

St. Paul Lutheran Church *Yorktown, Texas*



Saturday and Sunday Holy Communion Services 21st Sunday after Pentecost October 17, 2021

Silent Prayer

We praise you, Lord, for this sanctuary on our journey. You are the holiness in this place. We pause to reflect on your holiness, as we seek to reflect your holiness in our own lives. But a sanctuary is about safety as well as about holiness. We know you also as the safety which we feel in this sanctuary. We have paused on our week's journey, once again to experience the holiness and the safety that we find in you and in your body. Amen.

PRELUDE

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS *Please take a moment to fill out an Attendance Card. You may leave them in the pew by the center aisle or drop them in the basket at the church entrance. (*) Indicates times in worship when you are invited to stand as you are able. (+) Indicates when it may be appropriate to make the sign of the cross.*

When Morning Gilds the Skies



1 When morn-ing gilds the skies, my heart a - wak - ing cries:
 2 When mirth for mu - sic longs, this is my song of songs:
 3 To him, my highest and best, I sing, when love pos - sessed:
 4 No love - lier an - ti - phon in all high heav'n is known



may Je - sus Christ be praised! When eve - ning shad - ows fall,
 may Je - sus Christ be praised! God's ho - ly house of prayer
 may Je - sus Christ be praised! What - e'er my hands be - gin,
 than "Je - sus Christ be praised!" There to the e - ter - nal Word



this rings my cur - few call: may Je - sus Christ be praised!
 has none that can com - pare with "Je - sus Christ be praised!"
 this bless - ing shall break in: may Je - sus Christ be praised!
 the e - ter - nal psalm is heard: oh, Je - sus Christ be praised!

5 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!

6 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!

Text: German hymn, 19th cent.; tr. Robert Bridges, 1844–1930, alt.
 Music: LAUDES DOMINI. Joseph Barnby, 1838–1896

***GREETING and DIALOGUE**

L: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: **And also with you.**

L: You are the treasured people of the LORD,

C: **a people holy to the LORD our God.**

L: Keep the words of the LORD in your heart; teach them to your children.

C: **Talk about them when you are at home and when you are away, when you lie down and when you rise.**

L: One does not live by bread alone,

C: **but by every word that comes from the mouth of the LORD.**

***CONFESSION OF SIN**

L: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

C: **I confess to God Almighty, before the whole company of heaven, and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have sinned in thought, word, and deed by my fault, by my own fault, by my own most grievous fault; wherefore I pray God Almighty to have mercy on me, forgive me all my sins, and bring me to everlasting life. Amen.**

L: The almighty and merciful Lord grant you pardon, forgiveness, and + remission of all your sins.

C: **Amen.**

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Let us pray together the Prayer of the Day.

C: **Almighty and everlasting God, in Christ you have revealed your glory among the nations. Preserve the works of your mercy, that your Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of your name; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

HYMN

“Come, Thou Almighty King”

LBW #522

Come, Thou Almighty King



1 Come, thou al - might - y King, help us thy name to sing;
2 Come, thou in - car - nate Word, gird on thy might - y sword;
3 Come, ho - ly Com - fort - er, thy sa - cred wit - ness bear
4 To thee, great One in Three, e - ter - nal prais - es be



help us to praise; Fa - ther all glo - ri - ous, o'er all vic -
our prayer at - tend. Come and thy peo - ple bless, and give thy
in this glad hour! Thou, who al - might - y art, now rule in
hence ev - er - more! Thy sov-'reign maj - es - ty may we in



to - ri - ous, come and reign o - ver us, An - cient of Days.
word suc - cess, and let thy righ - teous - ness on us de - scend.
ev - 'ry heart, and ne'er from us de - part, Spir - it of pow'r.
glo - ry see, and to e - ter - ni - ty love and a - dore.

Text: source unknown, c. 1757, alt.
Music: ITALIAN HYMN, Felice de Giardini, 1716-1796

FIRST LESSON Isaiah 53:4-12

Lector: A reading from _____.

⁴Surely he has borne our infirmities
and carried our diseases;
yet we accounted him stricken,
struck down by God, and afflicted.

⁵But he was wounded for our transgressions,
crushed for our iniquities;
upon him was the punishment that made us whole,
and by his bruises we are healed.

⁶All we like sheep have gone astray;
we have all turned to our own way,
and the LORD has laid on him
the iniquity of us all.

⁷He was oppressed, and he was afflicted,
yet he did not open his mouth;
like a lamb that is led to the slaughter,
and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent,
so he did not open his mouth.

