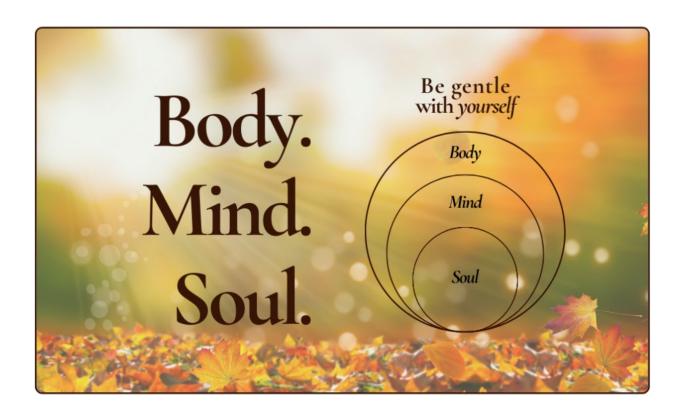


Celebrate

Planting Faith - Nurturing Hope - Sharing God's Love

18th Sunday after Pentecost Contemporary Worship Service Sunday, October 12 ~ 8:45am



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GATHERING

Gathering Song – "All Are Welcome," Hans Peterson and Larry Olson

(Chorus) All are welcome friend and stranger At the banquet of the Savior All are welcome All are welcome here

- 1. From the woman who comes crying Leaving tears at Jesus' feet
 To the man who knows
 the right way but cannot see (chorus)
- 2. From the ones who feel forgotten Those who sense their place is gone To the ones who live in hunger here you belong (chorus)
- 3. Go into the streets and cities
 To the farms and families
 Tell about the splendid table
 God's mercy (chorus)

(Ending) Welcome here, Welcome here

Welcome

This is the day that the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

+Gathering Song – "Body Mind & Soul," Andrew Polfer, Phil Wickham

1. You won me over yeah You've stolen my heart Your hand of mercy pulled me out of the dark Alive forever I am held in Your arms You won me over yeah You've stolen my heart Singing (Chorus) Hallelujah Hallelujah I will love You with my body mind and soul Hallelujah Hallelujah God my heart belongs to You alone Alone alone God my heart belongs to You

2. Beauty from ashes and water to wine Miracle Maker You have made me alive My past forgiven my future is bright Beauty from ashes and water to wine Singing (chorus)

(Bridge) Blessed Redeemer Beautiful Savior Miracle Maker You have made me alive oh (repeat)

Miracle Maker You have made me alive (chorus)

+Call to Worship

"Which commandment is the first of all?" the scribes asked Jesus long ago. He responded,

"The first is this, 'Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one; and you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.' The second is this, 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself. There is no other commandment greater than these."

When we love God with all of who we are, then we begin to love ourselves as God sees us, through the eyes of Christ. When we do this, then we begin to understand what it means to obey Jesus' second great command, to love others as we would ourselves.

Teach us what it means, O God, to live by your two, great commands. Amen.

+Prayer of the Day

+Song of Praise – "My God Is Powerful," Jay Stocker

(Chorus) My God is powerful
He stands invincible
I will hold on to him
I will hold on to him
Through God I will overcome
He's the rock that will never move
I will hold on to him
I will hold on to him

(Verse) His power moves the earth and sky Takes me to the highest heights
My God is powerful
His power will forgive and heal
Crushes darkness drives out fear
My God is powerful (chorus, verse, chorus)

WORD

Kidtalk

Reading: Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7

Word of God, Word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

Reading: Philippians 2:1-8

Word of God, Word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel – Luke 17:11-19

This is the Good News. We praise you Lord Jesus.

Sermon

Song of the Day – "What a Friend," Matt Maher

(Inro) Oh

1. Everybody has trials and temptations, oo Everybody knows heart break isolation, oo But we can lay our burdens down Lay our burdens down

(Chorus) What a friend we have in Jesus
East to west my sins are gone
I see grace on every horizon
And forever and ever His heart is my home, oh

2. Everybody has fears everybody has worries, oo Everybody knows sorrow, devastation, oo But we can lay our burdens down Lay our burdens down (chorus)

(Bridge) No more betrayal for He is faithful He fills me up and my cup runneth over (sing 4 times, chorus)

(Ending) Forever and ever His heart is my home, oh

+Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.

On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.

Amen.

- +Prayers of the People
- +Sharing the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

MEAL

Invitation to Offering

Offering Song - "My Foundation," Jordan St. Cyr, A.J. Pruis, Matthew West

- 1. This house has seen some better days Like the ones before the storm clouds came Rain poured down and hard winds blew Left me holding on for dear life
- 2. Thought it'd never pass but then one day I felt that sunlight touch my face All I know is there's only one way How this house survived

(Chorus) On Christ the solid rock I stand All other ground is sinking sand No matter what I will not be shaken The rains may come the winds may blow But I will still be still and know This house is built on You My foundation
Oh my foundation Oh

3. You've been building since before I was born Windows walls bricks and doors
This house ain't perfect got some work to do
But this house is secure 'cause it belongs to You (chorus)

(Bridge) As for me and my house we will serve the Lord As for me and my house we will serve the Lord As for me and my house we will serve the Lord And this house will not be moved 'Cause this house is built on You (chorus)

(Ending) Jesus You are my foundation (sing four times)

- +Offering Prayer
- **+Holy Communion**
- +Setting the Table
- +Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins

as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

+Invitation to the Meal

Communion Song – "Lord I Need You," Christy Nockels, Daniel Carson, Jesse Reeves, Kristian Stanfill, Matt Maher

