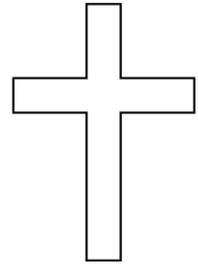


**Welcome to St. Peter's Lutheran Church
On The
Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost
August 28, 2022**



Officiant: Rev. David H. Benke
Altar Assistants: Deacon David Chanderdatt, &
Vicars Jose Pinedo-Whatts and Henry Chanderdatt
Music/Keyboard: Stephen Marcus

Happy Lord's Day! We're back to our Summertime single Sunday Service Format at 9:30AM with online option at St. Peter's Lutheran Brooklyn Facebook (You Tube one hour later), and give thanks for our Church family throughout the area and throughout the country who are with us all the way! **FELLOWSHIP HOUR AFTER Church** for those who come in person!!! The memory verse for today is **Hebrews 13:16 Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.**

***** **ORDER OF SERVICE** *****

Words of Welcome

Pastor Benke

Thanks To Those Who Serve

Opening Hymn

"Jesus In The Morning"

1. Jesus, Jesus, Jesus in the morning, Jesus in the noontime;
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus when the sun goes down!
2. Love him, love him, Love him in the morning, love him in the noontime;
Love him, love him, Love him when the sun goes down!
3. Serve him, serve him, Serve him in the morning, serve him in the noontime;
Serve him, serve him, Serve him when the sun goes down!
4. Praise him, praise him, Praise him in the morning, praise him in the noontime;
Praise him, praise him, Praise him when the sun goes down!
5. Jesus, Jesus, Jesus in the morning, Jesus in the noontime;
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus when the sun goes down!

Invocation

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

C. Amen

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

Song Before Confession "Change My Heart, O God"

Change my heart, O God; Make it ever true;
Change my heart, O God; May I be like you.
You are the Potter, I am the Clay,
Mold me and make me; This is what I pray.
Change my heart, O God; Make it ever true;
Change my heart, O God; May I be like you.

Confession

P: Almighty God, merciful Father

All: I, a poor miserable sinner, confess to you all my sins and iniquities, with which I have offended you and for which I justly deserve your punishment. But I am sorry for them, and repent of them, and pray for your boundless mercy. Forgive my sins, give me your Holy Spirit for the amendment of my life, and bring me to life everlasting. AMEN.

P: God is merciful and gracious, granting forgiveness through Jesus Christ to all who confess their sin. As a called and ordained servant of the Word, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins in the Name of the Father, and of the Son (+) and of the Holy Spirit. AMEN.

Hymn of Praise "I'm so Glad Jesus Lifted Me"

1. I'm so glad, Jesus lifted me, (3x)
Singing Glory, Hallelujah, Jesus lifted me!
2. Satan had me bound, Jesus lifted me, (3x)
Singing Glory, Hallelujah, Jesus lifted me!
3. When I was in trouble, Jesus lifted me. (3x)
Singing Glory, Hallelujah, Jesus lifted me!

"Glory, Glory, Hallelujah!"

1. Glory, glory, hallelujah! Since I laid my burden down.
Glory, glory, hallelujah! Since I laid my burden down.
2. I feel better, so much better, since I laid my burden down.
I feel better, so much better, since I laid my burden down.
3. Feel like shouting, "Hallelujah!" since I laid my burden down.
Feel like shouting, "Hallelujah!" since I laid my burden down.
4. I am climbing Jacob's ladder, since I laid my burden down.
I am climbing Jacob's ladder, since I laid my burden down.
5. Ev'ry round goes higher and higher, since I laid my burden down.
Ev'ry round goes higher and higher, since I laid my burden down.

Prayer of the Day-All

Lord of glory, in humility you have revealed yourself in the incarnation of your Son, Jesus Christ, who took the lowest place among us that we might be raised to the heights of eternal life. Teach us to walk the path he prepared for us, so that we might take a place at the table with all who seek the joy of his kingdom. Amen.

