

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

July 25-26, 2026

Welcome to Our Savior's!

The service follows ELW Setting Four, p. 147ff.

Confession and Absolution

Hymn *Goodness of God*
(Requested by Nancy Garvin)

Song of Praise *Praise The One...* #843, v. 3

Prayer of the Day

Readings Deuteronomy 7:6-9
Psalm 125
Romans 8:28-39

Gospel Acclamation #168

Holy Gospel Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52

Children's Sermon

Sermon Pastor Ted Carnahan

Hymn *Beautiful Savior* #838
(Requested by LaDonna Evans, Ruth Hansen and William Rolfson)

Apostles' Creed, Prayers of Intercession, Peace

Offering, Hymn, and Prayer
Let The Vineyards Be Fruitful #182

Holy Communion p. 152ff
(Sat.) *How Great is Our God*
(Sun.) *How Great Thou Art* #856
(Sun.) *As The Grains Of Wheat* #465
Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise tune #207

Benadicamus and Benediction

Hymn *Amazing Grace* #779
(Requested by William Rolfson)

Dismissal

2026-07-25/26

Response Card

Thank you for worshipping with us today. Please fill this out front and back and return in the offering.

Name:

Address:

Email:

Phone:

☐ Cell ☐ Home ☐ Work

Spouse:

Children at home / ages:

I am a: (check one)
☐ First Time Visitor
☐ Returning Guest
☐ Regular Participant / Member

About this Service

Holy Communion will be celebrated at this service. All who are baptized into Christ and believe that he is really present in, with, and under the bread and wine for the forgiveness of their sins are welcome to join us at the altar.

To those with young children: We are very happy you are here today. Relax and enjoy your time here. Jesus knows that children tend to wiggle and squawk a bit, so please don't be embarrassed by it! Encourage your kids to sing and pray with us, and be sure to sing and pray your parts as an example to them.

Our Playground, located near the large stained glass window, is packed with resources to make your child's time in church more fun.

A children's sermon will be given for every kid who wants to come forward.

Calendar

Tuesday, July 28
8:30am Women's Bible Study
6:00pm New Member Class

Thursday, July 30
8:00am Men's Bible Study
(Benson's Cabin)

Saturday, August 1
5:00pm Worship

Sunday, August 2
9:00am Worship

Stay in Touch

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Announcements

Sunday's Radio Broadcast is sponsored by Kevin & Pam Nelson in honor of Matt Arlandson.

Attendance for July 11-12 was 93. The total offering was \$3,144.

Would you rather carry 100lbs for 350ft and down a flight of stairs or would you rather donate \$100? We have been offered a generous donation of a baby grand piano, but it will cost \$800 to move that 800 pound instrument! If you can help carry the load, donate 100lbs (\$100) or 50lbs (\$50) by signing up on the clipboard.

Can you play an instrument or sing? We are looking for those who are interested in offering special music in worship. Please contact Pastor Ted if you would like to help in our worship.

Did you know? We are using some newer music as part of our communion liturgy on Saturday nights.

Our next Charting the Future gathering will be Sunday, August 30 after worship in the Fellowship Hall, where we will be talking about expectations of our leaders, both professional and volunteer. Please plan to join us for the discussion.

Operation Shoebox's theme for July is "Cook's Choice" — visit our website or check the lists on the

table in the concourse for suggestions.

Help fund necessary repairs to our roof and electrical system by contributing to our newly launched capital campaign! Our goal is to raise \$50,000 by the end of 2026. To support this effort, please simply write "Capital Campaign" in the memo line of your check or designate it accordingly when you give. Thank you for helping to keep Our Savior's safe and dry! As of June 30, we have raised \$1,525.

 **Make worship more fun** for our youngest participants: consider purchasing an item from our Amazon wishlist!

Financial Update: as of June 30, our income less expenses is short \$44,500. At the same time last year, we were short \$28,200. Please prayerfully consider how you might financially support the mission of Our Savior's.

Help fund necessary repairs to our roof and electrical system by contributing to our newly launched capital campaign! Our goal is to raise \$100,000 by the end of 2026. Designate your gift to "Capital Campaign." Thank you for helping to keep Our Savior's safe and dry! As of July 23, we have raised \$2,475.

Worship Servants

Saturday: Greeter Joel Minscer; Usher Larry G. Hansen; Lector Deb Mathias; Sacristan Joel Minscer; Acolyte Brynn Beckel; Council member Nancy Garvin; Projectionist Anneliese Carnahan.

Sunday: Greeter Kara Dauer; Usher Larry Olsen; Lector Dawn Eddy; Sacristan Sara Anderson; Acolytes Brettly Steffensen and Jena Kaderabek; Council member William Rolfson; Projectionist Jean Pike; Radio announcer Mike Eddy.

In Our Prayers

Special: Steven Hansen; Rachel Grunst; Richard Seim; Lowell "Bud" Nasby; Jeff Wachal; Karen Ringkob; Richard Dickey; Matthew Jensen; Cheri Groshens; Barrett Berkner; Larry Christopher; Marsha Carnahan; Jan Fransen; Bridget Neurohr; Vanwesten family recovering from house fire; the family and friends of Ron Kyle; the family and friends of Lorraine Olson, especially Tim and family; and the family and friends of Pam

Gildy, especially her mother, Delores Anderson.

Missionaries: Rev. Enrique Estrada



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Please detach the response card, return it during the offering, and take the top portion home for info. and prayer this week.

Prayer Requests

How can we pray for you this week?

- ☐ Public (For Prayer List)
☐ Private (Just for Pastor) ☐ Please Call

Response Card

Do you set aside time regularly for devotion to God? How often, and what do you do?
