

ST. LUKE'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH 10:30 a.m.

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Pastor

14TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY FESTIVAL

Autumn Wiechmann, organist

September 10, 2023

WELCOME!

“Inasmuch then as the children have partaken of flesh and blood, He Himself [Jesus] likewise shared in the same, that through death He might destroy him who had the power of death, that is, the devil, ---Hebrews2:14

ORDER OF SERVICE: Page 12, Supplement

Hymn 346 Jesus! and Shall It Ever Be a Mortal Man Ashamed of Thee?

EPISTLE: Galatians 5:16-24 There is a war being fought inside each Christian. The Old Adam vs. The New Man. The Old Adam—our sinful flesh or sinful nature—works to lead us away from God into Satan’s clutches and into deeper and deeper sin. The New Man—the man of faith and love in the Savior who gave Himself up for us—fights to put down the Old Adam and to serve the Lord. We are being pulled back and forth—tempted to indulge in sin and perversity, yet at the same time called back by God’s mercy in Christ to love and follow the Lord. Through the Holy Spirit, who leads us to forgiveness in Christ, we have motivation and strength to fight the Old Adam every day!

PSALM 45, p. 32 My Heart Is Overflowing!!

GOSPEL Luke 17:11-19 Ten men with dreaded leprosy came to Jesus. Jesus healed all ten of them. One realized His unworthiness and the greatness of the gift. He returned to give thanks. Jesus assured him that he was saved by faith! --- You and I are unworthy too. Yet in Christ we have healing and forgiveness. His mercy is richly given to each. Do not simply walk away from the Savior. Return thanks and serve Him!

APOSTLES' CREED

Hymn 789 Consider How the Birds Above!

SERMON: GENESIS 22:1-14

GO TO MORIAH

Now it came to pass after these things that God tested Abraham, and said to him, Abraham! And he said, Here I am. Then He said, Take now your son, your only son Isaac, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah, and offer him there as a burnt offering on one of the mountains of which I shall tell you.

So Abraham rose early in the morning and saddled his donkey, and took two of his young men with him, and Isaac his son; and he split the wood for the burnt offering, and arose and went to the place of which God had told him. Then on the third day Abraham lifted his eyes and saw the place afar off. And Abraham said to his young men, Stay here with the donkey; the lad and I will go yonder and worship, and we will come back to you.

So Abraham took the wood of the burnt offering and laid it on Isaac his son; and he took the fire in his hand, and a knife, and the two of them went together. But Isaac spoke to Abraham his father and said, My father! And he said, Here I am, my son. Then he said, Look, the fire and the wood, but where is the lamb for a burnt offering? And Abraham said, My son, God will provide for Himself the lamb for a burnt offering. So the two of them went together.

Then they came to the place of which God had told him. And Abraham built an altar there and placed the wood in order; and he bound Isaac his son and laid him on the altar, upon the wood. And Abraham stretched out his hand and took the knife to slay his son. But the Angel of the LORD called to him from heaven and said, Abraham, Abraham! So he said, Here I am. And He said, Do not lay your hand on the lad, or do anything to him; for now I know that you fear God, since you have not withheld your son, your only son, from Me.

Then Abraham lifted his eyes and looked, and there behind him was a ram caught in a thicket by its horns. So Abraham went and took the ram, and offered it up for a burnt offering instead of his son. And Abraham called the name of the place, The-LORD-Will-Provide; as it is said to this day, In the Mount of the LORD it shall be provided.

Offering

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Hymn 651 vv. 1-3 Be Still, My Soul

Benediction

Hymn 651 v. 4 Be Still, My Soul

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09/17 Sunday 10:30 Worship with HOLY COMMUNION
9:30 Bible Class and Sunday School
09/24 Sunday 10:30 Worship
9:30 Bible Class and Sunday School.
10/01 Sunday 10:30 Worship with HOLY COMMUNION
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PASTORS' CONFERENCE: This week from Tuesday through Thursday, the pastors of the CLC's West Central Conference will meet at St. Paul Lutheran in Bismarck.

WHAT DOES THE BIBLE TERM "JUSTIFIED" MEAN?

In common speech "justified" means "to be proved right." Example: My father was justified in his suspicions about my new friend. In the courtroom where justice is dispensed, "justified" means to be proved right and found not guilty. Mr. Smith was justified (declared not guilty) of all charges against him.

In Biblical terms "justified" likewise means to be "pronounced not guilty" by God, to be "declared right"; but all the while carrying guilt and a dismal record. Being "justified" means that a verdict of right-standing or righteousness before God has been issued—that verdict comes to us without any merit or worthiness on our part. It is a GIFT! God "justifies" sinners—for the sake of what Jesus has done for us. Jesus has taken upon Himself the punishment for our sins, and the not-guilty verdict is delivered. The blessings of that verdict are ours through faith in Christ.

By the deeds of the law no flesh will be justified in His sight (Romans 3:20).

A man is justified by faith, apart from the deeds of the law (Romans 3:28).

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