

# AUGUSTANA LUTHERAN CHURCH



19<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
ELW – *Setting 2* “Thanksgiving”  
10:30 AM Oct. 8, 2023

## GATHERING

### PRELUDE & WELCOME

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 65

*Leader:* <sup>1</sup>You are to be praised, O God, in Zion;

<sup>11</sup>You crown the year with your goodness,  
and your paths over-flow with plenty.

*All:* <sup>12</sup>May the fields of the wilderness be rich for grazing,  
and the hills be clothed with joy.

*Leader:* <sup>13</sup>May the meadows cover themselves with flocks,  
and the valleys cloak themselves with grain;

*All:* Let them shout for joy and sing.  
You are to be praised, O God.

GATHERING HYMN: “Praise and Thanksgiving” #689 ELW

### GREETING, p. 120

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

*All:* And also with you.

### PRAYER OF THE DAY

## THE WORD

FIRST READING: Deuteronomy 8:7-18

CHOIR ANTHEM: “Ten Thousand Reasons

SECOND READING: 2 Corinthians 9:6-15

### CHILDREN’S TIME

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: “Alleluia”, p. 124

GOSPEL: Luke 17:11-19

*All:* Glory to you, O Lord.

*Leader:* The gospel of the Lord.

*All:* Praise to you, O Christ.

### SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY: “Now Thank We All Our God” #840 ELW

APOSTLES’ CREED, p. 126

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE: “Hear us, O God – your mercy is great”

SHARING THE PEACE, p. 128

*Leader:* The peace of Christ be with you always.

*All:* And also with you.

OFFERING with OFFERTORY HYMN: “Sing to the Lord of Harvest”  
#694 ELW

OFFERING PRAYER, p. 129  
THE LORD’S PRAYER, p. 134

## SENDING

BLESSING, p. 136

SENDING HYMN: “God of the Fertile Fields” #1063 ACS

DISMISSAL: *All:* Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

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*Thank you to our lector Margareth Peterson, ushers Bonnie Moser & Wes Ulmer, musician & choir director Deb Buck, and technical support Katie Otley for assisting in worship today. Thank you also to the choir for the musical anthem.*

*Last Sunday’s in-person attendance: 49*



Offering & Income for Oct. to date: \$5,218

Oct. expenses to date: \$6,092

Monthly budget need: \$21,775

Current Shortfall is \$44,000

*We gratefully accept offerings via e-transfer to [augustana@sasktel.net](mailto:augustana@sasktel.net) (full name and address required for a tax receipt) or donate with credit card through Canada Helps (donate button on the Augustana website <http://augustanasaskatoon.net/>). OR sign up for PAR. Please ensure envelopes put in the offering plates have an envelope no. or address.*

Thank you!

## Our Parish Calendar

Tuesday	8:00 am	Spiritual Growth Group (Zoom)
Tuesday	10:00 am	Forever in Motion
Tuesday	1:30 pm	Bible Study
Wednesday	8:00 am	Men’s Book & Breakfast Club (Zoom)
Wednesday	7:00 pm	The Living Room NA Group
Thursday	10:00 am	Forever in Motion
Thursday	7:00 pm	Choir
Saturday	3:00 pm	The Tea Room AA Group
Sunday	10:30 am	Evangelical Lutheran Worship & Holy Communion; Sunday School

Queen Elizabeth School Items needed include child size nylon mitts (they dry much faster than knitted ones), duotangs, dry erase markers (for the kids to use with individual white boards), and sturdy plastic water bottles. As always, cash donations will be accepted. Offerings for supplies can be marked as “Queen Elizabeth School”. A collection box is by the wall near the ramp door.



Fall Bible Study beginning this Tuesday, Oct 10<sup>th</sup> until Dec. 12<sup>th</sup>, from 1:30 to 3:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. We will be looking at the ‘Peter passages’ in the Bible, primarily a study of the books I and II Peter in the New Testament. For more information contact Pastor Kenneth Peterson at 306-343-6417. Anyone who wishes to attend one or more sessions is more than welcome!



The JOY Group invites you to join them on Thursday, October 19th, at 12:00 Noon in the Fellowship Hall for a free Oktoberfest Luncheon consisting of hot German potato salad, sauerkraut, smokies, homemade rye bread and black forest cake. Musical entertainment will also be provided. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend. Feel free to bring a friend! There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex for attendance.



The Saskatchewan Synod will be holding its 19<sup>th</sup> Triennial Synod Convention May 31-June 1, 2024, in Saskatoon. Volunteers are needed in several capacities, including worship, stewards, decoration and signage, special programs, accommodation and hospitality, and registration and information. If you are interested or even just curious about volunteering, there will be an information meeting held October 15, 2023, at 3:15 pm, at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Saskatoon, to explain the different areas and the duties that come with each.



