

Silverdale Lutheran Church
12th Sunday after Pentecost | August 16th, 2026

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Welcome to worship! Everything you need for worship is projected on the screen, and it's also printed in this bulletin—music included. In worship, we're not an audience; we're all active participants. God meets us here with the blessings of Christ Jesus, and we respond with our praise. Activity bags for young worshippers are also available in the entry.

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Prelude

Confession and Forgiveness *(Please stand as you are able)*

P: We gather in the name of the Father, ✠ Son, and Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. (1 John 1:8-9)

(Silence for Reflection)

P: Most merciful God,

C: we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

P: Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

Gathering Hymn

Oh, For A Thousand Tongues to Sing



- 1 Oh, for a thou-sand tongues to sing my great Re-deem-er's praise,
2 My gra-cious Mas-ter and my God, as-sist me to pro-claim,
3 The name of Je-sus charms our fears and bids our sor-rows cease,
4 He speaks, and lis-t'ning to his voice, new life the dead re-ceive;



the glo-ries of my God and king, the tri-umphs of his grace!
to spread through all the earth a-broad the hon-ors of your name.
sings mu-sic in the sin-ner's ears, brings life and health and peace.
the mourn-ful, bro-ken hearts re-joice, the hum-ble poor be-lieve.

- 5 Look unto him, your Savior own, O fallen human race!
Look and be saved through faith alone, be justified by grace!
6 To God all glory, praise, and love be now and ever giv'n
by saints below and saints above, the church in earth and heav'n.

Greeting

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

Hymn of Praise

This is the Feast



This is the feast of vic-t'ry for our God, for the



Lamb who was slain has be-gun his reign. Al-le-lu-ia.



- 1 Wor-thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be

peo-ple of God. Pow - er, rich - es, wis - dom, and strength, and

Refrain

hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are his. This is the feast of

vic-t'ry for our God, for the Lamb who was slain has be - gun his reign. Al -

le - lu - ia. 2 Sing with all the peo - ple of God, and

join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion: Bless - ing, hon - or,

glo - ry, and might be to God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.

Final refrain

This is the feast of vic - t'ry for our God, for the

Lamb who was slain has be - gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.

Prayer of the Day

L: The Lord be with you,

C: And also with you

L: Let us pray... Almighty God, give us faith through your word this day that we may cast ourselves completely on your mercy and boldly approach your throne of grace through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you, one God with the Holy Spirit, now and forever. **C: Amen**

Children's Sermon

THE WORD

Psalm 67

L: May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us,

C: **that your way may be known on earth, your saving power among all nations.**

L: Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you!

C: **Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,**

L: for you judge the peoples with equity

C: **and guide the nations upon earth.**

L: Let the peoples praise you, O God;

C: **let all the peoples praise you!**

L: The earth has yielded its increase;

C: **God, our God, shall bless us.**

L: God shall bless us;

C: **let all the ends of the earth revere him!**

R: The Word of the Lord

C: **Thanks be to God**

Second Reading

Romans 11:1-2a, 29-36

I ask, then, has God rejected his people? By no means! For I myself am an Israelite, a descendant of Abraham, a member of the tribe of Benjamin. God has not rejected his people whom he foreknew ... As regards the gospel, they are enemies for your sake. But as regards election, they are beloved for the sake of their forefathers. For the gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable. For just as you were at one time disobedient to God but now have received mercy because of their disobedience, so they too have now been disobedient in order that by the mercy shown to you they also may now

receive mercy. For God has consigned all to disobedience, that he may have mercy on all. Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways!

“For who has known the mind of the Lord, or who has been his counselor?”

“Or who has given a gift to him that he might be repaid?”

For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be glory forever. Amen.

R: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God

Alleluia



Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the
words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

R: The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, the 15th Chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

Gospel

Matthew 15:10-28

¹⁰ And he called the people to him and said to them, “Hear and understand: ¹¹ it is not what goes into the mouth that defiles a person, but what comes out of the mouth; this defiles a person.” ¹² Then the disciples came and said to him, “Do you know that the Pharisees were offended when they heard this saying?” ¹³ He answered, “Every plant that my heavenly Father has not planted will be rooted up. ¹⁴ Let them alone; they are blind guides. And if the blind lead the blind, both will fall into a pit.” ¹⁵ But Peter said to him, “Explain the parable to us.” ¹⁶ And he said, “Are you also still without understanding? ¹⁷ Do you not see that whatever goes into the mouth passes into the stomach and is expelled? ¹⁸ But what comes out of the mouth proceeds from the heart, and this defiles a person. ¹⁹ For out of the heart come evil thoughts, murder, adultery, sexual immorality, theft, false witness, slander. ²⁰ These are what defile a person. But to eat with unwashed hands does not defile anyone.”

