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# Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost    September 29, 2019

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Preparing our Hearts for Worship………. Piper Olson…….…Blessed Assurance

***(Note: All Hymns are from the Red Celebration Hymnal and projected on the screen)***

Opening Hymn #143 ……………………………..**“This is My Father’s World”**

Call To Worship *(based on Psalm 33)*

*Pastor:* God, you are the one who fashions our heart. You are observing all

that we do.

*Congregation:* **God, you want us to love you and one another. You**

**are delivering us from the grip of death. You are helping, guiding**

**and forgiving us.**

*Pastor:* You are our God and we are your people. Our hope is you alone.

*Congregation:* **Move us away from fear and move us toward your purposes**

**for us, as we worship you in the name of the Father, Son and**

**Holy Spirit. Amen**

Hymn of Provision #139 vs.1..................................**“Great is Thy Faithfulness”**

Confession & Forgiveness:

*Pastor:* God, all that we are and have comes from the goodness of your heart.

*Congregation:* **We admit that we have been storing up treasures on earth.**

**Forgive our sin. Forgive the hardness of our hearts. Forgive us.**

Hymn of Provision #139 vs.2 ……………………**“Great is Thy Faithfulness”**

Confession & Forgiveness:

*Pastor:* God, help us not to be anxious. Help us not to be fearful.

Help us to trust in you.

*Congregation:* **God, we know that it is your desire to give us the kingdom.**

**Teach us to store up treasures in Heaven and to be ready for Christ’s**

**glorious return. You have given us the greatest gift of forgiveness**

**through the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. In Christ**

**alone our hope is found and our sin is forgiven. Amen!**

Hymn of Provision #139 vs.3 ……………………..**“Great is Thy Faithfulness”**

Prayer of the Day

Hymn of Trust #680 vs.1 …………………**All the Way My Savior Leads Me”**

New Testament Lesson ……………………...**Hebrews 11:1-3, & 8 & 11-13 &16**

Hymn of Trust #680 vs.2 …………………. **“All the Way My Savior Leads Me”**

Gospel Lesson ………………………………………………………**Luke 12:32-40**

Hymn of Trust #680 vs.3 ……………………**“All the Way My Savior Leads Me**”

Message ……………………………………………...**Be Ready – Don’t Be Afraid**

Hymn of the Day #358 ………………………………………... **“Because He Lives”**

The Apostles’ Creed *(from Luther’s Small Catechism, Ambassador Publications, 2007)*

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth:**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, Born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; The third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, And is seated on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From where He shall come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit; The Holy Christian Church,**

**The Communion of Saints; The Forgiveness of sins;**

**The Resurrection of the body; And the Life everlasting. Amen**

Offertory *(presentation of our offerings to the Lord)*

### Response #816 …………………………...**“We Give Thee but Thine Own”**

### **We give thee but Thine own, Whate’er the gift may be;**

### **All that we have is Thine alone, A trust, O Lord, from Thee.**

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### **May we Thy bounties thus as stewards true receive, And gladly, as Thou blessest us, To Thee our first-fruits give.**

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Prayers of the Church (The congregation may be seated)

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### The Lord’s Prayer

Closing Hymn #375 ……………………………………………**“Jesus Shall Reign”**

Closing Prayer

Benediction: *(Numbers 6:24-26)*

*Pastor:* Go in Peace and Serve the Lord.

*Congregation:* **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

**Thank you** to **Axel Hale** for reading our Scripture lesson for today.

**Thank you** to **Piper Olson** for her special music.

**Thank you** to **Rev. Karl Kruse** for leading our Worship Service today. Pastor Emory is officiating at the wedding of his niece Talitha Sanderson

to Jamie Canfield.

**All God’s Children Have a Place In the Choir!**

It’s that time again; the choirs began practicing on Wednesday.

Please invite your friends and plan to attend!

Bell Choir practice will begin at 6:30

Senior Choir practice will begin at 7:30

**Confirmation Instruction** for those in the 7th and 8th grade will be held next Sunday after the Worship Service. Take a little fellowship time to get a bite to eat and drink and then meet in pastor’s office at 10:50

**New Member’s** will be accepted into New Hope Lutheran Church this Fall. If you are interested in becoming a member of New Hope please contact the Pastor or our acting Secretary Debi Smith

**God’s Appointed Time of Trumpets,** Leviticus 23:23-24, also called **Rosh HaShana**, begins tonight at sundown Rosh HaShana is the beginning of the last three of God’s Appointed Times mentioned in Leviticus 23. **It is a call to repentance** and a looking forward to the return of Jesus the Messiah.

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**TODAY** 9:30 am...................................................................Worship Service

*Followed by coffee and fellowship*

11:00 to 12:00 pm………………………...Children’s Sunday School

11:30 to 12:00 pm....................................................Adult Bible Study

**WED.** 6:30 am………..……...…………….……………Men’s Bible Study

9:00 am…………………...……..………...…………..……..Quilting

2:00 pm…………..………………….……….Congregational Prayer

6:30 pm…………………………………………...……….Bell Choir

7:30 pm………………………………………………….Senior Choir

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