

Psalm 104:1–9, 24, 35b

O LORD, how manifold are your works! In wisdom you have made them all.
(Psalm 104:24)

- 1 Bless the LORD, O my soul; O LORD my God, you are |very great!
You are clothed with majes- | ty and splendour.
 - 2 You wrap yourself with light as | with a cloak
and stretch out the heavens | like a tent.
 - 3 You lay the beams of your chambers in the wa- | ters above;
you make the clouds your chariot;
you ride on the wings | of the wind.
 - 4 You make the | winds your messengers
and flames of | fire your servants. R
 - 5 You set the earth upon | its foundations,
so that from now until forever it shall nev- | er be moved.
 - 6 You covered it with the deep as | with a garment;
the waters stood a- | bove the mountains. R
 - 7 At your rebuke the | waters fled,
scattered by your | voice of thunder.
 - 8 They went up into the mountains
and descended down | to the valleys,
to the place where | you assigned them.
 - 9 You set the limits that they | should not pass;
never shall they return to cover the | earth again.
- 24 How manifold are your | works, O LORD!
In wisdom you have made them all;
the earth is full | of your creatures.

35b Bless the LORD, | O my soul.
Hal- | lelujah! R

First Reading

Job 38:1–7 [34–41]

THE LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind:
“Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge?
Gird up your loins like a man,
I will question you, and you shall declare to me.
“Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth?
Tell me, if you have understanding.
Who determined its measurements—surely you know!
Or who stretched the line upon it?
On what were its bases sunk,
or who laid its cornerstone
when the morning stars sang together
and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?”

First Reading *Continued*

“Can you lift up your voice
to the clouds,
so that a flood of waters
may cover you?
Can you send forth lightnings,
so that they may go
and say to you, ‘Here we are’?
Who has put wisdom
in the inward parts,
or given understanding
to the mind?
Who has the wisdom
to number the clouds?
Or who can tilt the
waterskins of the heavens,
when the dust runs into a mass
and the clods cling together?
“Can you hunt the prey for the lion,
or satisfy the appetite
of the young lions,
when they crouch in their dens,
or lie in wait in their covert?
Who provides for the raven its prey,
when its young ones cry to God,
and wander about
for lack of food?”]

Second Reading

Hebrews 5:1–10

EVERY HIGH priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one does not presume to take this honour, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was.

