May God be gracious to us and bless us. PSALM 67:1, ESV

PRE-SERVICE DEVOTION

Psalm 67

To the Chief Musician. On stringed instruments. A Psalm. A Song.

God be merciful to us and bless us, And cause His face to shine upon us. Selah

That Your way may be known on earth, Your salvation among all nations.

Let the peoples praise You, O God; Let all the peoples praise You. Oh, let the nations be glad and sing for joy!

For You shall judge the people righteously, And govern the nations on earth. Selah

Let the peoples praise You, O God; Let all the peoples praise You.

Then the earth shall yield her increase; God, our own God, shall bless us.

God shall bless us, And all the ends of the earth shall fear Him.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Pastor Matthew Ude Organists: Barry Hay & Ann Sprengeler Liturgy My first Hymnal page 32 &

Hymn 245 — God Loved the World So That He Gave

INVOCATION

- p In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- c 🎜 A-men.

CONFESSION OF SINS

- p Beloved of God: 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.
- all Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer: we confess that we are sinful by nature, and have sinned against You in our thoughts, words, and actions. We have not loved You above all things. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Have mercy on us, and, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ, forgive us our sins.

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 🎜 A-men.

Lord, have mercy on us. Christ, have mercy on us. Lord, have mercy on us.

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to all people on earth. Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father: We worship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God: You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. You are seated at the right hand of the Father; receive our prayer.

For You alone are the Holy One, You alone are the Lord, You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

- p Let us pray . . . Almighty and everlasting Father, You give Your children many blessings even though we are undeserving. In every trial and temptation grant us steadfast confidence in Your loving-kindness and mercy; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- c 🎜 A-men.

THE WORD

Is 56:1,6-8 Thus says the LORD: "Keep justice, and do righteousness, For My salvation is about to come, And My righteousness to be revealed. Blessed is the man who does this, And the son of man who lays hold on it; Who keeps from defiling the Sabbath, And keeps his hand from doing any evil." Do not let the son of the foreigner Who has joined himself to the LORD Speak, saying, "The LORD has utterly separated me from His people"; Nor let the eunuch say, "Here I am, a dry tree." For thus says the LORD: "To the eunuchs who keep My Sabbaths, And choose what pleases Me, And hold fast My covenant, Even to them I will give in My house And within My walls a place and a name Better than that of sons and daughters; I will give them an everlasting name That shall not be cut off. " Also the sons of the foreigner Who join themselves to the LORD, to serve Him, And to love the name of the LORD, to be His servants --Everyone who keeps from defiling the Sabbath, And holds fast My covenant -- Even them I will bring to My holy mountain, And make them joyful in My house of prayer. Their burnt offerings and their sacrifices Will be accepted on My altar; For My house shall be called a house of prayer for all nations." The Lord GOD, who gathers the outcasts of Israel, says, "Yet I will gather to him Others besides those who are gathered to him."

Romans 11:1-2a, 13-15, 28-32 I say then, has God cast away His people? Certainly not! For I also am an Israelite, of the seed of Abraham, of the tribe of Benjamin. God has not cast away His people whom He foreknew. For I speak to you Gentiles; inasmuch as I am an apostle to the Gentiles, I magnify my ministry, if by any means I may provoke to jealousy those who are my flesh and save some of them. For if their being cast away is the reconciling of the world, what will their acceptance be but life from the dead? Concerning the gospel they are enemies for your sake, but concerning the election they are beloved for the sake of the fathers. For the gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable. For as you were once disobedient to God, yet have now obtained mercy through their disobedience, even so these also have now been disobedient, that through the mercy shown you they also may obtain mercy. For God has committed them all to disobedience, that He might have mercy on all.

p Blessed are they who hear the Word of God and keep it!

c Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! These words are written that we may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God.
 Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

THE APOSTLES' CREED

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all 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.

Hymn 377 -: 1,2,9,10 Salvation Unto Us Has Come

SERMON

Matt 15:21-28 Then Jesus went out from there and departed to the region of Tyre and Sidon. And behold, a woman of Canaan came from that region and cried out to Him, saying, "Have mercy on me, O Lord, Son of David! My daughter is severely demon-possessed." But He answered her not a word. And His disciples came and urged Him, saying, "Send her away, for she cries out after us." But He answered and said, "I was not sent except to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." Then she came and worshiped Him, saying, "Lord, help me!" But He answered and said, "It is not good to take the children's bread and throw it to the little dogs." And she said, "Yes, Lord, yet even the little dogs eat the crumbs which fall from their

masters' table." Then Jesus answered and said to her, "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be to you as you desire." And her daughter was healed from that very hour.

GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD

This means that all people are saved by grace through faith, regardless of ethnicity, gender, nationality, language, cultural heritage, profession, church affiliation, or any other man made division.

In the Old Testament the Lord commanded the Israelites to wipe out the Canaanites, and yet even then those Canaanites who repented were saved and those Israelites who did not believe were condemned.

So also Jesus condemns the Israelites because of their unbelief and wickedness but saves this repentant Canaanite woman by Grace through faith. For with the Lord there is no partiality.

c I Create in me a clean heart, O God. Renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Your presence. Take not Your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of Your salvation. Uphold me with Your free Spirit.

Hymn 342 — Chief Of Sinners Though I Be

OFFERING AND OFFERING HYMN: 442 VS. 2

c 🞜 Grant us hearts, dear Lord, to yield Thee gladly, freely, of Thine own; With the sunshine of Thy goodness melt our thankless hearts of stone Till our cold and selfish natures, warmed by Thee, at length believe That more happy and more blessed 'Tis to give than to receive

PRAYERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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all 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.

THE BENEDICTION

- p The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.
- c 🗖 A-men A-men A-men.

Hymn 777 — Amazing Grace

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Calendar:

THIS WEEK: Sunday 8/20 9am Worship Service 11am Camp Service Monday 8/21 7pm Worship Service Wednesday 8/23

4pm School Registration Sunday 8/27

9am Communion Service

Monday 8/28

7pm Communion Service

UPCOMING DATES:

Aug 20 - Church Camp Outing

Auf 23 - School Registration at 4pm

Aug 22 - 29 - Pastor's Vacation

Sept 1 - School Begins

Sept 1 - Timber Rattlers Game

Sept 4 - Labor Day, No Monday night service

Sept 6 - Confirmation Class begins for non school kids (4pm)

Sept 6 - SS Teachers Meeting (7pm)

Sept 10 - Sunday School and Bible Class begin

Sept 10 - Faith Alive meets at 5pm

Sept 12 - 14 - Great Lakes Pastoral Conference

Sept 22 - 24 - Man Up Men's Retreat near

Prairie Du Chen, WI

Sept 22 - 24 - Chadron Women's Retreat, Chadron, NE

Oct 1 - Mission Festival

Oct 15 - Traveling Reformation Conference at Faith Markesan

Oct 18 - 20 - Teacher's Conference, Mankato MN

Oct 29 - Area Reformation Service

ENVELOPE COMMITTEE This Week: Team #5: Archie Quade, Gary Quade

Next Week: Team #6: Kent Quade, Jim Kok

AUGUST USHERS:

Sundays: Rand Strelow, Russ Brown, Dale Muehlenhaupt, Kade Muehlenhaupt

Mondays: Dave Dillie, Dan Theim, Todd Cotterill, Troy Cotterill

FRUITS OF FAITH LAST WEEK

Attendance: 62 / 36

General: \$3308

Missions: \$840

Announcements:

GUESTS AND VISITORS

Thank you for worshipping with us today. Please sign the guest register in the entry as you leave the church today.

PASTOR'S VACATION

Pastor will be on vacation from the 21 - 28. If you need anything feel free to give him a call anyway, he won't be very far away (920) 398-0260.

If Pastor doesn't answer call Pastor Mark Bernthal in Madison (608) 213-9989

Of if you are near Appleton, Pastor David Ude (715) 450-268

FAITH ALIVE

Our first meeting of the new school year will be on Sept 10th at 5pm.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

SS Teachers Meeting Sept 6th at 7pm

Sunday School Teachers (Randi Golz, Abby Quade, John Bobek) meet with pastor to go over sunday school lessons for the next month

COMMUNION

On communion Sunday's the left front row in the church will be reserved for those who would rather not walk up to the altar to receive communion. Sit in the left front row and the pastor will bring communion to you.

CONFIRMATION

Confirmation class for non school kids begins Wednesday Sept 6th.

If you have children who will be entering 5th - 8th grade and don't attend Faith Lutheran School please let pastor know.

If Wednesday nights don't work please let me know and we can figure out something else.

MONTHLY GROUP CLASSES

I was wondering about starting discussion groups, let me know if there is interest and if the proposed dates will work:

YOUTH MEETINGS:

2nd Wednesday of every month, 7pm

Focused on defending your faith, dating, and the challenges of being single

High School, College Students and Young Singles (Others are welcome as well)

PARENTING / MARRIAGE CLASSES:

1st Wednesday of every month, 7pm

Focus on the challenges and difficulties of marriage and parenting

Married Couples (Others are welcome as well)



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