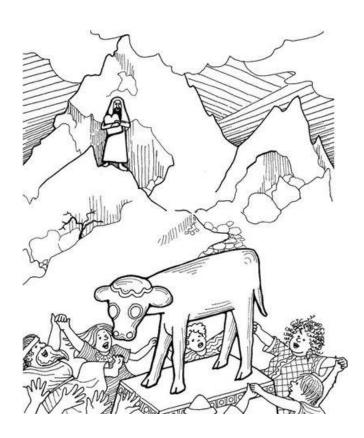
## WELCOME TO WORSHIP!



## Service of the Word 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost October 11, 2020 • 10:00 AM

### **Church of Our Saviour, Lutheran**

The Reverend Paul Egensteiner, Bishop The Reverend Marc Herbst, Pastor Judith Feuss, Music Director/Organist



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WELCOME to the CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR, LUTHERAN (COSL)! We are pleased to have you join us for worship today, and we hope that your experience is spiritually enriching and meaningful.

IF YOU ARE NEW to COSL, here are some things you might like to know:

- Who we are. COSL is a congregation of the family of God that welcomes all people without discrimination or prejudice, seeking to strengthen one another with Word and Sacraments, prayer, and example. Our mission is to:
  - Share the Gospel of Jesus Christ and his love with all people.
  - Reach out to our community with friendship and witness.
  - Bring hope and healing to those who are in need, both at home and abroad.
  - Offer opportunities for worship, learning, fellowship, and service.
  - Encourage all members to discover, develop and share their God-given talents.
- **Children** are always welcome to join us for worship. They are encouraged to come forward during Children's Messages and participate. Also, please note that there are Activity Bags (containing books, coloring, and other materials inside) available for children preschool to Age 6, in the narthex (entrance hall).
- **Childcare** is provided for interested families during worship. Ms. Anna Gordy, a mother of four and grandmother of nine (and counting!), has vast experience in childcare, including 15 years at a local Parish Resource Center. This ministry is provided in the Nursery School Room, located on the lower level.
- Sunday School, available for children ages 4 through 12, is offered September through June. The program begins
  during the 10AM worship with an opening Children's Message among the entire congregation, and then the students
  depart to learn beloved Bible stories, Lutheran identity, and the love of Jesus. They return before the conclusion of
  worship to participate in the dismissal. On designated Youth Sundays the students may remain with the entire
  congregation and participate in a meaningful way throughout the liturgy.
- **Coffee and refreshments** are generally served following worship in the Parlor, located on the lower level accessible from the narthex (entrance hall). Please join us!
- **Restrooms** are located on the lower level along the main hallway. A changing table is available in another restroom located off the fellowship hall.
- Worship Assistance and Emergency Needs. First aid kits and a defibrillator are readily available. Please see an usher if assistance is needed, or if you have any other concerns or questions.
- **Pastoral Care.** We minister to the spiritual, emotional, and physical needs of all God's children. Confidentiality is respected. For pastoral care please feel free to contact Pastor Marc Herbst (see contact info above) or one of our agencies: (counseling) Lutheran Counseling Center, 132 Jefferson Ave., Mineola, 800-317-1173 or 516-741-0994 or (food and essentials) New LIFE Center, Long Island, 311 Uniondale Ave., Uniondale, 516-483-3240.

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#### 19th Sunday after Pentecost • October 11, 2020 at 10:00 AM

*Liturgical Color, Revised Common Lectionary – Green* The Reverend Marc Herbst, Presiding Minister

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#### GATHERING - The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

#### **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

- *Presider:* Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who creates, redeems, and sustains us and all of creation. Amen.
- *Presider:* Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

- Assistant: Faithful God, have mercy on us. We confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We turn from your loving embrace and go our own ways. We pass judgment on one another before examining ourselves. We place our own needs before those of our neighbors. We keep your gift of salvation to ourselves. Make us humble, cast away our transgressions, and turn us again to life in you through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.
- *Presider:* God hears the cries of all who call out in need, and through his death and resurrection, Christ has made us his own. Hear the truth that God proclaims: Your sins are forgiven in the name of 
  → Jesus Christ. Led by the Holy Spirit, live in freedom and newness to do God's work in the world. Amen.

#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

*Presider:* Let us pray.

