



Is  
anything  
too hard  
for the  
**LORD?**

**GENESIS 18:14**



*Our Savior Lutheran Church*

# *Sixth Sunday after Pentecost*

*Order of Matins*

*In Nomine Jesu*



*Preservice Music*

*Ringin' of the Bells*

*Prelude*

THE GOD OF ABRAHAM PRAISE

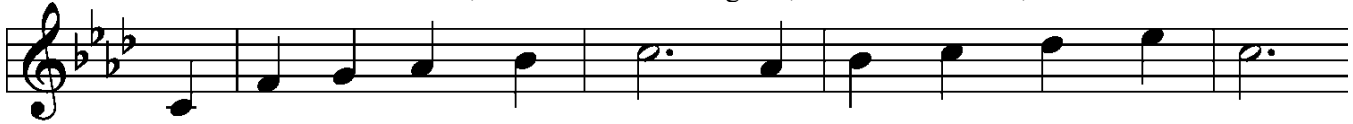
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*Greetings & Announcements*

# Hymn of Invocation

## THE GOD OF ABRAHAM PRAISE

Text: Thomas Olivers; Tune: Hebrew – “Yigdal”; LSB #798 sts. 1–4, 8–9 © 2006 CPH



1 The God of A - br'ham praise, Who reigns en - throned a - bove;  
2 The God of A - br'ham praise, At whose su - preme com - mand  
3 The God of A - br'ham praise, Whose all - suf - fi - cient grace  
4 He by Him - self has sworn; I on His oath de - pend.



An - cient of ev - er - last - ing days And God of love.  
From earth I rise and seek the joys At His right hand.  
Shall guide me all my pil - grim days In all my ways.  
I shall, on ea - gle wings up - borne, To heav'n as - cend.



Je - ho - vah, great I AM! By earth and heav'n con - fessed;  
I all on earth for - sake, Its wis - dom, fame, and pow'r,  
He deigns to call me friend; He calls Him - self my God.  
I shall be - hold His face; I shall His pow'r a - dore



I bow and bless the sa - cred name For - ev - er blest.  
And Him my on - ly por - tion make, My shield and tow'r.  
And He shall save me to the end Through Je - sus' blood.  
And sing the won - ders of His grace For - ev - er - more.

8 The God who reigns on high The great archangels sing,  
And “Holy, holy, holy!” cry, “Almighty King!  
Who was and is the same And evermore shall be:  
Jehovah, Father, great I AM! We worship Thee!”

(Stand)

9 The whole triumphant host Give thanks to God on high.  
“Hail, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!” They ever cry.  
Hail, Abr'ham's God and mine! I join the heav'nly lays:  
All might and majesty are Thine And endless praise!

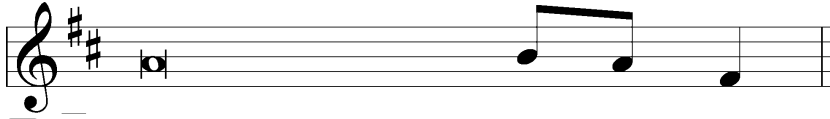
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## Versicles

**P** O Lord, open thou my lips,

(Psalm 51:15)



**C** And my mouth shall show forth thy praise.

**P** Make haste, O God, to deliver me;

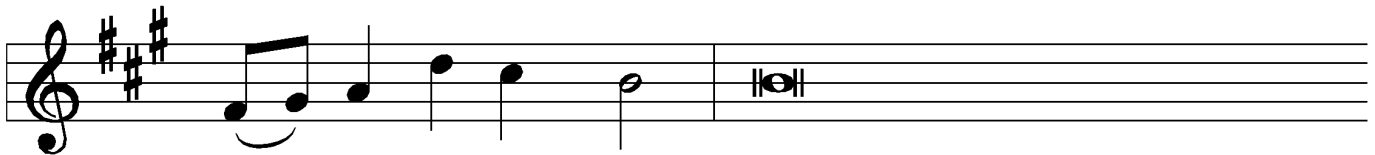
(Psalm 70:1)



**C** Make haste to help me, O Lord.



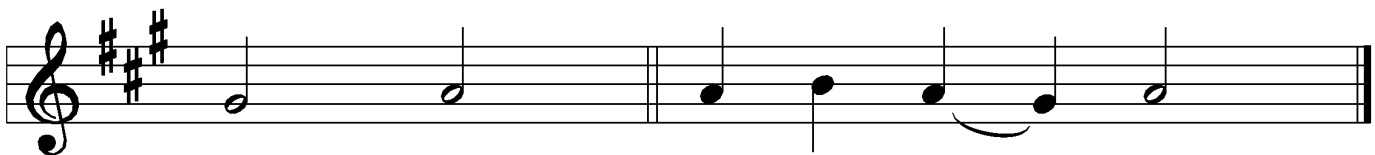
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and



to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is



now , and ev - er shall be, world with - out end.



A - men.

Al - le - lu - ia!



# Invitatory

**P** Oh, come, let us worship the Lord:

(Psalm 95:6)



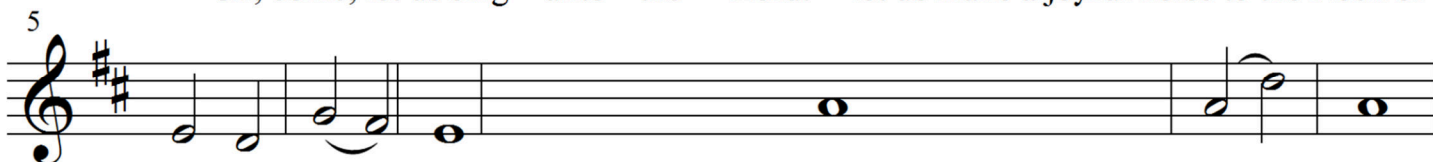
**C** For He is our Mak - er.

