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Worship:

Sunday: 10:00am

Bible studies:

Sunday : 8:45am every Sunday – The Gospel of John.
 Noon on selected Sundays – Ezra & Nehemiah.

Wednesday: 11:00am – the Psalms.

Sunday school

Sunday: During 10:00am Divine Service.



Confession for a clean heart and a right spirit:

Almighty and merciful God, I confess I am by nature sinful and unclean and cannot free myself from my sinful condition. I have sinned against you in thought, word and deed; by what I have done and left undone; I have not loved You with my whole heart or loved my neighbor as myself. I deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on me, forgive me and lead me that I may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways. Amen.

For the One, Holy, True Church of Christ Jesus:

Merciful God, I humbly implore You to cast the bright beams of Your light upon Your Church that I, being instructed by the doctrine of the blessed apostles, may walk in the light of Your truth and finally attain to the light of everlasting life. Through Jesus Christ, my LORD. Amen

Your suffering:

Almighty and most merciful God, in this earthly life I'll endure sufferings and death before I enter into eternal glory. Grant me grace at all times to subject myself to Your holy will and to continue steadfast in the true faith to the end of my life that I may know the peace and joy of the blessed hope of the resurrection of the dead and of the glory of the world to come. Through Jesus Christ, my LORD. Amen.

Answer to your prayer:

Almighty God, You have promised to hear the petitions of those who ask in Your Son's name. Mercifully incline Your ear to me as I now make my prayers and supplications to You, and grant that those things that I have faithfully asked according to Your will I may receive to meet my need and bring glory to You, through Jesus Christ my LORD, Amen



Sixth Sunday After Pentecost

21 July 2019

Introit:	Psalms 119: 57 - 60 <small>antiphon: verse 105</small>
Old Testament:	Genesis 18: 1 – 10a (10b – 14)
Psalm	Psalm 27: (1 – 6) 7 - 14 <small>antiphon: verse 4</small>
Epistle:	Colossians 1: 21 - 29
Gradual:	Romans 10: 15b, 18b; Isaiah 52: 7b, alt
Verse:	Colossians 2: 6b – 7a
Gospel:	Luke 10: 38 – 42

The Word of Christ Is the One Thing Needed

“The LORD appeared to [Abraham] by the oaks of Mamre” (Gen. 18:1) and received his hospitality. But Abraham received the gracious promise of a son. Though Abraham and Sarah were very old, nothing is *“too hard for the LORD”* (Gen. 18:14). His Word appointed the time and fulfilled the promise. In the same way, the Lord Jesus *“entered a village”* and received Martha’s hospitality (Luke 10:38). *“Martha was distracted with much serving”* because she was *“anxious and troubled about many things”* (Luke 10:40–41), but her sister, Mary, *“sat at the Lord’s feet and listened to his teaching”* (Luke 10:39). The service of love is no sin, but *“one thing is necessary”* for both faith and love — the Word of Christ (Luke 10:42). Thus, the ministers of Christ are sent *“to make the word of God fully known, the mystery hidden for ages and generations but now revealed to his saints”* (Col. 1:25–26).

Opening Hymn:	855 / For All The Faithful Women (stanzas 1, 9, 3, & 4)
Sermon Hymn:	536 / One Thing’s Needful
Distribution Hymns:	547 / The Lamb
	729 / I Am Trusting Thee LORD Jesus
	641 / You Satisfy The Hungry Heart
	392 / God Loves Me Dearly
	655 / LORD Keep Us Steadfast In Your Word
Closing Hymn:	662 / Onward Christian Soldiers



Your Daily Prayers



Your Morning Prayer Luther’s Morning Prayer :

I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray the You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, That all my doings and life may please You. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

My hope of eternal life in Christ;

Almighty, everlasting God, Your Son has assured forgiveness of sins and deliverance from eternal life. Strengthen us by Your Holy Spirit that our faith in Christ may increase daily and that we may hold fast to the hope that on the Last Day we shall be raised in glory to eternal life; through Jesus Christ, our LORD. Amen.

Faith, hope and love:

Almighty God, grant us a steadfast faith in Jesus Christ, a cheerful hope in Your mercy, and a sincere love for You and one another; through Jesus Christ, our LORD. Amen

Your Evening Prayer Luther’s Evening Prayer :

I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this day; and I pray that You would forgive me all my sins where I have done wrong, and graciously keep me this night. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

Your Petitions and Supplications:
