



TO SERVE IS TO LEAD

MARK 10:35-45



21st Sunday after Pentecost

October 17, 2021

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

RINGING OF THE BELL

INVOCATION

We gather for worship as one family of faith in the name of our Triune God – Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, whose teaching is life, whose presence is sure, and whose love is endless. Amen.

Let us confess our sins to the one who welcomes us with an open heart.

Silence is kept for reflection.

God our comforter:

like lost sheep, we have gone astray. We gaze upon abundance and see scarcity. We turn our faces away from injustice and oppression. We exploit the earth with our apathy and greed. Free us from our sin, gracious God. Listen when we call out to you for help. Lead us by your love to love our neighbors as ourselves. Amen.

All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God. By the gift of grace in Christ Jesus, God makes you righteous. Receive with glad hearts the forgiveness of all your sins. Amen.

Refrain

**Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory;
Blaze, Spirit, blaze. Set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy;
Send forth your Word, Lord, and let there be light!**

**Lord, the light of your love is shining,
in the midst of the darkness, shining;
Jesus, light of the world, shine upon us,
set us free by the truth you now bring us.**

Shine on me, shine on me: *Refrain*

**As we gaze on your kingly brightness,
so our faces display your likeness,
Ever changing from glory to glory,
Mirrored here, may our lives tell your story.**

Shine on me, shine on me: *Refrain*

GREETING

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

OPENING PRAYER

Let us pray. Sovereign God,

you turn your greatness into goodness for all the peoples on earth. Shape us into willing servants of your kingdom, and make us desire always and only your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

RESPONSIVE READING**Psalm 91:9-16**

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

no evil will befall you, nor shall affliction come near your dwelling.

For God will give the angels charge over you, to guard you in all your ways.

Upon their hands they will bear you up, lest you strike your foot against a stone.

You will tread upon the lion cub and viper; you will trample down the lion and the serpent.

I will deliver those who cling to me; I will uphold them, because they know my name.

They will call me, and I will answer them; I will be with them in trouble; I will rescue and honor them.

With long life will I satisfy them, and show them my salvation.

SCRIPTURE READING

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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.”

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

SERMON

HYMN

Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service

#712 vs 1-3

Lord, whose love in humble service
bore the weight of human need,
who upon the cross, forsaken,
worked your mercy's perfect deed:
we, your servants, bring the worship
not of voice alone, but heart;
consecrating to your purpose
ev'ry gift which you impart.

Still your children wander homeless;
still the hungry cry for bread;
still the captives long for freedom;
still in grief we mourn our dead.
As you, Lord, in deep compassion
healed the sick and freed the soul,
by your Spirit send your power
to our world to make it whole.

As we worship, grant us vision,
till your love's revealing light
in its height and depth and greatness
dawns upon our quickened sight,
making known the needs and burdens
your compassion bids us bear,
stirring us to ardent service,
your abundant life to share.

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come 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

Here us, O God, your mercy is great.

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.

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 *Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service* #712
vs 4

**Called by worship to your service,
forth in your dear name we go,
to the child, the youth, the aged,
love in living deeds to show;
hope and health, good will and comfort,
counsel, aid and peace we give,
that your servants, Lord, in freedom
may your mercy know and live.**

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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Mission Of The Month



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.

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 Heidelberg); Betty Tesch; Shelly (Friend of Carla Oerter); Linda (Friend of Cathy Dahl); Suzan Heidelberg; 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

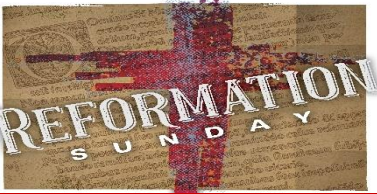
**For areas torn apart by violence

**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.



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.



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

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

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



October 18-22

MONDAY- Beef Stew
TUESDAY- Turkey Ala King
WEDNESDAY- Hot Pork Sandwich
THURSDAY- Beef Enchiladas
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 17th

9:30am Worship in the building and live on Facebook/YouTube
Fellowship Follows
No HS Youth Group

Wednesday, October 20th

5:30-7:00pm DOG Night

Thursday, October 21st

9:30am WELCA
3:00-5:00pm Hermosa/Fairburn Community Food Bank open
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 24th

9:30am Worship/Communion in building and live online on
Facebook/YouTube
Fellowship follows
10:30am Council Meeting
HS Youth Group Pumpkin Carving -TBD

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