

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Northdale Lutheran Church & Academy

15709 MAPLEDALE BLVD TAMPA, FL 33624 WWW.NORTHDALELUTHERAN.ORG CHURCH: 813-930-5280 ACADEMY: 813-961-9195 *"WE GROW IN GOD'S WORD SO THAT WE CAN GO WITH GOD'S WORD"*

The Fifth Sunday After Pentecost June 27, 2021

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.

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- Handicapped accessible restroom facilities are located through the nursery hallway and back in the preschool area.
- 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. *Please do not leave children unattended in the Quiet Room. We ask that at least one adult be present while children are in this room.*

• Everything you need for worship is printed in the worship folder.



CALL TO WORSHIP

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

OPENING HYMN, BLESSED ASSURANCE (PRINTED IN THE BACK OF THE BULLETIN)

PLEASE STAND

INVOCATION

M(inister): The grace of our Lord (+) Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.

C(ongregtion): And also with you.

CONFESSION OF SINS

- M: We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve him as his dear children. But we have disobeyed him and deserve only his wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to him and plead for his mercy.
- C: Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against you and do not deserve to be called your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray: Have mercy on me according to your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.
- M: God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, he has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.
- C: Amen.

SONG OF PRAISE, LAMB OF GOD (PRINTED IN THE BACK OF THE BULLETIN)

Sacrament of Baptism (10:30 service)

Today we rejoice in the baptism of August John Kassulke, as the Lord brings him into His family through water and the promises of His Word.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

M: O Lord, our God, govern the nations on earth and direct the affairs of this world so that your Church may worship you in peace and joy, through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

BE SEATED

THE WORD OF GOD*



THE FIRST LESSON: 2 CORINTHIANS 5:14-21

Christ has reconciled us (made friends out of enemies) to God. He has shown his great love for us, so that we might proclaim his love and salvation to others.

For Christ's love compels us, because we are convinced that one died for all, and therefore all died. ¹⁵And he died for all, that those who live should no longer live for themselves but for him who died for them and was raised again.

¹⁶So from now on we regard no one from a worldly point of view. Though we once regarded Christ in this way, we do so no longer. ¹⁷Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here! ¹⁸All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation: ¹⁹that God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting people's sins against them. And he has committed to us the message of reconciliation. ²⁰We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. We implore you on Christ's behalf: Be reconciled to God. ²¹God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God. (NIV)

THE SECOND LESSON: MARK 4:35-41

In this miracle of calming the storm, Jesus displays his almighty power as the Son of God. In so doing, he also shows his love and compassion for his people.

That day when evening came, he said to his disciples, "Let us go over to the other side." ³⁶Leaving the crowd behind, they took him along, just as he was, in the boat. There were also other boats with him. ³⁷A furious squall came up, and the waves broke over the boat, so that it was nearly swamped. ³⁸Jesus was in the stern, sleeping on a cushion. The disciples woke him and said to him, "Teacher, don't you care if we drown?" ³⁹He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Quiet! Be still!" Then the wind died down and it was completely calm.

⁴⁰He said to his disciples, "Why are you so afraid? Do you still have no faith?"
⁴¹They were terrified and asked each other, "Who is this? Even the wind and the waves obey him!" (NIV)

HYMN; BE THOU MY VISION (PRINTED IN THE BACK OF THE BULLETIN)

SERMON TEXT: JOB 38:1-11

Then the Lord spoke to Job out of the storm. He said: ²"Who is this that obscures my plans with words without knowledge? ³Brace yourself like a man; I will question you, and you shall answer me.

⁴"Where were you when I laid the earth's foundation? Tell me, if you understand.
⁵Who marked off its dimensions? Surely you know! Who stretched a measuring line across it?
⁶On what were its footings set, or who laid its cornerstone—
⁷while the morning stars sang together and all the angels shouted for joy?

⁸"Who shut up the sea behind doors when it burst forth from the womb,
⁹when I made the clouds its garment and wrapped it in thick darkness,
¹⁰when I fixed limits for it and set its doors and bars in place,
¹¹when I said, 'This far you may come and no farther; here is where your proud waves halt'? (NIV)

The Trials of Life 1. Can cause Human bitterness 2. Can display Divine grace

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

BE SEATED

OFFERING

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 the many ways he has blessed us.

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 <u>https://northdale.breezechms.com/give/online</u>. You can certainly ask if you have any questions.

