

THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 1, 2016 A.D.
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*A Christ Caring People Who Gather Around Word and Sacrament,
Yoked Together, In Personal Service to Christ in World Wide Missions*



I have said these things to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world. *John 16:33*



AS WE GATHER Jesus does not leave His faithful people comfortless when He departs from them. As the Easter season continues, the promises of Jesus become sources of affirmation and hope for the disciples. Jesus is in charge of all facets of earthly life and has decided how best to continue His mission on earth. His plan is direct and positive, although sometimes our comprehension of what He has in mind is incomplete. In today’s Gospel, we hear Jesus speaking plainly to the disciples and to us. His exclamation “I have overcome the world” is a source of limitless hope for us.

THE WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, AND OPENING PRAYER

If there are prayer concerns for you, your family, your friends, or your neighbors, please put them on the blue information card. Our Board of Elders are prayerful with our pastors about these joys and struggles of our earthly journey.
“The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective.” James 5:16b

THE RINGING BELL CALLS US INTO THE PRESENCE OF OUR RISEN LORD

DIVINE SERVICE-SETTING FOUR

THE OPENING HYMN

*“Scatter the Darkness, Break the Gloom” LSB 481
(All who are able, please stand)*

THE INVOCATION

P In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

Matthew 28:19b; [18:20]

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P Our help is in the name of the Lord.

C **who made heaven and earth.**

Psalm 124:8

P If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

C **But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.**

Psalm 130:3-4

P Since we are gathered to hear God’s Word and call upon Him in prayer and praise, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

[Luke 18:13]

C **Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.**

(Silence for a moment of reflection)

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

[John 20:19-23]

C Amen.

THE HYMN OF PRAISE “Gloria in Excelsis” LSB 204



1 To God on high be glo - ry And peace to all the earth;
2 To You, O sole - be - got - ten, The Fa - ther’s Son, we pray;
3 For You a - lone are ho - ly; You on - ly are the Lord.



Good-will from God in heav - en Pro - claimed at Je - sus’ birth!
O Lamb of God, our Sav - ior, You take our sins a - way.
For - ev - er and for - ev - er, Be wor - shiped and a - dored;



We praise and bless You, Fa - ther; Your ho - ly name, we sing—
 Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus; Re - ceive our heart - felt cry,
 You with the Ho - ly Spir - it A - lone are Lord Most High,



Our thanks for Your great glo - ry, Lord God, our heav'n-ly King.
 Where You in pow'r are seat-ed At God's right hand on high—
 In God the Fa - ther's glo - ry. "A - men!" our glad re - ply.

THE COLLECT

Almighty God, Your Son spoke directly with His disciples. He gave them everlasting life. Enable us to know Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life. Guide us in the way which brings full life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

THE FIRST READING *Acts 16:9–15 (Paul travels to Macedonia on his missionary journey.)*

THE SPECIAL MUSIC *“Processional Bell, Chime and Carillon Celebration”... Tucker /Wagner
 Con Brio Bells*

THE EPISTLE LESSON *Revelation 21:9–14, 21–27 (The heavenly Jerusalem is a vision of glory.)*



C Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



C These things are writ - ten that you may be - lieve that



Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.



THE HOLY GOSPEL *St. John 16:23–33 (Jesus speaks of leaving the world and returning to the Father.)*

THE SERMON HYMN *“This Joyful Eastertide” LSB 482*

THE SERMON *“With Hearts Taken”
St. John 16:23-24, 33
Pastor Daniel Barbey*

THE CREED *8:20 Nicene Inside back cover of the Lutheran Service Book
11:00 Apostles’ Inside back cover of the Lutheran Service Book*

THE EXCHANGE OF PEACE

THE OFFERING *We gather our tithes, gifts of love, and our “Building Together in Faith” gifts.*

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

P Friends in Christ, I urge you all to lift up your hearts to God and pray with me as Christ our Lord has taught us. He promises to hear us.