Lord of the feast, you have prepared a table before all peoples and poured out your life with abundance. Call us again to your banquet. Strengthen us by what is honorable, just, and pure, and transform us into a people of righteousness and peace, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

#### WORD - God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

#### LESSON: Exodus 32:1-14

After Israel sinned by worshiping the golden calf, Moses interceded with God to spare Israel, lest the Egyptians conclude that God had evil intents in the exodus. Moses reminds God of the promises God made to Israel's matriarchs and patriarchs.

Assistant: A reading from the Book of Exodus:

Assistant: <sup>1</sup>When the people saw that Moses delayed to come down from the mountain, the people gathered around Aaron, and said to him, "Come, make gods for us, who shall go before us; as for this Moses, the man who brought us up out of the land of Egypt, we do not know what has become of him." <sup>2</sup>Aaron said to them, "Take off the gold rings that are on the ears of your wives, your sons, and your daughters, and bring them to me." <sup>3</sup>So all the people took off the gold rings from their ears, and brought them to Aaron. <sup>4</sup>He took the gold from them, formed it in a mold, and cast an image of a calf; and they said, "These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!" <sup>5</sup>When Aaron saw this, he built an altar before it; and Aaron made proclamation and said, "Tomorrow shall be a festival to the LORD." <sup>6</sup>They rose early the

next day, and offered burnt offerings and brought sacrifices of wellbeing; and the people sat down to eat and drink, and rose up to revel.

<sup>7</sup>The LORD said to Moses, "Go down at once! Your people, whom you brought up out of the land of Egypt, have acted perversely; <sup>8</sup>they have been quick to turn aside from the way that I commanded them; they have cast for themselves an image of a calf, and have worshiped it and sacrificed to it, and said, 'These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!' " <sup>9</sup>The LORD said to Moses, "I have seen this people, how stiff-necked they are. <sup>10</sup>Now let me alone, so that my wrath may burn hot against them and I may consume them; and of you I will make a great nation."

<sup>11</sup>But Moses implored the LORD his God, and said, "O LORD, why does your wrath burn hot against your people, whom you brought out of the land of Egypt with great power and with a mighty hand? <sup>12</sup>Why should the Egyptians say, 'It was with evil intent that he brought them out to kill them in the mountains, and to consume them from the face of the earth'? Turn from your fierce wrath; change your mind and do not bring disaster on your people. <sup>13</sup>Remember Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, your servants, how you swore to them by your own self, saying to them, 'I will multiply your descendants like the stars of heaven, and all this land that I have promised I will give to your descendants, and they shall inherit it forever.' " <sup>14</sup>And the LORD changed his mind about the disaster that he planned to bring on his people.

*Lector:* This is the word of the Lord.

#### SERMON

SOLO OF THE DAY: *The Lord's Prayer (Malotte)* Joe DeRupo, Baritone

#### PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Assistant: With confidence in God's grace and mercy, let us pray for the church, the world, and all those in need.

#### A brief silence.

- Assistant: Gracious host, fill your church with a spirit of joyous hospitality. We pray for bishops, teachers, church leaders, and all children of God as they invite others to your table of boundless grace. Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.
- Assistant: Gracious host, as creation waits with eager longing for redemption, protect your creatures that are mistreated. Restore valleys, mountains and pastures, and still and running waters. Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.
- Assistant: Gracious host, as you set a table in the presence of enemies, so bless the efforts of diplomats, international peace workers, and world leaders who navigate conflict. May they proceed with dialogue and understanding, so that justice and peace prevails. Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.
- Assistant: Gracious host, let your gentleness be known among those who are weary or ill, especially Craig, Hilda, Gisela, Jeanne, Irma, Christa, Belle, Jean, Angele, Joyce, Eric, Tom, Dan, Virginia, Bud, John Patrick, Linda, and those whom we silently name in our hearts. Strengthen doctors, medical care workers, and caretakers who see to their needs. Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.
- Assistant: Gracious host, when we are quick to judge outward appearance, remind us how you clothe all in your mercy. We pray for ministries that provide needed clothing and other personal care assistance in this community, especially Lutheran Social Services of New York's New LIFE Center. Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

- Assistant: Gracious host, as we celebrate special moments, especially the birthdays of Dan, Andy, Laura, Ursel, Amy, Michael, John and Sharon, and the wedding anniversary of Donna & Al, remind us to pause and give thanks to you for being our source of all joy. Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.
- Assistant: Gracious host, as we remember those who have died and are gathered at the heavenly banquet, especially Matt, comfort us with your presence. Assure us of your peace at all times. Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.
- *Presider:* Listen as we call on you, O God, and enfold in your loving arms all for whom we pray, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### SENDING - God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### BENEDICTION

Presider:The Lord bless you and keep you.The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace. Amen.