If electronic giving isn't for you, you are invited to drop off or mail your offerings to the church

HYMN, TAKE THE WORLD BUT GIVE ME JESUS (PRINTED IN THE BACK OF THE BULLETIN)

PLEASE STAND

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

LORD'S PRAYER

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 ever. Amen.

BLESSING

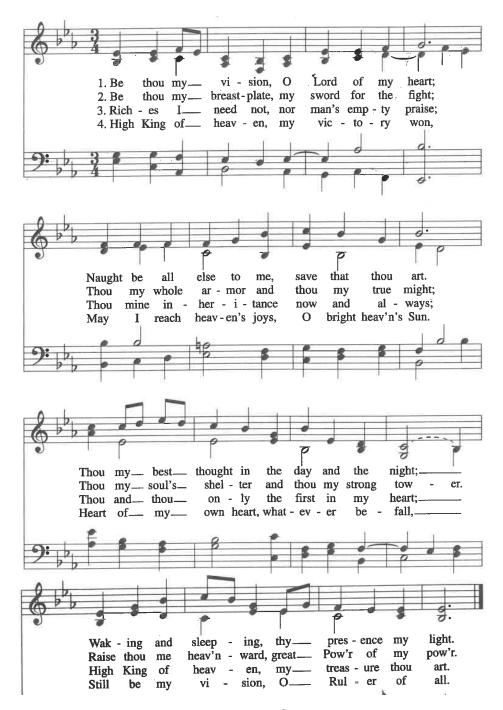
M: Brothers and sisters, go in peace. Live in harmony with one another. Serve the Lord with gladness.

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

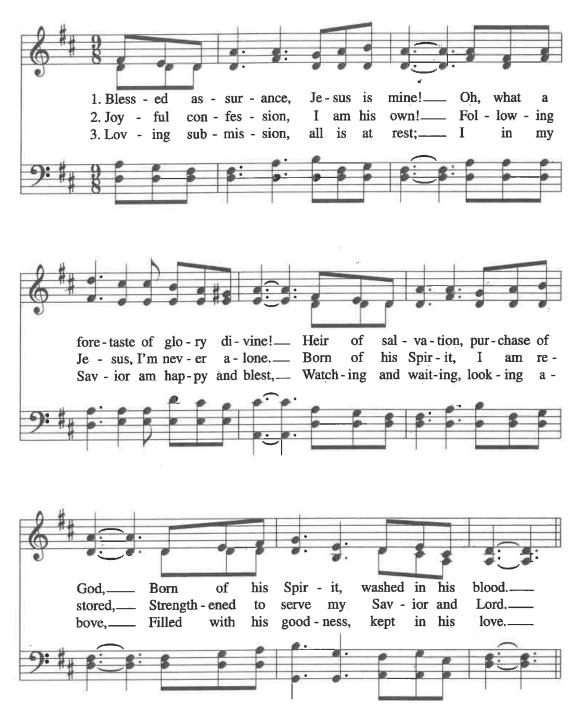
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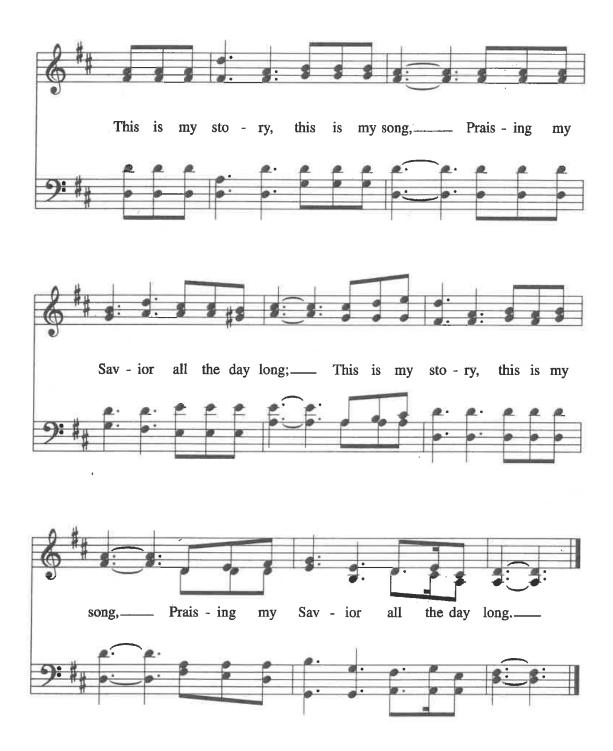
CLOSING HYMN, I NEED THEE EVERY HOUR (PRINTED IN THE BACK OF THE BULLETIN)

