



# Calvary Lutheran Church

Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod

Pastor Michael Kessler



## WELCOME

In the name of Our Lord Jesus Christ, welcome to Christian worship. We are so happy and thankful you are here with us today. If you are a visitor with us, please sign our guest register by the front door and fill out a worship card given to you by an usher. If you are worshipping with us in a communion service, please note that we practice closed communion. Please read the communion statement at the end of the Order of Service. May God richly bless each and every one of you!

## MATINS SERVICE

**ORDER OF SERVICE - p. 219**

**Opening Hymn** "Lord of Glory, You Have Bought Us" LSB 851

**Versicles** p.219

## PSALMODY

**Antiphon (Common)** p.220

**Venite** p.220

**Additional Psalm** See insert

**Office Hymn** "Come Down, O Love Divine" LSB 501

## READINGS

**Readings** **Genesis 50:15-21** **Romans 14:1-12** **Matthew 18:21-35**

## Reading Response

P O Lord, have mercy on us.

C Thanks be to God.

**Responsory (Common)** p.221

## Sermon

## CANTICLE

**Te Deum** p.223 - 225

## Offering

## PRAYER

**Kyrie** p.227

**Lord's Prayer**

**Collects**

**Collect of the Day** See insert

## Additional Collects of Intercession and Thanksgiving

**Collect for Grace** p. 228

**Benedicamus/Benediction**

**Closing Hymn** "Where Charity and Love Prevail" LSB 845

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Church Council Notes:** Contribution amount needed per week is \$3,456.72 to meet current budget. Amount received for Last Sunday: \$2,304.11.

**Flowers:** Are given today to the Glory of God.

**Those who serve us today:** Ushers: Mike Ehrlich & Randy Ehrlich. Elder: Wil Stewart. Organist: Betty Lou Phillips. Acolyte: Austin Kessler.

**Those for whom we are praying: Those who are suffering:** All those affected by hurricanes, fires and other natural disasters, Donna Fairchild, Christopher Fenske, Pearl Gleichman, James Davis, Elizabeth Stahl, Contessa Holtz, Zoey Gains. **Those who serve us in the Military:** Jacob LeClerc, Dylan MacFarlane, Michael Yelland, Jeremy Rankin, Michael & Jessica Pray, Brian Wilson, Cameron Simon, Shane Helton, Kendra Oehlerich, Dan Tjalsma, Jessica Cochran, Kevin Sengvanhphen, Jon Charles, Victor Greenfield, Joseph Donalbain, Johnathon Fuhrman, Shane Summers. **Those who spread the Gospel overseas:** Rev. Dennis Meeker. **Those who spread the Gospel on our Campuses:** AWC Campus Ministry, LCMSU-UofA and other campus ministries.

**LWML Quilting:** There will be no quilting on Friday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>.

**Sunday school:** We had our Sunday school rally day on Saturday, September 9. It was decided to start Sunday school for the children on Sunday, October 1, 2017. Hope to see all our youth there.

**Special Door Offering:** This morning a special door offering will be received to help with hurricane relief. The total of received donations will be sent to the Pacific Southwest District Office who has assured that 100% of the funds donated for hurricane relief will be sent to the respective districts affected by the hurricanes. If you prefer to write a check in lieu of cash, please make the check out to Calvary Lutheran Church and on the memo line designate "Hurricane Relief." Also, please remember all those affected by Hurricanes Harvey and Irma in your regular prayers. The Lord always hears our cries for mercy and grace. Thank you so very much!

## *This Week's Calendar*

**GOD'S PEOPLE AT CHURCH**  
Last Sunday's Worship Service 53  
Bible Class (& staff) 10

**TODAY – September 17, 2017**  
9:00am COMMUNION SERVICE  
10:30am Bible Class/Sunday School

**WEDNESDAY – September 20**  
11:00am Bible class in Ed. Bldg

**THURSDAY – September 21**  
9:30am Bible study (sermon study) @  
Emerald Springs  
7:00pm AWC campus ministry

**SATURDAY – September 23**  
7:00am Bible Study (sermon study) at  
Goldsborro Bakery

**NEXT SUNDAY – September 24**  
9:00am COMMUNION SERVICE  
10:30am Bible Class/Sunday School

THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY after PENTECOST  
SUNDAY  
SEPTEMBER 17, 2017

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