

+ THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST +
September 19, Year of our Lord 2021 | DS3

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

Invocation

Matt. 28:19-20

P In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C who made heaven and earth.

P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

C and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.



Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

Confession of Sins

P O almighty God, merciful Father,

C I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

Absolution

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit. **C** Amen.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Proper

Psalm 37:5-7; antiphon: v. 4



P Delight yourself | in the LORD,*
and he will give you the desires | of your heart.

C Commit your way | to the LORD;*
trust in him, and | he will act.

He will bring forth your righteousness | as the light,*
and your justice as the | noonday.

Be still before the LORD and wait patiently | for him;*

fret not yourself over the one who prospers in his way, over the man who carries out
evil de- | vices!

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.

Delight yourself | in the LORD,*

and he will give you the desires | of your heart.

Kyrie

C Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -

on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

Gloria in Excelsis

P (sung) Glory be to God on high:

C and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.

We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee,
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.

O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.

For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.

Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,

art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Salutation and Collect of the Day



P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spir - it.



P Let us pray.

O God, whose strength is made perfect in weakness, grant us humility and childlike faith that we may please You in both will and deed; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C A - men.

Old Testament Reading

Jeremiah 11:18–20

The LORD made it known to me and I knew;

then you showed me their deeds.

But I was like a gentle lamb

led to the slaughter.

I did not know it was against me

they devised schemes, saying,

“Let us destroy the tree with its fruit,

let us cut him off from the land of the living, that his name be remembered no more.”

But, O LORD of hosts, who judges righteously,

who tests the heart and the mind,

let me see your vengeance upon them,

for to you have I committed my cause.

A This is the Word of the Lord. **C** Thanks be to God.

Gradual

Psalms 34:9, 19, alt.

C Fear the LORD, you his saints,
for those who fear him lack nothing!
Many are the afflictions of the righteous,
but the LORD delivers him out of them all.

Epistle

James 3:13–4:10

Who is wise and understanding among you? By his good conduct let him show his works in the meekness of wisdom. But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast and be false to the truth. This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, demonic. For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there will be disorder and every vile practice. But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace.

What causes quarrels and what causes fights among you? Is it not this, that your passions are at war within you? You

desire and do not have, so you murder. You covet and cannot obtain, so you fight and quarrel. You do not have, because you do not ask. You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, to spend it on your passions. You adulterous people! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Therefore whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God. Or do you suppose it is to no purpose that the Scripture says, “He yearns jealously over the spirit that he has made to dwell in us”? But he gives more grace. Therefore it says, “God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble.” Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Draw near to God, and he will

draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. Be wretched and mourn and weep. Let your laughter be turned to

mourning and your joy to gloom. Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will exalt you.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

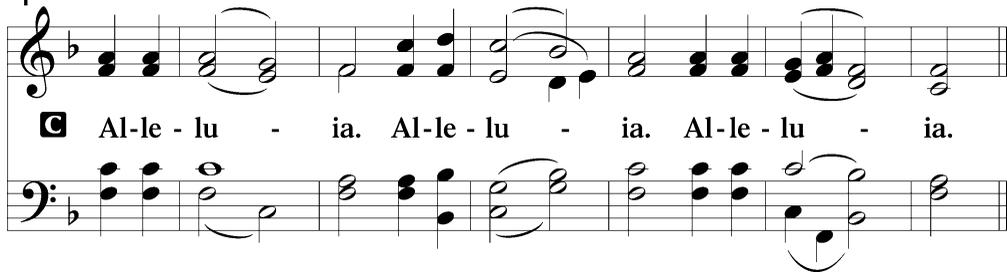
C Thanks be to God.

Verse

Mark 9:35b

P Alleluia. If anyone would be first, he must be last of all and servant of all. Alleluia.