²¹ And Jesus went away from there and withdrew to the district of Tyre and Sidon. ²² And behold, a Canaanite woman from that region came out and was crying, “Have mercy on me, O Lord, Son of David; my daughter is severely oppressed by a demon.” ²³ But he did not answer her a word. And his disciples came and begged him, saying, “Send her away, for she is crying out after us.” ²⁴ He answered, “I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.” ²⁵ But she came and knelt before him, saying, “Lord, help me.” ²⁶ And he answered, “It is not right to take the children’s bread and throw it to the dogs.” ²⁷ She said, “Yes, Lord, yet even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their masters’ table.” ²⁸ Then Jesus answered her, “O woman, great is your

faith! Let it be done for you as you desire.” And her daughter was healed instantly.^[1]

R: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

(Please be seated)

Sermon

“The Face of Great Faith”

Pastor Bill Crabtree

(After a brief period of reflection, please stand for the hymn of the day)

Hymn of the Day

Jesus Shall Reign

1 Je - sus shall reign wher - e'er the sun does its suc -
2 To him shall end - less prayer be made, and prais - es
3 Peo - ple and realms of ev - 'ry tongue dwell on his
4 Bless - ings a - bound wher - e'er he reigns: the pris - 'ners

ces - sive jour - neys run; his king - dom stretch from
throng to crown his head; his name like sweet per -
love with sweet - est song; and in - fant voic - es
leap to lose their chains, the wea - ry find e -

shore to shore, till moons shall wax and wane no more.
fume shall rise with ev - 'ry morn - ing sac - ri - fice.
shall pro - claim their ear - ly bless - ings on his name.
ter - nal rest, and all who suf - fer want are blest.

Text: Isaac Watts, 1674–1748, alt.

Music: DUKE STREET, attr. John Hatton, d. 1793

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 Church

P: Let us pray for the whole church ...

L: ...Lord, in your mercy,

C: Hear our prayer.

Sharing of the Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

(Please be seated following Sharing of the Peace)

Community Time & The Offering

(Please pass the black friendship pads down the pew – guests we would love to send you a thank you for worshiping with us, please provide your email or address.)



The Offering ~ Ways to support our mission and ministry:

1. Place an offering in the offering plate as it is passed between the pews
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Offertory

“Run River Run” *by Church Friends*

Offering Response The Trumpets Sound *(verse 2 only)*

1 The trum - pets sound, the an - gels sing,
 2 Ta - bles are la - den with good things;
 3 The hun - gry heart he sat - is - fies,

the feast is read - y to be - gin.
 oh, taste the peace and joy he brings.
 of - fers the poor his par - a - dise.

The gates of heav'n are o - pen wide,
 He'll fill you up with love di - vine;
 Now hear all heav'n and earth ap - plaud

and Je - sus wel - comes you in - side.
 he'll turn your wa - ter in - to wine.
 the a - maz - ing good - ness of the Lord.

Refrain

Sing with thank - ful - ness songs of pure de - light.

Come and rev - el in heav - en's love and light.

Take your place at the ta - ble of the King.

The feast is read - y to be - gin;
 the feast is read-y to be-gin.

Offering Prayer

L: Let us pray. God of mercy and grace,

C: the eyes of all wait upon you, and you open your hand in blessing. Fill us with good things at your table, that we may in turn share your promise, presence and care to our community and world, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and Lord. Amen.

THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Great Thanksgiving

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you

P: Lift up your hearts

C: We lift them to the Lord

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

C: It is right to give God thanks and praise

P: It is indeed right ... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



Holy Holy Holy

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,
heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry, full of your glo-ry. Ho -
san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high -
est. Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Words of Institution

P: In the night in which he was betrayed, ... do this in remembrance of me.

The Lord's Prayer *(All) (Projected)*

(Please be seated)



All Baptized Christians are welcome to join with us in this meal where we believe the true body and blood of Christ are present in, with, and under the bread and wine/juice. You will be ushered forward and there will be three tables of communion in the front of the sanctuary. You will be given a piece of bread or gluten free wafer by a pastor or lay leader. On the table you will have a choice of using the chalice for intinction or a small cup of wine or juice. If you choose to use the cup, then place it in the baskets when finished. Adults who do not receive the Supper or children who have not received First Communion instruction can come forward for a blessing. If you have not been baptized, one of our pastors would welcome a conversation with you about Baptism.