World Food Day is observed across the globe on October 16 each year. On this day, please join Canadian Lutheran World Relief (CLWR) in prayer for those struggling with hunger and food insecurities and please help support CLWR and the Canadian Foodgrains Bank in taking action against global hunger.



The Lutheran Anglican Women’s Retreat “Out of the Depths: Living in Hope” is to be held Saturday October 21, from 9:30 AM to 4PM at Emmanuel Anglican Church, 607 Dufferin Ave. Bring your own lunch. Registration is \$20. For more information or to register, contact Bev Otsuka at [bevotsuka@shaw.ca](mailto:bevotsuka@shaw.ca) or call 306-227-9102.

**First Reading – Deuteronomy 8:7-18**

**7**FOR THE LORD YOUR GOD IS BRINGING YOU INTO A GOOD LAND, a land with flowing streams, with springs and underground waters welling up in valleys and hills, <sup>8</sup>a land of wheat and barley, of vines and fig trees and pomegranates, a land of olive trees and honey, <sup>9</sup>a land where you may eat bread without scarcity, where you will lack nothing, a land whose stones are iron and from whose hills you may mine copper. <sup>10</sup>You shall eat your fill and bless the LORD your God for the good land that he has given you.

<sup>11</sup>Take care that you do not forget the LORD your God, by failing to keep his commandments, his ordinances, and his statutes, which I am commanding you today. <sup>12</sup>When you have eaten your fill and have built fine houses and live in them, <sup>13</sup>and when your herds and flocks have multiplied, and your silver and gold is multiplied, and all that you have is multiplied, <sup>14</sup>then do not exalt yourself, forgetting the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, <sup>15</sup>who led you through the great and terrible wilderness, an arid wasteland with poisonous snakes and scorpions. He made water flow for you from flint rock, <sup>16</sup>and fed you in the wilderness with manna that your ancestors did not know, to humble you and to test you, and in the end to do you good. <sup>17</sup>Do not say to yourself, “My power and the might of my own hand have gotten me this wealth.” <sup>18</sup>But remember the LORD your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, so that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your ancestors, as he is doing today.

**Second Reading – 2 Corinthians 9:6-15**

**6**THE POINT IS THIS: THE ONE WHO SOWS SPARINGLY WILL ALSO REAP SPARINGLY, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. <sup>7</sup>Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. <sup>8</sup>And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. <sup>9</sup>As it is written, “He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor; his righteousness endures forever.”

<sup>10</sup>He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. <sup>11</sup>You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; <sup>12</sup>for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God. <sup>13</sup>Through the testing of this ministry you glorify God by your obedience to the confession of the gospel of Christ and by the generosity of your sharing with them and with all others, <sup>14</sup>while they long for you and pray for you because of the surpassing grace of God that he has given you. <sup>15</sup>Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

**Gospel – Luke 17:11-19**

**11**ON THE WAY TO JERUSALEM JESUS WAS GOING THROUGH THE REGION between Samaria and Galilee. <sup>12</sup>As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, <sup>13</sup>they called out, saying, “Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!” <sup>14</sup>When he saw them, he said to them, “Go and show yourselves to the priests.” And as they went, they were made clean. <sup>15</sup>Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. <sup>16</sup>He prostrated himself at Jesus’ feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. <sup>17</sup>Then Jesus asked, “Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? <sup>18</sup>Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?” <sup>19</sup>Then he said to him, “Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well.”

*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,  
and a source of strength and hope.*



**Spiritual Care Volunteers needed.** LutherCare is looking for individuals to help out with visitation work. For more information and to volunteer, contact Lori James at 306-649-6369.

**The Micah Mission** - a non-profit, ecumenical grassroots organization in Saskatoon supporting those who are currently incarcerated or coming out of correctional institutions is seeking Volunteer Board Members. Board Members provide oversight and are important stakeholders in decision making as we plan for our future, supporting our community. The time commitment would be approximately 1 hour via Zoom each month. No experience is necessary. Board Members must be 18 years or older with a clean police record. Please consider joining us as a Lutheran Representative on our Board. For more information please contact: [deborah@themicahmission.org](mailto:deborah@themicahmission.org).

**“THANKSGIVING”  
19TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
October 1, 10:30 AM**



*Lutherans and Anglicans worshipping together*

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*Worship at 10:30 am  
YouTube Channel:*

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCua4E9ZVxlZ4Wfmct0ZLnBA>

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