Triple Alleluia



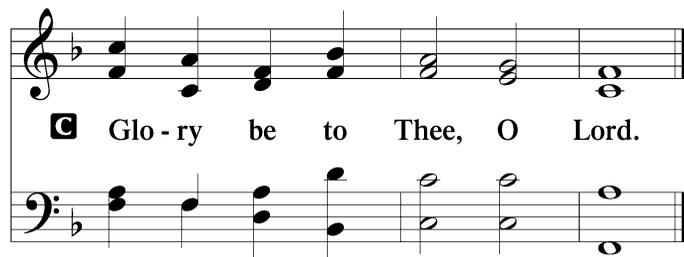
C Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

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Holy Gospel

Mark 9:30-37

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the ninth chapter.



C Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

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[The disciples] went on from there and passed through Galilee. And [Jesus] did not want anyone to know, for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, "The Son of Man is going to be delivered into the hands of men, and they will kill him. And when he is killed, after three days he will rise." But they did not

understand the saying, and were afraid to ask him.

And they came to Capernaum. And when he was in the house he asked them, "What were you discussing on the way?" But they kept silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. And he sat down

and called the twelve. And he said to them, "If anyone would be first, he must be last of all and servant of all." And he took a child and put him in the midst of them, and taking him in his arms, he said to them, "Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me, and

whoever receives me, receives not me but him who sent me."



P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Nicene Creed

C I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life \dagger of the world to come. Amen.

Hymn of the Day: 851 Lord of Glory, You Have Bought Us



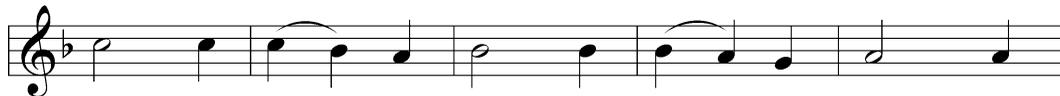
1 Lord of glo - ry, You have bought us With Your
 2 Grant us hearts, dear Lord, to give You Glad - ly,
 3 Won - drous hon - or You have giv - en To our
 4 Lord of glo - ry, You have bought us With Your



life - blood as the price, Nev - er grudg - ing for the
 free - ly of Your own. With the sun - shine of Your
 hum - blest char - i - ty In Your own mys - te - rious
 life - blood as the price, Nev - er grudg - ing for the



lost ones That tre - men - dous sac - ri - fice;
 good - ness Melt our thank - less hearts of stone
 sen - tence, "You have done it all to Me."
 lost ones That tre - men - dous sac - ri - fice.



And with that have free - ly giv - en Bless - ings
 Till our cold and self - ish na - tures, Warmed by
 Can it be, O gra - cious Mas - ter, That You
 Give us faith to trust You bold - ly, Hope, to



count - less as the sand To the un - thank - ful
 You, at length be - lieve That more hap - py
 deign for alms to sue, Say - ing by Your
 stay our souls on You; But, oh, best of



and the e - vil With Your own un - spar - ing hand.
 and more bless - ed 'Tis to give than to re - ceive.
 poor and need - y, "Give as I have giv'n to you?"
 all Your grac - es, With Your love our love re - new.

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+ Sermon +

Offertory: **G** (sung) Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

Announcement of Offering and Greeting of Peace

The people may greet one another in the name of the Lord, saying, "Peace be with you," as a sign of reconciliation and of the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace (Matt. 5:22-24; Eph. 4:1-3).

PRAYERS TO GOD ON BEHALF OF . . .

World: For **Haiti** (earthquake recovery and mourning loss of lives); For the situation in **Afghanistan**; For Pastor Jasper's family and congregations in **Kenya**. Hurricane recovery in gulf coast, **New Orleans**.

Expecting a child: **Luke & Blair Johnson**

Mourning: Family of **Paul & Donna Mondy** (Donna is Tom [and Colis] William's sister) who both died of covid on Tuesday. Family of **Abel** (Shelbie Bender's, member at First Lutheran, baby in the womb who died at 33 weeks this past week. Family of **Denyse Kenney's parents** (Denyse is a friend of Jim Vesper) who both passed away. Family of **Laura (McGillick) Uebelacker** whose memorial service was at Praise this past Wed. Family of Ben DeHaven's daughter **Holly** who passed away. Family of **Jim Yozman** (Tom Schering's cousin-in-law) passed away.