⁸By a perversion of justice he was taken away.
Who could have imagined his future?
For he was cut off from the land of the living,
stricken for the transgression of my people.

⁹They made his grave with the wicked
and his tomb with the rich,
although he had done no violence,
and there was no deceit in his mouth.

¹⁰Yet it was the will of the LORD to crush him with pain.
When you make his life an offering for sin,
he shall see his offspring, and shall prolong his days;
through him the will of the LORD shall prosper.

¹¹Out of his anguish he shall see light;
he shall find satisfaction through his knowledge.
The righteous one, my servant, shall make many righteous,
and he shall bear their iniquities.

¹²Therefore I will allot him a portion with the great,
and he shall divide the spoil with the strong;
because he poured out himself to death,
and was numbered with the transgressors;
yet he bore the sin of many,
and made intercession for the transgressors.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

PSALM Psalm 91:9-16

⁹Because you have made the LORD your refuge,
and the Most High your habitation,

¹⁰**there shall no evil happen to you,
neither shall any plague come near your dwelling.**

¹¹For he shall give his angels charge over you,
to keep you in all your ways.

¹²**They shall bear you in their hands,
lest you dash your foot against a stone.**

¹³You shall tread upon the lion and the adder;
you shall trample the young lion and the serpent under your feet.

¹⁴**Because he is bound to me in love, therefore will I deliver him;
I will protect him, because he knows my name.**

¹⁵He shall call upon me, and I will answer him;
I am with him in trouble; I will rescue him and bring him to honor.

¹⁶**With long life will I satisfy him,
and show him my salvation.**

SECOND LESSON Hebrews 5:1-10

Lector: A reading from _____.

¹Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. ²He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; ³and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. ⁴And one does not presume to take this honor, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was.

⁵So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him,

“You are my Son,
today I have begotten you”;

⁶as he says also in another place,

“You are a priest forever,
according to the order of Melchizedek.”

⁷In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. ⁸Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; ⁹and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, ¹⁰having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Musical score for Gospel Acclamation, consisting of four staves of music in 4/4 time, key of B-flat major. The lyrics are: "Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall a - fresh on me. ___". The second staff repeats the first line. The third staff has lyrics: "Melt me. Mold me. Fill me. Use me. ___" with a *rit.* marking above the final note. The fourth staff has lyrics: "Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall a - fresh on me." with a *a tempo* marking above the first note.

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***GOSPEL Mark 10:35-45**

P: The Holy Gospel according to _____, the ____ chapter.

C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

³⁵James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." ³⁶And he said to them, "What is it you want me to do for you?" ³⁷And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory." ³⁸But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?" ³⁹They replied, "We are able." Then Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; ⁴⁰but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared."

⁴¹When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. ⁴²So Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. ⁴³But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, ⁴⁴and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. ⁴⁵For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many."

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

HYMN of the DAY

“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

LBW #499

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing



1 Come, thou Fount of ev - 'ry bless - ing, tune my heart to sing thy grace;
2 Here I raise my Eb - en - e - zer, hith - er by thy help I'm come;
3 Oh, to grace how great a debt - or dai - ly I'm con - strained to be;



streams of mer - cy, nev - er ceas - ing, call for songs of loud - est praise.
and I hope, by thy good plea - sure, safe - ly to ar - rive at home.
let that grace now like a fet - ter bind my wan - d'ring heart to thee.



While the hope of end - less glo - ry fills my heart with joy and love,
Je - sus sought me when a strang - er, wan - d'ring from the fold of God;
Prone to wan - der, Lord, I feel it; prone to leave the God I love.



teach me ev - er to a - dore thee; may I still thy good - ness prove.
he, to res - cue me from dan - ger, in - ter - posed his pre - cious blood.
Here's my heart, oh, take and seal it; seal it for thy courts a - bove.

Text: Robert Robinson, 1735–1790
Music: NETTLETON, J. Wyeth, *Repository of Sacred Music*, Part II, 1813

***CONFESSION OF FAITH**

P: In Christ, you have heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation.

C: We believe in him and are marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit.

P: Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith.

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,**

begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.
 Through Him all things were made.
 For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven;
 by the power of the Holy Spirit
 He became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.
 For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
 He suffered death and was buried.
 On the third day He rose again in accordance with the scriptures;
 He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
 He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
 and His kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
 who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
 With the Father and the Son He is worshiped and glorified.
 He has spoken through the prophets.
 We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
 We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
 We look for the resurrection + of the dead,
 and the life of the world to come. Amen.

***PRAYERS**

P: ... Lord, in your mercy,
 C: hear our prayer.