## Venite Exultemus Domino

(Psalm 95:1-7)



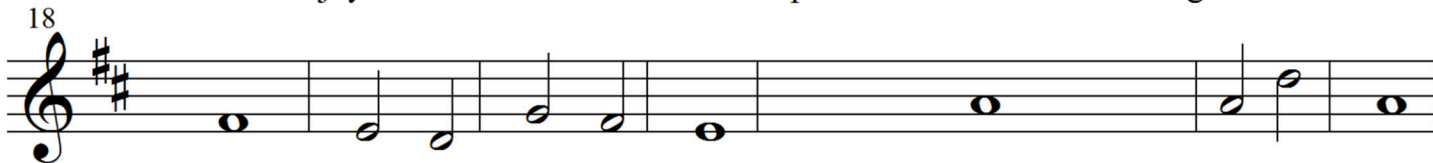
Oh, come, let us sing unto the Lord: let us make a joyful noise to the Rock of



our sal - va - tion. Let us come before His presence with thanks - giv - ing:



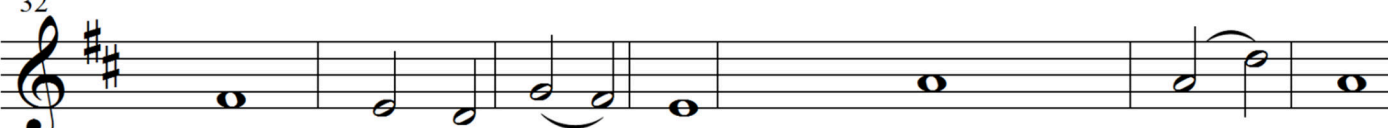
and make a joyful noise unto Him with psalms. For the Lord is a great God:




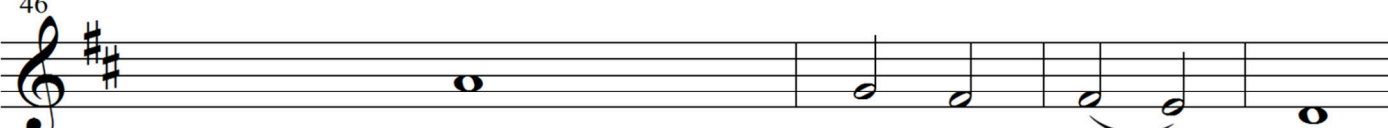
and a great King a - bove all gods. In His hand are the deep places of the earth:





the strength of the hills is His al - so. The sea is His, and He made it:

32  
  
 and His hands formed the dry land. Oh, come, let us worship and bow down:

39  
  
 let us kneel before the Lord, our Mak - er. For He is our God:

46  
  
 and we are people of His pasture and the sheep of His hand.

50  
  
 Glory be to the Father and to the Son: and to the Ho - ly Ghost;

57  
  
 As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world with-out end. A - men.

## Psalmody

### “ET VERBUM TUUM LUCERNA EST”

(Psalm 119:57–60, 64; antiphon: Psalm 119:105)

- P** Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.
- C** *The Lord is my portion; I promise to keep your words.*
- P** I entreat your favor with all my heart; be gracious to me according to your promise.
- C** *When I think on my ways, I turn my feet to your testimonies; I hasten and do not delay to keep your commandments.*
- P** The earth, O Lord, is full of your steadfast love; teach me your statutes!
- C** *Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.*
- P** Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.

(Be Seated)

# Hymn of the Day

## LET US EVER WALK WITH JESUS

Text: Sigismund von Birken; Tune: Georg G. Boltze – “Lasset Uns Mit Jesu Ziehen”; LSB #685 © 2006 CPH



1 Let us ev - er walk with Je - sus, Fol - low His ex -  
2 Let us suf - fer here with Je - sus And with pa - tience  
3 Let us glad - ly die with Je - sus. Since by death He  
4 Let us al - so live with Je - sus. He has ris - en



am - ple pure, Through a world that would de - ceive us And to  
bear our cross. Joy will fol - low all our sad - ness; Where He  
con - quered death, He will free us from de - struc - tion, Give to  
from the dead That to life we may a - wak - en. Je - sus,



sin our spir - its lure. On - ward in His foot - steps tread - ing,  
is, there is no loss. Though to - day we sow no laugh - ter,  
us im - mor - tal breath. Let us mor - ti - fy all pas - sion  
You are now our head. We are Your own liv - ing mem - bers;



Pil - grims here, our home a - bove, Full of faith and  
We shall reap ce - les - tial joy; All dis - com - forts  
That would lead us in - to sin; And the grave that  
Where You live, there we shall be In Your pres - ence



hope and love, Let us do the Fa - ther's bid - ding. Faith - ful  
that an - noy Shall give way to mirth here - af - ter. Je - sus,  
shuts us in Shall but prove the gate to heav - en. Je - sus,  
con - stant - ly, Liv - ing there with You for - ev - er. Je - sus,



Lord, with me a - bide; I shall fol - low where You guide.  
here I share Your woe; Help me there Your joy to know.  
here with You I die, There to live with You on high.  
let me faith - ful be, Life e - ter - nal grant to me.

# Old Testament Reading

## GENESIS 18:1–14

[1] The Lord appeared to [Abraham] by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the door of his tent in the heat of the day. [2] He lifted up his eyes and looked, and behold, three men were standing in front of him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent door to meet them and bowed himself to the earth [3] and said, “O Lord, if I have found favor in your sight, do not pass by your servant. [4] Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree, [5] while I bring a morsel of bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant.” So they said, “Do as you have said.” [6] And Abraham went quickly into the tent to Sarah and said, “Quick! Three seahs of fine flour! Knead it, and make cakes.” [7] And Abraham ran to the herd and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to a young man, who prepared it quickly. [8] Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them. And he stood by them under the tree while they ate. [9] They said to him, “Where is Sarah your wife?” And he said, “She is in the tent.” [10] The Lord said, “I will surely return to you about this time next year, and Sarah your wife shall have a son.” And Sarah was listening at the tent door behind him. [11] Now Abraham and Sarah were old, advanced in years. The way of women had ceased to be with Sarah. [12] So Sarah laughed to herself, saying, “After I am worn out, and my lord is old, shall I have pleasure?” [13] The Lord said to Abraham, “Why did Sarah laugh and say, ‘Shall I indeed bear a child, now that I am old?’ [14] Is anything too hard for the Lord? At the appointed time I will return to you about this time next year, and Sarah shall have a son.”

