

BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN CHRIST

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church of Clarkston WA 1107 14th Street 10:30 am Sunday Service www.ClarkstonLutheran.org Peace Lutheran Church of Orofino ID 13946 1st Ave http://orofino.clclutheran.org 8:00 am Sunday Service Members of the Church of the Lutheran Confession – CLC Welcome! Pastor Dave Naumann 1119 14th Street Clarkston, WA 99403 email: ddnaumann@clclutheran.com Church 509 758-8261 Home (509) 295-6109 Cell: (920) 266-5384

3RD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Preparation for Worship:

Psalm 121 front of hymnal p. 152 The Hymns: 757, 346, 764, 458:1

Prayer Lord, as we come Thy name to praise, may we feel Thy presence near; may Thy glory meet our eyes while we in Thy house appear! Here afford us, Lord, a taste of our everlasting feast. In Jesus name we ask it, Amen.

Opening Prayer

First Hymn 757

THE INVOCATION

We invoke ("call upon") the name of the one true God – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. (Hymnal, page 5 – Congregation Stands)

PASTOR In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. **CONGR. (sing)** *Amen.*

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION OF SINS

We come before our Holy God recognizing that we are sinful and daily need His forgiveness. PASTOR Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God, our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

Our help is in the name of the Lord.

CONGR. (sing) Who made heaven and earth

PASTOR I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord. CONGR. (sing) And Thou forgavest the iniquity of my sin.

PASTOR Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

ALL O most merciful God, who hast given Thine only-begotten Son to die for us, have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Thy Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of Thee and of Thy will and true obedience to Thy Word, to the end that by Thy grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. PASTOR Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe in His name He gives power to become the sons of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He who believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this, Lord, unto us all.

CONGR. (sing) Amen. (congregation is seated)

THE INTROIT

Having received the Lord's forgiveness, we are glad to enter into His courts with praise and thanksgiving. This we do with Introit - the Lord's own Word, most often from the Psalms.

P: The LORD was my support.

C: He also brought me out into a broad place;

P: He delivered me;

C: Because He delighted in me.

P: I will love You, O Lord, my strength:

C: The Lord is my Rock and my Fortress.

THE GLORIA PATRI

Latin for "Glory to the Father" (Hymnal, page 6)

CONGR. (sing) Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

<u>THE KYRIE</u>

Latin for "O Lord." We approach our Lord with a cry for help in all the needs of our earthly life. (Hymnal page 7 - sing)

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

THE GLORIA

A hymn glorifying and praising our God (Hymn 798:1 - sing) God, we praise You! God, we bless You! God, we name You sovereign Lord! Mighty King whom angels worship, Father by Your Church adored: All creation shows Your glory; Heav'n and earth draw near Your throne Singing "Holy, holy, holy, Lord of hosts and God alone!"

THE SALUTATION (Greeting)

PASTOR The Lord be with you. CONGR. (sing) *And with thy spirit.*

THE COLLECT FOR THE DAY

The main thoughts for the day are "collected" together in this prayer.

PASTOR Let us pray. CONGR. (sing) Amen.

THE BIBLE LESSONS

God speaks to us.

The Old Testament Reading:

Genesis 3:9-15 Then the LORD God called to Adam and said to him, "Where are you?" 10 So he said, "I heard Your voice in the garden, and I was afraid because I was naked; and I hid myself." 11 And He said, "Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten from the tree of which I commanded you that you should not eat?" 12 Then the man said, "The woman whom You gave to be with me, she gave me of the tree, and I ate." 13 And the LORD God said to the woman, "What is this you have done?" The woman said, "The serpent deceived me, and I ate." 14 So the LORD God said to the serpent: "Because you have done this, You are cursed more than all cattle, And more than every beast of the field; On your belly you shall go, And you shall eat dust All the days of your life. 15 And I will put enmity Between you and the woman, And between your seed and her Seed; He shall bruise your head, And you shall bruise His heel."

PASTOR Here ends the Old Testament Reading. We continue with the responsive reading of:

THE GRADUAL

The Gradual is a "Bridge of praise" that links the Old Testament with the New Testament. P: In my distress I cried to the Lord:

C: And He heard me.

- P: Deliver my soul, O Lord, from lying lips:
- C: And from a deceitful tongue. Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
- P: God judges the righteous:
- C: And God is angry with the wicked every day. Hallelujah!

CONGR. (sing) Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah! PASTOR The New Testament Reading is from 2 Corinthians chapter 4, beginning there in the 13th verse. CONGR. (sing) Glory be to Thee, O Lord!

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2 Corinthians 4:13-18 And since we have the same spirit of faith, according to what is written, "I believed and therefore I spoke," we also believe and therefore speak, 14 knowing that He who raised up the Lord Jesus will also raise us up with Jesus, and will present us with you. 15 For all things are for your sakes, that grace, having spread through the many, may cause thanksgiving to abound to the glory of God. 16 Therefore we do not lose heart. Even though our outward man is perishing, yet the inward man is being renewed day by day. 17 For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, is working for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory, 18 while we do not look at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen. For the things which are seen are temporary, but the things which are not seen are eternal.

PASTOR Here ends the New Testament Reading. CONGR. (sing) *Praise be to Thee, O Christ!*

Congregation stands for:

THE APOSTLES' CREED

We boldly confess what we believe. (Hymnal, page 12) 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 Ghost, Born of the Virgin Mary; Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; The Holy Christian Church, the communion of saints; The forgiveness of sins; The resurrection of the body; And the life everlasting. Amen.

