

MT SI LUTHERAN WORSHIP INSERT

August 7th 2022 - 9:30am

Welcome to this faith community. It is joy to worship with you today!

PRELUDE	Keep Your Lamps	<i>Instrumental Music</i>
GATHERING SONG	O Day of Rest and Gladness	Red Hymnal #521
SERMON SONG	Have No Fear Little Flock	Red Hymnal #764
COMMUNION SONG	Seek Ye First (Praise)	<i>Instrumental Music</i>
SENDING SONG	The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve	Red Hymnal #551

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Lector

L: Almighty God, you sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of your church. Open our hearts to the riches of your grace, that we may be ready to receive you wherever you appear, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

All: Amen.

FIRST LESSON

Ps. 33:12-22

Lector

Our first lesson comes from Psalm 33. *We will read the psalm responsively.*

¹²Happy is the nation whose God is the LORD!

Happy the people chosen to be God's heritage!

¹³**The LORD looks down from heaven,
and sees all humankind.**

¹⁴God sits firmly enthroned and watches
all who dwell on the earth.

¹⁵**God fashions all their hearts
and observes all their deeds. R**

¹⁶A king is not saved by the size of the army,
nor are warriors rescued by their great strength.

¹⁷**The horse gives vain hope for victory;
despite its great strength it cannot save.**

¹⁸Truly, your eye is upon those who fear you, O LORD,
upon those who wait for your steadfast love,

¹⁹**to deliver their lives from death,
and to keep them alive in time of famine. R**

²⁰Our innermost being waits for you, O LORD,
our helper^l and our shield.

²¹**Surely, our heart rejoices in you,
for in your holy name we put our trust.**

²²Let your lovingkindness, O LORD, be upon us,
even as we place our hope in you.

GOSPEL LESSON

Luke12:32-40

Pastor

The Gospel according to Luke, the 12th chapter.

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

[Jesus said:] ³²“Do not be afraid, little flock, for it is your Father’s good pleasure to give you the kingdom. ³³Sell your possessions, and give alms. Make purses for yourselves that do not wear out, an unfailing treasure in heaven, where no thief comes near and no moth destroys. ³⁴For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. ³⁵“Be dressed for action and have your lamps lit; ³⁶be like those who are waiting for their master to return from the wedding banquet, so that they may open the door for him as soon as he comes and knocks. ³⁷Blessed are those slaves whom the master finds alert when he comes; truly I tell you, he will fasten his belt and have them sit down to eat, and he will come and serve them. ³⁸If he comes during the middle of the night, or near dawn, and finds them so, blessed are those slaves. ³⁹“But know this: if the owner of the house had known at what hour the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. ⁴⁰You also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour.”

The Gospel of our Lord.

All: Praise to you, O Christ.

Serving THIS Week– August 7thth

Lector - Tom B.

Assisting Minister - Pastor

Communion Assistant – Rosemary H.

Ushers - Mike H

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor On Vacation from August 8-17th Please contact Jack Boller if you have questions or John Grebe for any pastoral concern at: email cyf@mtsilutheran.org or phone (360) 920-5876

Annual Outdoor Worship and Picnic August 14th 9:30am—12:00pm at E J Roberts Park. Bring a sack lunch and a summer salad or dessert to share! The park has paved walkways that make it accessible to all.

Si View Farmers Market – Each Thursday from 4-8pm at Si View Park. We have a booth there every week with free crafts for kids. Want to help out? Please talk to Pastor or John G.

Evangelism and Outreach Team – please consider serving on a team developing evangelism and outreach opportunities for Mt Si. This will include developing informational postcards/flyers/social media posts. Pr. Krista will offer leadership for this team.