#### DISMISSAL

Assistant: Go in peace. Christ is with you.

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#### SERVING THIS SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11TH

Ministers: People of the Church of Our Saviour, Lutheran

Assisting Minister: Jeanine Levitan

**Worship Attendants:** Antonio Centeno, Valerie Gavora, Laurie Herbert, Tim Keenan, Gil McNally, Kathy McNally, Rosa Morakis, John Merseburg, Dan Nigro, Lynn Nigro and Bobby Stainkamp

#### PRAYERS OF COMFORT AND HEALING

(Unless a renewed request is received, prayer intercessions for individuals will be listed for three consecutive weeks.)

**ASSISTED CARE/HOMEBOUND**: Craig Anderson (father of Keri Anderson Reda), Hilda Bormann, Gisela Feige, Jeanne Geib, Irma Grunewald, Christa Horn, Belle Lewis, Jean Millington (mother of Debbie Capilupi), Angele Moomjy and Joyce Morin

**HOSPITALIZATION/ILLNESS/MEDICAL CARE:** Eric Gordy (son of Anna Gordy), Rev. Tom Hammond, Dan Hanley, Virginia Marshall, Bud McHale (friend of Kathy McNally), John Patrick Walsh (friend of Elisa Cueto) and Linda Ziccardi (friend of Kathy McNally)

**GRIEF:** Family and friends of Matt Falcone (friend of Flo & Tom Buzzitta)

#### PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING — 10/11 through 10/17

**<u>BIRTHDAYS</u>**: Dan Nigro – 10/11, Andy Boisselle, Laura Maurischat and Ursel Witt – 10/12, Amy Kempton – 10/13, Michael Catuogno – 10/14, John Azzara – 10/16, Sharon Rivilli – 10/17

**ANNIVERSARY:** Donna & Al Valencia – 10/17

#### **SEPTEMBER YTD FINANCIALS**

Income: \$210,885

Expenses: \$233,267

Deficit: \$22,382

WEEKLY SCHEDULE Today, Sunday, October 11<sup>th</sup> 10:00 AM – Worship, Sunday School, Childcare Monday, October 12<sup>th</sup> Columbus Day – Official Holiday (office closed) Tuesday, October 13<sup>th</sup> 10:00 AM—Knitwits and Ruth Circle crafts meeting 10:30 AM – Musician Rehearsals 12:00 NOON – Synod Strategic Planning Committee Wednesday, October 14<sup>th</sup> 11:00 AM – Virtual Bible Study

#### **OUTDOOR WORSHIP ATTENDANCE:**

Sunday, October 4<sup>th</sup> – 51 cars, 83 people, 13 canines and more critters! Sunday, September 27<sup>th</sup> – 38 cars, 67 people, 4 canines! Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup> – 46 cars, 77 people, 2 canines!

#### TWO SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES BEGINNING NOVEMBER 22ND:

With COVID-19 pandemic assembly restrictions placed upon Houses of Worship, we are compelled to find alternatives to minimize large gatherings. Our congregation has decided to offer two Sunday worship services to ensure we can continue to proclaim the Gospel for the faithful. Beginning Sunday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>, we will begin a **9:15 AM** half-hour spoken Holy Communion liturgy inside the sanctuary. At **10:30 AM** a half-hour "Service of the Word" liturgy will be held outdoors, weather permitting, with FM transmission (100.1 FM) for access in parked automobiles. Please note, however, the first 9:15 AM service, on November 22<sup>nd</sup> will be reserved for Confirmation families and friends.

