

Galilee Evangelical Lutheran Church



LSS Sunday

Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost August 20, 2017

Mission Statement

*To gather people together to hear the story of God's love in Jesus Christ,
to be nurtured in faith and knowledge, and
to share the Good News through word and deed.*

Visions for the Future

Gather: *To involve an ever-growing number of people in regular participation in worship*

Nurture: *To involve an ever-growing number of children, youth, and families in learning and growing in the Christian faith*

Share: *To continue involvement in present outreach ministries and expand the leadership participation and commitment of members of the congregation in these ministries*

Our task and calling is to work together to actualize what we sense is
God's Spirit working in our midst.

Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota

Mission

Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota expresses the love of Christ for all people through service that inspires hope, changes lives, and builds community.

Vision

All people have the opportunity to live and work in community with dignity, safety, and hope.

Strategic Imperatives

Our service outcome goals are organized around children, youth and families; people with disabilities; and older adults. They shape our planning and action.

Welcome to Galilee Lutheran Church Dana Nelson, Pastor

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Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

August 20, 2017

ELW Setting 3

9:30 a.m.

Serving in Worship this Morning

Acolyte: Dashawn Nunn

Altar Guild: Jackie Nerud

Assisting Minister: Barb Streng

Communion Assistant: Dora Taylor

Lector: Lori O'Keefe

Organist: Raymond Nottidge

Preacher: Rev. Paul Harrington

Presiding Minister: Rev. Paul Harrington

Ushers: Lori & Terry O'Keefe

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Regular - **Liturgist**

Bold - Congregation

+ Stand as able

GATHERING

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

+ CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

...Gracious God, have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

+ **GATHERING SONG** *Oh, For a Thousand Tongues to Sing* Hymn #886

TEMPLE TALK

Pastor Paul Harrington

+ GREETING

Response: **And also with you.**

+ KYRIE

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+ CANTICLE OF PRAISE

This is the feast

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+ PRAYER OF THE DAY

WORD

PSALM 67 (tone 1)

Let all the peoples praise you, O God. (Ps. 67:3)

¹May God be merciful to | us and bless us;
may the light of God's face | shine upon us.

²**Let your way be known | upon earth,
your saving health a- | mong all nations.**

³Let the peoples praise | you, O God;
let all the | peoples praise you.

⁴**Let the nations be glad and | sing for joy,
for you judge the peoples with equity and guide all the na- | tions on earth.**

⁵Let the peoples | praise you, O God;
let all the | peoples praise you.

⁶**The earth has brought | forth its increase;
God, our own | God, has blessed us.**

⁷May God | give us blessing,
and may all the ends of the earth | stand in awe.

+ GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia

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+ GOSPEL

SERMON

Pastor Paul Harrington

(A time of silence for reflection will follow the sermon.)

HYMN OF THE DAY

Gather Us In

#532

+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 to the dead.
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 INTERCESSION

Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

+PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you always. **And also with you.**

The congregation is invited to greet one another with a gesture of peace using the words "Peace be with you" and then be seated.

MEAL

OFFERING

(Children are invited to come to the altar with their offering for global missions.)

+ OFFERING PRAYER

Response: **Amen.**

+ THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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...Remembering his love for us on the way, at the table, and to the end, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

+ THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven

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THE EUCHARIST

Lamb of God

(Intinction by line) p. 146

COMMUNION MUSIC

SENDING

+ BLESSING

+ SENDING SONG

Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing

#545

ANNOUNCEMENTS

+ DISMISSAL

Response: **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

TODAY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME Welcome to all guests and visitors. We are glad that we can worship together this morning. We invite you to sign the guest book in the narthex. If you would like to sign up for an event, you can do so in the kiosk book, located at the front doors of the church. The Voice of Galilee, our monthly newsletter, is also available in the kiosk.

HOLY COMMUNION Everyone of all ages is invited to celebrate Holy Communion. The real presence of Christ is celebrated in this sacrament. Communion today is served by intinction by line. You will be handed a wafer, which you are asked to dip into the wine before placing it in your mouth. Grape juice is in the cup with the ribbon. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.

REFRESHMENTS You are invited to join in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments! Thank you to Karen Groebner for bringing treats today. Next week Darla Nelson is bringing refreshments. There is a signup sheet in the kiosk; please sign up if you are able to help with refreshments on future Sundays.

NURSERY OPEN The nursery is open, as needed, for children age four and under. Please see an usher if you would like them to get a nursery attendant.

PASTOR VISIT? If you would like a visit from our pastor, please call the church office, 651-488-6769, or Pastor Dana herself, at 651-434-9485.

TODAY IS LUTHERAN SOCIAL SERVICE (LSS) SUNDAY LSS has been caring for neighbors across Minnesota for 151 years. As the largest non-profit social service organization in Minnesota, LSS impacts the lives of 100,000 Minnesotans each year. That is one in every 65 people - individuals from all walks of life, at every phase of life, across the entire state in all 87 counties. Together with the support and partnership of donors, church communities, advocates, volunteers, and partner organizations, LSS is able to offer community service in three core areas:

Children, Youth and Family: Ensuring that children have stable homes and nurturing families, and that youth who have experienced homelessness have a safe place and the skills needed to move on to a productive adulthood.

People with Disabilities: Empowering individuals to choose the design and delivery of the support and services they receive to live full, healthy lives in community.

Older Adults: Giving older adults opportunities to remain active in community life and to choose the services that support their independence, well-being and relationships. Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota relies on our neighbors to help us live out our mission of expressing the love of Christ for all people through service that inspires hope, changes lives and builds community.

WELCOME PASTOR HARRINGTON Pastor Paul Harrington grew up in Ferguson, MO, Lombard, IL, and Livonia, MI. Following high school, he attended Concordia College in Moorhead, MN, and later spent five years studying at Luther Seminary in St. Paul, MN. His first parish was in Pontiac, MI, a suburb of Detroit, where he served for 8 years. In 1980, the Harrington's moved to Apple Valley, MN, to develop a new mission congregation across the street from the Minnesota Zoo. Over the next 30 years, Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran grew to several thousand members. Pastor Paul was also called as Interim Campus Pastor at Luther Seminary for three years, and has served on numerous boards including Gustavus Adolphus College, Mt. Carmel Ministries, the Metro Lutheran Newspaper, and Crossways International Bible Studies. Pastor Paul and his wife, Margaret, have great love for their three children and nine grandchildren. They currently reside in Rosemount, MN.

PASTOR ON VACATION Pastor Dana will be on vacation from August 18-22. In an emergency, our on-call pastor will be Pastor Joy McDonald-Coltvet from Christ Lutheran. Her number is: 651-222-3619.

GLOBE OFFERING The goal for the year is to raise \$1,000 for a school and clinic in South Sudan, who need our help desperately. We have reached \$704.70. Can we reach our goal? You may contribute in your offering envelope or by check in the Globe if you wish to receive credit for your contribution.

YOUTH AT WORK Our youth are offering their time and services this summer to raise money for their trip to the ELCA Youth Gathering in Houston next summer, July, 2018. If you could use some help with household chores (ie. raking, hauling dirt, weeding, washing windows, dogwalking, etc) consider hiring one of our youth members for \$25/2 hours. Checks will be payable to Galilee and recorded in their fundraising account. We hope our students can learn valuable life skills and get to know fellow Galilee members along the way. Contact Pastor Dana if you would like to arrange for some help.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY Minnesota Faith Chinese invites young (college age and 20s) Galilee members and/or friends to their new Young Adult Ministry. They meet Fridays at 6 p.m. Tell your family and friends. **FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN** As of August 14th, we still have 12 spots available to pack meals at Feed My Starving Children on Saturday, September 9 from 2 to 4 p.m. We will meet at church at 1:30 for those who wish to carpool to Eagan. Please sign up in the kiosk.

THANK YOU! Many many thanks to everyone who donated money or school supplies for the GLOWOUT on August 1. We had 42 backpacks and boxes and boxes of other supplies. We ran out of backpacks, but all 60+ children got a great start on their school year. We had more than \$500 donated plus a lot of supplies. Galilee people are so generous.

BENEFIT BASEBALL GAME The 65th Annual Our Lady of Peace Hospice Benefit Game, sponsored by the Old Timers Hot Stove League, will be playing (St. Paul Old Timers vs, St. Paul Pastimers) on Saturday, August 26, 2017 at Toni Stone Field at Griggs Street and Marshall, in St. Paul. Cost is a donation of \$1, and cash prizes will be won in a drawing of tickets.

