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Art by Anna Patterson

Welcome to worship at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church.

We would like everyone to fill out the Friendship Pad at the end of the pews and pass it along for all to fill out. Please also mark the names of all in the family who are receiving Communion. If you are visiting, please include your address and phone number.

Nursery: Our nursery is located out the north entrance of the sanctuary.

Please feel free to use the nursery anytime during the service.

Children's Worship Bulletins are available at both entrances.

We are delighted to have you.

This service will use a liturgy **ELW setting 10** (cranberry hymnal) in your pew.



It's a miracle! Multiple miracles! The waters of holy baptism have healed us. The body and blood of Jesus in holy communion have made us clean. We have died with Christ and been raised with him. For all this we have returned to offer thanks. From this place we are sent on our way rejoicing to share the good news.

GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Time for reflection in silence.

PRELUDE Tena Rackow

WELCOME

Assembly may stand.

CONFESSIONS AND FORGIVENESS

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, \oplus one God, the strength of our ancestors, the host of this meal, the builder of the city that is to come.

C: Amen.

P: If we have died with Christ, we will also live with Christ. Let us confess our sin to the one who is faithful.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: God our helper,

C: we confess the many ways we have failed to live as your disciples. We have not finished what we began. We have feasted with friends but ignored strangers. We have been captivated by our possessions. Lift our burdens, gracious God. Refresh our hearts and forgive our sin. Raise us to the new life you have chosen for us in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

P: There is rejoicing in heaven when sinners repent. Put your trust in these promises: God will never leave you or forsake you. You who were lost have been found. For the sake of \pm Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Rejoice with the angels at this good news.

C: Amen.



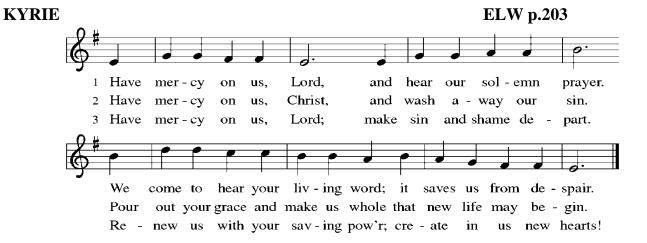
GATHERING HYMN "PRAISE TO THE LORD, THE ALMIGHTY" ELW#859

(v.1-All, v2-Women, v3-Men, v4-All)



GREETING ELW p.203

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **C: And also with you.**



PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray.

A brief silence is kept before the prayer.

C: Almighty and most merciful God, your bountiful goodness fills all creation. Keep us safe from all that may hurt us, that, whole and well in body and spirit, we may with grateful hearts accomplish all that you would have us do, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Assembly may be seated.

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

OLD TESTAMENT READING: 2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c

Naaman, a Syrian general, suffers from leprosy. In this passage Elisha miraculously cures his illness, but only after Naaman realizes, with the help of his servants, that he also needs healing for his pride. This foreign general then acknowledges the sovereignty of the God of Israel.

L: A reading from 2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c

¹Naaman, commander of the army of the king of Aram, was a great man and in high favor with his master, because by him the LORD had given victory to Aram. The man, though a mighty warrior, suffered from leprosy. ²Now the Arameans on one of their raids had taken a young girl captive from the land of Israel, and she served Naaman's wife. ³She said to her mistress, "If only my lord were with the prophet who is in Samaria! He would cure him of his leprosy." ⁷When the king of Israel read the letter, he tore his clothes and said, "Am I God, to give death or life, that this man sends word to me to cure a man of his leprosy? Just look and see how he is trying to pick a quarrel with me." ⁸But when Elisha the man of God heard that the king of Israel had torn his clothes, he sent a message to the king, "Why have you torn your clothes? Let him come to me, that he may learn that there is a prophet in Israel." ⁹So Naaman came with his horses and chariots, and halted at the entrance of Elisha's house. ¹⁰Elisha sent a messenger to him, saying, "Go, wash in the Jordan seven times, and your flesh shall be restored and you shall be clean." ¹¹But Naaman became angry and went away, saying, "I thought that for me he would surely come out, and stand and

call on the name of the LORD his God, and would wave his hand over the spot, and

cure the leprosy! ¹²Are not Abana and Pharpar, the rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel? Could I not wash in them, and be clean?" He turned and went away in a rage. ¹³But his servants approached and said to him, "Father, if the prophet had commanded you to do something difficult, would you not have done it? How much more, when all he said to you was, 'Wash, and be clean'?" ¹⁴So he went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, according to the word of the man of God; his flesh was restored like the flesh of a young boy, and he was clean.

^{15a-c}Then he returned to the man of God, he and all his company; he came and stood before him and said, "Now I know that there is no God in all the earth except in Israel."

L: Word of God, word of life. C: Thanks be to God.