**FOOD COLLECTION DRIVE:** Our dedicated food collection effort for Lutheran Social Services of New York's New LIFE Center in Uniondale is progressing quite well. Alex Rekow, the ministry coordinator, reports we have collected 1408 pounds of food to date, nearly three-quarters of our way to the goal of 2020 pounds before the end of the year! Please help us meet our goal.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS TODAY:** Students are invited to gather on the lawn area outside the Youth Room (north side of the building, along driveway), weather permitting, following the opening of today's 10:00 AM worship service.

**KNITWITS KNITTING ON TUESDAYS:** Adhering to the COVID-19 safety requirements for gathering, the Knitwits have resumed their weekly 10:00 AM Tuesday gatherings in the Parlor.

WEEKLY ZOOM BIBLE STUDY HELD ON WEDNESDAYS: The Western Nassau Conference of the Metropolitan New York Synod is holding its weekly Zoom Bible study sessions on each Wednesday for one hour every Wednesday beginning at 11:00 AM. Pastor John Jurik leads the discussion. Each week the upcoming Sunday lectionary readings are discussed. Since each week is different, everyone should be comfortable joining any week they are available. All are welcome! For October, please access using the following log in information: https://zoom.us/j/91679186704?pwd=KzJaUENyQ0ZTUE1vakI3Qk4rTFlpQT09 The password is: 367714

**FINAL CONFIRMATION CLASS MEETS NEXT SUNDAY:** The final instructional class for confirmation will be held **Sunday**, **October 18**<sup>th</sup> (Apostles' Creed) between 10:45 – 11:30 AM outdoors (weather permitting), outside of the youth room.

**BLESSING AND PRESENTATION OF BIBLES:** Our tradition of presenting Bibles to our 4<sup>th</sup> Grade students in the month of October will continue. A.J. Catuogno, Estella Gomez, and Olivia Reiner are invited to receive the gift of Holy Scripture during our worship on **Sunday**, **October 18<sup>th</sup>**. **TRUNK-OR-TREAT SET FOR HALLOWEEN:** Join us for a safe distribution of Halloween treats at our 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Trunk-or-Treat gathering on Halloween Day, **Saturday, October 31**<sup>st</sup>, 12:00 – 2:00 PM in our parking lot.

TASK FORCE REPORTING DEADLINE EXTENDED: The task forces for Communications, Financial Controls and Governance may submit their respective reports to the Congregation Council up to November 1<sup>st</sup>.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR FALL PROPERTY CLEAN-UP:** Can you help spruce up our property? If so, bring along your yard tools and join us on **Saturday, November 7**<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 10:00 AM. Many hands make light work!

PLACE YOUR ORDERS NOW FOR DELICIOUS TREATS: It's time to pre-order your Country Kitchen's famous soups and favorite baked good! Please see the order form on the back page. The goodies will be available on **November 7<sup>th</sup>**.

**CONFIRMATION SET FOR CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY:** Christian Azzara, Sabrina Bordonaro, Zoe Meredith, Sebastian Newhall, Jessica Valencia, and Cathryn Weigand are invited to affirm their baptisms on **Christ the King Sunday**, **November 22<sup>nd</sup>**. This will take place at 9:15 AM in the sanctuary for immediate families and guests.

**FIRST COMMUNION DATE POSTPONED UNTIL SPRING:** First Communion is a joyous celebration! Due to current pandemic health precautions, we have decided to postpone the planned event from the end of October until sometime in the coming spring season when it may be more thoroughly enjoyed.

**ONLINE GIVING:** We have reinstated electronic giving for either one-time or sustained offerings. Please visit our website at <u>www.manhassetlutheran.org</u> and click the "giving" tab on the right end of the top bar for further instructions. It's easy and convenient!



#### **REVISED COMMON LECTIONARY FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 11, 2020**

Sunday, October 11th Isaiah 25:1-9 • Psalm 23 • Philippians 4:1-9 • Matthew 22:1-14 (Semi-continuous Series) Exodus 32:1-14 • Psalm 106:1-6, 19-23 Monday, October 12<sup>th</sup> Exodus 19:7-20 • Jude 17-25 • Psalm 34 Tuesday, October 13th Amos 9:5-15 • Philippians 3:13-4:1 • Psalm 34 Wednesday, October 14th Song of Solomon 7:10-8:4 • John 6:25-35 • Psalm 34 Thursday, October 15<sup>th</sup> Judges 17:1-6 • 3 John 9-12 • Psalm 96:1-9 Friday, October 16<sup>th</sup> Deuteronomy 17:14-20 • 1 Peter 5:1-5 • Psalm 96:1-9 Saturday, October 17th Isaiah 14:3-11 • Matthew 14:1-12 • Psalm 96:1-9 Sunday, October 18th Isaiah 45:1-7 • Psalm 96:1-9 • 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10 • Matthew 22:15-22 (Semi-continuous Series) Exodus 33:12-23 • Psalm 99