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 9 - Feed My Starving Children, 2-4 p.m.

September 10 - Rally Sunday with Potluck

September 16 - Make A Joyful Noise! 6 p.m., Worship, 7 p.m. Meal

September 17 - Sunday School and Adult Forum Begin

BIRTHDAYS AUGUST 20 - AUGUST 26

20 Chad McDonald

21 Christena Mundt

24 Lori O'Keefe

PRAYER REQUESTS

The prayers of the congregation are requested for:

Janis and Fred Behrens, Fred will donate a kidney to Janis (Petersons)

Justin Blatterman (North Emanuel)

Lois LaVon Brase

Rick Eagan (friend of Dawn Babin)

Betty Link Ettel

Dr. Roger Ettel

Leo Fisher (Peterson's grandson)

Family & friends of Morris Gray (friend of Raymond Nottidge)

Dan Hayne

Family & friends of Melford Johnson (friend of Raymond Nottidge)

Family & friends of Harry Nagel (uncle of Jo Ann French)

Alicia Nedland (Sharell Babin's granddaughter)

Family & friends of Sigrid Nelson (Susan Loushin's mother)

Lyle Sorum

Haley Steffen (family of the O'Keefes)

Kathy Wickard (Shari Sailer's cousin)

Ian Wiek

Our sister church in Uhominyi, Tanzania

Minnesota Faith Chinese Lutheran Church

Missionaries in South Sudan and Romania

All prayer requests are also supported through Galilee's Prayer Circle.

We are delighted to pray for anyone and include their name on our prayer list, as well as mention them in the intercessions during Sunday worship. Please keep the church office informed about their status. We will keep these names on our prayer list for one month. If, on the other hand, you would like us to keep them on the prayer list for longer than a month, please call the church office.

Make a Joyful Noise!

Saturday, September 16 at 6:00 p.m. (punctual, please)

All five Congregations will sing and eat together!

International Christian Faith Center (ICFC)
Minnesota Faith Chinese Lutheran Church
Saint Paul Friends Church
La Hermosa Church
Galilee Lutheran Church

PROGRAM:

- 5:50 p.m. Place your food/dish in the fellowship hall.
- 6:00 p.m. All gather in the sanctuary.
- 6:00, 6:10, 6:20, 6:30, 6:40 p.m.
Each church has 10 minutes to praise the Lord in their own style.
- 6:50 p.m. Eat a potluck meal together! (Please sit by someone you don't know.
Can we have 3+ different congregations at each table?)
- 7:45 p.m. Everyone helps to clean up.
- 8:00 p.m. Go home filled with good food, blessed with new friends, and spiritually enlivened from praising God together.
¡Canten al Señor con alegría, habitantes de toda la tierra!
Salmo 100

THIS WEEK AT GALILEE

Sunday - August 20

LSS Sunday	
Galilee Worship Service	9:30 a.m.
Fellowship Time	10:30 a.m.
MFCLC Worship Service	11 a.m.
St. Paul Friend's Church.....	11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
La Hermosa Gathering	2:30-4:30 p.m.

Monday - August 21

Garden Meeting, Library.....	9:30 a.m.-noon
Healing Touch (by appt).....	2-6 p.m.

Tuesday - August 22

Staff Meeting	9 a.m.
TSE Training, Library	9 -11 a.m.
Young at Heart.....	Noon

Wednesday - August 23

Pastor's Office Hours	9 a.m. - 9 p.m.
ICFC	10 a.m.-noon

Thursday - August 24

TSE Training, Library	9 -10:30 a.m.
Bible Study in Library	11 a.m.

Friday - August 25

Mutual Ministry Meeting.....	10 a.m.
Young Adult Ministry	6 p.m.

Saturday - August 26

Chinese Prayer	6 a.m.
ICFC Choir Rehearsal	11 a.m.
Our Lady of Peace Hospice Benefit Baseball Game	1:15 p.m.

Sunday - August 27

Galilee Worship Service	9:30 a.m.
Fellowship Time	10:30 a.m.
MFCLC Worship Service	11 a.m.
St. Paul Friend's Church.....	12:15-1:45 p.m.
La Hermosa Gathering	2:30-4:30 p.m.

Hearing assistance receivers are available. Please ask the ushers for assistance.