OFFERING

***OFFERTORY**

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

***OFFERING PRAYER**

L: Let us pray. Merciful God,

C: in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you embrace our lives with your great love for humanity. With joy and gladness we ask that these gifts may be for many a sign of that love, and that we may continue to share in your divine life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

***WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

***LORD’S PRAYER**

**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.**

DISTRIBUTION of the ELEMENTS

All those who are baptized and believe that Christ is truly present in the sacrament are welcome at His table. Those who are unable to receive communion, for any reason, may come forward to receive a blessing, and may indicate this by crossing their arms over their chest. Parents, please indicate if children are to receive communion. If they are not yet receiving communion, children are encouraged to come to the table to receive a blessing. Available in the center of each tray is juice for those choosing not to drink wine. If you are unable to come to the altar and wish to receive communion, please inform the ushers so that the sacrament may be brought to you.

COMMUNION HYMN: “Lamb of God”



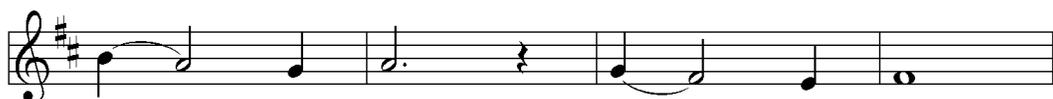
☐ Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world;



grant us peace, grant us peace.

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen.

***POST-COMMUNION PRAYER**

P: Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with spiritual food, the body and blood of Christ. All who come to you will not hunger, all who believe in you will not thirst. Empowered by this sacrament, send us back into the world to do the work you have given us to do: to share the gospel and be faithful disciples of Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

***BLESSING**

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.

***CLOSING HYMN** “Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

LBW #559

Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing



1 Oh, for a thou-sand tongues to sing my great re-deem-er’s praise,
2 My gra-cious Mas-ter and my God, as - sist me to pro - claim,
3 The name of Je - sus charms our fearsand bids our sor-rows cease,
4 He breaks the pow’r of can - celed sin; he sets the pris -’ner free.
5 To God all glor - y, praise, and love be now and ev - er giv’n



the glo - ries of my God and king, the tri-umphs of his grace!
to spread through all the earth a - broad the hon - ors of your name.
sings mu - sic in the sin-ner’s ears, brings life and health and peace.
His blood can make the foul-est clean; his blood a - vails for me.
by saints be - low and saints a - bove, the church in earth and heav’n.

Text: Charles Wesley, 1707–1788, alt.
Music: AZMON, Carl G. Gläser, 1784–1829

***DISMISSAL**

P: As you go forth into the world to serve God with gladness; be of good courage; hold fast to that which is good; render to no one evil for evil; strengthen the fainthearted; support the weak; help the afflicted; honor all people; love and serve God, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit. As you leave, you are invited to share the peace of the Lord with those around you. Go in peace and serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

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ANNOUNCEMENT BULLETIN
21st Sunday after Pentecost
Saturday, October 16, 2021 – 5:00 PM
Sunday, October 17, 2021 - 9:00 AM

HELPING with WORSHIP SERVICES

Presiding Minister: Pastor Tim W Muehlbrad

Reader: Shirley K. Mueller

Acolyte: Kellan Hahn

Musicians: Saturday – Luellen Smiley

Sunday – Beverly Bruns

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2021 – 9:00 AM SERVICE

Presiding Minister: Pastor Tim W Muehlbrad

Reader: Christopher Gohmert

Acolytes: Ayn Garcia & Aadin Koopmann

Musicians: Saturday – PT & Friends

Sunday – PT & Friends/Luellen

Helping with Worship during the month of October:

Head Usher: Allen Leist

Ushers: Calvin Bruns, Clay Caran, John Carriger, and Jeremy Kneese

Altar Guild: Carolyn Bargmann & Debbie Niemeier

Saturday Altar Guild: Patsy Ibrom

KNOWN HOSPITALIZED DURING THE WEEK:

David Lassmann

Thank you to all who have been helpful in keeping the Pastor informed of members who are hospitalized.