PSALM: Psalm 111 (read responsively)

A: ¹Hallelujah! I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the assembly of the upright, in the congregation.

C: ²Great are your works, O LORD, pondered by all who delight in them.

A: ³Majesty and splendor mark your deeds, and your righteousness endures forever.

C: ⁴You cause your wonders to be remembered; you are gracious and full of compassion.

A: ⁵You give food to those who fear you, remembering forever your covenant.

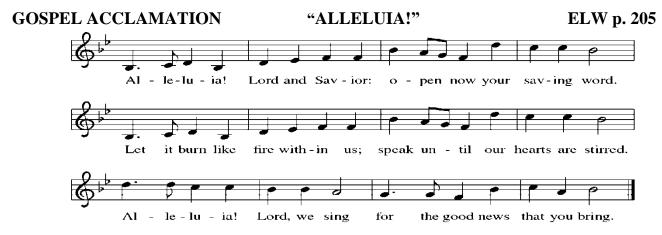
C: ⁶You have shown your people the power of your works in giving them the lands of the nations.

A: ⁷The works of your hands are faithfulness and justice; all of your precepts are sure.

C: 8 They stand fast forever and ever, because they are done in truth and equity.

A: ⁹You sent redemption to your people and commanded your covenant forever; holy and awesome is your name.

C: ¹⁰The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; all who practice this have a good understanding. God's praise endures forever.



GOSPEL: LUKE 17:11-19

Jesus' mission includes making the unclean clean again. Unexpectedly, a cleansed Samaritan leper becomes a model for those who would praise and worship God and give thanks for God's mercy.

¹¹On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. ¹²As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance,

¹³they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" ¹⁴When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. ¹⁵Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. ¹⁶He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? ¹⁸Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" ¹⁹Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

P: The gospel of the Lord. C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Assembly may be seated.

SERMON

"Wash, and Be Clean"

Pastor Miho Yasukawa

HYMN OF THE DAY "BAPTIZED AND SET FREE" (verses 1, 2, 3) ELW#453



AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM

ELW p. 234

P: Dear friends, we give thanks for the gift of baptism as we come before God to make public affirmation of baptism into Christ.

A: Let us pray.

Merciful God, we thank you that you have made us your own by water and the Word in baptism. You have called us to yourself, enlightened us with the gifts of your Spirit, and nourished us in the community of faith. Uphold us and all your servants in the gifts and promises of baptism, and unite the hearts of all whom you have brought to new birth. We ask this in the name of Christ. Amen.

PROFESSION OF FAITH

ELW p. 235

P: I ask you to profess your faith in Christ Jesus, reject sin, and confess the faith of the church. Do you renounce the devil and all the forces that defy God, the powers of this world that rebel against God, and the ways of sin that draw you from God?

C: I renounce them.

A: Do you believe in God the Father?

C: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

A: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

C: I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

A: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

C:I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

AFFIRMATION BY THE ASSEMBLY

ELW p. 237

P: You have made public profession of your faith. Do you intend to continue in the covenant God made with you in holy baptism: to live among God's faithful people, to hear the word of God and share in the Lord's supper, to proclaim the good news of God in Christ through word and deed, to serve all people, following the example of Jesus, and to strive for justice and peace in all the earth?

C: I do, and I ask God to help and guide me.

A: People of God, do you promise to support and pray for one another in your life in Christ?

C: We do, and we ask God to help and guide us.

A: Let us pray together.

C: We give you thanks, O God, that through water and the Holy Spirit you give us new birth, cleanse us from sin, and raise us to eternal life. Stir up in us the gift of your Holy Spirit: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in your presence both now and forever. Amen.

HYMN

"BAPTIZED AND SET FREE" (verse 4)

ELW#453

V4 Now with praise and thanksgiving, we join the song. All are welcome! We gather to sing loud and strong. Not enslaved, but set free! From now on, all will be one in Jesus, one in water, baptized and set free!

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THE PRAYERS

After each petition: WA: Lord, in your mercy, C: hear our prayer.

WA: Knowing the one in whom we trust, and with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us, we offer our prayers for the church, the world, and all in need.