Be Thou My Vision



Blessed Assurance





Lamb of God





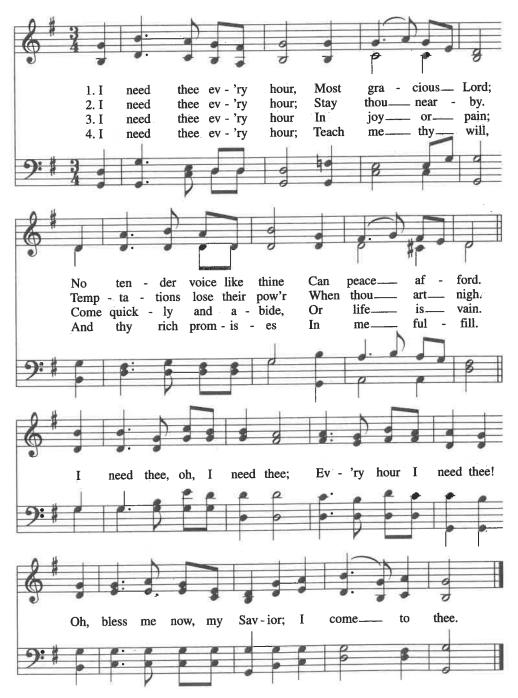
Take the World, but Give Me Jesus



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I Need Thee Every Hour



All of our services are live streamed & can be viewed through the live streaming link located on our church website <u>www.NorthdaleLutheran.org</u>. We also email out daily devotions. If you would like to receive these daily devotions, please email the office at office@northdalelutheran.org and let us know. You can also become a friend on Facebook.

Announcements:

"The Great Journey"

Our Sunday morning Bible study will be tracing the journey of Israel from Egypt to the Promised Land. We will be taking a look at the faithfulness of God, as the Lord would take these once slaves of Egypt and form them into a powerful nation who carried the promise of the Savior.

Mask Update

Beginning Sunday, July 4th - We will no longer be requiring masks for any of our worship services and Bible study. If people would like to continue to wear a mask for worship or Bible study, you are more than welcome to keep doing so. *** The 8:30am service is our least attended service, and does provide a setting for social distancing for those who may still have health or personal concerns.

VBS Donations

Angel Allan is requesting donations of Country Time lemonade powder, Traditional Chex Mix, Honey Maid Honey graham crackers, Snyder's of Hanover pretzel sticks, Stauffer's Animal Crackers, and Pepperidge Farm cheddar goldfish or monetary donations.

Camp Donations!

Ready! Set! Camp! Our summer Youth Campers and Teen Racers are all registered for their amazing weeks of faith, friends, and fun. In order to help reduce the cost of registration and transportation *(to make sure every child who wants to go, can go),* we are looking for members to either donate or sponsor a child for their camp week. These weeks of camp are part of an amazing spiritual education and something they will always remember. If you are able to help, please contact Pastor Guse. Thank you.

Northdale VBS 2021!

We are on track for a great VBS this year! The Theme is *God's Wonder Lab - Jesus Does The Impossible.* Vacation Bible School will run from July 12th - 16th from 9:00am - 12:00pm. It will be a wonderful week of excitement, faith, lab experiments, and friends! Registration is open on our website NorthdaleLutheran.org.

Communicating Christ - A Bible Information Course

Come and find out what Northdale Lutheran Church teaches and believes! Join us on Tuesday nights at 7:00pm - 8:00pm in the church sanctuary for a wonderful time of discussion and review of our Christian faith. For more information, contact Pastor Guse 920.517.9000 call/text, pastor@northdalelutheran.org

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This Week:

Sunday (7/4):	8:30 & 10:30 AM - Worship
	9:30 AM - Adult Bible Study

Serving Today Music: 8:30 - Elizabeth Guse 10:30 - Elizabeth Guse Elder: David Mosakowski **Serving Next Week**

Music: 8:30 - Nick Koren 10:30 - Aidan Berg Elder: David Mosakowski

Attendance Last Week

8:00 a.m.—18 10:30 a.m.—58 Total: 76

2020-2021 Year to Date Offerings Through May 31, 2021

General Offering Received: \$197,164.45 General Offering Budgeted: \$221,520.00 Ahead of (Short) Year to Date: (\$24,356) Average Weekly Offerings Received (43 weeks): \$4,107.59 Average Weekly Offerings Budgeted (52 weeks): \$4,615.00

Building Our Faith ~ Family ~ Future

Total Gifts Pledged to the Project: \$370,000.00 Received Last Week: \$200.00 Total received to date: \$380,124.42

Kids Page