PRAYERS FOR GOD’S PEOPLE Below is a list of individuals Pastor has been asked to include in our prayers during worship. We list these people in our bulletin to encourage you, the members, to include them in your daily prayers. *Names will remain on the list for 4 weeks unless the request is renewed.*

Aggie Arnold	Johanna Ivy	Sage Pompa
Caroline Blain	Kenny Jacob	Ryan Preslar
Sue Bolting	Lois Kelch	John & Ruth Roller
Warner & Anna Borth	Morris Kerlick	Pam Roth
Katherine Brown	David Lassmann	Joan Smith
Beverly Feller	Joyce Lamprecht	Wayne & Margie Smith
Daniel Goehring	Jo Nell Martin	Lori Nelson Stenger
Arlyn Hansen	Lin Migura	Mike & Deborah Stern
Phillip Hoefling	Cole Ohrt	Marjorie Wilhelmsen
Steven Hoefling	Michael Pattillo	

ST. PAUL OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK:

Sunday (17th)	9:00 am	Worship with Holy Communion
	10:15 am	Sunday School
	3:00 pm	Yorktown Manor Comm. Service
	6:00 pm	AA Meeting
Monday (18th)	Newsletter Deadline	
Wednesday (20th)	9:00 am	TLG Chapel
	9:30 am	Do-Day
	6:00 pm	AA Meeting
Saturday (23rd)	5:00 pm	Worship with Holy Communion/Sanctuary
Sunday (24th)	9:00 am	Worship with Holy Communion
	10:15 am	Sunday School
	11:30 am	Confirmation Class
	6:00 pm	AA Meeting

WE HAVE MET OUR GOAL! Because of all of your generosity, we have enough money to pay off the Stained Glass Windows Restoration! It has been a long process, but we see the light at the end of the tunnel. By God's grace, the project should be completed by the end of the month. Special thanks goes to Bill Klaevemann for all of his hard work and dedication to oversee this project through completion.

GOD HAS BLESSED DUSTIN KIRCHOFF AND KELSEY HILBRICH as they were united in marriage on Saturday, October 9, 2021. We pray them God's richest blessings as they begin their life together as husband and wife.

WOMEN OF THE CHURCH THANKOFFERING - Please remember our Thankoffering service on November 14, 2021. A special offering will be taken that will support the NALC Disaster Response Fund and YAM. Be sure to designate "Thankoffering" on your check.

WE HAD THE PRIVILEGE of witnessing the living out of the commitment made to children at their baptism last Sunday, October 10, 2021. Emma Bargmann, Abigail Gaus, Bailey Gaus, and Cinley Kulik received their own bible. When a child is baptized in the Lutheran faith the parents and sponsors make many commitments. One of those commitments is to "... put into their child's hand the Holy Scriptures". May this day be an ongoing reminder of this promise and an opportunity to continue to grow with their children as they study the Holy Scriptures.

WE ARE LOOKING AT STARTING the Music Ministry Programs again:

Adult Chimes: could meet during the Sunday School Hour or Tuesday Afternoon from 4:45 — 5:15

Children's Music Ministry Tuesday afternoons 4:15-4:45

Please call the church office if interested or Beverly Bruns.

Interested and commitment is important in order to begin rehearsing Christmas Music.

NEW MEMBER/CONFIRMATION SUNDAY- On Sunday, October 31, 2021, we will be welcoming our new members and Confirming the Confirmation students that couldn't make it to our previous service. We will have refreshments in the patio area in front of the church following the worship service.

JOB OPPORTUNITY! St. Paul Lutheran Church is looking for a part time maintenance person, Monday-Friday. For more information, please contact the church office at 361-564-2135.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL MOMS are having a devotional time during Sunday School each week in the church basement. It is based on a weekly devotional and is group led. We enjoy having fellowship with all Moms bringing their kids to Sunday School. We are studying a devotional that guides us in our daily walk with the Lord. Come join us!

OUR LANDSCAPING COMMITTEE is working on a project to enhance the appearance of our church. If you would like to donate to this project, please designate your donation to landscaping. We appreciate your help in beautifying our church.

BROADCAST OF OUR SUNDAY SERVICE at 9:00 AM is at 100.1 FM, or you can listen to the livestream on the internet. The easiest way to get to the livestream is on our church website: www.stpaulykt.org and click on the Icecast link in the middle of the webpage.

SATURDAY WORSHIP SAFETY – To provide a safer time for worship, it is highly recommended and encouraged that all persons wear a mask when in close proximity to others outside of your household, and to respect the space of others by social distancing at the Saturday Evening Worship Service.

Area Event

St. Peter's Lutheran Church of Ander is holding an Oktoberfest on Sunday, October 31, 2021, from 3:30 – 7:00 pm.

Schedule of events:

3:30 pm: Music and Fellowship; Country Store Opens

4:00 pm: Live auction begins

5:00 pm: Traditional German Food will be served. \$10 a plate (eat here or to go)

All funds will benefit Cross Trails Ministry.

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9 a.m. Sunday Morning Radio Broadcast: 100.1 FM

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