



ST. MARK'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Psalms Sermon Series

Week 7 of 7

WELCOME GUESTS

We are grateful and blessed to have you worship with us, as God's family, here at St. Mark's. When God's people come together we are the beating heart of His Church. We come together to receive His gifts of mercy and grace that sustain our faith and renew our Spirit. When we leave we have the privilege of sharing these gifts with others in our own lives. We hope you can see what a blessing it is to be a part of the heartbeat of God's people. Enjoy your time, meet some new people, and draw closer to Jesus Christ. ~ Pastor Eric Hauan

SERMON NOTE QUESTIONS

1. What did I learn about the context (time, author, audience, important events) during which the sermon text was written?
2. What sin does this message make me want to confront in my own life?
3. How was the Gospel or Good News of Jesus Christ proclaimed to me in this message?
4. In what ways can I take the overall message of this sermon to shape my life and the lives of the people God has placed around me?

CHRISTIAN GROWTH OPPORTUNITY

Adult & High School Bible Study meets from 9:15 - 10:15 am in Fellowship Hall

Pastor Hauan will be doing a Bible study on the book of Hebrews

RINGING OF THE BELLS ~ WELCOME TO WORSHIP

OPENING PRAISE: "God of Grace and God of Glory" (LSB 850)

INVOCATION

CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C who made heaven and earth.

P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

C and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

P O almighty God, merciful Father,

C I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the (+) Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

KYRIE

P Lord, have mercy upon us.

C **Christ, have mercy upon us.**

Lord, have mercy upon us.

HYMN OF PRAISE: "Spirit Song"

FIRST READING: *Psalms 32*

Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered. Blessed is the man against whom the Lord counts no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit. For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away through my groaning all day long. For day and night your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, "I confess my transgressions to the Lord," and you forgave the iniquity of my sin. Therefore let everyone who is godly offer prayer to you at a time when you may be found; surely in the rush of great waters, they shall not reach him. You are a hiding place for me; you preserve me from trouble; you surround me with shouts of deliverance. I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you with my eye upon you. Be not like a horse or a mule, without understanding, which must be curbed with bit and bridle, or it will not stay near you. Many are the sorrows of the wicked, but steadfast love surrounds the one who trusts in the Lord. Be glad in the Lord, and rejoice, O righteous, and should for joy, all you upright in heart!

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God!**

ANTHEM: "Come into God's Embrace" - Celebration Choir

GOSPEL: *Matthew 27:1-10*

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew the 27th chapter.

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

When morning came, all the chief priests and the elders of the people took counsel against Jesus to put him to death. And they bound him and led him away and delivered him over to Pilate the governor.

Then when Judas, his betrayer, saw that Jesus was condemned, he changed his mind and brought back the thirty pieces of silver to the chief priests and the elders, saying, "I have sinned by betraying innocent blood." They said, "What is that to us? See to it yourself." And throwing down the pieces of silver into the temple, he departed, and he went and hanged himself. But the chief priests, taking the pieces of silver, said, "It is not lawful to put them into the treasury, since it is blood money." So they took counsel and bought with them the potter's field as a burial place for strangers. Therefore that field has been called the Field of Blood to this day. Then was fulfilled what had been spoken by the prophet Jeremiah, saying, "And they took the thirty pieces of silver, the price of him on whom a price has been set by some of the sons of Israel, and they gave them for the potter's field, as the Lord directed me."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to You, O Christ!**

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CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

HYMN OF THE DAY: "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" (LSB 425)

SERMON

PRAYERS FOR THE FAMILY OF GOD

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Presentation of Bibles for Kindergarteners and 4th Graders

PREFACE

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Lift up your hearts.

C We lift them to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

HOLY COMMUNION

We believe Christ's body and blood are truly present in the bread and wine of this Sacrament for the forgiveness of sins to all who believe. If you share this belief, please join us in celebrating the meal of God's family – Holy Communion, please receive the wafer in the palm of your hand. After placing it in your mouth, you may either drink from the common cup or take an individual cup. (The cups with white juice are for those who have requested them. Gluten-Free wafers are available upon request.)

COMMUNION HYMNS

“How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds” (LSB 524)

“Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me” (LSB 761)

BLESSING ~ BENEDICTION

DISMISSAL

P Wherever you go, Christ is sending you.

Wherever you are, Christ has put you there.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

READERS

Carol Calmes

Dick Schroeder

Derek Simon

POWERPOINT

Michael Deedon

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS

Dennis Wald, Sharon Rezin

Rita Woller, Donna Schroeder

USHERS

DeWayne & Rose Graf, Bob Christensen, Todd Krause, Gary Krause

Jeff Block, Dale Vande Boom, John Woller, Joe D'Acquisto

Please keep the following people in our prayers: Helen Prochnow, Sandy Hass, Lyle & Sandy Royce for medical healing. Rex Mortensen for medical concerns. Sully McGuire, friend of Pastor Eric, who is battling cancer. Prayers of healing for Gordana Mitrovich, who fell and suffered a broken pelvis. For Bethany and the Haiti Mission. For Becky Haltaufderheid, LWML Dist. President, who is battling pancreatic cancer. For Carla Haebig who had a procedure done recently. Gail Martinez who has had a recent arm & shoulder injury. For Karey Kramer & Bill Friedli who have had surgeries recently. Janice Bacon, sister-in-law of Linda Ohde, who is currently in cardiac ICU. Connie Brown who will be having surgery on September 14th. Gary Langbecker for health concerns. Pastor Ray Connor who recently had surgery. For the family of Jim Brumm who recently passed away.



The St. Marks congregation would like to thank the Schedler family for the donation to the Audio Fund in Bob Schedler's name.

St. Mark's Scoop

September 13-20, 2020



Sunday, September 13	RALLY DAY 8:00 Worship 9:15 Bible Study 10:30 Worship
Monday, September 14	8:00 OGT 9:00 Staff Meeting 11:30 Noon Optimists
Tuesday, September 15	6:30 MIA Bible Study 9:00 Quilting 6:00 Sunday School teachers meeting
Wednesday, September 16	6:00 Worship 6:45 Midweek Starts
Thursday, September 17	6:00 Celebration Choir
Friday, September 18	1:00 Food Pantry Pastor's Day Off
Saturday, September 19	_____
Sunday, September 20	8:00 Worship 9:15 Bible Study / Sunday School Starts 10:30 Worship

Who do I contact to ...

Become a member - Pastor or Jean
 Baptize my child - Pastor or Jean
 Make a prayer request - Jean or Sharon
 Get married - Pastor or Jean
 Volunteer - Sharon
 Give to church - Sharon
 Ask a question about finances - Sharon
 Ask general questions - Pastor or Jean

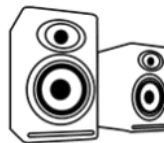
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Please consider contributing to the new sound system

Bid Total - Arrow Audio Inc.:	\$73,816.22
Donations brought in:	\$19,312.57
Balance to Raise:	\$54,503.65



Preschool Updates

We currently have **1 opening in our Tuesday-Thursday** class. If you would like to sign your child up, please call the office for registration forms or print off our website under: **PRESCHOOL - FORMS.**

Offering vs. Budget

As of 9/6/2020

Budget per Week:
\$8,545.35

Actual this Week:
\$6,216.00