#### WORSHIP LESSON FOR NEXT SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18TH

For the 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost the lesson will focus on the glory of God revealed to Moses (Exodus 32:1-14).



**Church of Our Saviour Lutheran** 

Join us for a Trunk or Treat Saturday, October 31st 12:00 - 2:00 pm There will be popcorn, candy, prizes, and of course costumes! If you're interested in setting up a vehicle. Please email Bobby Stainkamp at youthdirector@manhassetlutheran.org



# **COSL** FALL CLEANUP DAY

Join us for a morning of cleanup on the grounds of our wonderful church. We will be trimming bushes, raking leaves, weeding flower beds, and other yard work. Please bring any tools (rakes, trimmers, etc. ) that you are comfortable bringing, and be sure to label who they belong to. Let's join together to really make our church grounds shine. **10:00am** Saturday, November 7th

## COSL Country Kitchen

## Saturday November 7th

(During the Fall CleanUp Day)

Your chance to pre-order and pick up our Country Kitchen's **FAMOUS** soups and **FAVORITE** bake goods! You can pick up during the the Fall Cleanup. Delivery is also available. *Some items will have limited quantities* 

#### Soups

#### Sweets

#### Quart \$8 Pint \$4 \_Katie's Apple cakes \$3 \$4 Sm. Pea \_\_Kathy's Choc chip cookies 4/\$8 \$8 Lg. Loaf \_\_\_Chicken noodle \_\_Louise's bread sticks \$?? Banana bread \_Mushroom barley \_Ingrid's Mocha Roll \$15 \_Pumpkin bread \_\_\_Pasta e fagioli \_Ingrid's choc chip pound cake \$12 Zucchini bread Lebanese lentil \_Vonnie's Linzer torte \$15 \_\_Butternut squash or pumpkin

Dont miss out on the Ruth Circle Soup Cook Book \$5

Name\_

Telephone \_

Total Soup \$\_

\_ Total Sweets \$\_

Orders and payment can be dropped off at or mailed to church 1901 Northern Blvd. For questions and or delivery contact Flo Buzzita 516.365.8767 or Kathy McNally 516.330.9922 For the personal health, safety and well-being of you and others gathering, the Church of Our Saviour, Lutheran is adhering to New York State Department of Health's "Interim COVID-19 Guidance for Religious and Funeral Services and Operations of Faith-Based Institutions." Below are some highlights:

**SCREENING AND TESTING**: In order to participate in today's worship, you must be able to answer "no" to the following questions:

- Have you tested positive for COVID-19 in the past 14 days?
- Do you have any of the following symptoms?
  - Fever above 100.4F
  - Persistent dry cough
  - Shortness of breath/difficulty breathing
  - o Chills or repeated shaking with chills
  - New loss of taste of sense of smell
  - Flu-like muscle pain, sore throat, and headaches
- In the last 14 days, have you been in close or proximate contact with any individuals suffering from COVID-like symptoms?

**TRACING AND TRACKING**: As you enter, your attendance will be noted so that you may be alerted should it become known you have come into close or proximate contact with a person with COVID-19.

#### PHYSICAL DISTANCING, PROTECTIVE GEAR, PROPER HYGENE: All

gathered in the assembly are required to observe six-feet social-distancing etiquette, and wear face coverings always. Washing of hands with soap and water or hand sanitizer must be observed. There should be no physical contact with others.

**GATHERING SPACES**: For drive-in worship, you are encouraged to remain in your vehicles, and if possible, all vehicles should park in alternate spaces. Should you wish to sit in a lawn area, you are permitted to bring your own personal chairs, but above guidelines must be observed. For indoor worship, 25% capacity is permitted (60 people), and you will be asked to sit in alternate pews, where bulletins will be placed. Families may sit together.