The First Lesson

Proverbs 25:6-7

Do not put yourself forward in the king's presence or stand in the place of the great; for it is better to be told, "Come up here," than to be put lower in the presence of a noble.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Primera Lectura

Proverbios 25:6-7

No te des importancia en presencia del rey, ni reclames un lugar entre los magnates; vale más que el rey te diga: Sube acá, y no que te humille ante gente importante.

L. Esta es la Palabra de Dios.

C. Te alabamos Señor.

The Second Lesson

Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16

Let mutual love continue. Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by doing that some have entertained angels without knowing it. Remember those who are in prison, as though you were in prison with them; those who are being tortured, as though you yourselves were being tortured. Let marriage be held in honor by all, and let the marriage bed be kept undefiled; for God will judge fornicators and adulterers. Keep your lives free from the love of money, and be content with what you have; for he has said, "I will never leave you or forsake you." So we can say with confidence, "The Lord is my helper; I will not be afraid. What can anyone do to me?" Remember your leaders, those who spoke the word of God to you; consider the outcome of their way of life, and imitate their faith. Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. Through him, then, let us continually offer a sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of lips that confess his name. Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Segunda Lectura

Hebreos 13:1-8, 15-16

Sigan amándose unos a otros fraternalmente. No se olviden de practicar la hospitalidad, pues gracias a ella algunos, sin saberlo, hospedaron ángeles. Acuérdense de los presos, como si ustedes fueran sus compañeros de cárcel, y también de los que son maltratados, como si fueran ustedes mismos los que sufren. Tengan todos en alta estima el matrimonio y la fidelidad conyugal, porque Dios juzgará a los adúlteros y a todos los que cometen inmoralidades sexuales. Manténganse libres del amor al dinero, y conténtense con lo que tienen, porque Dios ha dicho: Nunca te dejaré; jamás te abandonaré. Así que podemos decir con toda confianza: El Señor es quien me ayuda; no temeré. ¿Qué me puede hacer un simple mortal? Acuérdense de sus dirigentes, que les comunicaron la palabra de Dios. Consideren cuál fue el resultado de su estilo de vida, e imiten su fe. Jesucristo es el mismo ayer y hoy y por los siglos. Así que ofrezcamos continuamente a Dios, por medio de Jesucristo, un sacrificio de alabanza, es decir, el fruto de los labios que confiesan su nombre. No se olviden de hacer el bien y de compartir con otros lo que tienen, porque esos son los sacrificios que agradan a Dios.

L. Esta es la Palabra de Dios.

C. Te alabamos Señor.

Gospel Acclamation "When I think of the Goodness of Jesus"

When I think of the goodness of Jesus, and what He has done for me,
My soul cries out "Hallelujah!" Praise God for saving me. **(2x)**

The Holy Gospel

Luke 14:1, 7-14

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

On one occasion when Jesus was going to the house of a leader of the Pharisees to eat a meal on the sabbath, they were watching him closely. When he noticed how the guests chose the places of honor, he told them a parable. "When you are invited by someone to a wedding banquet, do not sit down at the place of honor, in case someone more distinguished than you has been invited by your host; and the host who invited both of you may come and say to you, 'Give this person your place,' and then in disgrace you would start to take the lowest place. But when you are invited, go and sit down at the lowest place, so that when your host comes, he may say to you, 'Friend, move up higher'; then you will be honored in the presence of all who sit at the table with you. For all who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted." He said also to the one who had invited him, "When you give a luncheon or a dinner, do not invite your friends or your brothers or your relatives or rich neighbors, in case they may invite you in return, and you would be repaid. But when you give a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind. And you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you, for you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."