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.

(Please Stand)

Post Communion Blessing

P: The Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and keep you in His grace.

C: Amen

Post Communion Prayer

L: Let us pray...

C: We give you thanks, generous God, for in this bread and cup we have tasted the new heaven and earth where hunger and thirst are no more. Send us now as your witnesses to the world, that all may know life in Jesus' name. Amen.

Benediction

P: The LORD bless you and keep you: The LORD make his face to shine upon you, and be gracious to you: The LORD look upon you with favor, and give you peace.

C: Amen



Sending Hymn He's Got the Whole World in His Hands

Verse 1

He's got the whole world in His hands
He's got the whole world in His hands
He's got the whole world in His hands
He's got the whole world in His hands

Verse 2

He's got the little tiny baby in His hands
He's got the little tiny baby in His hands
He's got the little tiny baby in His hands
He's got the whole world in His hands

Verse 3

He's got you and me brother in His hands
He's got you and me brother in His hands
He's got you and me brother in His hands
He's got the whole world in His hands

Verse 4

He's got you and me sister in His hands
He's got you and me sister in His hands
He's got you and me sister in His hands
He's got the whole world in His hands

Verse 5

He's got ev'rybody here in His hands
He's got ev'rybody here in His hands
He's got ev'rybody here in His hands
He's got the whole world in His hands

Verse 6

He's got the wind and the rain in His hands
He's got the wind and the rain in His hands
He's got the wind and the rain in His hands
He's got the whole world in His hands

Verse 7

He's got the sun and the moon in His hands
He's got the sun and the moon in His hands
He's got the sun and the moon in His hands
He's got the whole world in His hands

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Dismissal

L: We are grace filled!

C: And Spirit led!

L: Go in Peace Connected to Christ.

C: Thanks be to God!

Postlude

Flowers: Celebrating the marriage of Hannah Fergus & Connor Clark

Special thanks: SLiCk Pickers and Sharon Clark

This Week's Worship Leaders—August 16th

Preaching: Pastor Bill Crabtree | Presiding: Pastor Jonathan Sansgaard

August Altar Care: Darcy Lund, Joanne Nelsen, Marla Scott

Liturgist: (8:30) Sue Shultz (10:30) Jenny Grenfell

Communion Assistants: (8:30) Darcy Lund, Ethyl Mae Nelson,
Tom & Sue Starks (10:30) Don & Elaine Jukam, Sonny & Sharron Kanlian

Readers: (8:30) Kathy Ozimek (10:30) Kay Kersten

Next Week's Readings: August 23rd

Psalm 31:1-5, Romans 12:1-8, & Matthew 16:13-20

As you read the lesson, ask yourself two questions:
Why was this story told? Where do you see God at work?

Prayer and Care: John Adair and family in the death of his wife Marilyn, Darcy Lund's father, Carl Susag, recovering from a fall. Lisa Ottenbacher, recovering from hand surgery. Patti Randall, anticipating sinus surgery. Kathy Havers, recovering from surgery. Nancy Walch, recovering from illness. Mike Meherg in frail health. Kurt Thompson's father, Eldon, diagnosed with pancreatic cancer.

Recovering: Jerry Erickson, Greg Patterson, Vinny Rupp, Charlene Thompson, Chris Whitley, and Lou Ann Wood.

Facing Cancer: Kris Cameron, Jason Cawthorne, Elizabeth & George Domahidy, Cathy Ellis, Shelly Ferber, Eric Halvorson, Steven Hudock, Don Jukam, Kay Kersten, Ron Maddux, Jim Piatt, George Roberts, Lisa Stephens, David Trexler, and Lorna Trojanowski.

Deployed & Military Support & Their Families: Morgan Adams, Jared Cain, Daniel Leno, Rebecca Mackey, Andrew Quam, Megan George, Nicholas George, David Wooten, and all their families.

Continued Prayer: Billie Adams, Kay Akers, Rhonda Ball, Irene Bergsagel, Sylvia Byron, Yvonne Dean, Randy Fossum, Gene & Joe Gierke, Jerry Grey, Ron Johnson, Sandy Jordan, Barb Manbeck, Chuck McClung, Warren Miller, Evy Randall, Jean Sherbesman, Carl Susag, Tom Taft, and Joanne Wales. Prayers for those in memory care, all who are homebound or in ill health.



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