Health: **Pastor Tony Sikora** (in Michigan, hospitalized for Covid). **Claudette Kinney** health. **Larry Meier** (Maureen Roberts's brother-in-law). **Larry & Phyllis Bembas** (cataract procedures). **Catherine Boute** who is recovering from wrist surgery. **Tim Smith** tests for what's causing anemia. **Tim Millsaps** (Cathy's brother) upcoming tongue cancer procedure. **KP Blizzard** (newborn great grandson of Sandy Bagley) paralyzed vocal cord which allows his food to go into his lungs. **Kim Smolter's nieces** who have been in Nicu (premature birth) now home! **Janeen Meier** (Maureen's sister) health. **Cathy Wacker's parents** (health and daily protection from falls). For **Hamed** (Mary Ellen Brown's friend in FL) back fractures recovery. **Anna Roberts** (Jim & Maureen's daughter-in-law—married to Travis) breast cancer treatments. **Erica** (Auroa's granddaughter), severe kidney problems. **Carolyn Gaugert** (sister-in-law to Sharon Yoder) pancreatic cancer. **Mary Ellen**

Brown back surgery recovery. **Larry Wacker** health and improvement; **Carol Barnett** completed lymphoma and multiple myeloma treatments; **Jim Vespers's parents**; **Pr. Hass** in Belle Vista, AR (cancer treatments).

Birthdays ... Al R 9/19, Carter F 9/20, Sam N 9/20, Gustave Sch 9/22, Jack N 9/26, John P 9/28, Audrey G 9/30, Paul R 10/1, Larry W 10/1, Nancy P 10/2

Anniversaries... Ed & Susan H 9/26

Lord's Prayer

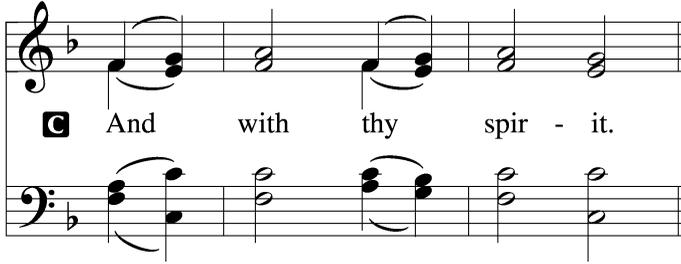
☩ Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name,
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;
give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Benediction for those worshipping via the livestream

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

Preface

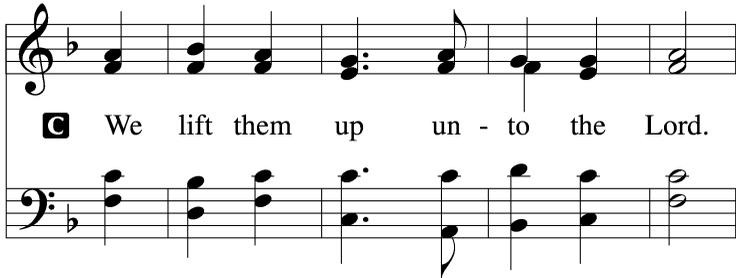
P (sung) The Lord be with you.



Musical notation for the first part of the Preface. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The melody is written in the treble clef, and the accompaniment is in the bass clef. The lyrics are: **C** And with thy spir - it.

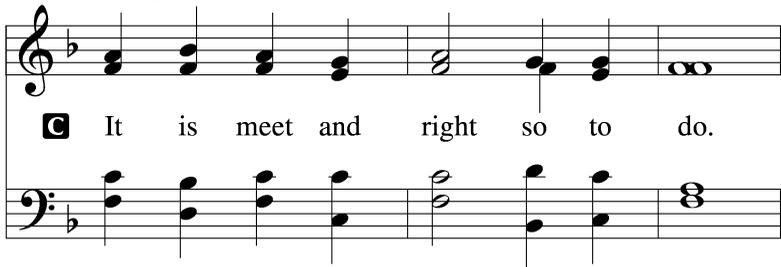


P Lift up your hearts.



