

Welcome! To those who worship with us today we bid welcome in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. It is our prayer that this service will enable you to seek His forgiveness and prepare you for a new week with our Savior as together we recommit ourselves to serving Him. Visitors, please introduce yourselves to the pastor and sign our guest book prior to leaving this morning.

† **THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST** †

August 27, 2023

Liturgy Divine Service Matins – LSB pages 219-228

**WELCOME** *(Please Stand)*

**OPENING INVOCATION HYMN**- “*Take My Life and Let It Be*”.....LSB #783

**SERVICE BEGINS** *(Please Stand)*.....Page 219

**PSALMODY and VENITE**.....Page 220

**INTROIT**.....Psalm 2:6-7

P: But we will / bless the LORD

\*from this time forth and forevermore. / Praise the LORD!

C: AS FOR ME, I HAVE / SET MY KING

\*ON ZION, MY / HOLY HILL.

P: I will tell of / the decree:

\*The LORD said to me, “You are my Son; today I have be- / gotten you.”

C: PRAISE THE LORD, ALL / NATIONS!

\*EXTOL HIM, ALL / PEOPLES!

P: For great is His steadfast / love toward us,

\*and the faithfulness of the LORD endures forever. / Praise the LORD!

C: 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.

C: BUT WE WILL / BLESS THE LORD

\*FROM THIS TIME FORTH AND FOREVERMORE. / PRAISE THE LORD!

*(Please Be Seated)*

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE**.....Dr. Gary Swanson

**OFFICE HYMN** ” *Built On a Rock the Church Shall Stand*”.....LSB #645

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON** - THANKS BE TO GOD.....Isaiah 51:1-6

**EPISTLE** - THANKS BE TO GOD.....Romans 11:33-12:8

*(Please Stand)*

**HOLY GOSPEL** – THANKS BE TO GOD.....Matthew 16:13-20

**RESPONSORY**.....Page 221

*(Please Be Seated)*

**SERMON**.....Rev. Donn Woolweber

**CANTICLE-TE DEUM** “*We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God*”.....LSB #941

*(Please Be Seated)*

**OFFERING**

*(Please Stand)*

**KYRIE** .....Page 227

**THE LORD’S PRAYER**

**COLLECTS** - P: The Lord be with you. C: AND WITH YOUR SPIRIT

**COLLECT OF THE DAY**.....Page 228

**COLLECT FOR GRACE**

**BENEDICAMUS** – P: Let us bless the Lord C: THANKS BE TO GOD

**BENEDICTION** – C: AMEN

**CLOSING HYMN** – “*The Church’s One Foundation*”.....LSB #644

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