*These heavenly guests (being sent to confirm the promise lately made to Abraham, that he should have a son by Sarah), while they are receiving Abraham's kind entertainment, they return his kindness. He receives angels, and has angels' rewards, a gracious message from heaven. Care is taken that Sarah should be within hearing. She must conceive by faith, and therefore the promise must be made to her. God will return to those that bid him welcome, that entertain his visits: "I will return thy kindness, Sarah thy wife shall have a son." Thus the promises of the Messiah were often repeated in the Old Testament, for the strengthening of the faith of God's people.*

**P** But Thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us.



**C** Thanks be to Thee, O Lord.



# Epistle Reading

## COLOSSIANS 1:21-29

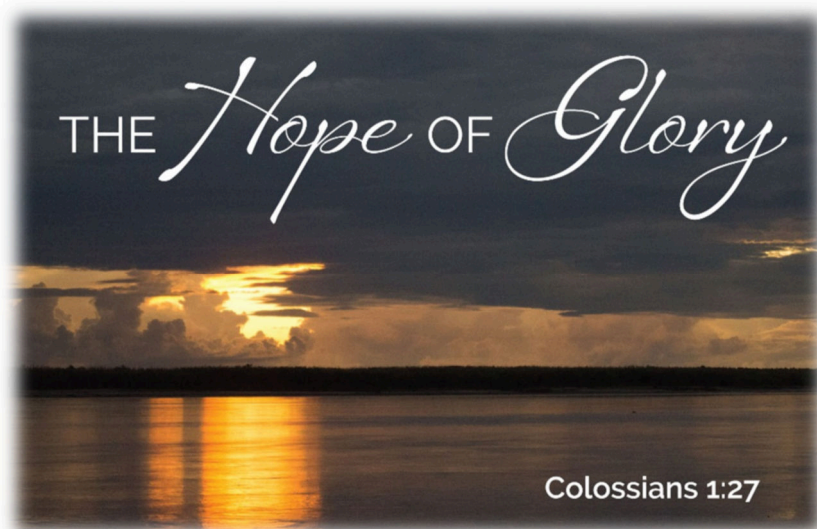
[21] You, who once were alienated and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, [22] he has now reconciled in his body of flesh by his death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach before him, [23] if indeed you continue in the faith, stable and steadfast, not shifting from the hope of the gospel that you heard, which has been proclaimed in all creation under heaven, and of which I, Paul, became a minister. [24] Now I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am filling up what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the church, [25] of which I became a minister according to the stewardship from God that was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known, [26] the mystery hidden for ages and generations but now revealed to his saints. [27] To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. [28] Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ. [29] For this I toil, struggling with all his energy that he powerfully works within me.

*Let us be thankful that God has made known to us mysteries hidden from ages and generations, and has showed the riches of his glory among us. As Christ is preached among us, let us seriously inquire, whether he dwells and reigns in us; for this alone can warrant our assured hope of his glory. We must be faithful to death, through all trials, that we may receive the crown of life, and obtain the end of our faith, the salvation of our souls.*

**P** But Thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us.



**C** Thanks be to Thee, O Lord.



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## Gospel Reading

### ST. LUKE 10:38–42

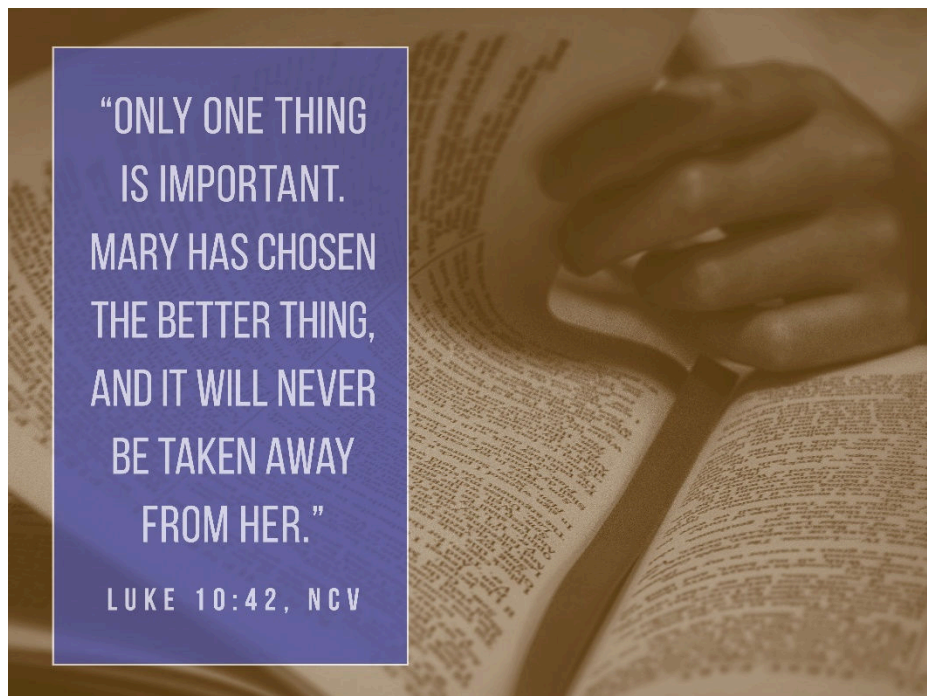
[38] Now as they went on their way, Jesus entered a village. And a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. [39] And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching. [40] But Martha was distracted with much serving. And she went up to him and said, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Tell her then to help me." [41] But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, [42] but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her."