Musical notation for the second part of the Preface. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The melody is written in the treble clef, and the accompaniment is in the bass clef. The lyrics are: **C** We lift them up un - to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.



Musical notation for the third part of the Preface. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The melody is written in the treble clef, and the accompaniment is in the bass clef. The lyrics are: **C** It is meet and right so to do.

Proper Preface (Full)

P It is truly meet, right, and ... praising You and saying:

Sanctus

C Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth;
heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

The Words of Our Lord

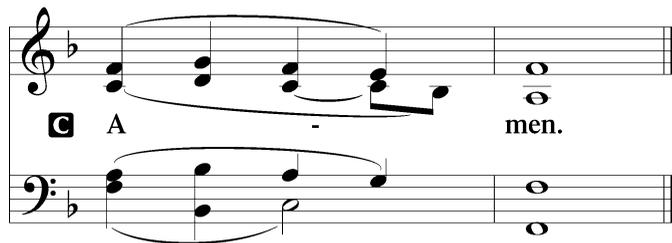
P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My \mp body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My \mp blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini



P The peace of the Lord be with you al - ways.



C A - men.

Agnus Dei

C (sung) O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.

Distribution



Please see our pastor for details about baptism, instruction, and vow of confirmation of our church's teachings prior to taking the Lord's Supper (Communion) at Praise.

Hymn: 971 There Is a Redeemer



1 There is a Re - deem - er— Je - sus, God's own Son;
2 Je - sus, my Re - deem - er, Name a - bove all names;
3 When I stand in glo - ry, I will see His face;



Pre - cious Lamb of God, Mes-si - ah, Ho - ly One.
Pre - cious Lamb of God, Mes-si - ah, Hope for sin - ners slain.
There I'll serve my King for - ev - er In that ho - ly place.

Refrain



Thank You, O my Fa - ther, For giv - ing us Your Son,



And leav - ing Your Spir - it Till the work on earth is done.

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Hymn: 547 The Lamb (*see hymnal*)

Hymn: 605 Father Welcomes (*see hymnal*)

Hymn: 434 Lamb of God, Pure and Holy (*see hymnal*)

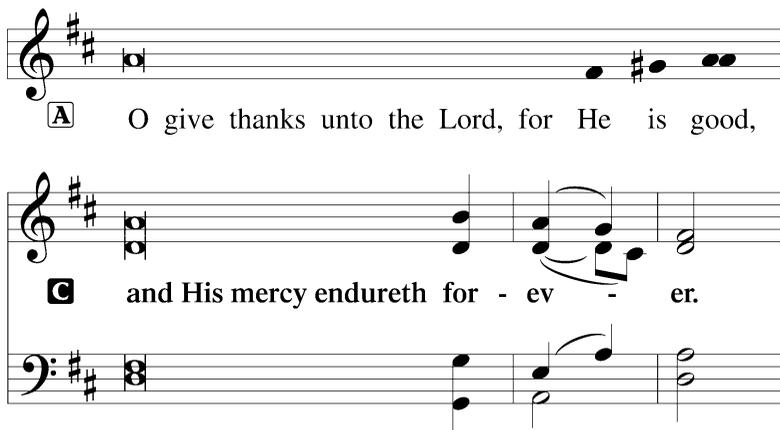
The Dismissal

P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart † in peace. **C** Amen.

Nunc Dimittis

C (sung) Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people, a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Thanksgiving



Musical notation for Thanksgiving. The first staff is a single treble clef line with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). It contains a whole note chord of F# and C# on the first beat, followed by a whole note chord of D# and G# on the second beat. Below the staff is the text: **A** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good, and His mercy endureth for - ev - er.

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Post-Communion Collect

A Let us pray. We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C (sung) Amen.