21st Sunday after Pentecost October 17, 2021

Mark: 10:43
whoever wishes to become
great among you
must be your servant

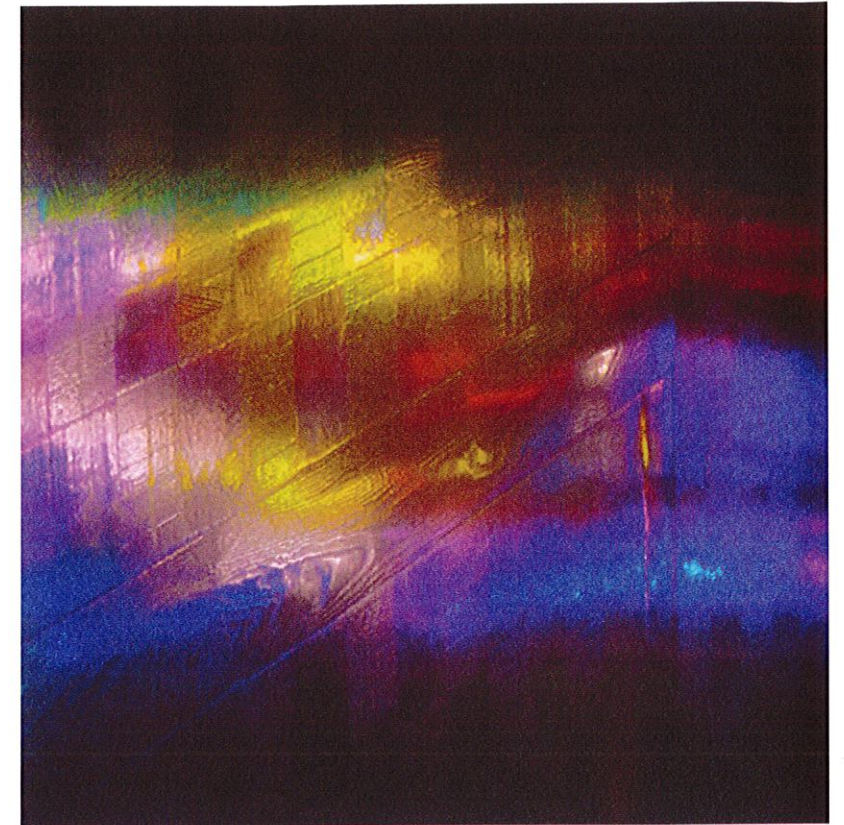
Second Reading *Continued*

So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him,
“You are my Son,
today I have begotten you”;
as he says also in another place,
“You are a priest forever,
according to the order
of Melchizedek.”

In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

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Gospel

Mark 10:35–45

JAMES AND John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, “Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.” And he said to them, “What is it you want me to do for you?” And they said to him, “Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.” But Jesus said to them, “You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?” They replied, “We are able.” Then Jesus said to them, “The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.”

When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, “You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.”

AUGUSTANA LUTHERAN CHURCH
21ST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
ELW -Setting 3
10:30 AM October 17, 2021

GATHERING

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SENDING

Blessing
 Sending Hymn: "Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus" #802
 Dismissal

Thank you to all those who assist with the technical: Michael Diegel, Greg Fowlie-Neufeld, D.-Jay Krozser, Bryan Tastad, Alexa Wallace, Karen Wallace and today Katie Ottley and Gord Morley

Thank you to our reader Katherine Soule Blaser, musician Mik Bickis, and ushers Edith & Lorne Carlson for assisting in worship today.

Last week's attendance: 20

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Communion is currently offered twice a month

WELCOME TO AUGUSTANA

Lutherans and Anglicans worshipping together

We are a Christ-centered, welcoming community. We commit ourselves to modeling Christ's unconditional love in our worship, learning, fellowship, friendship, and service to others. Just as God welcomes and cares for us, so we welcome everyone to participate in all aspects of our community, without regard to sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, race, culture or ethnic background, physical or mental abilities, family or economic status, gender, or age. We pledge to ourselves and all others that we will strive to live as a reconciling people in our life together and in our outreach to the world.

Thank you for sharing in worship here today.
 May God's abundant grace be a blessing to you,
 a source of strength and hope.

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Our Parish Calendar

Tuesday	10:00 am	Forever-In-Motion
Tuesday	6:30 pm	Concordia Junior Alpenrose Dancers
Wednesday	8:00 am	Men's Book Club (Zoom)
Wednesday	7:00 pm	The Living Room NA Group
Thursday	10:00 am	Forever-In-Motion
Thursday	7:00 pm	Choir (Fellowship Hall)
Saturday	3:00 pm	The Tea Room AA Group
Sunday	10:30 am	ELW Worship

Offerings/Income to October 15th: \$6,260

Included in the above figure:
 Broadway Street Fair: \$100, ELW: \$50, Facilities Usage: \$200, Parish Nursing: \$50, Queen Elizabeth School Supplies: \$75, Rent: \$1705, Thanksgiving: \$100



PLEASE PLACE YOUR OFFERINGS FOR TODAY IN THE PLATES AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH.

PLEASE BE SURE TO SIGN-IN AT FRONT ENTRANCE FOR ATTENDING WORSHIP.

Multi-Religious Climate Action Days: Faithful Energy

Oct. 18, 12-1pm

You are invited to take part in an online event to mark the second global multi-religious climate action days in advance of COP26. Communities inspired for Environmental Action, which is a local central Saskatchewan organization of chapter of Faith & the Common Good, in partnership with St. Thomas More College's Centre for Faith, Reason, Peace, and Justice will be hosting an event focused on energy and how people of faith can positively influence Sask Power's policies. Guest speakers will include Peter Prebble and Rev. Karen Fraser Gitlitz. For more information, please contact Myron Rogal at mrogal@rcdos.ca or Christopher Hrynkow at chrynkow@stmcollege.ca. If you want to participate, please [click here](#) to register.

