our Savior. There are many that have had their children baptized. This we give thanks and praise. We are again in need of Layette items of new winter 3-6 mo onesies, outfits, bottles, shampoo, body lotion and baby wash. Also gently used boys size 3-4 shorts and t shirts (summer) and size 3-4 girls tops and shorts (summer). We are blessed by you dear friends of Emmaus for your donations to Alpha. We ask for your prayers to bless Alpha and our work to help so many that are less fortunate than us. Bev Stellmacher Alpha counselor and Emmaus ambassador.

EHV - If you would like a copy of the new Evangelical Heritage Version Bible, a new translation worked on by a group of WELS and ELS pastors, please let Pastor know. Our initial shipment has arrived and there are some extra copies available for purchase.

Children's Bulletins and Books - We have special bulletins for our children each Sunday. The ushers will have them when they are handing out the weekly bulletins. Please feel free to ask them for this bulletin. Crayons are also available from the ushers. Christian books are also available for ages 0 to 10 + to look at or read during the service! Please ask an usher to direct you to the books so you or your child may pick out an age appropriate book bag or book.

Bathrooms/Baby Changing Tables - are located in the Fellowship Hall, which is the large building in front of the church. (The building closest to the parking lot) There are changing tables in both bathrooms for your convenience. The bathrooms are located on the east end of the building.

Worship Attendance

Sunday, Aug 18th - 122 (77 - 8:00 am, 45 - 10:30am)

<u>Income from week ending Aug 18, 2019</u>	<u>Month Total</u>	<u>Monthly Budget</u>
First Fruits Offering	\$6591	\$16,226.25
School	\$4638.54	\$8003.34
Preschool/Extended Care	\$210	\$639.37
		\$4860

Worship Leader: Pastor Ross Else
 Sermon: Pastor Tom Schulz
 Organist: Mrs. Marilyn Feliciano

This Week at Emmaus

TODAY	Worship	8:00 am
	Bible Study	9:15 am
	Worship w/Lord's Supper	10:30 am
WEDNESDAY	Bible Class	6:00 pm
NEXT SUNDAY	Worship w/Lord's Supper	8:00 am
	Bible Study	9:15 am
	Worship	10:30 am

Lord's Supper - is celebrated today in the 10:30 am service. Our Savior gives us his body and blood along with the bread and wine for our forgiveness in this Blessed Sacrament. Because he also wants us to examine ourselves prior to communing (1 Corinthians 11:23-29), and that those who commune with one another be united in doctrine and practice (1 Corinthians 10:16-17; Romans 16:1-17; 2 John 9-11), we respectfully ask that those who commune with us this morning are members of Emmaus, or members of congregations in fellowship with the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod. If you are not a member and would like to join us for communion, please speak with Pastor Else, so we can set up a time to study what God's Word has to say to us concerning Lord's Supper and church fellowship. Thank you for your understanding.

Announcements

In our Prayers:

Those with ongoing health and other struggles - Collette Bodjanac; Sandy Griffiths; Lilly Ventura; Sarah Eversole; Mikayla Vander Galien; Katie Conklin; Nicole Harris' grandmother Betty Klatt (cancer); Pastor Joel Frank and his wife Judy, as she battles cancer; Pastor Else's mother, Audrey Else; Dick and Linda Toetz's great grandson, Asher; Bill and Christa Hayes' friend, Chris Pool, (cancer); Marion Worgull's son-in-law, Pastor James Humann; Linda Thompson; Richard & Linda Toetz's brother-in-law, Dave Jagdfeld; Phyllis Baltisburger; Barb Osborn; Barb Widmann; Brad Anderson's cousin Butch Fahler; Rich Tollefson; Brad Anderson; Roger Wilde's wife, Carol; Vince Wallenberg; Ellen King; Diane Scheel; Linda Thompson's sister Kathy Desch (cancer)

Those who are - sick, unemployed, traveling, celebrating birthdays and anniversaries, serving in the military, single, married, parents, children.

Thank you - The Flood family thanks you sincerely for your kind expression of sympathy and thoughtfulness of cards and prayers. It is deeply appreciated and will always be remembered.

Thank you also to Pastor Schulz for sharing God's word with us during his sermon this morning.

GLORY TO GOD

Gloria in Excelsis



Glo - ry to God in the



high - est, and peace to his peo - ple on earth.



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! Glo - ry to God in the



high - est, and peace to his peo - ple on earth.



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, re -

ceive our prayer. Glo - ry to God in the

high - est, and peace to his peo - ple on earth. 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. Glo - ry to God in the

high - est, and peace to his peo - ple on earth.

Glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God!

*FIRST SERVICE continues here

CLOSING HYMN

“The Church’s One Foundation” (CW #538)

P: Blessed Lord, grant to Your Church the Holy Spirit and the wisdom that comes down from above. Let nothing hinder Your Word from being freely proclaimed to the joy and edifying of Christ’s holy people, so that we may serve You in steadfast faith and confess Your Name as long as we live, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: *(spoken)* Amen.

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

C: *(spoken)* Amen.

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THANKSGIVING

SONG OF SIMEON

Nunc Dimittis


In peace, Lord, you let your
ser - vant now de - part ac - cord-ing to your word. For my
eyes have seen your sal - va - tion, which you have pre - pared for
ev - 'ry peo - ple, a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the
glo - ry, the glo - ry of your peo - ple Is - ra - el.