1. Lord I come I confess
Bowing here I find my rest
And without You I fall apart
You're the one that guides my heart

(Chorus) Lord I need You oh I need You Ev'ry hour I need You My one defense my righteousness Oh God how I need You

2. Where sin runs deep Your grace is more Where grace is found is where You are And where You are Lord I am free Holiness is Christ in me Where You are Lord I am free Holiness is Christ in me (chorus)

(Bridge) So teach my song to rise to You
When temptation comes my way
And when I cannot stand I'll fall on You
Jesus You're my hope and stay
And when I cannot stand I'll fall on You
Jesus You're my hope and stay (instrumental, then chorus)

(Ending) My one defense my righteousness Oh God how I need You

Prayer after the Meal

SENDING

Blessing

Now may the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us, that we may serve God and one another through the gift of + God's grace and love.

Announcements

Amen.

+**Sending Song** – "The Solid Rock," Edward Mote and William Batchelder Bradbury

1. My hope is built on nothing less Than Jesus' blood and righteousness I dare not trust the sweetest frame But wholly lean on Jesus' name

(Chorus) On Christ the solid Rock I stand All other ground is sinking sand All other ground is sinking sand

- 2. When darkness seems to hide His face I rest on His unchanging grace In ev'ry high and stormy gale
 My anchor holds within the veil (chorus)
- 3. His oath His covenant His blood Support me in the whelming flood When all around my soul gives way He then is all my hope and stay (chorus)
- 4. When He shall come with trumpet sound O may I then in Him be found Dressed in His righteousness alone Faultless to stand before the throne (chorus twice)

No Sunday School on October 12th, and the Church Office and the Community Library will be closed on October 13th in observance of Indigenous Peoples' Day.

Volunteers are needed for the Fall Outdoor Clean Up Day on Tuesday, October 14th, from 8:30am-12pm. Pizza lunch provided.

Family Fun Night ~ October 15. Mark your calendars for an evening of family fun at OSL on October 15th from 5:30-7:00 PM. We'll paint pumpkins, eat pizza, and end the night with a parade of costumes! RSVP so we know how many pumpkins/pizzas to purchase you can do so on the church website or at the Welcome Center. Free will donation for the evening.

We intend to take the first vote on the revised constitution and bylaws during a Special Congregational Meeting at 10am on November 2nd, with the second vote required to be taken at the annual meeting in January of 2026, per the current constitution. There are copies of the updated documents available at the front office if you wish to get a copy of what is being recommended.

We are starting a new season of Augie Hockey Parking Fundraising! The first weekend is October 17th & 18th, and funds will benefit Confirmation. Sign up online or at the Welcome Center.

We need a few more offering counters. The commitment is about an hour, usually once a month. You would not use a computer, just an adding machine to total up the batches of offering envelopes. If you're interested or have questions, please contact Arlys Johnson (605) 310-4868 or the Church Office!

Our next Adult Lifelong Learning Book Study will be the Church of Mercy by Pope Francis. Sign up online or at the Welcome Center to order a book/study guide. The cost is \$12 and the deadline is October 15th. There will be 2 book studies on November 9th, at 3pm and 6pm.

Meet author P.J. Tracy in the OSL Celebrate Center Tuesday, Oct. 21st at 7:30pm! This event is sponsored by the Augustana Library Associates. Stop by the OSL Community Library now to check out one of her books!

The Bloodmobile will be at Our Savior's Lutheran on Sunday, October 26th from 8am-12pm.

The Greater Good speakers event will be held on Tuesday, October 28th from 12-12:45 in the Gathering Place.

SOSA Sunday – Oct. 19 at 8:45 AM & 11:00 AM. Join us as we celebrate and award the SOSA (Study or Serve Award) scholarships to Augustana University students at both morning services. A reception and information forum on SOSA—available to members and friends of OSL—will be at 10am. All are welcome!

On September 8th, 1946, Our Savior's Lutheran held it's first service in the Chapel of Old Main on the campus of Augustana College. Next year, in the fall of 2026, we will celebrate our 80th Anniversary. We are looking for a group of people to plan this celebration. If you are interested, please call the Church Office.

Mahjong is played in the Gathering Place every Tuesday from 1pm-3pm, and is open to all. It is a beginner level group, but you must know the basics to join. Please contact the church office with any questions.

Our next new member class will consist of two sessions, on November 11th and November 18th, from 6pm-7pm. Please contact the church office if you would like to attend, or if you know of someone who does.

High School Youth are heading to Tower, MN to stay on a houseboat from July 19-24, 2026! Stop by the Youth Information Table to sign up & get more information.

The first Sunday of each month, we are inviting congregation members to bring goodies in for Coffee & Fellowship time. You can bring a dozen (or more!) of your favorite cookies or bars to share. Treats can be brought in at anytime during the month, just drop them off at the Church Office.

Stephen Ministers Are There to Help: Mind, Body, and Soul and how God calls us to care for these gifts. We are meant to be in community. Paul writes in Gal 6:2: "Bear one another's burdens, ...". In order to best care for our mind, body, and soul, we must be willing to share that which burdens us. So if any one of life's many stresses has burdened you, request a Stephen Minister to walk with you. Our Stephen Ministers are trained to share another's burden by confidential, nonjudgmental, active listening. Whether your concerns are related to work, family, relationship, loss, or something else, talking about the issue is much better than "toughing it out" on your own. It can even help a "no big deal" issue from becoming bigger. So call up your courage and ask Pr. Tim about having a Stephen Minister. You will be blessed.