

# Wittenberg Lutheran Church

711 W Elm St., Norwood Young America, Minnesota 55368  
Worship: 9:30 AM

Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

August 23, 2015

## Order of Service

*Divine Service, Rite Two, Evangelical Lutheran Hymnary, p. 60*

**Opening Hymn, 8** — *Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation*

### Introit

*Antiphon, Psalm 70:1, 2*

O God, make haste to deliver me! O Lord, make haste to help me. Let my enemies be ashamed and confounded, who seek after my soul.

*Psalm 70:2, 4, 5*

Let them be | túrned back ánd confused  
– | whó desíre my hurt.

Let all those who | séek You réjoice  
– | ánd be glád in You.

But I am | póor and néedy;  
make haste to | hélp me, Ó God!

You are my help and | my' delíverer;  
– O | Lórd, do nó delay.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the | Hóly Spírit.  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and | éver sháll be,  
world with- | óut end. Ámen.

*Repeat Antiphon*

**The Kyrie** — *I, p. 63*

**The Gloria**

**The Collect**

Almighty and everlasting God, who has created all things: We thank You that You have given us sound bodies, and have graciously preserved our tongues and other members from the power of the adversary: We beseech You, grant us Your grace, that we may rightly use our ears and tongues; help us to hear Your word diligently and devoutly, and with our tongues so to praise and magnify Your grace, that no one shall be offended by our words, but that all may be edified thereby, through Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one true God, now and forever.

**Old Testament Lesson**

Isaiah 29:18–21

*The Promise of Good Things to Come*

**Gradual** — *Psalm 34:1–2*

I will bless the | Lórd at all times;\*  
His praise shall continually | bé in my mouth.  
My soul shall make its | bóast in the Lord;\*  
the humble shall | héar of it ánd be glád.

**Epistle Lesson**

2 Corinthians 3:4–11

*Able Ministers of the New Testament*

**Verse** — *Psalm 81:1*

Alleluia.  
Alleluia.  
Sing a- | lóud to Gód our strength;  
make a joyful shout to the God of Jacob. Al | lelúia.

**Alleluia**

**Gospel Lesson**

Mark 7:31–37

*Jesus Heals a Deaf and Mute Man*

**The Nicene Creed**

**Chief Hymn, 456** — *My Soul, Now Bless Thy Maker*

**Sermon**

**The Offertory**

**The Prayer of the Church, page 48**

**The Service of Holy Communion**

**Exhortation to the Communicants** (page 77)

**The Preface** (page 72)

**The Sanctus**

**Lord's Prayer**

**Words of Institution**

*When the elements of the Lord's Supper are presented to the congregation, it is appropriate to venerate the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ who is present with us in the bread and wine, with reverent actions such as crossing oneself, genuflecting, or bowing the head.*

**The Agnus Dei**

**The Distribution**

**Nunc Dimittis**

**Collect**

**Hymn of Thanks, 457** — *Blessed Is the Man*

**Benediction**

**Closing Hymn, 584** — *Grant Peace, We Pray, in Mercy, Lord*

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WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS in the name of Jesus Christ! Wittenberg Lutheran Church confesses and practices the doctrine of Holy Scripture, as we have received it restored unto us by Luther, and confirmed in the public confessions of our Church, the Book of Concord, 1580. If you have any questions about the Lutheran faith, or about our congregation, please direct them to Pastor Diers.

*Giving thanks to God always, Who has chosen us for salvation  
through sanctification by the Spirit and belief in the truth.*

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