Exploring our Sacred Texts: A conversation about stewarding our common life

All are invited to join this online (Zoom) series with Jewish, Christian, and Muslim panelists to discuss the scriptural sources for understanding generosity, hospitality, and compassion. Join in this three-episode series, **Thursdays, October 21, October 28, and November 4 at 3 pm.**

Oct. 21 – Generosity
 Oct. 28 – Hospitality
 Nov. 4 – Compassion

Register in advance for this series: <https://bit.ly/3iwypfm>

For further information, contact Archdeacon Cheryl Toth at stewardship@sasktel.net

Augustana is looking for a new custodian as of November 1st.



If you know of anyone who might be interested in this position please have them contact the church office by phone or email, augustana@sasktel.net. We are very thankful to have had the services of **Tammi Schumaker** as custodian over the last 9 years.

Thank you to Carol for being our Parish Nurse.

We are accepting cash contributions as a thank you to Carol for 12 years with Augustana. These gifts would be outside the regular Parish Nurse donations. We would also like to collect any photos or memories of Carol you would like to share. In this way we can create a keepsake booklet for her. Please email or mail your photos, memories, and best wishes for Carol to the church office. Contributions for Carol can be mailed or dropped off at the church or slipped into a special envelope at a service. Deadline to receive everything is October 31.

Augustana - Lutherans and Anglicans worship together

Hymns for 21st Sunday After Pentecost

October 17, 2021

GATHERING SONG: "God Who Stretched the Spangled Heavens"

ELW #771

God, who stretched the spangled heavens
infinite in time and place,
flung the suns in burning radiance
through the silent fields of space:
we, your children in your likeness,
share inventive pow'rs with you;
Great Creator, still creating,
show us what we yet may do.

We have ventured worlds undreamed of
since the childhood of our race;
know the ecstasy of winging
through untraveled realms of space;
probed the secrets of the atom,
yielding unimagined pow'r,
facing us with life's destruction
or our most triumphant hour.

As each far horizon beckons,
may it challenge us anew:
children of creative purpose,
serving others, hon'ring you.
May our dreams prove rich with promise;
each endeavor well begun;
Great Creator, give us guidance
till our goals and yours are one.

HYMN OF THE DAY: "Come, Follow Me, the Savior Spake"

ELW #799

"Come, follow Me," the Savior spake,
"all in m y way abiding;
deny yourselves, the world forsake,
obey my call and guiding.
Oh, bear the cross, whate'er betide;
take my example for your guide."

"I am the light; I light the way,
a godly life displaying;
I bid you walk as in the day;
I keep your feet from straying.
I am the way, and well I show
how you must sojourn here below."

"I teach you how to shun and flee
what harms your soul's salvation;
from ev'ry guile your heart I free,
from sin and its temptation.
I am the refuge of the soul
and lead you to your heav'nly goal."

Then let us follow Christ, our Lord,
and take the cross appointed,
and, firmly clinging to his word,
in suff'ring be undaunted.
For those who bear the battle's strain
the crown of heav'nly life obtain.

SENDING SONG: "Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus"

ELW #802

Let us ever walk with Jesus,
Follow His example pure,
through a world that would deceive us
and to sin our souls lure.
Onward in his footsteps treading,

Trav'lers here, our home above,
full of faith and hope and love,
let us do the Savior's bidding.
Faithful Lord, with me abide;
I shall follow where you guide.

Let us suffer here with Jesus,
and with patience bear our cross;
Joy will follow all our sadness,
where he is there is no loss.
Though today we sow no laughter,
we shall reap celestial joy:
all discomforts that annoy
shall give way to mirth here after.
Jesus, here I share your woe;
help me there your joy to know.

Let us gladly die with Jesus.
Since by death he conquered death,
he will free us from destruction,
give to us immortal breath.
Let us mortify all passion
that would lead us into sin;
and the grave that shuts us in
shall but prove the gate of heaven.
Jesus, here with you I die,
there to live with you on high.

Let us also live with Jesus.
He has risen from the dead
that to life we may awaken.
Jesus, you are now our head,
we are your own living members;
where you live, there we shall be
in your presence constantly,
living there with you forever.
Jesus, let me faithful be;
life eternal grant to me.