*The favor of God is needful to our happiness; the salvation of Christ is needful to our safety. Where this is attended to, all other things will be rightly pursued. Christ declared Mary had chosen the good part. For one thing is needful, this one thing that she has done, to give up herself to the guidance of Christ. The things of this life will be taken away from us, at the furthest, when we shall be taken away from them; but nothing shall separate from the love of Christ, and a part in that love. Men and devils cannot take it away from us, and God and Christ will not. Let us mind the one thing needful more diligently.*

**P** But Thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us.



**C** Thanks be to Thee, O Lord.



(Be Seated)

## Baptism Hymn

### SEE THIS WONDER IN THE MAKING

Text: Jaroslav J. Vajda; Tune: Sweden, 1873 – “Tryggare Kan Ingen Vara”; LSB #593 © 2006 CPH

1 See this won - der in the mak - ing: God Him -  
2 Mir - a - cle each time it hap - pens As the  
3 Far more ten - der than a moth - er, Far more  
4 Here we bring a child of na - ture; Home we

self this child is tak - ing As a lamb safe in His  
door to heav-en o - pens And the Fa - ther beams, “Be-  
car - ing than a fa - ther, God, in - to Your arms we  
take a newborn crea - ture, Now God’s pre - cious son or

keep - ing, His to be, a - wake or sleep - ing.  
lov - ed, Heir of gifts a king would cov - et!”  
place him, With Your love and peace em - brace him.  
daugh - ter, Born a - gain by Word and wa - ter.

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*Sacrament of Holy Baptism for*  
MARSHALL ODELL SAVAGE

# *Sermon Hymn*

## CHRIST BE MY LEADER

Text: Timothy Dudley-Smith; Tune: Irish – “Slane”; LSB #861 © 2006 CPH



1 Christ be my Lead - er by night as by day; Safe through the  
2 Christ be my Teach - er in age as in youth, Drift - ing or  
3 Christ be my Sav - ior in calm as in strife; Death can - not



dark - ness, for He is the way. Glad - ly I fol - low, my  
doubt - ing, for He is the truth. Grant me to trust Him; though  
hold me, for He is the life. Nor dark - ness nor doubt - ing nor



fu - ture His care, Dark - ness is day - light when Je - sus is there.  
shift - ing as sand, Doubt can - not daunt me; in Je - sus I stand.  
sin and its stain Can touch my sal - va - tion: with Je - sus I reign.

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*(Stand for Text)*

## *Sermon*

TEXT: GENESIS 18:1–14  
“WHO’S LAUGHING NOW?”

*(Stand)*

## *Votum*

## Offertory

(Psalm 51:10-12)



**C** 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 Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it  
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -  
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir-it. A - men.

## Offering Prayer

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## Offering

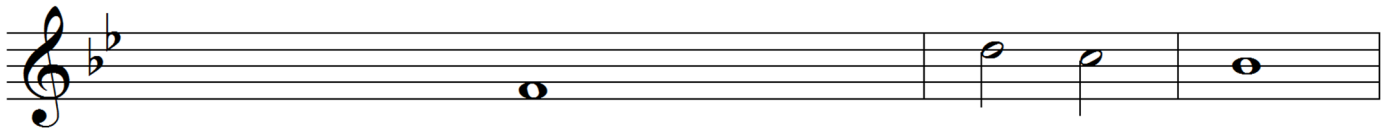
## Voluntary

CHRIST BE MY LEADER

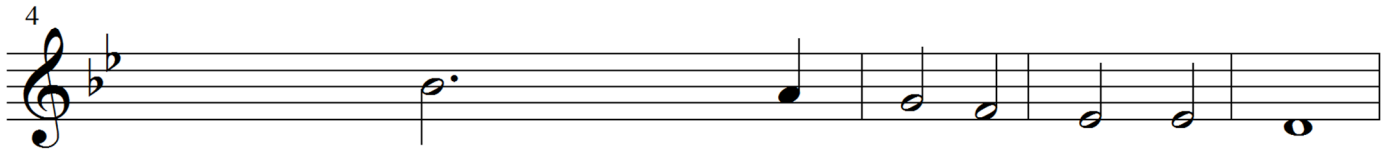


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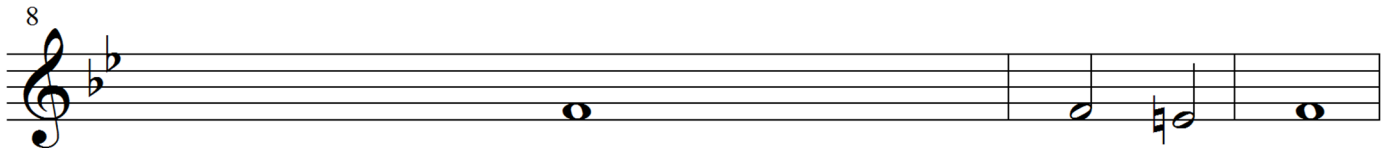
## *Canticle - Te Deum Laudamus*



1. We praise Thee, O God; we acknowledge Thee to be the Lord.  
3. Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sab - a - oth;  
5. The noble army of martyrs praise Thee;



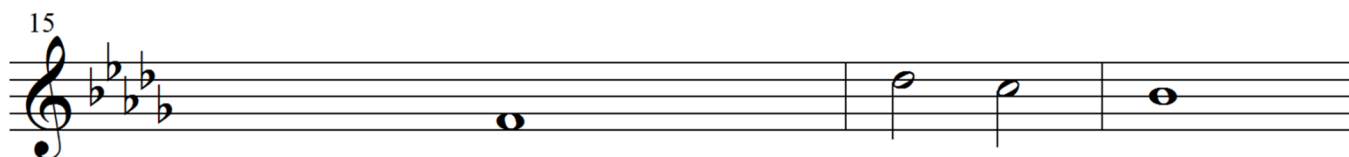
1. All the earth doth worship Thee, the Fa - ther ev - er - last - ing.  
3. Heaven and earth are full of the majes - ty of Thy glo - ry.  
5. The holy Church throughout all the world doth ac - knowl-edge Thee:



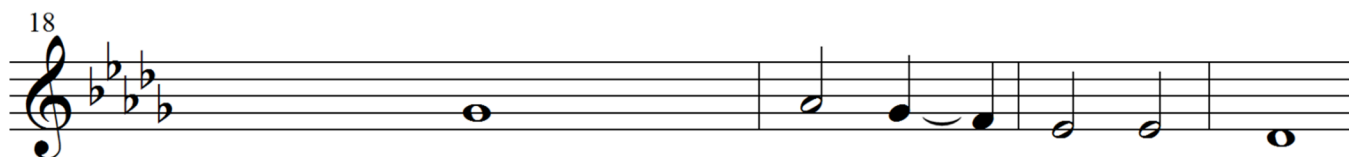
2. To Thee all angels cry aloud, the heavens and all the powers there - in;  
4. The glorious company of the Apostles praise Thee;  
6. The Father of an infinite majesty; Thine adorable true and on - ly Son,  
7. Thou art the King of Glory, O Christ.



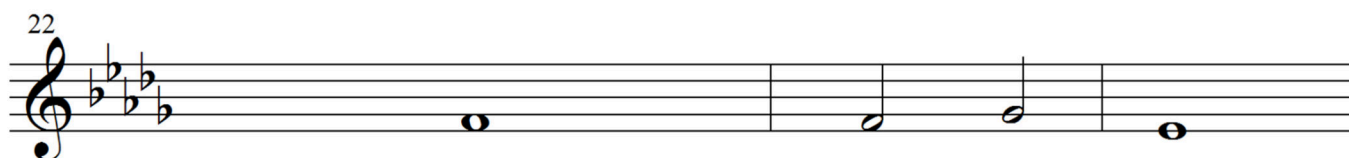
2. To Thee cherubim and seraphim con - tin - ual - ly do cry:  
4. The goodly fellowship of the proph - ets praise Thee;  
6. also the Holy Ghost, the Com - fort - er.  
7. Thou art the everlasting Son of the Fa - ther.



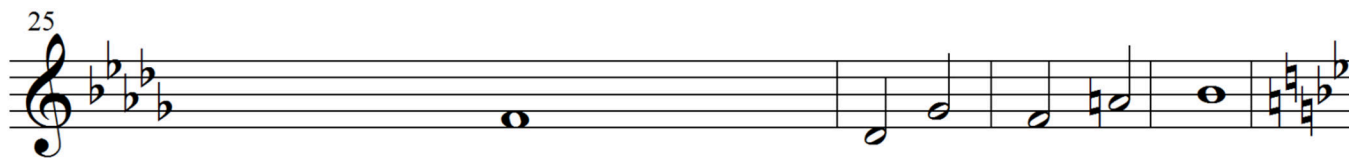
8. When Thou tookest upon Thee to de - liv - er - man,  
 10. Thou sittest at the right hand of God  
 12. We therefore pray Thee, help Thy ser - vants,



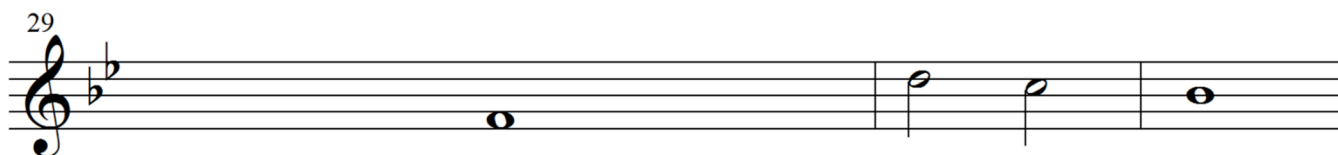
8. Thou didst humble Thyself to be born of a vir - gin.  
 10. in the glory of the Fa - ther.  
 12. whom Thou hast redeemed with Thy pre - cious blood.



9. When Thou hadst overcome the sharpness of death,  
 11. We believe that Thou shalt come  
 13. Make them to be numbered with Thy saints



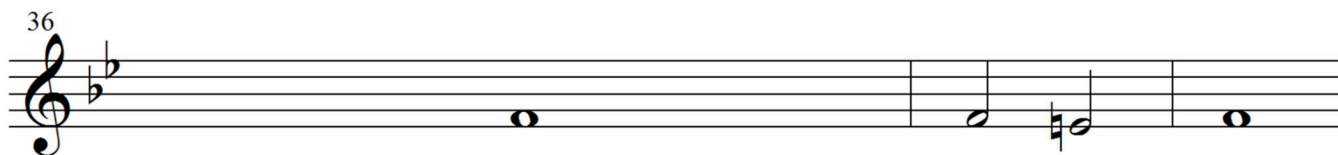
9. Thou didst open the kingdom of heaven to all be - liev - ers.  
 11. to be our Judge.  
 13. in glory ev - er - last - ing.



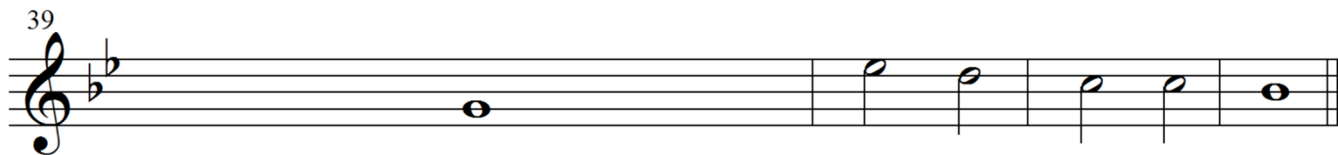
14. O Lord, save Thy people and bless Thine her - i - tage.  
16. Vouchsafe, O Lord, to keep us this day with - out sin.



