



WHO CAN BE

SAVED?

*We invite, encourage, educate and empower
all people to follow God and serve others.”*

20th Sunday after Pentecost

October 10, 2021

PRELUDE

WELCOME

RINGING OF THE BELL

INVOCATION

*We gather for worship in the name of the Triune God – Father, Son
and Holy Spirit. **Amen.***

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

*Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, who forgives all our sin,
whose mercy endures forever. **Amen.***

*Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and
from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the
inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and
worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.*

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

Silence is kept for reflection.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, 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

Gather Us In

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**Here in this place the new light is streaming,
now is the darkness vanished away;
see in this space our fears and our dreamings
brought here to you in the light of this day.**

**Gather us in, the lost and forsaken,
gather us in, the blind and the lame;
call to us now, and we shall awaken,
we shall arise at the sound of our name.**

**We are the young, our lives are a myst'ry,
we are the old who yearn for your face;
we have been sung throughout all of hist'ry,
called to be light to the whole human race.**

**Gather us in, the rich and the haughty,
gather us in, the proud and the strong;
give us a heart, so meek and so lowly,
give us the courage to enter the song.**

**Here we will take the wine and the water,
here we will take the bread of new birth,
here you shall call your sons and your daughters,
call us anew to be salt for the earth.**

Give us to drink the wine of compassion,

**give us to eat the bread that is you;
nourish us well, and teach us to fashion
lives that are holy and hearts that are true.**

**Not in the dark of buildings confining,
not in some heaven, light years away—
here in this place the new light is shining,
now is the kingdom, and now is the day.**

**Gather us in and hold us forever,
gather us in and make us your own;
gather us in, all peoples together,
fire of love in our flesh and our bone.**

OPENING PRAYER

Let us pray.

Almighty and ever-living God,

**increase in us your gift of faith, that, forsaking what lies
behind and reaching out to what lies ahead, we may follow
the way of your commandments and receive the crown of
everlasting joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
Amen.**

SCRIPTURE READING

Mark 10:17-31

As [Jesus] was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, “Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?” Jesus said to him, “Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: ‘You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honor your father and mother.’” He said to him, “Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth.” Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, “You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.” When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions.

Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, “How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!” And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But

Jesus said to them again, “Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.” They were greatly astounded and said to one another, “Then who can be saved?” Jesus looked at them and said, “For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible.”

Peter began to say to him, “Look, we have left everything and followed you.” Jesus said, “Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age—houses, brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields, with persecutions—and in the age to come eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first.”

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

SERMON

“Who Can Be Saved?”

HYMN

Amazing Grace/My Chains Are Gone

1. Amazing grace! How sweet the sound, that saved a wretch like me! I once was lost but now I'm found; was blind but now I see.

2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved. How precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed!

Chorus: My chains are gone, I've been set free; My God, my Savior has ransomed me. And like a flood His mercy reigns. Unending love, amazing grace.

3. Through many dangers, toils and snares. I have already come. 'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far and grace will lead me home.

Chorus: My chains are gone, I've been set free; My God, my Savior has ransomed me. And like a flood His mercy reigns. Unending love, amazing grace.

4. The earth shall soon dissolve like snow; the sun forbear to shine. But God, who called me here below will be forever

mine. Will be forever mine. You are forever mine. You are forever mine!

Chorus: My chains are gone, I've been set free; My God, my Savior has ransomed me. And like a flood His mercy reigns. Unending love, amazing grace. (REPEAT)

Amazing love, amazing grace.

Amazing love, amazing grace.

APOSTLES' CREED

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 PEOPLE

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE 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.**

HOLY COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

POST COMMUNION BLESSING AND PRAYER

OFFERING

Reminder that the offering plate and the Globe offering can be found on the table at the back of the sanctuary. Thank you for contributing financially to the mission and ministry of Our Savior's Lutheran Church.

