

Early Service Order of Worship

Divine Service Setting Three

As We Gather The unrelenting mercy of God seeks out the foremost sinner. In all unlikely circumstances, God's shepherding vigilance is persistent. One lost sheep requires the Lord's attention. One lost coin requires a woman's diligence. Wayward sinners ensnared in ignorance and worldly values necessitate the unrivaled strength of Christ Jesus. By His grace, sinners are found and saved. By His mercy, sinful opposition is assuaged with perfect patience and forgiveness. Rejoice!

Prelude

Adagio

Alec Rawley

Confession and Absolution

Please stand as you are able

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their baptism.

Invocation

Matthew 28:19b; [18:20] LSB 184

P In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

Opening Sentences

Psalm 34:9

P Fear the Lord, you his saints,

C for those who fear him lack nothing!

P Many are the afflictions of the righteous,

C but the Lord delivers him out of them all.

Opening Hymn

Christ is Our Cornerstone

LSB 912

Exhortation

Hebrews 10:22; Psalm 124:8; Psalm 32:5 LSB 184

P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C who made heaven and earth.

P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
C and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Please kneel as you are able

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

Confession of Sins

LSB 184

P O almighty God, merciful Father,

C I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

Absolution

[John 20:19–23] LSB 185

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

Please stand as you are able

Service of the Word

Introit

Psalm 30:2–5; antiphon: vv. 11a, 12b

P You have turned for me my mourning into dancing; O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever!

C O Lord my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me.

P O Lord, you have brought up my soul from Sheol; you restored me to life from among those who go down to the pit.

C Sing praises to the Lord, O you his saints, and give thanks to his holy name.

P For his anger is but for a moment, and his favor is for a lifetime.

C Weeping may tarry for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

C Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

P You have turned for me my mourning into dancing; O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever!

Kyrie

Mark 10:47 LSB 186



C Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

Gloria in Excelsis

Luke 2:14; John 1:29 LSB 187



P Glory be to God on high: **C** and on earth peace, good - will toward



men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.



O Lord God, heav'n - ly King, God the Fa - ther Al - mighty.



O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;



O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.

Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,

art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

Salutation and Collect of the Day

2 Timothy 4:22 LSB 189

P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spir - it.

P Let us pray. Lord Jesus, You are the Good Shepherd, without whom nothing is secure. Rescue and preserve us that we may not be lost forever but follow You, rejoicing in the way that leads to eternal life; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

c A - men.

Please be seated

Old Testament

Ezekiel 34:11–24

A The Old Testament Lesson for the Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost is from Ezekiel, chapter thirty-four.

¹¹"For thus says the Lord GOD: Behold, I, I myself will search for my sheep and will seek them out. ¹²As a shepherd seeks out his flock when he is among his sheep that have been scattered, so will I seek out my sheep, and I will rescue them from all places where they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. ¹³And I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land. And I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the ravines, and in all the inhabited places of the country. ¹⁴I will feed them with good pasture, and on the mountain heights of Israel shall be their grazing land. There they shall lie down in good grazing land, and on rich pasture they shall feed on the mountains of Israel. ¹⁵I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I myself will make them lie down, declares the Lord GOD. ¹⁶I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, and the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them in justice.

¹⁷"As for you, my flock, thus says the Lord GOD: Behold, I judge between sheep and sheep, between rams and male goats. ¹⁸Is it not enough for you to feed on the good pasture, that you must tread down with your feet the rest of your pasture; and to drink of clear water, that you must muddy the rest of the water with your feet? ¹⁹And must my sheep eat what you have trodden with your feet, and drink what you have muddied with your feet?

²⁰"Therefore, thus says the Lord GOD to them: Behold, I, I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. ²¹Because you push with side and shoulder, and thrust at all the weak with your horns, till you have scattered them abroad, ²²I will rescue my flock; they shall no longer be a prey. And I will judge between sheep and sheep. ²³And I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. ²⁴And I, the LORD, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them. I am the LORD; I have spoken."

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Psalmody

Psalm 119:169-176

P ¹⁶⁹Let my cry come before you, O Lord;
give me understanding according to your word!