P: O give thanks to the Lord, for He is good.

C: **And His mercy endures forever.**

P: We give thanks, almighty God, that You have refreshed us with this Holy Supper. We pray that through it You will strengthen our faith in You and increase our love for one another. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: **(spoken) Amen.**

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

C: **(spoken) Amen.**

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Let us pray. O God, You reveal Your mighty power chiefly in showing mercy and kindness. Grant us the full measure of Your grace that we may obtain Your promises and become partakers of Your heavenly glory; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: **(spoken) Amen.**

Please be seated

THE WORD

FIRST LESSON

Daniel 9:15-19

15 And now, Lord our God, you who brought your people out of the land of Egypt with a mighty hand and who made a name for yourself to this very day, we have sinned, we have acted wickedly. 16 Lord, according to all your righteous acts, let your anger and wrath turn away from your city Jerusalem, your holy mountain, although, because of our sins and the guilt of our fathers, Jerusalem and your people are viewed with contempt by everyone around us. 17 Now listen, our God, to the prayer of your servant and to his plea for grace, and let your face shine upon your desolate sanctuary for your sake, my Lord. 18 My God, turn your ear toward us and listen. Open your eyes and see the desolation that is upon us and the city that is called by your name. No, it is not because of our righteous acts that we are casting our plea for grace before you, but because of your great acts of compassion. 19 Lord, listen! Lord, forgive! Lord, pay attention! Act, and do not delay—for your sake, my God, because your city and your people are called by your name. (EHV)

PSALM 51a (*p.86 in front section of hymnal*)

SECOND LESSON

Romans 9:30-10:4

30 What shall we say then? That Gentiles, who were not pursuing righteousness, have obtained righteousness, a righteousness that is by faith. 31 But Israel, while pursuing the law as a way of righteousness, did not reach it. 32 Why? Because they kept pursuing it not by faith, but as if it comes by works. They stumbled over the stumbling stone. 33 Just as it is written: Look, I am putting a stone in Zion over which they will stumble and a rock over which they will fall. The one who believes in him will not be put to shame. 10:1 Brothers, my heart's desire and prayer to God on behalf of the Israelites is that they may be saved. 2 Indeed, I testify about them that they have a zeal for God, but it is not consistent with knowledge. 3 Since they

were ignorant of the righteousness from God and sought to establish their own righteousness, they did not submit to the righteousness from God. 4 For to everyone who believes, Christ is the end of the law, resulting in righteousness. (EHV)

VERSE OF THE DAY

P: Alleluia. Jesus replied, ‘If anyone loves me, he will obey my teaching. My Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him.’” Alleluia. (John 14:23)

Please stand for the reading of the Gospel

GOSPEL

Luke 19:41-48



41 As he came near, he saw the city and wept over it. 42 He said, “If you, yes you, had only known on this day the things that would bring peace to you. But now, it is hidden from your eyes. 43 In fact, the days will come upon you when your enemies will build an embankment against you, surround you, and hem you in on every side. 44 Within your walls, they will dash you and your children to the ground. And within your walls, they will not leave one stone on top of another, because you did not recognize the time when God came to help you.” 45 Jesus entered the temple courts and began to drive out those who were selling things there. 46 He told them, “It is written, ‘My house will be a house of prayer,’ but you have made it a ‘den of robbers!’” 47 Every day he was teaching in the temple courts, but the chief priests, the experts in the law, and the leaders of the people continued to look for a way to put him to death. 48 They could not find any way to do it, because all the people were clinging to him and listening. (EHV)



O CHRIST, LAMB OF GOD

Agnus Dei

O Christ, Lamb of
God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer - cy on us. O Christ, Lamb of
God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer - cy on us. O Christ, Lamb of
God, you take a - way the sin of the world;
grant us your peace. A - men. A - men.

DISTRIBUTION (*During the distribution the congregation will sing Hymn 742*)

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY*Sanctus*

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er,
 God of might: heav'n and earth are full of your glo -
 ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless -
 ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san -
 na in the high - est. Ho-san - na in the high - est.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night He was betrayed, took bread; and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to His disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Then He took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in my blood, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."

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

C: **Amen**

THE APOSTLES CREED

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

I believe 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 is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there 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.

THE 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 is seated 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 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.

Please be seated

HYMN

“Though Thoughtless Thousands Choose” (CW #466)

SERMON

Luke 19:41-48

“Recognize the times”

1. The enemy is closing in
2. We will cling to Jesus

STAND

Cre - ate in me a
 pure heart, O God, and re - new a right spir - it with -
 in me. Do not cast me a - way from your
 pres - ence or take your Ho - ly Spir - it from
 me. Re - store to me the joy of your sal - va - tion, and up -
 hold, up - hold me with your free Spir - it.

BE SEATED

OFFERING

STAND

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

THE LORD'S PRAYER

***10:30 service continues with the Sacrament;**
8:00 service continues on page 13

THE SACRAMENT

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

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

C: **It is good and right so to do.**

P: It is truly good and right that we should at all times and in all places give you thanks, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who promised that wherever two or three come together in His name, there He is with them to shepherd His flock till He comes again in glory. Therefore, with all the saints on earth and hosts of heaven, we praise your holy name and join their glorious song: