



**NORTHDAL E LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
**TAMPA, FL**  
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# Northdale Lutheran Church and School

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*"WE GROW IN GOD'S WORD SO THAT WE CAN GO WITH GOD'S WORD"*

## THE TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

**Welcome to Northdale Lutheran!** We are so glad you are joining us to proclaim what God has done and to sing his praises. Here the Lord also comes to us and strengthens us with his mighty Word. Take a moment to meet and greet those around you! Also:

- ❖ Restrooms are in the entrance and through the nursery hallway.
- ❖ Help us be more welcoming by signing the guest registers in each row.
- ❖ To help keep the sanctuary as a quiet place of worship and meditation and for your convenience: A Quiet Room is available for the whole service for young children in the back of the sanctuary. Please make use of this room if your child becomes loud in worship.
- ❖ Everything you need for worship is printed in the worship folder.

### WORSHIP THEME

It is the believer's duty to abstain from sin, give forgiveness, and serve our neighbor. The Church, prays that God would make us ready to do with a cheerful heart that which pleases him.

# CALL TO WORSHIP—MORNING PRAISE

## MATINS

*"Morning Praise" is based on the historic service called "Matins." Joined to Christ, our risen Lord, we glorify God as we rise to the activities of this new day.*

PLEASE STAND



1 Fa - ther, we praise you, now the night is o - ver, Ac - tive and  
2 Mon - arch of all things, fit us for your man - sions; Ban - ish our  
3 All - ho - ly Fa - ther, Son, and e - qual Spir - it, Trin - i - ty



watch - ful, stand - ing now be - fore you. Sing - ing, we of - fer  
weak - ness, health and whole - ness send - ing. Bring us to heav - en,  
bless - ed, send us your sal - va - tion. Yours is the glo - ry,



prayer and med - i - ta - tion; Thus we a - dore you.  
where your saints u - nit - ed Joy with - out end - ing.  
gleam - ing and re - sound - ing Through all cre - a - tion.

## INVOCATION



M: O Lord, o - pen my lips.



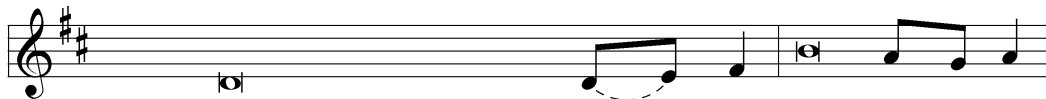
C: And my mouth shall de - clare your praise.



**M:** Has - ten to save me, O God.



**C:** O Lord, come quick - ly to help me.



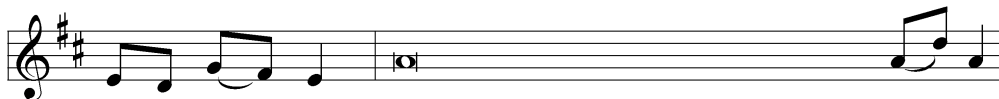
**M:** The Spirit of the Lord — — — — fills the world: Let us worship him!

## OH, COME, LET US SING TO THE LORD

*VENITE*



**C:** Oh, come, let us sing to the Lord, let us make a joyful noise to the rock of



our sal - va - tion. Let us come into his presence with thanks-giv - ing,



let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise. For the Lord is a



great God and a great king above all gods. The deep places of the earth are



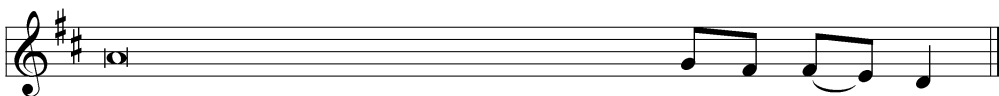
in his hand; the heights of the hills are al - so his. The sea is his, for he



made it, and his hand formed the dry land. Oh, come, let us worship and



bow down, let us kneel before the Lord our mak - er. For he is our God,



and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand.

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

**M:** Let us pray.

Almighty God, in your bountiful goodness keep us safe from every evil of body and soul. Make us ready, with cheerful hearts, to do whatever pleases you; through Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C:** Amen

*BE SEATED*

# THE WORD OF GOD\*



## THE SECOND LESSON: 2 TIMOTHY 1:3-14

*Because of the grace given us through our Lord Jesus, we are called to serve the Lord's kingdom.*

I thank God, whom I serve, as my ancestors did, with a clear conscience, as night and day I constantly remember you in my prayers. <sup>4</sup>Recalling your tears, I long to see you, so that I may be filled with joy. <sup>5</sup>I am reminded of your sincere faith, which first lived in your grandmother Lois and in your mother Eunice and, I am persuaded, now lives in you also.

<sup>6</sup>For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands. <sup>7</sup>For the Spirit God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love and self-discipline. <sup>8</sup>So do not be ashamed of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner. Rather, join with me in suffering for the gospel, by the power of God. <sup>9</sup>He has saved us and called us to a holy life—not because of anything we have done but because of his own purpose and grace. This grace was given us in Christ Jesus before the beginning of time, <sup>10</sup>but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Savior, Christ Jesus, who has destroyed death and has brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. <sup>11</sup>And of this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher. <sup>12</sup>That is why I am suffering as I am. Yet this is no cause for shame, because I know whom I have believed, and am convinced that he is able to guard what I have entrusted to him until that day.

<sup>13</sup>What you heard from me, keep as the pattern of sound teaching, with faith and love in Christ Jesus. <sup>14</sup>Guard the good deposit that was entrusted to you—guard it with the help of the Holy Spirit who lives in us.

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### \*The Word of God

*"The reading of the Lessons is a highlight of a service. The spiritually hungry have come to be fed and nurtured and to drink from the waters of life. Knowing that 'faith comes from hearing the message,' God's people listen intently with attention aroused to be blessed by the hearing of God's Word." Christian Worship Manual*

## PSALM OF THE DAY, PSALM 27

### *Refrain*



### *Psalm tone*



### ***Refrain***

Hear my voice when I call, O LORD;\*  
be merciful to me and answer me.

Do not hide your face from me,\*  
do not turn your servant away in anger; you have been my helper.

Do not reject me or forsake me,\*  
O God my Savior.

### ***Refrain***

Though my father and mother forsake me,\*  
the LORD will receive me.

I am still confident of this:\*  
I will see the goodness of the LORD in the land of the living.

Wait for the LORD;\*  
be strong and take heart and wait for the LORD.

**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.**

## THE GOSPEL LESSON: LUKE 17:1-10

*Repentance and forgiveness mark the believer's life of faith. Knowledge of one's own forgiveness in Jesus leads to a forgiving heart and thanksgiving to the King of Grace.*

Jesus said to his disciples: "Things that cause people to stumble are bound to come, but woe to anyone through whom they come. <sup>2</sup>It would be better for them to be thrown into the sea with a millstone tied around their neck than to cause one of these little ones to stumble. <sup>3</sup>So watch yourselves.

"If your brother or sister sins against you, rebuke them; and if they repent, forgive them. <sup>4</sup>Even if they sin against you seven times in a day and seven times come back to you saying 'I repent,' you must forgive them."

<sup>5</sup>The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith!"

<sup>6</sup>He replied, "If you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it will obey you.

<sup>7</sup> "Suppose one of you has a servant plowing or looking after the sheep. Will he say to the servant when he comes in from the field, 'Come along now and sit down to eat'? <sup>8</sup>Won't he rather say, 'Prepare my supper, get yourself ready and wait on me while I eat and drink; after that you may eat and drink'? <sup>9</sup>Will he thank the servant because he did what he was told to do? <sup>10</sup>So you also, when you have done everything you were told to do, should say, 'We are unworthy servants; we have only done our duty.' "



## SEASONAL RESPONSE:

**All: Come, Holy Spirit! Fill the hearts of your faithful people, and kindle in us the fire of your love.**

### SERMON HYMN, CW #181, "COME, OH, COME, LIFE-GIVING SPIRIT"



1 Come, oh, come, life - giv - ing Spir - it, God from all e -  
2 Show us, Lord, the path of bless - ing; When we tres - pass  
3 With our spir - it, Lord, bear wit - ness That we are the  
4 Prompt us, Lord, to come be - fore him With a child - like  
5 Grant our hearts in full - est mea - sure Wis - dom, coun - sel,



ter - ni - ty! May your pow - er nev - er fail us;  
on our way, Cast, O Lord, our sins be - hind you  
saints of God Who re - ly up - on him sole - ly  
heart to pray; Sigh for us, O Ho - ly Spir - it,  
pur - i - ty, That we al - ways strive to please you,



Dwell with - in us con - stant - ly. Then shall truth and  
And be with us day by day. Should we stray, O  
When we're chas - tened by the rod; For we know, as  
When we know not what to say. Then our prayer is  
Work - ing for you will - ing - ly. Let the gos - pel



life and light Ban - ish all the gloom of night.  
Lord, re - call; Work re - pent - ance when we fall.  
chil - dren should, That the cross is for our good.  
not in vain, And our faith new strength shall gain.  
spread and grow, Bring - ing Sa - tan's o - ver - throw.

Text: Heinrich Held, 1620–59, abr.; tr. Charles W. Schaeffer, 1813–96, alt.

Tune: KOMM, O KOMM, DU GEIST DES LEBENS (87 87 77) *Neu-vermehrtes . . . Gesangbuch*, 3rd ed., Meiningen, 1693, alt.

## **CHILDREN’S MESSAGE (10:30 A.M.SERVICE)**

*WE WILL STOP AFTER VERSE 2 OF THE HYMN FOR THE CHILDREN’S MESSAGE. AS VERSE 2 BEGINS, THE CHILDREN OF THE CONGREGATION ARE INVITED TO COME FORWARD TO THE FRONT STEPS FOR THIS SPECIAL MESSAGE.*

### **SERMON TEXT: HABAKKUK 1:1-3, 2:1-4**

The prophecy that Habakkuk the prophet received.

<sup>2</sup>How long, Lord, must I call for help,  
but you do not listen?

Or cry out to you, “Violence!”  
but you do not save?

<sup>3</sup>Why do you make me look at injustice?  
Why do you tolerate wrongdoing?

Destruction and violence are before me;  
there is strife, and conflict abounds.

I will stand at my watch  
and station myself on the ramparts;  
I will look to see what he will say to me,  
and what answer I am to give to this complaint.

<sup>2</sup>Then the Lord replied:  
“Write down the revelation  
and make it plain on tablets  
so that a herald may run with it.

<sup>3</sup>For the revelation awaits an appointed time;  
it speaks of the end  
and will not prove false.

Though it linger, wait for it;  
it will certainly come and will not delay.

<sup>4</sup>“See, the enemy is puffed up;  
his desires are not upright—  
but the righteous person will live by his faithfulness

### **SERMON THEME:**

***Trust Me***

# THANKSGIVING

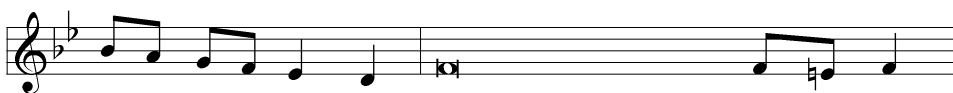
*PLEASE STAND*

## WE PRAISE YOU, O GOD

*TE DEUM*



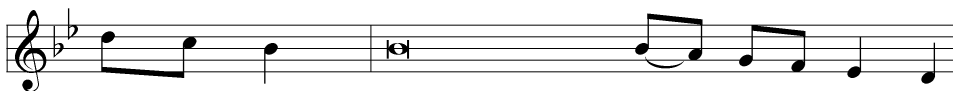
**C: We praise you, O God, we acclaim you as Lord; all creation worships you,**



**Fa-ther ev - er-last - ing. To you all angels, all the pow'rs of heav'n,**



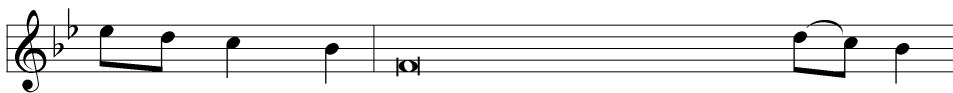
**cherubim and seraphim, sing in end-less praise: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of**



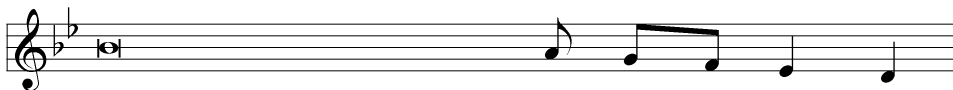
**heav'n - ly hosts, heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry.**



**The glorious company of apostles praise you. The noble fellowship of**



**proph - ets praise you. The white-robed army of martyrs praise you.**



**Throughout the world the ho - ly Church ac - claims you:**



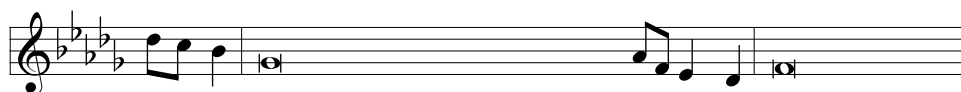
Father of majesty unbounded, your glorious, true, and on - ly Son,



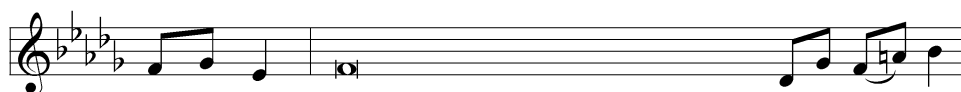
and the Holy Spirit, ad - vo - cate and guide. You, Christ, are the King of



glo - ry, the eternal Son of the Fa - ther. When you became man to



set us free, you humbled yourself to be born of a vir-gin. You overcame the



sting of death and opened the kingdom of heaven to all be-liev - ers.



You sit at the right hand of God in the glory of the Fa - ther.



We believe that you will come to be our judge.



Come then, Lord, and help your peo - ple, bought with the price of



your own blood, and bring us with your saints to glory ev - er - last - ing.

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## OFFERING

*Please sign the Friendship Register in each of the pews and pass it to those sitting next to you.*

*Jesus said, "Where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." (Luke 12:34) The members of Northdale Lutheran joyfully give our offerings to the LORD in response to His Word and in thanks for the many ways he has blessed us. We have joined together as a congregation to use these offerings to do the Lord's work in this community and around the world through the work of our Synod. Your gifts moved by the Holy Spirit out love for God and his blessings are welcome.*

*Online giving is now set up and available through our membership software entitled Breeze. You can give through Breeze two ways: 1) You can give by texting "Give" to (813) 652-0408. 2). You can go to <https://northdale.breezechms.com/give/online>. You can certainly ask if you have any questions.*

*PLEASE STAND*

## LORD, HAVE MERCY

*KYRIE*



**M:** In the morning, O Lord, I call to you; be merciful to me and hear my prayer.



**C:** Lord, have mer - cy. Christ, have mer-cy. Lord, have mer - cy.

## PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

## LORD'S PRAYER

**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 forever. Amen.

## PRAYER FOR GRACE

**M:** O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, you have brought us safely to this new day. Defend us with your mighty power, and grant that this day we neither fall into sin nor run into any kind of danger; and in all we do, direct us to what is right in your sight, through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord.

**C:** Amen

## Blessing



**M:** Let us praise the Lord.



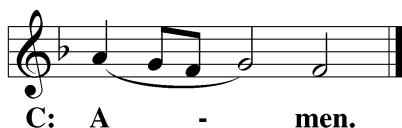
**C:** Thanks be to God.



**M:** The grace of our Lord + Je - sus Christ and the love of God



and the fellowship of the Holy Spir - it be with you all.



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## FINAL HYMN, CW #324, "ALMIGHTY GOD, YOUR WORD IS CAST"

1 Al - might - y God, your Word is cast Like  
 2 Let not the foe of Christ and man This  
 3 Let not the world's de - ceit - ful cares The  
 4 When - e'er the pre - cious seed is sown, Life -

seed in - to the ground; Now let the dew of  
 ho - ly seed re - move, But give it root in  
 ris - ing plant de - stroy, But let it yield a  
 giv - ing grace be - stow That all whose souls the

heav'n de - scend And right - eous fruits a - bound.  
 ev - 'ry heart To bring forth fruits of love.  
 hun - dred - fold The fruits of peace and joy.  
 truth re - ceive Its sav - ing pow'r may know.

Text: John Cawood, 1775–1852, abr., alt.

Tune: DUNDEE (CM) *The CL Psalms of David*, Edinburgh, 1615.