A brief silence

WA: O God, you promise your church: if we die with you, we will also live with you; if we endure, we will also reign with you; even when we are faithless, you remain faithful. Strengthen us to believe your gracious promises. Lord, in your mercy, C: hear our prayer. WA: Great are your works, O Lord, and we delight in the wonder and majesty of creation. As the earth brings forth its fruit, renew your creation so that all creatures are sustained and nourished. We remember before you those who are struggling with flooding in our community. Be with them and protect them from danger. Lord, in your mercy, C: hear our prayer. WA: You wash us and we are made clean. In your compassion, immerse all who are sick and suffering in your care. We pray especially for Bob and Lynn Lyvers, Dick Johnson, Delbert Scheider, Jerry, Charmaine Magee, Sheridan Brinker, Fern Harnish, Donna Euler, Robin Cross, Connor Stadermann, Jaden, Jon Forsythe, Brooke, Meghan, Diane, Myron Coaty, Deb Lindeman Harder, Cindy Tessendorf, Randy, Brian, Don Hoge, Vicky Gobeli, the Heimann family, Richard Gordon, Dave Heinkel, Janet, Paul Heller, Kayla Gobeli, Lori, J.T., Kris Sanders, Dan and Sue White, Irene, and Pr. Charles Steinke. Give strength and courage and your blessing this week to *Lois Paulsen*. We pray for peace, love, comfort, and resurrection hope for family and friends of Maxine Miller. Tend their sorrow and console them with your

WA: You give us a new birth through water of baptism. Renew us everyday to live in righteousness and your promises. Lord, in your mercy, **C: hear our prayer.**

WA: With love and thanksgiving, we remember those who have died in you. Give us certainty to trust the salvation that is in Christ Jesus. Lord, in your mercy,

C: hear our prayer.

P: Trusting and delighting in you, we commend all our lives into your loving hands. We offer these prayers in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **C: Amen.**

PEACE ELW p. 206

P: The peace of Christ be with you always. **C: And also with you.**Please greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace.

unfailing love. Lord, in your mercy, C: hear our prayer.

Assembly may be seated.

MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ

OFFERING

What is offering? Offering is our response to God's blessings and abundant grace given to us. Offerings can take various forms such as prayer, voices, time, fruit from the land, money, and being the hands and feet of God's works in the world. Give thanks to our Lord!

CHOIR ANTHEM

"THE PEACE OF THE LORD"

OFFERING PRAYER

P: Let us pray.

C: God our provider, we bring nothing into this world and we can take nothing out of it. Accept the gifts you have first given us, which we bring to your table, and with them the offering of our lives. Nourish us now with the life that really is life, revealed to us in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

DIALOGUE ELW p. 206

P: The Lord be with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: And also with you.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

C: It is right to give our thanks and

praise.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

ELW p. 207



LORD'S PRAYER

P: Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

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 ever.

Amen.

At the communion the confermation class will make a sign of the cross with water to remember your baptisim.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Jesus welcomes sinners and eats with them. Come, take your place at the feast.

We practice open Communion — Christ invites us to the table. All baptized Christians are welcome to partake the body and blood of Jesus Christ. If you wish to receive a blessing, you may come forward. Holy Communion will be celebrated by intinction (dip the bread into the chalice). The gold chalices have wine; the chrome chalices have grape juice. You will be ushered down the center aisle and return to your pew by way of the side aisles. If you need assistance, please let an usher know.

COMMUNION SONG

"LAMB OF GOD"

ELW p. 208

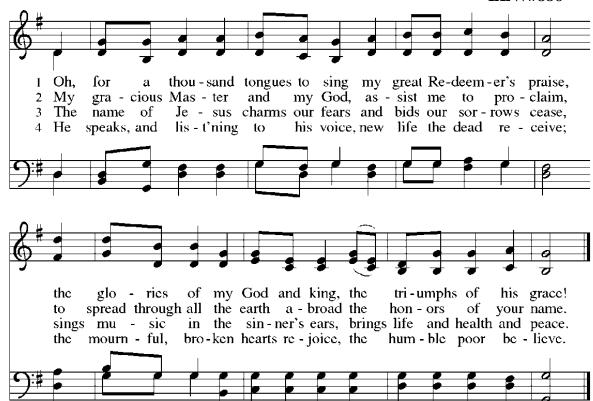
THE LORD'S



COMMUNION SONG

"OH, FOR A THOUSAND TONGUES TO SING"

ELW#886



- 5 Look unto him, your Savior own,O fallen human race!Look and be saved through faith alone,be justified by grace!
- 6 To God all glory, praise, and love be now and ever giv'n by saints below and saints above, the church in earth and heav'n.

Assembly may remain seated.

POST COMMUNION BLESSINGAND PRAYER

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen.

P: Let us pray.

God of blessing, at this table we have seen you face to face, and in the gift of Christ's body and blood, our hearts have been refreshed. Send us now to shine with your goodness and bear witness to the one we have received:

Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

COMMUNITY CONCERNS & CELEBRATIONS

Assembly may stand.

BLESSING

P: Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us. Almighty God \oplus bless you with grace, mercy, and peace, now and forever.

C: Amen.