BENEDICTION

SENDING SONG

**The Lord now sends us forth with hands to serve and give,
to make of all the earth a better place to live. Repeat**

**The angels are not sent into our world of pain
to do what we were meant to do in Jesus' name;
that falls to you and me and all who are made free.**

Help us, O Lord, we pray, to do your will today. Repeat

DISMISSAL

You are the body of Christ. Go in peace. Share the good news.

Okay, we will. Thanks be to God.

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**PINE RIDGE
ENERGY
ASSISTANCE
MATCHING
FUND PROGRAM**

The Energy Assistance Matching Fund is exactly what the title says. If someone on the Pine Ridge Reservation is in need of assistance with energy bills, they can apply at the Pine Ridge Reconciliation Center for matching funds. This means whatever money they have available to put towards their energy bill can be matched with money from the fund if funds are available and the criteria are met. The matching funds are sent directly to energy company to ensure they are used to pay the energy bill.

If you would like to financially support this fund, place your contribution in the Globe offering or in the offering plate. Donations for the Mission of the Month can also be made online through Tithley. Checks can be made out to OSL with "Mission" in the memo line. Thank you for being a blessing in helping others stay warm this winter.



Sunday, October 31st

5:00-7:00pm

Our Savior's Lutheran

Church Parking Lot

386 Main Street, Hermosa

COME AND GET A HOT DOG OFF THE GRILL AND SOME YUMMY TREATS

Community members from near and far are invited to bring their decorated vehicles to Our Savior's Lutheran and hand out treats. If you need help/ideas for decorating themes, talk to Pastor Deb. If you want to come and just help hand out treats, we have a place for you too!

Let's make this a great event for our community children!

Candy donations can be dropped off at Our Savior's Lutheran.

Announcing Little Free Library #Hermosa31353

Join us for the Grand Opening & Blessing!

WHEN: TODAY!

TIME: 3:00 pm

ADDRESS: Our Savior's Lutheran Church parking lot (386 Main Street, Hermosa)

Join us as we bless and officially open the first Little Free Library in Hermosa. Bring a book to donate and be entered into a drawing for great prizes! Financial donations can also be made as we raise money to purchase a bench to put by the library and additional books.

Stewards: Jamie Roder, Jennie Haas and Pastor Deb Grismer



Join us for Second Sunday Breakfast!
Sunday, October 10th

Serving:

8:30-9:20am

10:20-11:30am

Our Savior's Lutheran Church

The whole community is invited!

**Freewill donation will go towards the OSL Community Youth Group to attend the 2022 ELCA National Youth Gathering

Country Brunch Hashbrown Casserole, Fruit, Dessert, Drinks



D.O.G (Disciples of God) Night is back!!!

Join us Wednesday nights from 5:30 to 7:00 pm

D.O.G. Night is a children's ministry opportunity for the entire community. Open to all children Pre-K to 8th grade!

Home-cooked meal each Wednesday, followed by an exciting bible lesson taught through scripture, drama, service, games, crafts and videos. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, please call Josie @ 255-4662 or email osl@mt-rushmore.net

Volunteers are needed to keep this ministry going.

We are incredibly for and blessed by the high school and adult volunteers who are a part of this ministry and making a difference in the lives of our children and youth. We are in need of a couple of more volunteers.

Teachers –Lead a small group of children in games. Materials, training, ideas and support are provided.

Shepherds – Direct a small group of children from activity to activity and be an extra set of hands and eyes for the teacher. You will have the same group of children each week.

Substitutes – Can you help if needed? We would love to have a list of people to call when extra help is needed.



October 31, 2021

All are invited to wear red on Reformation Sunday as we celebrate our Lutheran history and acknowledge the presence of the Holy Spirit. Pastor Dan Johnson from Pine Ridge Reconciliation Center will be joining us to bring greetings and updates on ministry happenings there.

It is also Potluck Sunday so plan on staying after worship for food and fellowship. Bring a dish to share if you are able.



Dear Our Savior's Lutheran Church,

Thank you for your very generous gift of \$1,105.00 to the Hermosa Senior Citizen's Center. Your continued support of HSCC is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely, Hermosa Senior Citizen's Center

WE PRAY

We Lift in Prayer...