14. Govern them and lift them up for - ev - - - er.  
16. O Lord, have mercy upon us, have mer - cy up - on us.



15. Day by day we magni - fy Thee.  
17. O Lord, let Thy mercy be upon us, as our trust is in Thee.



15. And we worship Thy name ever, world with - out end.  
17. O Lord, in Thee have I trusted; let me never be con - found - ed.

## *Kyrie*

(St. Mark 10:47)



**C** Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer cy up-on



us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

# Lord's Prayer

(St. Matthew 6:9-13)

- C** *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*

## Salutation

(2 Timothy 4:22)

- P** The Lord be with you.



- C** And with thy spir - it.

## Intercessory Prayer

*The end of each individual petition shall conclude with:*

- P** Lord, in Your mercy,  
**C** *hear our prayer.*

## Benedicamus

(Psalm 103:1)

- P** Let us bless the Lord.



- C** Thanks be to God.

## Benediction

(2 Corinthians 13:14)

- P** The grace of our Lord ✠ Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.



- C** A - men.

## *Closing Hymn*

### PRAISE TO THE LORD, THE ALMIGHTY

Text: Joachim Neander; Tune: Stralsund, 1665 – “Lobe Den Herren”; LSB #790 © 2006 CPH



1 Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre -  
2 Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is won - drous - ly  
3 Praise to the Lord, who has fear - ful - ly, won - drous - ly,  
4 Praise to the Lord, who will pros - per your work and de -



a - tion! O my soul, praise Him, for He is your  
reign - ing And, as on wings of an ea - gle, up -  
made you, Health has be - stowed and, when heed - less - ly  
fend you; Sure - ly His good - ness and mer - cy shall



health and sal - va - tion! Let all who hear Now to His  
lift - ing, sus - tain - ing. Have you not seen All that is  
fall - ing, has stayed you. What need or grief Ev - er has  
dai - ly at - tend you. Pon - der a - new What the Al -



tem - ple draw near, Join - ing in glad ad - o - ra - tion!  
need - ful has been Sent by His gra - cious or - dain - ing?  
failed of re - lief? Wings of His mer - cy did shade you.  
might - y can do As with His love He be - friends you.

5 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore Him!  
All that has life and breath, come now with praises before Him!  
Let the Amen Sound from His people again; Gladly forever adore Him!

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## *Postlude*

### LOBE DEN HERREN

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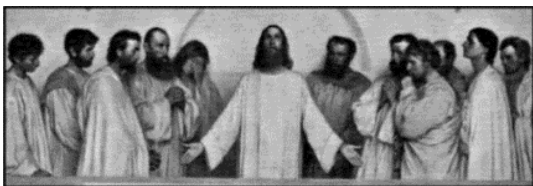
*Enter reverently, meditate quietly, worship sincerely, serve Christ faithfully.*

It is our heartfelt prayer that all who worship here this day may encounter the love of our Savior. According to His promise, He is here today reaching out to us in love through Word and Sacrament. If you are seeking a church home, we hope that you have found it here so that we may rejoice in serving the Lord together. If we can be of service to you or your family in any way please do not hesitate to ask.

**PRAYER OF THE DAY:** We will boast of your presence among us, O God, and magnify your holy name. You still the avenger; you bring low the mighty; you exalt the humble and forget not your own. We are privileged to be numbered among those you have chosen, and through Christ seek to honor you in all that we do. Hear our praises which we raise before you, as in glad adoration our tributes we bring. Amen

**ATTENDANCE CARDS – MEMBERS (yellow) & VISITORS (blue),** remember to fill out an attendance card listing all in attendance for your family. Please note any changes, otherwise you do not have to fill in the address information each week. It is appreciated if first-time visitors would include their address and phone number. Email and work numbers are helpful for inner-office needs. By filling out a card, your attendance and communing is recorded, and your comments are addressed. It is not necessary to indicate common or individual cup. Place cards in the offering plate or give to an usher on your way out. Thanks!

- *The Cry-Room and the four row spans directly in front of it are reserved for parents with small children. Thank you.*
- *Hearing devices are available from the ushers if you need this assistance.*



**HOLY COMMUNION** will be celebrated next on Sunday, July 24 @ 9:30 AM. "Let a man examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup." *1 Corinthians 11:28*

The Word of God teaches that the bread and wine of the Sacrament are the true Body and Blood of the Lord Jesus Christ.

This precious gift of God's grace is to be received in a sense of reverent awe after careful self-examination. The Bible defines that self-examination as a personal recognition of the real presence of Christ's Body and Blood in the Sacrament, and a repentant acknowledgment of my own sinfulness recognizing my absolute dependence upon Christ as the only source of forgiveness for my sin. Scripture further instructs that our participation in Christ's Body and Blood together is the most profound and powerful way for Christians to acknowledge their unity in the faith. That is to say, when we share in the Body and Blood of Jesus at this altar, we are thereby indicating our common commitment to all of the doctrines of God's Word as they are taught in this congregation. Because of these Biblical convictions, we respectfully request that visitors, who wish to join us in receiving the Body and Blood of Christ and thereby identify with our confession of Bible truth, speak with one of our pastors before attending the Lord's Supper.

