

Welcome to Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church

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Sunday Worship Schedule
9:00 – Traditional
11:15 – Contemporary style
3rd Sunday of the month at 10:15—
Service of the Word for Wholeness

Summer in the Psalms *“Let Everything Praise the Lord!”* 9:00—September 6, 2026

Psalms 150 and Luke 17:11-19 highlight the importance of recognizing and responding to God’s greatness and goodness, with Psalm 150 emphasizing universal praise and Luke 17 showcasing grateful faith in the process of receiving divine mercy.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

GATHERING WORSHIP MUSIC Variations on “*Thaxted*” Jeffrey Blersch

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MISSION MOMENT “*WINGS*” Nancy Geik

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, whose compassion endures forever.

C: Amen.

P: Let us confess our sin to God.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Compassionate God,

C: we confess to you all our sins. Our burden is heavy, and we cannot free ourselves. In your mercy, call us back to you. Your yoke is easy and your burden is light. Restore us to dwell in your peace. In Christ’s name we pray, Amen.

P: Jesus says, “Come to me, all you who are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest.” In the name of God, Father, ☩ Son, and Holy Spirit, your sins are forgiven. Rest in God’s love.

C: Amen.

GATHERING HYMN *“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”*

ELW 858

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| <p>1 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty,
 the King of creation!
 O my soul, praise him,
 for he is your health and salvation!
 Let all who hear
 now to his temple draw near,
 joining in glad adoration!</p> <p>2 Praise to the Lord,
 who o'er all things
 is wondrously reigning
 and, as on wings of an eagle,
 uplifting, sustaining.
 Have you not seen
 all that is needful has been
 sent by his gracious ordaining?</p> | <p>4 Praise to the Lord!
 Oh, let all that is in me adore him!
 All that has life and breath,
 come now with praises before him!
 Let the amen
 sound from his people again.
 Gladly forever adore him!</p> |
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THE GREETING

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray. Almighty God, we praise you for your surpassing greatness and steadfast love. Let everything that has breath praise the Lord! May our praise reflect our deep gratitude for you. May we grow in our understanding of your grace and fully realize how deeply you love us. In Jesus's name we pray.

C: Amen.

BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR MISSION STATEMENT

P: Although as individuals we are unique in many and various ways, we gather as a congregation for a common mission.

C: Beautiful Savior is a biblically grounded community who unites to follow and share the way of Jesus.

MEMORY VERSE

Colossians 3:16

Laura Hall

A: Together, let us recite the memory verse:

C: Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God.

PSALM

Psalm 150

A: Let us read Psalm 150 together responsively: Praise the Lord! Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty firmament!

C: Praise him for his mighty deeds; praise him according to his surpassing greatness!

A: Praise him with trumpet sound; praise him with lute and harp!

C: Praise him with tambourine and dance; praise him with strings and pipe!

A: Praise him with clanging cymbals; praise him with loud clashing cymbals!

C: Let everything that breathes praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!

GOSPEL VERSE



GOSPEL

Luke 17:11-19

Pastor Diane

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

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

¹¹On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. ¹²As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, ¹³they called out, saying, “Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!” ¹⁴When he saw them, he said to them, “Go and show yourselves to the priests.” And as they went, they were made clean. ¹⁵Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. ¹⁶He prostrated himself at Jesus’ feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷Then Jesus asked, “Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? ¹⁸Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?” ¹⁹Then he said to him, “Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well.”

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

Karyn Parker, Children’s Ministries Coordinator

SERMON

The Rev. Diane Greble, Associate Pastor

HYMN OF THE DAY “You Servants of God” v. 1, 3, 4

ELW 825

- 1 You servants of God, your Master proclaim,
and publish abroad his wonderful name;
the name, all-victorious, of Jesus extol;
his kingdom is glorious and rules over all!
- 4 Then let us adore and give him his right,
all glory and pow'r and wisdom and might,
all honor and blessing, with angels above,
and thanks never ceasing, and infinite love!
- 3 Salvation to God who sits on the throne!
Let all cry aloud and honor the Son.
The praises of Jesus the angels proclaim,
fall down on their faces, and worship the Lamb.

APOSTLES' CREED

- P: God has made us God's own people through our baptism into Christ. Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith:
- C: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again 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 CHURCH

Laura Hall

- A: Reminded of God's gracious and abundant love, we offer our prayers, confident that God hears us.

A brief silence.

- A: Proclaiming God, empower your church throughout the world to announce the words you give us. Open us to receive your word in unexpected ways. Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

- A: Forming God, renew the cycles of your creation that provide for the needs of all. Protect grasslands, marshes, swamps, and all places of transition. Heal communities crying out after disaster (*especially those we now name aloud or in the quiet of our hearts*). Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

- A: Governing God, turn all who create, enforce, or interpret legislation away from selfish gain and toward your promise of good for all, especially the good of all who labor. Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

A: Attending God, wake us up to any around us who are in need. Restore broken relationships, failing health, frayed emotions, and the hurts we carry with us (*especially those we now name aloud or in the quiet of our hearts*). Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

A: Gathering God, resolve conflicts in our communities through your righteousness and grace. Reconcile us to each other, making your good news known even through our imperfections. Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

A: Loving God, all who die in faith have life with you. We give you thanks for the nearness of your salvation for all who have gone before us (*especially those we now name aloud or in the quiet of our hearts*). Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

A: Grant the prayers we have offered, what we have forgotten to ask, and whatever else you see that we need. We ask this in Jesus's name.