**Those who are grieving losses of any sort, especially the friends and family of Darrell Harkin.

**Those recovering from COVID-19, surgeries, and those who are ill or hospitalized, including Bob Tesch; Rod Dikoff (Cousin of Roger); Jack Peterson (Grandson of Collette Carlson); Marquita Prince (Friend of Linda Morrison)

**Those with on-going health concerns, including Marsha Vrooman; Hannah (Granddaughter of Peg Tesch); Ron Wagner; David Brimer (Son of Iris Brimer); Gary Walberg (Father of Clay Walberg); Peg Tesch; Rhonda (Cousin of Suzan Heidelberger); Betty Tesch; Shelly (Friend of Carla Oerter); Linda (Friend of Cathy Dahl); Suzan Heidelberger; Chelle Schefcik; Michael and Jeffrey (Cousins of Donna Zuerlein); Brenda Kummer; Riley (granddaughter of Carmen Lakner); Justin (Friend of Carmen Lakner)

**For those devastated by drought or floods

**For our military members and their families

**For areas torn apart by violence

**For those in long-term care facilities

**For our firefighters, our first responders and our frontline & healthcare workers.

**For our leaders at every level.

**For our siblings in Christ, our friends and enemies, both near and far.



CASSEROLE TAKE & BAKE YOUTH FUNDRAISER

TODAY!!!!

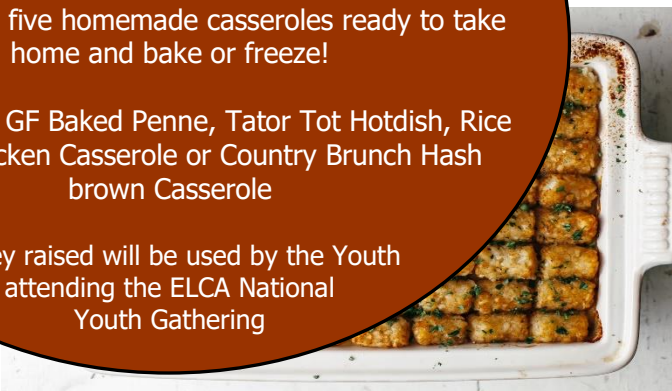
10:30 - 11:30 at Our Savior's Lutheran Church

\$15 each for a 9 X 13 casserole

Choose from five homemade casseroles ready to take home and bake or freeze!

Baked Penne, GF Baked Penne, Tator Tot Hotdish, Rice or Roni Chicken Casserole or Country Brunch Hash brown Casserole

Money raised will be used by the Youth attending the ELCA National Youth Gathering





October 11-15

MONDAY- Beef and Biscuit Bake
TUESDAY- Pork Chops and Gravy
WEDNESDAY- Indian Taco
THURSDAY- Hot Roast Beef
FRIDAY- Closed

12:00 Noon
SHARP

American Legion Post 303 Building
East End of Hermosa on HWY 40
ALL AGES ARE WELCOME
Home-cooked, buffet-style meals
Main dish, sides, salads, fruit,
dessert, drink

Adults \$8
Kids \$5

Sunday, October 10th

8:30-9:20 and 10:20-11:30 Second Sunday Breakfast
9:30am Worship/Communion in the building and live on Facebook/YouTube
10:30am Worship Committee Meeting
10:30-11:30am Take and Bake Fundraiser @ OSL
3:00pm Blessing of the Little Free Library @ OSL
6:00-8:00pm HS Youth Group

Wednesday, October 13th

5:30-7:00pm

Thursday, October 14th

9:30am WELCA

6:30-8:00pm Cantata Rehearsal @ St. Michael's

Pastor Deb will be out of town:

Oct 16-17th

*Bear Butte Conference Leader's
Retreat*

Sunday, October 17th

9:30am Worship in building and live online on Facebook/YouTube
Fellowship follows
No HS Youth Group
Bear Butte Conference Leader's Retreat-Outlaw Ranch

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