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### *Adult Bible Classes & Sunday School Options for All:*

#### **8:15 AM –**

**Genesis:** The Beginning of All Things – A study of Creation in Scripture, chapters 1-11 (Pastor White - Bible Class Room)

#### **10:45 AM –**

**Hebrews:** This document is profound in substance and rich in significance. It was the latest of the twenty-seven books to be formally recognized by the early church as a part of God's Word. Every book of the Bible is self-authenticating in that it speaks with the inherent authority and power of God. (Pastor White - Bible Class Room)

**Lutheran Confessions:** Our Lutheran Confessions were developed out of a genuine concern with false teachings obscuring the glory and merit of our Savior. These unconditional affirmations are as understandable and poignant today as when they were written. Learn their history and development, as well as their relevance in the daily life of a Christian. Through discussion, you will see how others are asking the same questions and how Scripture offers solid, reliable answers. (James Kriegel, C101)

**Bethel Bible Series:** We are proud to be Christians following in the footsteps of Martin Luther's teachings of Scripture alone, grace alone, and faith alone through Christ alone. Our focus is based solely on the Bible. It alone is our rule and guide. The Bethel class is now studying the Old Testament which serves as a foundation for studying the New Testament. If you have never studied the Bible or would like to sharpen or improve your overall knowledge level then please consider joining the Bethel Class. (Herb Peterson, C102)

**Women's Bible Study:** As a Christian, you face the pressure and stressors of the world daily. You look for rest at every turn—rest from your job, family drama, personal struggles—but the only true rest can come from Christ. Michelle Diercks invites you to find His promised rest by studying eight different names and characteristics of God. This study will feature a new name or characteristic of God along with its pronunciation and a biblical fact about it. Learn how you can, and should, cling to God's names during times of anxiety and hardship. (Family Room, Church)

**Applying Scripture to Current Events:** This class for young adults will focus on today's headlines and current events and discuss these topics in light of scripture and how the verses covered each week apply to everyday life. (Adam White, C106)

**The Early Church:** The history of the first four centuries of the early Church, exploring how God guided and sustained the first Christians, and what it means for us today. (Karl Baughman, Cafeteria)

#### **YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETS AS LISTED –**

High School – Youth Room

8th Grade Confirmation – C105

6th - 7th Grade – C103

4th - 5th Grade – C113

3rd Grade – C116

1st - 2nd Grade – C115

Kindergarten – B107

3 & 4 yrs – B108

18 mos. – 3 yrs – B111

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The flowers are given to the glory of God by Shawn & Bridgette Barber in loving memory of our parents and grandparents; and by Gary & Ruth Schmidt in honor of the birthdays of their grandkids and daughter Kimberly Eifert.

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The Flower Chart is available to sponsor the church flowers for your special occasions! Each flower arrangement is \$45. You will find the flower clipboard on the hutch in the narthex. Remember to write a “W” if you want the flowers, or “S” to send them to the sick. Thank you!

**UPDATE YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION:** Remember to log in to your Breeze account, and make sure all your contact information is correct – phone numbers, address, email accounts, etc. You can even add your own PHOTO. Call the church office if you need help: 713-290-9087.



### Life With God-New Member Classes:

Our adult information class covers the most important teachings of the Bible as they are believed, taught and confessed in this Lutheran Congregation. The class is designed for anyone considering membership in Our Savior Lutheran Church and for members of the congregation who would like a great review of basic Bible doctrine. It should be particularly interesting for both member and non-member

school parents to familiarize yourself with what your kids are learning in class every day. **Class will continue through August, on Mondays from 7:00-8:30pm. Babysitting and refreshments are provided.**

**Young Adults—Mondays—7PM—OSL Youth Room:** Dear Young Adults of OSL!! As we rejoice in the good gifts that our God has given us, let’s plan to meet together on a regular basis for Bible Study and Fellowship! This new group will be just young adults (both married and single). We will meet on Monday evenings at 7PM in the 4:12 Lounge (the Youth Room). We’ll have snacks and refreshments as we gather to study and visit. Please tell your friends!

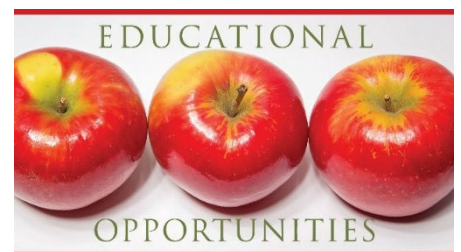
**WEEKLY MEN’S BIBLE STUDY** –All men are invited on Wednesday mornings in the Bible Class Room, at 6:30-7:30 a.m. Contact Channing Wood at [channing@toddyblends.com](mailto:channing@toddyblends.com).

**PASTOR WHITE’S WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS** meets from 10:00-12:00, and we are studying *Romans, Chief Part of the New Testament and the Very Purest Gospel*. Make Bible study a regular part of your schedule. Food and fellowship provided of course!

**ZOOM BIBLE STUDY THURSDAYS** – Join us for the Word on the Web as we study Matthew’s Gospel on Thursdays at 6PM. Go to: <https://osl.cc/the-word-on-the-web> to join the study. You will need Zoom installed on your phone or computer to participate.



**OSL School is GROWING!** We are seeking certified teacher candidates for the 2022-2023 school year who have a passion for sharing Christ and would love to teach PreK or 4<sup>th</sup> Grade scholars in our classical school. LCMS members in good standing and desiring to be a part of our congregation should contact Principal Kate Thoeke: [kthoeke@oslschool.org](mailto:kthoeke@oslschool.org).



**CART CREW DRIVERS NEEDED!** Please consider joining a Cart Crew Team! You must be 16 or older and have a valid driver's license. Please contact the church office to add your name to the list.

**GREETERS NEEDED to serve the Lord with gladness!** Get to know your fellow church family. Call Pastor Krieg for information: 713-290-9087, ext 209.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for audio-visual ministries:** If you would like to learn from a "hands on" perspective, call 713-290-9087, leave your name, number, and we will contact you. No experience needed.

**JOBS** – Toddy, Inc. Winery, Distillery, Brewery and Event Venue is currently hiring for the following positions: Daiquiri Store Attendants, Bartenders, Bar-Backs, Servers, Drivers, Salesmen and Cooks. Send resume to [recruiter@toddyoaks.com](mailto:recruiter@toddyoaks.com), located at 20120 Franz Rd, Katy, TX 77449.



**STAMPS** – Cheerful Helpers are collecting stamps trimmed to ¼". Please put them in the mailbox in Pastor White's Bible Class Room. – Sandi Hall, Human Care Chairman.