P. This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C. Praise to You O, Christ.

Lucas 14:1, 7-14

Un día Jesús fue a comer a casa de un notable de los fariseos. Era sábado, así que estos estaban acechando a Jesús. Al notar cómo los invitados escogían los lugares de honor en la mesa, les contó esta parábola: Cuando alguien te invite a una fiesta de bodas, no te sientes en el lugar de honor, no sea que haya algún invitado más distinguido que tú. Si es así, el que los invitó a los dos vendrá y te dirá: "Cédele tu asiento a este hombre". Entonces, avergonzado, tendrás que ocupar el último asiento. Más bien, cuando te inviten, siéntate en el último lugar, para que cuando venga el que te invitó, te diga: "Amigo, pasa más adelante a un lugar mejor". Así recibirás honor en presencia de todos los demás invitados. Todo el que a sí mismo se enaltece será humillado, y el que se humilla será enaltecido. También dijo Jesús al que lo había invitado: Cuando des una comida o una cena, no invites a tus amigos, ni a tus hermanos, ni a



tus parientes, ni a tus vecinos ricos; no sea que ellos, a su vez, te inviten y así seas recompensado. Más bien, cuando des un banquete, invita a los pobres, a los inválidos, a los cojos y a los ciegos. Entonces serás dichoso, pues aunque ellos no tienen con qué recompensarte, serás recompensado en la resurrección de los justos.

The Sermon

Best Seats in the House of God

Vicar Chanderdatt

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 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 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.

Hymn before Prayer

“Anointing”

Anointing, fall on me, anointing, fall on me, let the power of the Holy Ghost fall on me, anointing, fall on me.

Anointing, fall on us, anointing, fall on us, let the power of the Holy Ghost fall on us, anointing, fall on us.

Oh hear, Lord, hear our prayer, Oh hear, Lord, hear our prayer. As the intercessions of our hearts are lifted to your throne, Oh hear, Lord, Hear our prayer!

Prayers of the People of God



The Offering / *Ofrenda*

Offertory Hymn

“Now We Offer”

Refrain: Now we of-fer you our Fa-ther, With the bread and with the wine
All our joys and all our sor-rows, All our strug-gles and our time.

1. In these gifts we see our one-ness Through-out cit-y and the field,
And we find a life of so-lace Where the scars of strife are healed. **Refrain**
2. All your people who are yearning for the freedom still ahead
Offer fruits of your creation in these gifts of wine and bread. **Refrain**
3. We sing glo-ry to the Fa-ther And to Christ who lives a-bove,
And we praise the Ho-ly Spir-it For the gift to us of love. **Refrain**

The Eucharistic Prayer

The Consecration of Holy Communion / *Santa Comunion*

The Words of Institution / *Las Palabras de Institucion*

P. “Behold the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world.
Blessed are those who are called to his supper.”

The response is:

C: “Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word and I shall be healed.”

The Lord’s Prayer Sung by All

The Sharing of the Lord’s Peace/*La Paz*

The Distribution of Holy Communion / *Distribucion de Sacramento*

Hymns during Distribution / *Himnos Durante distribucion*

"Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling"

1. Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling, calling for you and for me.
See on the portals he's waiting and watching, watching for you and for me.

Refrain: Come home, come home! You who are weary come home!
Earnestly, Tenderly, Jesus is calling, calling "O Sinner come home!"

2. Why should we tarry when Jesus is pleading, pleading for you and for me.
Why should we linger and heed not his mercies, mercies for you and for me.

Refrain

3. Oh, for the wonderful love he has promised, promised for you and for me!
Though we have sinned he has mercy and pardon, pardon for you and for me.

Refrain

"Tierno y Amante, Jesus Nos Invita"

1. Tierno y amante, Jesus nos invita. Llamate a ti, y a mi.
Mira le alla en la puertas esperando; Aguarda a ti y a mi.

Coro: Venid, venid, Tristes, cansados, venid!
Tierno y amante, Jesus nos invita: Oh pecadores, venid!

2. Sigue llamando; porque dilatamos? Llamate a ti, y a mi.
Tantas Mercedes en poco tendremos. Amate a ti y a mi. **Coro**

3. Oh maravilla de amor prometido Tanto a ti como a mi.
Ven y recibe el perdon ofrecido, Dado de gracia a ti. **Coro**

"Beautiful Savior"

1. Beautiful Savior, King of creation, Son of God and Son of Man!
Truly I'd love thee, Truly I'd serve thee, Light of soul, my joy, my crown.
2. Fair are the meadows, Fair are the woodlands, Robed in flowers of blooming
spring; Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer, He makes our sorrowing spirit sing.
3. Fair is the sunshine, Fair is the moonlight, Bright the sparkling stars on high;
Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer Than all the angels in the sky.
4. Beautiful Savior, Lord of the nations, Son of God and Son of Man!
Glory and honor, Praise, adoration, Now and forevermore be Thine!