Congregation sings Hymn 346

THE SERMON

Mark 3:20-35 Then the multitude came together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread. 21 But when His own people heard about this, they went out to lay hold of Him, for they said, "He is out of

His mind." 22 And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, "He has Beelzebub," and, "By the ruler of the demons He casts out demons." 23 So He called them to Himself and said to them in parables: "How can Satan cast out Satan? 24 "If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. 25 "And if a house is divided against itself, that house cannot stand. 26 "And if Satan has risen up against himself, and is divided, he cannot stand, but has an end. 27 "No one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his goods, unless he first binds the strong man. And then he will plunder his house. 28 "Assuredly, I say to you, all sins will be forgiven the sons of men, and whatever blasphemies they may utter; 29 "but he who blasphemes against the Holy Spirit never has forgiveness, but is subject to eternal condemnation"; 30 because they said, "He has an unclean spirit." 31 Then His brothers and His mother came, and standing outside they sent to Him, calling Him. 32 And a multitude was sitting around Him; and they said to Him, "Look, Your mother and Your brothers are outside seeking You." 33 But He answered them, saying, "Who is My mother, or My brothers?" 34 And He looked around in a circle at those who sat about Him, and said, "Here are My mother and My brothers! 35 "For whoever does the will of God is My brother and My sister and mother."

Theme: THE CRITICIZED SAVIOR What His enemies said What His family said

THE OFFERTORY

In this prayer we OFFER God our hearts, asking Him for that best of all gifts, the Holy Spirit. (Hymnal, pages 12-13) (sing)

Create in me a clean heart, O God, And renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence And take not Thy Holy Spirit from me Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation And uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

THE OFFERING OF THANKFUL HEARTS

In tangible evidence of our gratitude, we offer the Lord the gift of our money, remembering that He has first given to us that we might have to give to Him. While the ushers present our offerings at the Lord's Altar, we stand and sing the offering hymn 441:1-2:

We give Thee but Thine own, Whate'er the gift may be; All that we have is Thine alone, A trust, O Lord, from Thee. May we Thy bounties thus As stewards true receive And gladly, as Thou blessest us, To Thee our first-fruits give!

THE GENERAL PRAYER (Pastor)

THE LORD'S PRAYER (AII)

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.

Congregation sings Hymn 764

Congregation stands for:

<u>THE BENEDICTION</u> The blessing given by God for the blessing of His people (Numbers 6:24-26).

PASTOR The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

CONGR. (sing) Amen, Amen, Amen.

The Closing Hymn 458:1

*** Silent Prayer ***



"If the LORD wills, we will do this or that." James 4:15

IN OUR PRAYERS Art Pochardt is at Life Care Center in Lewiston recovering from a cancer surgery. "And the prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise him up." James 5:15

PALOUSE BIBLE STUDY – We continue our 7-8:30 pm Wednesday Bible Study in Moscow. We meet at a rented room in Eastside Marketplace Mall on highway 8 (just as you're leaving the east side of town - entrance is through the double glass doors in the back of the strip mall). All are welcome to attend – rides are available. We are looking into what the Bible says about various topics. Do you have suggestions? Please join us! **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL FAMILY CAMPOUT** Thursday and Friday, July 14-15 at Hell's Gate Campground. More info to come! **JOINT OUTDOOR CHURCH SERVICE AND PICNIC** – Two weeks from today on July 17th at Spalding Park. Service at 10:30 followed by a potluck picnic. Plan now to attend!



HOLY COMMUNION will be on July 24th at both congregations.

ST. JOHN'S REMINDERS: Pot Luck Today!

Altar Flowers: There is a list for those who wish to bring flowers for the altar on any given Sunday.

Church Cleaning: If you are able to help with the weekly cleaning of the church, please see the cleaning list and sign-up sheets. **CLC NEWS** <>Pastor Wayne Eichstadt of Immanuel Lutheran in Mankato, MN has returned the call to Trinity Lutheran of Spokane. <> On July 5th, 10 CLC Mission Helpers will depart from the Chicago on their way to spread the Gospel in Nepal. We pray the LORD for safe travels, and for God's blessings upon the message shared. You can read about the opportunities the Lord has given the Mission Helper teams to spread the Good News of Christ crucified and raised for all. <u>http://2011mhtnepal.blogspot.com/</u> The blog can also be found at: <u>http://lutheranmissions.org/</u> under "Missionary Journals" **Youth Conference 2011** –August 2-6, : <u>www.youthconference.info</u> **Arise and Shine Retreat** June 9-12 <u>www.ariseandshineretreat.com</u>

WEEKLY MEMORY VERSE

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Old Testament Reading for 3rd Sunday after Pentecost <u>Genesis 3:9-15</u>

Ever since the garden of Eden and the fall into sin by Adam and Eve, we've been blaming anyone - each other, even God, for what is our own fault. Our loving God knows we are helpless. He promises in these verses the "seed of the Woman" – Jesus Christ Who destroyed the power of the devil – that old evil serpent. We read...

New Testament Reading <u>2 Corinthians 4:13-18</u>

The evidence of our sins is all around and in us. We grow old, daily trials and regular tragedies happen in our lives. That's what these verses call "the outward man" who is "perishing." Just remember, the inward man is renewed day by day through God's Word. Looking through the eyes of faith, your future is not problem after problem – it is eternal glory! We read...