**RECYCLE** Paper in the bin which is now in the back parking lot to the north.

**Greeting Cards are available in the Bible Class Room.** Each box is \$6 or \$7. Make checks payable to OSL, with Circle of Grace in the memo.

**AMAZON SMILE & OSL** – Now enjoy everything Amazon offers while supporting OSL School. Amazon will donate .5% of the price of your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to Our Savior Lutheran School. How? Visit [Smile.Amazon.com](https://www.amazon.com), search "Our Savior Lutheran Church and School, Houston" and select us as your preferred charity. Who knew supporting your school could be so easy?

**KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS PROGRAM** — Please make sure your account has our new NPO account number, **XB926**. Log in to your account at [Kroger.com](https://www.kroger.com), place the cursor on the Savings & Rewards link at the top left-hand side, and click on Kroger Community Rewards. Choose the "View Details" button under "I'm a Customer". Verify that the Organization Number is **XB926**. You should also see "You are contributing to Our Savior Lutheran School" at the bottom of your grocery receipt.

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## ***"Beauty and the Beast Jr" at Lutheran High North*** **JULY 29 & 30**



Friday and Saturday nights, July 29 & 30, at 7:00 pm. Wine and cheese receptions at 6:00 pm.

Adults pay just \$5.00 for seats and students attend FREE. Plenty of good seats available. Donations for wine and cheese greatly appreciated. No reservations necessary. ***Just come!***

21 very talented middle school students will rehearse for 90 hours to prepare this junior version of the much-loved Disney classic. Contact [paul.stuenkel@leahnorth.org](mailto:paul.stuenkel@leahnorth.org) for more information.

Our Savior students Livy Adams, David and Max Berry, Bennet Collins, Allie DeFoster, Lily Luna, Phoenix and Remington Sjolund, and Maja Stephens will star in the show. ***Don't miss it!***



**MEASURE OF DEVOTION:** Last Sunday, we had 345 people in attendance (last year 381), 426 viewers online.

### Our Ministry Challenge

Tithes & Offerings for last week .....	\$ 24,462.74
Tithes & Offerings to date – week 28 .....	\$ 896,534.97
Tithes & Offerings needed each week .....	\$ 35,365.00
Tithes & Offerings needed to date – week 28 .....	\$ 990,222.00
General Fund Income to date .....	\$ 2,116,840.81
Special Contributions to date .....	\$ 164,835.57

*“Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this,” says the Lord Almighty, “and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that you will not have room enough for it.” Malachi 3:10*

*Please use your assigned envelopes which are mailed to you, and have your number on them. That way we can be sure you are properly credited for ALL your contributions. Thank You!*

## Those To Serve:

	<b>Today, July 17, at 9:30 AM</b>	<b>Next Sunday, July 24, at 9:30 AM</b>
<b>ELDERS:</b>	Alan Fritsche / Brian Nitsch / Mel Derong / Channing Wood	Alan Fritsche / Brian Nitsch / Mel Derong / Channing Wood
<b>USHERS:</b>	Halbert Team	Downie Team
<b>SOUND:</b>	Whiting	Wilbanks/Whiting
<b>CARTS:</b>	Gavin Team	Gerard Team
<b>ACOLYTES:</b>	Colleen Crabtree / Abigail White	Anthony Cooper / Jude Morgan
<b>ALTAR GLD:</b>	—	Clarissa Worthing Team
<b>COMM. ASST:</b>	—	Alan Fritsche / Mel Derong / James Kriegel / Brian Nitsch / Channing Wood
<b>EVANGELISM:</b>	Team 5 Al	Team 1 Garry
<b>GREETERS:</b>	Team 7	Team 8
<b>MUSIC:</b>	—	—
<b>VIDEO:</b>	Amélie Boerger / Chad Greenwood / Mitchell Stephens / Adam White / Wesley White	—



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# OSI at a Glance

## Sunday, July 17, 2022

<i>Event</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
<i>Higher Things Youth Gathering Bozeman MT</i>		
Bible Class	8:15 am	Bible Class Room
<b>Matins-Baptism</b>	<b>9:30 am</b>	<b>Church &amp; online</b>
Sunday School	10:45 am	

## Monday, July 18, 2022

<i>Higher Things Youth Gathering Bozeman MT</i>		
Kidventure	8:00 am	
Adult Information Class-BC	7:00 pm	Bible Class Room
Young Adults-YR 7:00pm Youth Room		

## Tuesday, July 19, 2022

<i>Higher Things Youth Gathering Bozeman MT</i>		
Kidventure	8:00 am	
Trustees	6:30 pm	
Elders mtg-BC	7:00 pm	Bible Class Room
Night Circle-FR	7:00 pm	Family Room

## Wednesday, July 20, 2022

<i>Higher Things Youth Gathering Bozeman MT</i>		
Men's Bible Study-BC	6:30 am	Bible Class Room
Kidventure	8:00 am	
Bible Class-BC	10:00 am	Bible Class Room
Bulletin Deadline	12:00 pm	Church Office

## Thursday, July 21, 2022

<i>Higher Things Youth Gathering Bozeman MT</i>		
Kidventure	8:00 am	
Prayer Request printing deadline	3:00 pm	Church office
Evangelism Meeting - BC	6:00 pm	Bible Class Room
Lutheran Confessions Bible Study Group-BC	7:00 pm	Bible Class Room

## Friday, July 22, 2022

<i>Higher Things Youth Gathering Bozeman MT</i>	
Kidventure	8:00 am

## Saturday, July 23, 2022

*Higher Things Youth Gathering Bozeman MT*

## Sunday, July 24, 2022

Bible Class	8:15 am	Bible Class Room
<b>Communion</b>	<b>9:30 am</b>	<b>Church &amp; online</b>
Sunday School	10:45 am	
Jr Youth Fusion-A101	4:30 pm	Cafeteria A101