

Serving Today

Pastor: Rev. George Fields **Elder:** Glen Hansford
Acolyte: Nathan Hansford **Organist:** Sr. Sara Fields
Altar Guild: Sabrina Goodlett **Cantor:** James Hansford

Readings for next Sunday, July 12th, the Seventh Sunday after Pentecost: Introit Ps. 103:15-19; Psalm 65:1-13; Isaiah 55:10-13; Romans 8:12-17; Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23.

This week at Christ Lutheran Church July 6 – July 12

Wednesday	7:30 a.m.	Matins
Friday	6:30 a.m.	Bible & Breaky @ Broadstreet
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Sunday School for all ages
	10:30 a.m.	Divine Service – Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

For comfort, health, and recovery:

Becky Bright, David Furr, Merina Hansen,
Chuck Haynes, Roger Lindsey, Hudson
Maxwell, Olivia McKay, Will Pickering,
Elaine Shank, Eloise Springer, Nicole Tatum

For college and graduate students:

Sara Fields, James Hansford

For military servants and their families:

Glen Hansford, James Hansford, Eion Kemp,
Bill Nelson, Steven Tatum

This week's prayer family:

Beulah Nunnery and her loved ones

For those who are ill or distressed:

Jenalee Adams, Blair Alford, Layne
Bagley, W.L. Bagley, Sarah Bowman,
Deloris Brent, Martha Brown, Nathan
Brown, Hunter Burkhalter, Bobby
Carroll, Martha Clark, Joan Cowards,
Belinda Cowards-Gonzales, Robert
(Andy) Evers, Tahlia Ferderer, Fawn
Fields, George Fields, Hal Grote, Parker
Haines, Dan Hansen, Tim Hansen, Faye
Hartman, Elmer Held, Valerie
Henderson, Sharon Holleman, April Ann
Hubmann, Joslyn Jones, John Koster,
Katelyn Lawing, Paul McCullough, Jerry
McIntyre, Edlia Miller, Elaine
Monaghan, Don Ochs, Pippin Family,
Deborah-Annette Ried, Kaye Reid, Jon
Sandberg, Noah Schultz, Jonnie Pearl
Smiley, Bob Smith, Deborah Springer,
Eloise Springer, Gary Stoeckmann, Dana
Taquino, Lesley Tatum, Nicole Tatum,
Donny Thomas, Nikki Vines, Leonard
Watson, Cynthia Widlitze, Barbara
Zeigler

CHRIST

LUTHERAN CHURCH

The Divine Service

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

✠ July 5, 2026 ✠

“Return to Your Stronghold”

“Stand apart from the inclinations to love sin and to love the flesh. Turn to deeds worthy of praise. Draw near to me, so that you may become sharers of the divine nature and partakers of the Holy Spirit. Jesus called everyone, not only the people of Israel. As the Maker and Lord of all, He spoke to the weary Jews who did not have the strength to bear the yoke of the law. He spoke to idolaters heavy laden and oppressed by the devil and weighed down by the multitude of their sins .”

–St. Cyril of Alexandria
Fragment 149

We welcome our members and guests to Christ Lutheran today, and pray God’s richest blessings upon you during this time of worship!

All members and our guests are asked to complete the worship attendance pads which can be found on each pew. Guests are also asked to sign the guest register found in the Narthex.

We are so glad to have you worshiping with us today!

LARGE PRINT worship folders are available at the usher stand at the back of the nave.

The Lord’s Supper

All who are members in good standing of the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod and have introduced themselves to the pastor are welcome to partake of the Holy Communion at Christ Lutheran. If you have not spoken to the pastor, but would like to receive the Lord's blessing, you may still come to the rail and kneel, crossing one arm over the other in the shape of an 'X'. This symbolizes that one is marked by the cross and Triune name of Almighty God.

Introit: Qui habitat

Psalm 91:2, 9-10; Antiphon Psalm 91:1



He who dwells in the shelter of the | Most High*
will abide in the shadow of the Al- | mighty.

**I will say to the LORD, “My refuge and my | fortress,*
my God, in | whom I trust.”**

Because you have made the LORD your | dwelling place—*
the Most High, who is my | refuge—

**no evil shall be allowed to be- | fall you,*
no plague come | near your tent.**

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

He who dwells in the shelter of the | Most High*
will abide in the shadow of the Al- | mighty.

Gradual

Romans 11:33, 36



**Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowl- | edge of God!*
How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable | his ways!
For from him and through him and to him are | all things.*
To him be glory forever. | Amen.**

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Words of Institution

P Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, who of Your tender love for mankind gave Your only Son, Jesus Christ, to take our nature upon Him and to suffer death on the cross for our redemption. Assembled in His name and in the communion of all saints, we pray You send down Your Holy Spirit on us, and through Him to sanctify and renew us in body and soul for the sake of Your Son, our savior, Jesus Christ,

Who, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Remembering therefore His whole work of redemption, His conception and birth, His suffering and death, His resurrection and ascension, and looking for His glorious coming again, we here present before You the remembrance which Your Son has commanded us to make, beseeching You graciously to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving.

We pray You that so many of us as shall here receive the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ may be filled with all heavenly benediction and grace. Grant to us, who trust in the multitude of Your mercies, our part and fellowship with all saints, not weighing our merits, but pardoning our offenses, through Christ our Lord, by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory be to You, O Father Almighty, forever and ever.



C A - men.

Proclamation of Christ

P As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord’s death until He comes.

C Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

The Invitation

P The holy things of God for the holy people of God.

C Lord, I am not worthy that You should come under my roof.
But only speak a word, and I will be healed.

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