## 10 FOR 10 VIDEO—WEEK 5

### WELS CONNECTION

*The WELS Connection is a brief 5 minute video that highlights some of the work in which we are privileged to participate through our Wisconsin Synod. The ministries that are highlighted in this video are funded through our Congregational Mission Offerings. Please take note of the "WELS Connection Close-up" companion piece in your worship folder for additional information.*



*Copies of today's sermon and last week's sermon can be found on the table in the narthex on the way out of church. You can also find them on our website at [www.northdalelutheran.org](http://www.northdalelutheran.org). In addition, all of our services are live streamed & can be viewed through the live streaming link located on our church website. We also e-mail out daily devotions. If you would like to receive these daily devotions, please e-mail Pastor Vann at [pastor@northdalelutheran.org](mailto:pastor@northdalelutheran.org) and let him know. You can also become a friend on Facebook.*

## **Announcements:**

**Sunday Morning Bible Study:** We continue our Bible Study on the Four Gospels (Matthew, Mark, Luke and John) in our Sunday Morning Bible Study. We had a great turn out for our first class. We are excited to have so many people eager to learn about the Gospels. This class takes a look at the life of Jesus in a chronological order. It is a great way to become more acquainted with your Savior Jesus and know all that he did to live as your substitute here on this earth. It is through the study of God's Word that we remain connected to our Savior and grow in our faith and godly living. This is a great time for you to begin coming to Bible Study on Sunday. We hope to see you on Sunday morning.

**Call Received:** Pastor Vann is currently holding a call to serve as pastor at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Beaver Dam, WI. Pastor appreciates your thoughts and prayers as he deliberate this call.

**Thanksgiving Food Drive:** Our annual Fall Food Drive begins next weekend and will continue through the first part of December. Every year at this time, we gather food to donate to Metropolitan Ministries to help feed those less fortunate than us. This is a great way for us to put our faith into action and to use what God has given us to his glory and to serve others. While we are not big enough here to host our own pantry, we collect food so that we can direct those who are needy to Metropolitan ministries to receive the physical help that they need. Please purchase and bring in non-perishable food items.

**Fall Festival:** Our Northdale Fall Festival will be held on Saturday, November 2. We are looking forward to another great event like we had last year. The event will run from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. We are looking for volunteers to help the day of the event and people willing to donate items and money to help support this event. We are also asking you to help us promote this event. There is already an event posted on our church Facebook page. Please share this post with your friends and on your timeline. Ask others to share it on theirs! The more people we have sharing this event the more people we are able to invite. Sign up sheets will be on the office in the school during the week and on one of the tables in the entryway to the church on Sunday.

**Fall Craft and Bake Sale:** The Women of Northdale will be hosting their annual Fall Craft and Bake Sale on Sunday, November 10. The ladies ask everyone to participate in this fun annual event. We ask our members to make craft items or to bring baked goods in for sale. The money raised during this event supports our Women of Northdale who take care of the altar materials for worship along with the communion sets, banners in church and the Christmas decorations. If you have any questions about this, please speak with Aimee Hardman about this. You can bring your baked goods in on the 10th for sale after worship.



## **Called Staff**

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## **This Week:**

Monday (10/28): 6:30pm - Ministry Leadership Team

Tuesday (10/29): 9:30 & 11:00am - Moms and Tots

6:30pm - Bible Information Class

Wednesday (10/30): 6:30pm - Catechism Class

Sunday (11/3): 8:00 & 10:30am - Worship

9:25am – Adult Bible Study

11:30am - Fellowship

## **Serving Today**

Music: Dane Mattes

Ushers: 8:00—Mike Kutsch

10:30 —Dave & Barb Hartwig

Acolyte: 8:00—Daniel Busch

10:30—Micah Vannieuwenhoven

Elder: David Mosakowski

## **Serving Next Week**

Music: 8:00-Chris Haring

10:30-Aiden Berg

Ushers: 8:00—Mike Kutsch

10:30 —Dave & Barb Hartwig

Acolyte: 8:00 —Julia Busch

10:30—Carolyn Mattes

Elder: David Mosakowski

### **Attendance Last Week**

8:00 a.m.—23

10:30 a.m.—70

Total: 103

Yearly Average: 102

% of Members in Worship: 41%

### **Financial Information**

Contributions for 10/20/19: \$1,971.00

Online Contributions through 10/20/19: \$1,845

Contributions budgeted: \$4,423.08

Contributions budgeted to date: \$70,769.28

Contributions received to date: \$64,328.19

Ahead or (Short) through 10/20/19: (\$6,441.09)

### **Building Our Faith ~ Family ~ Future**

Total Gifts Pledged to the Project: \$370,000.00

Received Last Week: \$640.00

Total received to date: \$315,150.72

Projected Completion date: March 2020

# Kids Page



I will follow Jesus when I am tempted to do wrong.