"Jesus Divino"

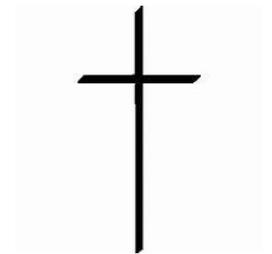
1. Jesús divino, Gran rey del mundo, Excelso Dios hecho un ser mortal!
Yo quiero amarte, veraz servirte, De mi alma luz, mi amor cabal.
2. Lindos los prados, bellos los montes, Cuando adornados van con primor!
Cristo es más puro, Cristo es más bello: De corazón le doy loor.
3. Sol tan brillante, Luna tan clara, De estrellas miles derraman luz:
Mas nunca un ángel, Tampoco arcángel, Luce al igual que mi Jesús.
4. Jesús divino, Gran rey del mundo, Excelso Dios hecho un ser mortal!
Gloria te rindo Prez y alabanza, A Ti, Señor, Dios eternal.

Prayer of Thanksgiving / Oracion de Alabanza

The Benediction / La Bendicion

Announcements and Introductions / Anuncios y Introducciones

Closing Hymn / Himno de Clausura



"Savior Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise"

1. Savior, again to Thy dear Name we raise
With one accord our parting hymn of praise.
Once more we bless Thee ere our worship cease,
Then, lowly bending, wait Thy word of peace.
2. Grant us Thy peace upon our homeward way;
With Thee began, with Thee shall end, the day.
Guard Thou the lips from sin, the hearts from shame,
That in this house have called upon Thy name.
3. Grant us Thy peace, Lord, through the coming night;
Turn Thou for us its darkness into light.
From harm and danger keep Thy children free;
For dark and light are both alike to Thee.
4. Grant us Thy peace throughout our earthly life,
Our Balm in sorrow and our Stay in strife;
Then, when Thy voice shall bid our conflict cease,
Call us, O Lord, to Thine eternal peace.

Announcements

WELCOME in the Name of Jesus to our **Summertime Worship at 9:30AM**, fellowship following. We are blessed each and every Sunday as we gather, hear the Word and celebrate our common union at the altar. Prayer requests can be submitted online at Facebook St. Peter's Lutheran Brooklyn or through our email system. If you are not receiving worship bulletins by email, give your email address to an usher today and you'll be added to the list.

THANKS to Nadira Chanderdatt for organizing our summer Fellowship Hour after church, and to Susan and Karin for today's festivities surrounding Audrey Sharp's 80th Birthday yesterday.

As a result, **WEDNESDAY EVENING PRAYER AND PRAISE is going back to 7:00 PM.** So –
Sunday 9:30 AM
Wednesday 7:00PM (as part of the VBS)

BUILDING RENOVATIONS are rolling on over the summer during our 125th Anniversary year. Prayers for continued strength for Clara DelValle, overseeing both the exterior Hale Avenue renovations which have really renewed that area, and – a brand new KITCHEN!

SCHOOL OPENINGS: As we get closer to Labor Day weekend and the beginning of school – St. Peter's Staff is currently complete and ready to go!
St. Peter's 3-K program is completely enrolled at 30 students
St. Peter's Pre-K (4 year old) program has only two openings, with 45 of 47 students enrolled. If you know of those who are four any time during this calendar year without a school, call the office and send them over – our reputation is as the caring quality educational option for Pre-School in this neighborhood!

We will continue to urge everyone worshipping to wear masks for the comfort of all while we adapt to seeing a larger group of people together and continue to listen carefully to advice from public health professionals.

Special outreach by our pastor, elders, deacons and leaders will encourage all who are in the area to come back to the full fellowship, while respecting those who are still unable to do so. Holy Communion will be made available to those who are online worshipers so that they are fully part of the fellowship of saints gathered around the Table.