C ¹⁷⁰**Let my plea come before you;
deliver me according to your word.**

P ¹⁷¹My lips will pour forth praise,
for you teach me your statutes.

C ¹⁷²**My tongue will sing of your word,
for all your commandments are right.**

P ¹⁷³Let your hand be ready to help me,
for I have chosen your precepts.

C ¹⁷⁴**I long for your salvation, O Lord,
and your law is my delight.**

P ¹⁷⁵Let my soul live and praise you,
and let your just decrees help me.

C ¹⁷⁶**I have gone astray like a lost sheep; seek your servant,
for I do not forget your commandments.**

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

Epistle

1 Timothy 1:12-17

A The Epistle is from First Timothy, chapter one.

¹²I thank him who has given me strength, Christ Jesus our Lord, because he judged me faithful, appointing me to his service, ¹³though formerly I was a blasphemer, persecutor, and insolent opponent. But I received mercy because I had acted ignorantly in unbelief, ¹⁴and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. ¹⁵The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the foremost. ¹⁶But I received mercy for this reason, that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display his perfect patience as an example to those who were to believe in him for eternal life. ¹⁷To the King of ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Please stand as you are able

Alleluia

LSB 190



Holy Gospel

Luke 15:1-10

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the fifteenth chapter.

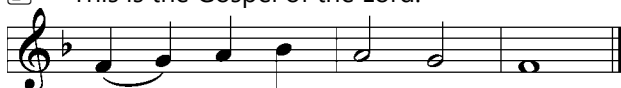


¹Now the tax collectors and sinners were all drawing near to hear [Jesus]. ²And the Pharisees and the scribes grumbled, saying, "This man receives sinners and eats with them."

³So he told them this parable: ⁴"What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he has lost one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the open country, and go after the one that is lost, until he finds it? ⁵And when he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders, rejoicing. ⁶And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and his neighbors, saying to them, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost.' ⁷Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance.

⁸"Or what woman, having ten silver coins, if she loses one coin, does not light a lamp and sweep the house and seek diligently until she finds it? ⁹And when she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbors, saying, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost.' ¹⁰Just so, I tell you, there is joy before the angels of God over one sinner who repents."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



C Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Please be seated

Children's Message

Please stand as you are able

Hymn of the Day

Jesus, Sinners Doth Receive

LSB 609

Please be seated

Sermon

Silence for reflection

Please stand as you are able

Apostles' Creed

LSB 192

C I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life ✠ everlasting. Amen.

Please be seated

Prayer of the Church

1 Timothy 2:1-4 LSB 175

After each petition:

P Lord, in Your mercy.

C Hear our prayer.

P Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

C Amen.

Offering

During this time, please fill out and pass the blue Friendship Register. Please indicate whether you are a member or visitor. If you are looking for a church home, we invite you to join the family of believers here at Christ the Redeemer.

Voluntary

Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service

Arr. By Marilyn Rinehart

Please stand as you are able

Offertory

Psalm 51:10–12 LSB 192

C Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -
way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -



tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir-it. A - men.

Lord's Prayer

Matthew 6:9-13 LSB 196

P Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

C Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Collect

P Blessed Lord, You have caused all Scriptures to be written for our learning. Grant that we may so hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C Amen.

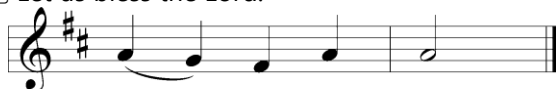
Salutation and Benedicamus *2 Timothy 4:22; Psalm 103:1 LSB 201-202*

P The Lord be with you.



C And with thy spir - it.

P Let us bless the Lord.



C Thanks be to God.

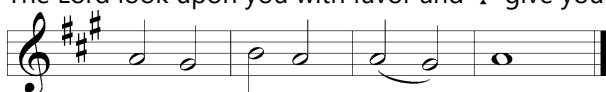
Benediction

Numbers 6:24-26 LSB 202

P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and ☩ give you peace.



C A-men, a-men, a - men.

Closing Hymn

Amazing Grace

LSB 744

Announcements

P Go in peace, serve the Lord.