DISMISSAL (from the back)

A: Go in peace. Live in love as Christ loved us. C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE Tena Rackow

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WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Pastor: Pastor Miho Yasukawa

Pianists: Tena Rackow, Sarah Baker Organist: Karen Niemeier

Choir Dir. /accomp: Janis Kurth / Tena Rackow

<u>Lector</u>: Anna Patterson <u>Assisting Minister: Confirmation Class</u> <u>Acolyte</u>: Lucas Fye

Worship Assistant: Shirley Fox Communion Set-up: Denny Luke

<u>Communion Asst</u>: Sheila Keene and Denny Luke <u>Communion Ushe</u>r: Larry Fulfs and Andrew Martin

Sound System: Troy Doubler and open

<u>Greeters</u>: Chris and Angie Brinker, Gary and Cynthia Boeke <u>Ushers</u>: Jim Swain, Bari Raymer, Virgil Gordon, Tim Gordon Elevator Operator: Taylor Patterson and Kristy Patterson

THIS WEEK AT GOOD SHEPHERD October 13th through October 20th, 2019

Today:	Worship Service with Holy Communion	9:30am
	Fellowship	10:30am
	Choir Practice	11:00am
	Chime Practice	5:00pm

Monday: FHN Flu Shots 12:00pm-3:00pm Wednesday: "Piece Corps" Quilting Group 8:00am-11:30am

Thursday: Friendship Center, Devotions and Dessert 1:00 pm

Go & Cheer! High School Volleyball games @ Pearl City 6:00pm and 7:00pm

*This is Senior Night.

Friday: Go & Cheer! EPC Football game @ Pearl City 7:00pm

Saturday: Truck and Treat at Lena Lion's Park 10:30am-4:00pm

Next Sunday: Worship Service

Fellowship 10:30am Sunday School 10: 45 am Confirmation Class 11:00am Choir Practice 11:00am Chime Practice 5:00pm

Attendance: October 6th - 53

Total Offering 10/06/2019 - \$1609.00; amount needed -\$3426.60

An AED (defibrillator) is located on the wall in the Fellowship Hall in case of an emergency. The device is designed to deliver calm, clear voice instructions precisely timed to the responder's actions, guiding the responder every step of the way. When the door is open an alarm goes off to alert others that there is an emergency.

September and October are Food Pantry Months

Bring your donation to the food pantry boxes (located at each entrance) or the table in the Sanctuary. Monetary donations are also appreciated. (Please mark on the envelope FOOD PANTRY and place it in the offering plate.) Current needs are: laundry soap, dish soap (smaller sized), and personal hygiene products: toothpaste, bar soap, shaving needs, toilet paper.



Go and Cheer!

We, as the Good Shepherd family, will go and cheer our members! Here is upcoming schedule.

October 17th (Thursday) High School Volleyball @ Pearl City, 6:00pm & 7:00pm *This is Senior Night.

October 18th (Friday) EPC Football @ Pearl City, 7:00pm

October 27th (Sunday) Fall Concert—From Stage and Screen @ Highland Community College, 3pm If you know upcoming games/meet/concert/etc., please let the church office know.

NIS 2019 Fall Gatherings

Bishop Jeffrey Clements invites you to one of three gatherings around the synod this fall to join in a continuing conversation together about the synod's new mission statement and corresponding synod goals. Your input is vital as we discern how we will best walk together and live out this mission and these goals at the synod level and in your congregations.

- •Sunday, November 3, 2019, at St. John's Lutheran Church, Rock Island, 2:00-3:30 pm.
- •Sunday, November 17, 2019, at New Life Lutheran Church, Bolingbrook, 2:00-3:30 pm

Truck or Treat this Saturday



We invite you to join Truck or Treat at Lena Lions Park this Saturday from 10:30am to 4:00pm. This is a family event organized by Lena Park District. There will be food vendors, live music, games, craft booths, inflatable bounce house, and lots of fun activities. Good Shepherd will have a booth with Giant Jinga.

Come and be a part of our ministry.

All Saints' Sunday

We will remember each "Saint" or loved one who died since last November. We will remember them with a carnation on the altar by lifting their names during prayer of the people. If you would like your loved ones who died past year to be included this year's All Saints' Sunday, please contact the church office by October 29th.

Men's Group Steak Fry

Will be on Saturday, October 26th at 4:30pm. Cost of the meal will be \$13.00.

Time/Talent/Pledge Form for 2020

Please fill out and return your Time/Talent/Pledge form for 2020 by **November 10th**. Your response will help tremendously to plan next year's ministry. Bring the form back to the church office or place it in the offering plate. If you have any questions, please talk to Cora Hudik or Virgil Gordon. Thank you.

Submit your FAVORITE CHRISTMAS CAROLS

Do you feel that we do not sing enough Christmas carols? This is the year for you. We have 5 Christmas worship services (Dec. 24, 25, 29, and January 5) this year. We need your help to plan these services. Please submit your favorite Christmas carols to the church office or place it in the offering plate. Last day of submission will be Sunday November 3rd.

Favorite Christmas Carols				
Hymn Title:				
Hymn #: ELW or WOV (circle one) _				