Salutation



Musical notation for Salutation. The first staff is a single treble clef line with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). It contains a whole note chord of F# and C# on the first beat, followed by a whole note chord of D# and G# on the second beat. Below the staff is the text: **P** The Lord be with you. And with thy spir - it.

P The Lord be with you.
C And with thy spir - it.

Benedicamus



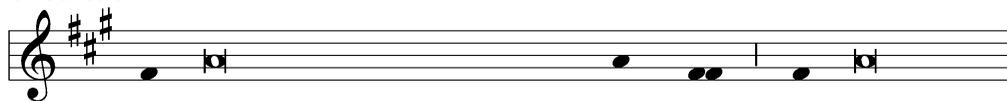
A Bless we the Lord.



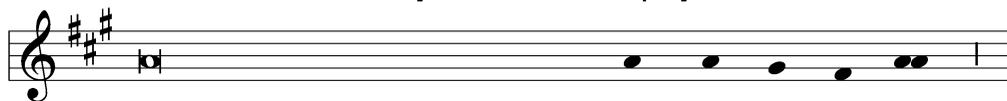
C Thanks be to God.



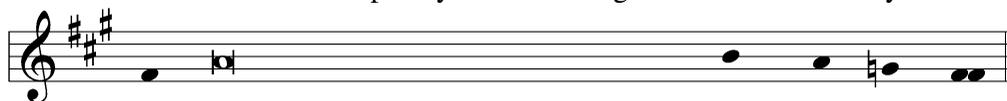
Benediction



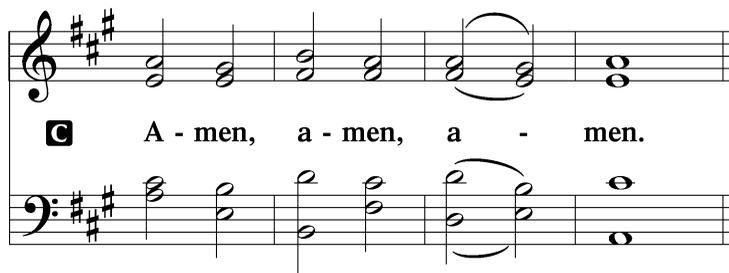
P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make



His face shine upon you and be gra - cious un - to you.



The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.



C A - men, a - men, a - men.



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Announcements

Clayton Narveson will speak to us (inspiring us) after our 11:00 a.m. service today

Pictures for Directory See Susan Johnson.

Youth Catechesis: next meets after church on 9-26; 10-10, 10-24; 11-7, 11-21, 12-5.

Choir meets this Wed at 5:30 p.m.

Sunday School in the Social Hall at 10:00 a.m. with Jules Felt.

Ladies Bible Study (weekly) Thurs. at 10 a.m. at Praise. (Studying the Pericopes)

Men's Lunch (weekly): Thurs. at 11:30 a.m. (*Applebee's this week*)

Pick up our *Capital Campaign Booklet* or download at praiselutheran.com/build

RSVP TODAY for an evening at the Capitol Theatre in downtown Maryville! (final opportunity)

This event at the beautiful and historic Capitol Theatre in Maryville will feature dinner (by **Jeff Baerns** and **Praise Lutheran's youth servers**) and entertainment by **Smith & Cole** (an acoustic duo who are preparing a fun and fabulous show). There will also be a special first viewing of a video about our capital campaign followed by an opportunity to make a special commitment to help expand the work of God with His help and hand of blessing. **Babysitting** will be provided. Please indicate babysitting in your RSVP. **Dress** is business casual but feel free to dress up. Ways to RSVP for the Capitol Theatre event on Thurs, Sept 23 at 6:00 p.m.:

- 1) Email rsvp@praiselutheran.com with your name(s) and how many
- 2) Text (SMS): simply text **CT** (for Capitol Theatre) to (888) 240-6175, then you'll be asked for your name and for how many
- 3) **Sign-up** the old-fashioned way today at church (see sign-up sheet)

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