Our Father in heaven, look on us, Your children and grant us grace that Your holy name be hallowed by us through the pure and true teaching of Your Word. Lord, in Your mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

P May Your kingdom come to us. Loose our hearts from sin and extend your power in and through us. Lord, in Your mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

P May Your good and gracious will be done among us so that we can know You to be our Father. Conform our wills to Your will. Especially and gently work Your will in the lives of our Faith family and its friends in the midst of life’s joys and struggles... Lord, in Your mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**



P Grant us our daily bread, and teach us that You provide for us each day. Fill us with joy at Your provision. Lord, in Your mercy,
 C **hear our prayer.**
 P Forgive us our sins as we also forgive those who sin against us. May our hearts may be at peace and rejoice in a good conscience before You. Lord, in Your mercy,
 C **hear our prayer.**
 P Lead us not into temptation, O Lord, but by Your powerful Spirit subdue our flesh, turn us from the world and overcome the devil with all his wiles. Lord, in Your mercy,
 C **hear our prayer.**
 P O heavenly Father, deliver us from all evil now and until we die. Lord, in Your mercy,
 C **hear our prayer.**
 P We trust, O Lord, in Your great mercy to hear and answer us; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.
 C **Amen.**

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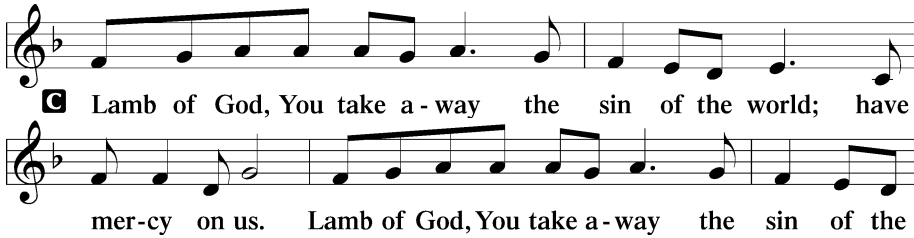
THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT
8:20 Service


THE WORDS OF OUR LORD *Matthew 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24; Luke 22:19-20; 1 Corinthians 11:23-25*

THE PAX DOMINI ~ *The Peace of the Lord* *John 20:19*

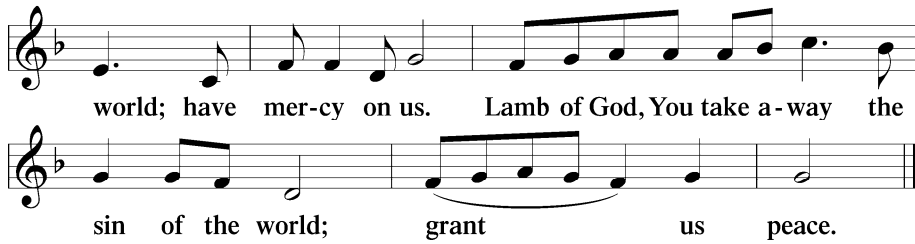
P The Peace of the Lord be with you always.
 C **And also with you.**

AGNUS DEI




 Lamb of God, You take a - way the sin of the world; have

 mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a - way the sin of the



world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the
sin of the world; grant us peace.

Crossed Hands – The Board of Elders would find it helpful that when you desire to receive the communion wafer in your hand that you extend your hands in front of you. It is a nice tradition that you cross your hands simply placing your top hand crossed in the palm of the lower hand.

THE COMMUNION HYMNS

- “Alleluia! Sing to Jesus” LSB 821
- “God’s Own Child, I Gladly Say It” LSB 594
- “Sent Forth by God’s Blessing” LSB 643



NUNC DIMITTIS ~ Song of Simeon Luke 2:29-32




1 O Lord, now let Your ser- vant De -
2 All glo - ry to the Fa - ther, All
part in heav'n - ly peace, For I have seen the
glo - ry to the Son, All glo - ry to the
glo - ry Of Your re - deem - ing grace:
Spir - it, For - ev - er Three - in - One;
A light to lead the Gen - tiles Un -
For as in the be - gin - ning, Is



to Your ho - ly hill, The glo - ry of Your
now, shall ev - er be, God's tri - une name re -
peo - ple, Your cho - sen Is - ra - el.
sound - ing Through all e - ter - ni - ty.

THE BENEDICTION (*With Sung Amens*)

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.



☐ A-men, a-men, a - men.

THE CLOSING HYMN “*Have No Fear, Little Flock*” LSB 735

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Welcome to Faith Evangelical Lutheran on this Sixth Sunday of Easter. We are delighted to have you worship with us. If you are visiting from out of town, we welcome you and wish you a safe journey. If you are from our community and have no church home, we invite you to make Faith your church home. Greeting you this morning:

Before Early Service

John & Velda Bartel
Marrill & Sandy Bales

After Early Service

Danny & Cheri Adams
Dallan & Jackie Hoefener



Before Late Service

Harry & Sage Briggs
Steve & Nancy Allard

After Late Service

David & Luann Zuercher
Julie Linn

Preaching this morning is Reverend Daniel Barbey, our Intentional Interim Senior Pastor. Reverend Joshua Baumann, our Associate Pastor, is our Liturgist.

Prayer at the Pulpit Following both services Pastor Barbey will be by the Pulpit if you have prayer concerns this morning.

Holy Communion will be celebrated at our 8:20 service this Sunday. In this Sacrament, our Lord brings us strength and forgiveness to be about His vision and mission. Those confirmed Lutherans who come to the Sacrament of the Altar today are asked to read the communion side of our information card found in the pew rack and to sign the bottom of the reverse side so that our communion records might be complete.



Adult Bible Study There is no adult Bible study this morning. Join us for the Voter's Assembly in the Christian Family Life Center between services.

Sunday School Sunday School is for all children age 3 by September 1, 2015. You can register for Sunday School in the Narthex. Sunday School ends next Sunday, May 8.

Nursery Nursery is available during the 11:00 service. Nursery is located in the **F/G Room downstairs**. It is for children ages infant through 5 year olds.

Nursing Moms can find a comfortable rocker in the Daycare. This is NOT a Nursery for young children, just a quiet, private place for nursing moms.

God Be With You!

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Our Broadcasts Our Sonrise and Cable Broadcasts are made possible this week by our Faith congregation.

Did you know that "Sonrise" is streamed on KCCR live? If you are away, log on to www.TodaysKCCR.com. The Broadcast schedules are on the traveling Bulletin board, which is in the Narthex. Our Cable Broadcast is also on our Website. Take a look at www.faithluth.com. **COST:** You may sponsor the radio broadcast of Sonrise for \$30.00. This radio broadcast is on 1240 AM KCCR at 6:40 a.m. on Sunday morning. The cost of sponsoring the cable broadcast of our worship service is \$35.00. This cable access broadcast is televised on Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. on Channel 8. If you choose to sponsor both, the cost is \$60.00.

Sun., Apr. 24 Att. 469; General Fund \$7,524.60; Building Fund \$550.00 (Debt Retirement \$550.00); Sunday School \$8.00; Love Fund \$100.00; Contingency Fund \$100.00; Thrivent Automatic Withdrawal \$1,315.00 (General \$1,250.00, Debt Retirement \$65.00).

This Week at Faith Lutheran

Today: May 1

8:20 am Communion
9:45 am Sunday School
9:45 am Voters' Assembly
11:00 am Worship
6:15 Board of Stewardship
7:00 Bd. of Elders, Bd. of Missions,
Board of Parish Fellowship

Mon: May 2

5:30-7:00 pm Youth Orchestra Practice
6:30-8:00 Tae Kwon Do
7:00-8:00 pm Pierre Capitoliens Practice
7:00 pm Men's Fellowship

Tues: May 3

8:25 am Staff Devotions
10:15 "Chocolate Life" Women's Study
6:15 pm Trustees Meeting
6:30 pm Choir Practice
7:30-9:00 pm Pickleball

Wed: May 4

6:30-7:45 pm Midweek
6:30 "James/Jude" Study at Lila Houck's
28318 US Hwy 14/34, Ft. Pierre
8:00 pm LYF Youth Meeting

Thurs: May 5

8:25 am Staff Devotions
11:30 am Ministerium
6:30-8:00 Tae Kwon Do

Sun: May 8

8:20 am Worship
9:30 am LYF Breakfast Fundraiser
9:45 am Sunday School Ends for Summer
Adult Study of "Judges"
11:00 am Communion



BUILDING NEWS

Thank you for your continued gifts to our Building Fund – We thank you for your gifts last Sunday to the Building Fund of \$615.00. The gifts were designated as follows:

The Debt Retirement Account: \$615.00
The Building Account: \$0.00

Debt Retirement Thanks to your generosity we were able to send in one additional advance payment along with the May loan payment. That brings us to 161 advance payments which have saved us \$554, 517.54 in interest. Our loan balance is now \$420,959.24.

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Voters' Assembly This morning is our Voters' Assembly. The main purpose of this assembly is the election of Officers for the next year.

→**TEACHERS of Faith Lutheran Church:** (Midweek, Sunday School, Adult Bible Studies—Men's... Ladies...In-home etc. — along with our Daycare, & Pre-school Staff & Teachers)... Join us for a **NOON LUNCHEON** in the gym with your family Sunday, May 15th after the 11 o'clock worship in your honor! Our way of saying thanks for all that you do! We will have lunch, door prizes, and a small program. We praise God for your all service!



Diaper Derby begins next Sunday, May 8, and will continue through Father's Day, June 19. Your donations of disposable diapers and wipes will be greatly appreciated!

The SD District LWML Convention will be held in Pierre at Faith June 3-4, 2016. Volunteers are needed to work at the registration desk during the convention. If you would be available to help for a short time, please contact Marla Mosiman to volunteer. Call 605-222-3313, or email mmosiman@venturecomm.net if you can be there!

Main Street Living Did you know that you can get daily devotions on the Main Street Living web site? Just go to www.mainstreetliving.com, click on the Lutheran Hour Ministries link, then click on the Daily Devotion tab. There is a new message posted every day.

Kid's Crossing-Lists are important. They remind us of what we need to do. A prayer list reminds us of who and what we are to pray for.

May 1, 2016-Rev Kory Janneke of Faith Lutheran Church in Sioux Falls SD, brings today's sermon "We Shall Overcome" based on John 16:33. Jesus Shall Reign; I Know That My Redeemer Lives; and Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise will be sung by the Main Street Living Choir. The program is interpreted and closed captioned for the hearing impaired.

Life Quotes "The question that arises is, 'Why is [the Hippocratic oath prohibition on physician-assisted suicide] there?' Why is that something that physicians, with tremendous consistency, over 2,000+ years, have continued to affirm and profess? A commitment to never participate in assisted suicide is essential for the possibility of doctors continuing to care well for patients who are dying." *Farr A. Curlin, MD, Duke University School of Medicine – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*

Faith Lutheran Youth - F.L.Y.

Here's what happening with the youth of Faith Lutheran....



Acolytes for April

May 1

Early: Pacen Banuat, Jordan Thompson

Late: Joseph King, Jaden Filler

Late: Hannah Lingle, Megan Pease

May 22 Senior Sunday

Early: Sammie Axtell, Cassie Axtell

Late: Kassie Tronvold, Kailee Schultz

May 8

Early: Melissa Hedglin, Jesse Jares

Late: Adam Schochenmaier, Trevor Hayes

May 29

Early: Cassandra and Samuel Ryckman

Late: Emily Haberling, Brady Hofteizer

May 15

Early: Rebecca Norris, Kenzie Trujillo

**If acolytes are not able to be present for their assigned day, it is their responsibility to call someone else to find a replacement and then notify the church office. Thank you so very much!*

Verse(s) of the Week: (NIV)

Matthew 5:14, 16 NIV "You are the light of the world. A city on a hill cannot be hidden... In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in Heaven."

→ **PRAYERS** of all types and sorts... "."

Lord in Your mercy...Hear our prayer.

Teacher Appreciation Noon Luncheon May 15th for ALL Classroom & Bible study teachers and subs of Faith.

V.B.S. June 5-9. "In what ways can I help?" Be watching the back table for sign-ups!



Senior Sunday On May 22nd all the Seniors from both Stanley County and Pierre are invited to participate in early service as we recognize you and to stick around in between shortly for brief light refreshments and reception.

War Room Family Movie Night at Faith Friday, May 27th. Yes, it's Memorial Weekend but

what a great opportunity if you are not going out of town! Come join us on the evening of the 27th for popcorn and a movie beginning at 6:30. Cost is free! Invite the whole family. A signup will be on the back table in the Narthex.

Jacob Shoup in Concert at Faith Friday, June 17th @7:00 p.m. There will be a potluck meal at 5:30 before the concert. Hope the whole family can come out!

LCMS National Youth Gathering? Upcoming Dates:

- July 16-20, 2016 the actual gathering date
- *Payment Due Dates per Child *(May 16th amount Tentative)*
 - May 16th, 2016 - \$200



For More Info Check Out: www.lcmsgathering.com



→ **Acolyte Training Sunday Evening May 1st.** This training is for all 8th graders to prepare them for acolyting next summer. All 8th graders are to be present from 4:00-5:00 pm on Sunday evening, May 1st in the sanctuary at Faith followed by an elder sponsored pizza party.



→ **Sunday School Children Singing Dates for the Remainder of the Year:**
Midweek Children Sing on May 8th)

→ **The Theme for this year's Vacation Bible School will be: Barnyard Roundup: Jesus Gathers Us Together!** Our VBS dates for this year are: June 5-9. Sing-ups for adult volunteers, decorations, and helpers will be made available in April.



→ **OUR LAST DAY OF SUNDAY SCHOOL** is going to be Sunday, May 8th.

→ **MIDWEEK — Our last night of Midweek classes for this year is going to be Wednesday evening May 4th** concluding with an ice cream party (outside). We also want to remind our Midweek students that they will be singing on Mother's Day, which is Sunday, May 8th at the 11 o'clock service.

→ **Did you know? Camp Minneboji...** dates for this summer are set and will be Sunday, June 26th through Saturday, July 2nd. Registration sheets on the back table in



the Narthex. A shuttle will be provided to and from camp. Pastor Baumann is coordinating those efforts.



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→ **Got something to share in the youth announcement section?** Please e-mail it to: baumannj@csl.edu Thanks!

→ **Need to talk?** Need prayers and encouragement? Pastor Baumann would love to pray for you, and if possible even with you for anything big or small that may be on your heart or mind. Find him after worship, or in the office for a special opportunity for prayer and conversation.

Upcoming Youth Dates to Keep In Mind:

May 4th → Last day of Midweek followed by an ice cream social outside

May 8th → Last day of Sunday School

May 8th → Midweek students sing at the 11 o’clock service

May 15th → Teacher Appreciation Luncheon

June 5-9th → V.B.S. “*Barnyard Roundup*”

June 17th → Jacob Shoup CD Release Concert 7pm

June 27-June 30th → Circuit Bible Camp

June 26-July 2nd → Camp Minneboji

On the Lighter Side:

Q: Where do orcas hear music?

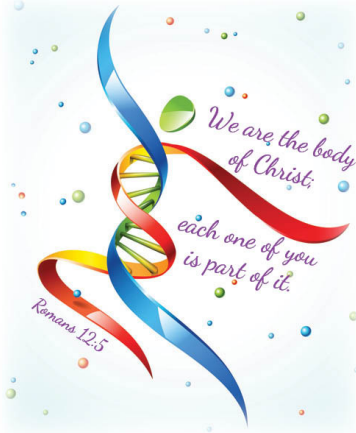
A: Orca-stras!

Q: What do you call a cold dog sitting on a bunny?

A: A chili dog on a bun.

Q: What do you call lending money to a bison?

A: A buff-a-loan



LWML District Convention is June 3-4 at Faith Lutheran Church, Pierre. Our theme is “We are the body of Christ; each one of you is part of it.” Friday evening worship service is at 7:00 pm and is open to the community. Over the 2 days we will have wonderful speakers, service events, and the opportunity to bring Gifts from the Heart.

We will have two projects for our Gifts from the Heart. Harvest Winds LLC on the Rosebud Reservation at Parmalee has been operating for well over a year sewing

articles for sale to the general public. One of their projects is sewing star quilts. According to Pastor Andrew Utecht they always need GOOD quality cotton quilting fabric and other sewing supplies. This will be one of our projects for our Gifts from the Heart. Quilting fabric may be of any SOLID color of good quality 100% cotton and at least two yards in length. You may also purchase a bolt of the quilting fabric. If you wish, you may furnish material for the backing of larger quilts in WHITE or OFF-WHITE only. The wider backing is made in either 90” or 108” widths. You would buy 2 1/2 yards of either width. They can also use the 3000 yard cone thread in white, off-white, or light tan colors.

The second project is items for the Pierre Food pantry. You may purchase non-perishable food items and paper products for the Pierre Food Pantry.