

We hope our Worship service will be a Blessing to you!
14th Sunday after Pentecost, August 30th, 2026



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Announcements

Choir Practice: Wednesdays at 7PM. They are always looking for more beautiful voices to join them!

Confirmation Open House: Wednesday, September 2nd, from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. This is for 7th, 8th, 9th, and 10th graders. Pastors will go over what to expect for the upcoming year (7th & 8th) and talk to you (9th & 10th) about celebrating our confirmands for 2026.

Pastor Craig's Bible Study: A Bible study on the book of Judges will begin on **Thursday, September 10th** and continue through Thursday, November 12th. Classes meet at **Noon or 6:00 p.m.** in the Chapel. Books are \$5 and are available in the office. Please sign up at the information table.

Rally Sunday: Sunday, September 13th after worship. We will also celebrate with a congregational potluck starting at 11:15 a.m. Pizza Ranch chicken will be served.

Kindergarten/3rd grade to receive their Bibles: on Sunday, September 20th if your child is in kindergarten or 3rd grade, please bring them to worship to receive their bible. Also, watch your email for more information.

New Member Classes: New member classes will be offered on the following **Sundays: September 20th, September 27th, and October 4th at 10:30 a.m.** in the Chapel. If you are interested in becoming a member, please sign up at the information table or talk to Pastor Craig or Pastor Janine. New Member Sunday will be on October 11th.

Youth Group T-shirts and Hats for Sale: all funds raised will be used for Youth Group Faith-building experiences, such as Quake (retreat weekend), Christian concerts, and local youth group activities. If you would like to order a T-shirt or a hat, please find the order forms and sizing examples on the red cart in the Faith Formation hallway.

Having trouble hearing?: We have an App for that! If your hearing aids are Bluetooth capable download the WaveCast App from the App store on your phone. We also have 4 units available for you to use, they are in our A/V booth.

Electronic Giving or Text to Give: If you are interested in giving electronically, we have an app for that! Just go to the app store, search for Vanco Mobile, download it, search for Hosanna Lutheran Church, and follow the steps! You can also text 855-625-1726 with the amount you want to give, click the link they send you, and put in your information. If you have any questions, please see Anna. You can also put your offering in the offering plates.

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Prelude to Prepare for Worship		
Welcome		
Special Music by Angie Eickmeyer	(written by Micah Kuiper, Jordan St Cyr and Kristen Nordhoff)	<i>“Fires”</i>
Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness LBW pg.77		
Opening Hymn		<i>“The Church’s One Foundation”</i>
Prayer of the Day		
Choir Anthem		<i>“Sing A New Song to the Lord”</i>
1 st Lesson		<i>Jeremiah 15:10-21</i>
Psalms 26:1-8		
2 nd Lesson		<i>Romans 12:9-21</i>
Gospel Acclamation		<i>“God’s Word is Our Great Heritage”</i>
Gospel		<i>Matthew 16:21-28</i>
Children’s Sermon		
Hymn of the Day		<i>“Beneath the Cross of Jesus”</i>
Sermon		<i>Pastor Craig Werling</i>
Sermon Hymn		<i>“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”</i>
Apostles Creed		
Exhortation		
Words of Institution		
The Lord’s Prayer		
Distribution		
Blessing & Post Communion Prayer		
Announcements & Benediction		
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