

# ELM GROVE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod  
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THE TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday, August 11, 2024 - 9:00 a.m.

## Divine Service 4

### Welcome and Announcements

### Prelude

Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus – Komponist Unbehannt

### Hymn of Invocation

685, Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus

### Confession and Absolution

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### Introit

Psalm 34:8-10 (Antiphon Psalm 145:16)

P You open your hand;

**C you satisfy the desire of every living thing.**

P Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good!

**C Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!**

P Oh, fear the LORD, you his saints,

**C for those who fear him have no lack!**

P The young lions suffer want and hunger;

**C but those who seek the LORD lack no good thing.**

**ALL Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

P You open your hand;

**C you satisfy the desire of every living thing.**

### Kyrie – Salutation and Collect of the Day

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### Old Testament Reading

1 Kings 19:1-8 (p. 301)

### Gradual

Psalm 34:9, 19

P Fear the LORD, you his saints,

**C for those who fear him lack nothing!**

P Many are the afflictions of the righteous,

**C but the LORD delivers him out of them all.**

### Epistle

Ephesians 4:17-5:2 (p. 977)

### Alleluia and Verse

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### Holy Gospel

John 6:35-51 (p. 892)

**Apostles' Creed**

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**Hymn of the Day**

**534, Lord, Enthroned in Heavenly Splendor**

**Sermon**

**"Drawn by the Father" (John 6:44)**

**Prayer of the Church**

**Offering**

**Lord, Enthroned in Heavenly Splendor – Kevin Hildebrand**

(Those who are not communing may place their cards in the offering plate.)

## **Service of the Sacrament**

### **EGLC Communion Statement**

The Lord's Supper is celebrated here in the glad confidence that those who commune actually eat and drink the true Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in, with, and under the bread and the wine. Only those communicants who believe this and who repent of their sins receive forgiveness of sins, life, and salvation. Those who do not believe this or who do not repent of their sins will commune to their harm. Because Holy Communion is a confession of the specific teachings of the faith which is confessed in this congregation, those who are not in agreement with this understanding of the Lord's Supper, or who belong to a religious community that is not in Altar & Pulpit Fellowship with The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, are requested to consult with the presiding minister before communing.

**Preface – Agnus Dei**

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**Hymns During Distribution**

**885, I Lie, O Lord, within Your Care**

**638, Eat This Bread**

**411, I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light**

**Nunc Dimittis - Benediction**

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**Closing Hymn**

**870, Now That the Daylight Fills the Sky**

**Postlude**

**Lord, Enthroned in Heavenly Splendor – Thomas Canning**

ALTAR PARAMENTS: The green paraments of the Pentecost season prompt us to remember that our life in Christ is one of growth, as branches connected to the Vine produce good fruit.

ALTAR FLOWERS: Placed by the Stroh Family in loving memory of Richard Purath.

### **Participants**

Presiding Minister

Pastor Eric Skovgaard

Assisting Minister

Pastor Sam Lee

Organist

Richard C. Ewert

Elder

Eric Thompson

Chancel Assistant

Jim Olson

Usher Team on duty

Sharon Boudro, Lizzie Ky, Tyler Ky, Kirk Midtbo,  
Emily Krueger, Jason Krueger, Diane Olson, Jim Olson, Sam Thompson

Altar Guild

Joan Knuteson, Luanne Schaefer

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**Elm Grove Evangelical Lutheran Church Calendar**

S	9:00 a.m. Worship (DS4)	10:00 a.m. Women's Study (Romans) (BAAC)
	10:30 a.m. Bible Study (Nave)	W 10:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study (BAAC)
	10:30 a.m. Board of Evangelism (FL)	1:00 p.m. Blood Drive (FH)
	7:00 p.m. AA Mtg (FH)	1:00 p.m. Sheepshead Players (BAAC)
M	7:00 p.m. Church Council (228)	T 6:30 p.m. Worship
	7:00 p.m. Barbershop Group	F Office Closed
T	7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study (228)	S 4:00 p.m. LYAL

**IN THE LORD'S HOUSE:** There were **145** people that attended services last week in person and **79** households streamed the services for a total of **224**. "And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers."

**WHY DISCOVERY:** Rev Dr Nathan Meader from the District Office returns Sunday, Aug 18, to guide us through the third and final stage of the Why Discovery process. He will preach that morning and use the Bible study hour to help us fine tune our work as a congregation under the statement we developed a few months ago: "God has placed Elm Grove Lutheran here to proclaim Christ so that all may receive God's gifts in Word and Sacrament to have life now and forever."

**SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED!** Calling all who want to spread the Gospel seeds in Sunday school! We have a new format and room. We are in need to teachers. Contact Linda for details, 262-786-1203.

**CHURCH IN THE GLEN:** As decided by the Board of Elders, Church in the Glen will be on Sept 15, at 10:00 a.m. with a potluck luncheon to follow. Mark your calendars!

**LUNCH BUNCH:** Ladies, come and join the "Lunch Bunch" for lunch at Bullwinkle's on Aug 15 at 11:45 a.m. No dues, no meetings, just friendly conversation and enjoy the company of other EGL ladies. Please RSVP to Claire Schuppner at 262-255-2671 by Aug 12.

**COFFEE SERVERS NEEDED!** Qualifications: a friendly smile, pour a cup of coffee, and bring some morning sweets. Time: after the 9:00a.m. Sunday service. No experience required. Sign up on Sunday mornings or call Luanne and John Schaefer at 262-784-3106 or 262-617-0561.

**SOLES FOR JESUS:** Thank you to all of our members who have generously donated shoes to this mission. Our EGL collection box was filled to overflowing and they were delivered to the Soles for Jesus warehouse this past week. Their volunteer teams recently traveled to the countries of Benin and Cameroon and provided shoes, washed feet, and shared the Gospel message.

**BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP:** Thurs, Aug 15 at 9:30 a.m. is the next meeting in the BAAC. We will be discussing the book, *The Last Bookshop in London: A Novel of World War II*. Newcomers are welcome. Questions, call Barb Kurth at 262-345-5083.

**BECOMING SCREEN WISE (Part 3):** women of EGL are invited to view and discuss the final video of the series on "Becoming Screen Wise" On Wed, Aug 21 in the BAAC from 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. In this video series, Pr. Jonathan Connor teaches the dangers of personal screens and how Christians should use screens in a Biblically wise way. If you cannot join us for a session, please watch them on your own, maybe with your family or friends for discussion. This is a VERY important topic, for ourselves, our families and our culture! Contact Nancy Wolck for more information.



**The third & final Screen Wise session, on YouTube”.**

**2025 LCMS YOUTH GATHERING UPDATE:** The 2025 LCMS Youth Gathering in New Orleans, LA is **49 weeks** away! We are still searching for adult leaders, and we can't do this without you, **parents!** If you have any questions about the gathering please talk to Ben Ewert or email [youth@egl.org](mailto:youth@egl.org).

**VERSITI BLOOD DRIVE** at Elm Grove Lutheran Church, in the Fellowship Hall, Wed, Aug 14, 2:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. Schedule your appointment online at

[https://donate.wisconsin.versiti.org/donor/schedules/drive\\_schedule/261953](https://donate.wisconsin.versiti.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/261953) or contact Rick Ewert [262-289-9333](tel:262-289-9333)/[blooddrive@egl.org](mailto:blooddrive@egl.org). Donating blood gives the gift of life to patients in need. A unit of blood can save up to three lives. Donors will receive a totally cool, colorful, stylish, limited-edition custom Versiti tote bag.



**SERVING NEXT WEEK:**

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 15 (6:30 p.m.)**

ELDER: Doug Grelk

CHANCEL ASSISTANT: Kirk Midtbo

USHER TEAM: (Team 1: Aaron DeWitt, Pam Ganswindt, Andrea Kysely, Steve Nelson, Shelly Skovgaard, Cathy Tuttrup, Matt Zientek, Mikayla Zientek)

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 18 (9:00 a.m.)**

ELDER: Paul Haut

CHANCEL ASSISTANT: John Schaefer

USHER TEAM: (Team 2: Chase Hipke, Connor Hipke, Rob Hipke, Thomas Hipke, Tyler Hipke, Carter Klein, Ian Klein, Michael Klein, Ann Wilcox, Christine Wilcox)