C: Amen.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

STEWARDSHIP READING *Proverbs 3:9-10*

Honor the Lord with your substance and with the first fruits of all your produce; then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine.

OFFERING *"Sonata in D Major"*

Domenico Scarlatti

OFFERING PRAYER

P: Let us pray. Loving God, we offer at your table the gifts of our hearts. Help us take heart in you and share freely of your love, so that all creation can taste your abundance. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit abiding with us now and forever.

C: Amen.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

LORD'S PRAYER

HOLY COMMUNION

"How Great Thou Art" v. 1, 2

ELW 856

- 1 O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder
consider all the works thy hand hath made,
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,
thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed;
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee,
how great thou art! How great thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee,
how great thou art! How great thou art!
- 2 When through the woods and forest glades I wander,
I hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
when I look down from lofty mountain grandeur
and hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze; Then
sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee,
how great thou art! How great thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee,
how great thou art! How great thou art!

POST HOLY COMMUNION BLESSING

PRAYER AFTER HOLY COMMUNION

P: Together let us pray:

C: Compassionate God, through the gifts of bread and wine our hearts are filled with the abundance of your love. Strengthen us that we, through this holy meal, may share your love freely, as you have shared with us. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit nourishing us now and forever. Amen.

BLESSING

SENDING HYMN

"When Morning Gilds the Skies" v. 1, 3, 4, 5

ELW 853

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| 1 When morning gilds the skies,
my heart awaking cries:
may Jesus Christ be praised!
When evening shadows fall,
this rings my curfew call:
may Jesus Christ be praised! | 3 No lovelier antiphon
in all high heav'n is known
than "Jesus Christ be praised!"
There to the eternal Word
the eternal psalm is heard:
oh, Jesus Christ be praised! |
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4 Let all of humankind
in this their concord find:
may Jesus Christ be praised!
Let all the earth around
ring joyous with the sound:
may Jesus Christ be praised!

5 Sing, sun and stars of space,
sing, all who see his face,
sing, "Jesus Christ be praised!"
God's whole creation o'er,
today and evermore
shall Jesus Christ be praised!

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

"The Ash Grove"

Michael Bedford

RUN TO BENEFIT LEGACY ADOPTION SERVICES

FOREVER HOME RUN



 **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3** 5K Run/Walk
1K Dress-Up Dash

EVENT SCHEDULE

 9:00 a.m. 5K Run/Walk
Family Activities Begin

 10:30 a.m. Dress-Up Dash

REGISTER NOW
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Early Bird Ends 9/6/26



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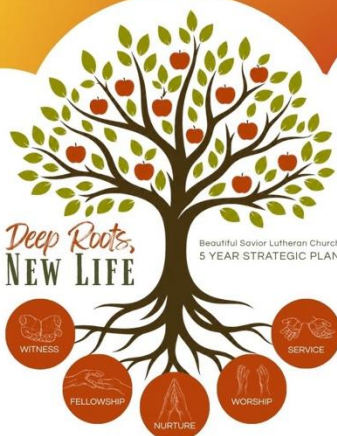


FALL KICK-OFF FESTIVAL SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13 10:10 A.M. IN WELCOME CENTER

First Day of Sunday School & Catechism

God's BIG Plan

Sunday, Sept. 20th 10:10—11 a.m.



Strategic Planning Visionary Meals

SUNDAY, OCT. 11 @ 12:30 P.M.

SUNDAY, OCT. 18. @ 12:30 P.M.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 21 @ 11:30 A.M.

MONDAY, OCT. 26 @ 6:00 P.M.

RSVP at the Welcome Center Desk or
bslcmi.org/post/strategic

Monthly Bible Studies

Bethany Circle

"Haggai: Take Courage"
3rd Thursday of the month
11:45 a.m. in Welcome Center
Louise Green, leader

Esther Circle

"1-2 Peter and Jude"
4th Thursday of the month
11:30 a.m. in Welcome Center
Lounge
Ilona Rosehart, leader

Naomi Circle

2nd Tuesday of the month
10 a.m. in Conference Room
Linda Miller, leader

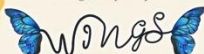
Ruth Circle

"For Such A Time As This"
2nd Thursday of the month
11:30 a.m. in BSLC Library
Judy Raffin, leader

Soul Sisters

"The Chosen"
2nd Friday of the month
7:00 p.m. rotating locations
Sarah Nadeau, leader

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