

Welcome to Worship!

The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
September 19 & 20, 2026

Saturday, 6:30 p.m.
Order of Worship – Vespers

Announcements

Welcome

Bells

Opening Hymn #864

Shepherd of Tender Youth

(The liturgy for Vespers begins on page 229 of the hymnal, and is displayed on the monitors)

Opening Versicles

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Old Testament Reading Isaiah 55:6-9

Epistle Reading Philippians 1:12-14, 19-30

Gospel Reading Matthew 20:1-16

Hymn of the Day #555, v. 1-5

Salvation unto Us Has Come

Message “Hope in the Eleventh Hour”

Evening Hymn #555, v. 6-10

Salvation unto Us Has Come

Offering

Kyrie *(p. 233)*

Lord’s Prayer *(p. 233)*

Prayers

Collect for Peace *(p. 233)*

Benedicamus *(p. 234)*

Benediction *(p. 234)*

Sending Hymn #861

Christ Be My Leader

Sunday, 8:00/9:30 a.m.
Order of Worship – Matins

Prelude (8:00/9:30) (9:30)	“Jesus! What A Friend for Sinners!” “Christ Be My Leader” “Take My Life and Let It Be”	<i>arr. C. Rice</i> <i>arr. S. Pethel</i> <i>arr. S. Pethel</i>
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Announcements

Welcome

Bells

Opening Hymn #864	Shepherd of Tender Youth
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Baptism (9:30) <i>Apostles' Creed - 9:30</i>	Emerson Betz Auernhamer
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Opening Versicles	(p. 219)
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Psalmody	(p. 220-221)
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Old Testament Reading Isaiah 55:6-9

5th & 6th Grade Choir (9:30)	Psalm 27:1–9
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Epistle Reading Philippians 1:12-14, 19-30

Gospel Reading Matthew 20:1-16

Children's Message

Hymn of the Day #555 v. 1-5	Salvation unto Us Has Come
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Message	“Hope in the Eleventh Hour”
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Te Deum #555 v. 6-10	Salvation unto Us Has Come
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Offering

Voluntary (8:00) (9:30)	“Take My Life and Let It Be” “Shout For Joy”	<i>arr. S. Pethel</i> <i>S. Wilkinson</i>
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Prayers

Installation & Rededication of St. Lorenz Staff (9:30)

Kyrie	(p. 227)
Lord's Prayer	(p. 227)
Collect for Grace	(p. 228)
Benedicamus	(p. 228)
Benediction	(p. 228)
Sending Hymn #861	Christ Be My Leader
<i>(At the 9:30 worship, the choir will sing stanza 2)</i>	



Altar Flowers are in memory of Maynard Haubenstricker's 95th birthday on September 19, from his family.

Baptism

Emerson Betz Auernhamer was born on August 27, 2026. She is the daughter of Adam & Kalie (Keyes) Auernhamer, and her sponsors are Kendra Keyes, Nathan Auernhamer, and Danielle Krafft.



If you'd like to tour the church sanctuary and hear about our congregation's history, come to the Christian Flag under the pulpit after the 9:30 a.m. service. A volunteer guide will meet you there.

Serving in Today's Worship

Worship Leaders

Pastor Joel Eden

Pastor Brad Hubbard

Organists

Donna Haubenstricker (*Saturday*)

Lisa Anderson (*Sunday*)

Service Coordinators

Dan Bekemeier (*Saturday*)

Chris Paten (*Sunday*)

Media – Troy Zehnder, Willy Rummel

Instrumentalist (*Sunday*) Nick Parker - saxophone, piano

5th & 6th Grade Choir (*9:30*) – Michael Keller, director

Greeters

(*8:00*) Keith & Jenny Knoll, Keith & Denise Mosey

(*9:30*) Don & Lenchen Techentien, Scott & Lori Warnemuende, Dale & Nancy Bartlett

Church Tour Guide (*9:30*) – Steve Buchinger

Ushers

(*6:30*) Doug Kueffner, Jerry Andrews, Dan Attenberger, Caleb Auernhamer, Bill Chapman, Brevin Ross, Ken Spencer, Tim & Susan Weiss

(*8:00*) Jon & Kathy Zehnder, Rudy Frank, Amanda Gaudreau, Tom List, Ben Lucio, Jim Meyerhuber, Pete Weiss

(*9:30*) Andy Zehnder, Vera Bamberg, Gary & Carmel Hochthanner, Gary Maurer, Charridan and Dierk Wascher