G **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Recessional

Everett Titcomb

Acknowledgments

Preacher & Liturgist: Rev. Scott Burmeister

Guest Organist: Vicki Smith

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SEPTEMBER
21, 2025
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CLUB 345

Late night Party

Saturday, September 27th

4:00 pm - 9:00 pm

@ Christ the Redeemer Lutheran Church

RSVP: ON CHURCH CENTER



CLUB 345

WE'D LIKE TO KICK OFF
THE NEW 345 CLASS WITH
A LITTLE GET TOGETHER!

ALL KIDS WHO ARE NOW IN
3RD, 4TH OR 5TH GRADE
ARE INVITED TO SPEND
THE EVENING AT CHURCH
(FROM 4-9PM) WITH THEIR
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(CARRI & MELISSA)

WE WILL HAVE PIZZA,
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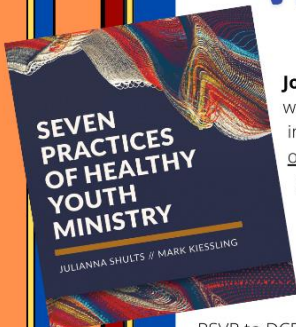
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VOCAL CHOIR AND HANDBELLS

Vocal Choir Rehearsals
Wednesdays at 7:15 pm



Handbell Rehearsals
Sundays at 1:30 pm

What makes a great YOUTH MINISTRY?

Join a **small group book study** led by DCE Suzanne that will work through this book together and discuss how CTR can implement these best practices in our ministry. Help us focus, or re-focus, the vision, goals and strategy for ministry to young people.

This is an intergenerational process open to all ages and stages of life. **EVERYONE** has something to offer- youth, adults, seniors, young adults...

RSVP to DCE Suzanne if you would like to be part of the group by September 15 and together we will choose the best day and time to meet. Questions? Email Suzanne.watt@ctrtulsa.org



FALL Festival

FOOD - GAMES - MUSIC

SUNDAY OCTOBER 26TH 4:00 - 6:30

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Or talk to Carri Cline



This Week at CTR

Sunday, September 14

8:15 AM	Worship Service
9:30 AM	Sunday School/Bible Class
10:45 AM	Communion Service
10:45 AM	Fellowship45
11:45 AM	Modern Service
1:30 PM	Handbell Rehearsal

Monday, September 15

6:30 PM	<i>Cornerstone Deadline</i> Board of Director's Meeting
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Tuesday, September 16

9:00 AM	Quilters
10:00 AM	Women's Bible Study
10:00 AM	LWR School Kit Assembly
12:30 PM	LWML Meeting

Wednesday, September 17

10:00 AM	Widow/Widower's Bible Study
5:30 PM	CTRU Classes for All Ages
6:00 PM	Elementary Students Music
6:30 PM	Dinner - Breakfast for Dinner
7:00 PM	Lutheranism 101
7:00 PM	Young Adults Bible Study
7:15 PM	Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, September 18

Friday, September 19

8:00 AM	Roustabouts
9:30 AM	Women's Bible Study
4:30 PM	Tulsa Saints

Saturday, September 20

Sunday, September 21

8:15 AM	<i>Stewardship Sunday/LWML Quilt Dedication</i>
9:30 AM	Communion Service
10:45 AM	Sunday School/Bible Class
10:45 AM	Worship Service
10:45 AM	Fellowship45
11:45 AM	Modern Service
1:30 PM	Handbell Rehearsal
4:00 PM	Tulsa Area LCMS All Church Picnic @ Haikey Creek Park



Lutheran Women in Mission

MISSION POSSIBLE DAY

Sharing God's grace worldwide

Join us on Tuesday, September 16, 2025, for
MISSION POSSIBLE DAY!

September toRemember is getting a fresh, new name and focus!
Mission Possible Day — a day when we come together, in faith and action,
to make an eternal impact through the mission grants we support.

Help make the Mission Possible by donating towards the Mission Grant Goal.



Double Your Impact!

The first \$10,000 donated on September 16 will be matched, effectively doubling the impact of your contribution.

This generous matching gift presents an exceptional chance to extend the reach and effectiveness of your support. Your donation will have double the impact, funding organizations sharing the Gospel around the world.

Mark your calendars for September 16, 2025. Together, we can make a difference.

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