

Welcome to Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church

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Sunday Worship Schedule
9:00 – Traditional
11:15 – Contemporary style
3rd Sunday of the month at 10:15—
Service of the Word for Wholeness

Summer in the Psalms *“Divine Majesty and Human Dignity”* 11:15 a.m.— June 28, 2026

Psalms 8 celebrates God’s majesty revealed in creation, highlighting humanity’s honored position and responsibility as stewards. Matthew 21:12-17 describes Jesus cleansing the temple, reasserting its purpose as a house of prayer and demonstrating Jesus’s authority while welcoming the marginalized and receiving praise from children. Both passages reveal God’s desire for worship and concern for humanity, emphasizing how genuine faith involves reverence, responsible stewardship, and a heart open to all.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Flowers given in honor of the Noonan and Doane wedding

GATHERING WORSHIP SONG *“Indescribable”* Julie Steinmayer

WELCOME

BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR MISSION STATEMENT

Beautiful Savior is a biblically grounded community who unites to follow and share the way of Jesus.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

CALL TO WORSHIP

P: O Lord, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

C: The heavens sing your glory. The earth reflects your care.

P: From the mouths of children and infants, praise rises to heaven.

C: Let our worship be joyful, fearless, and sincere.

P: Christ enters the temple and clears away all the burdens and distractions.

C: Lord, make our hearts houses of prayer.

P: Come, let us worship the God who creates, restores, and welcomes all.

C: We come with wonder and praise.

SONG *“Your Love, O Lord”*

PRAYER OF THE DAY

MEMORY VERSE *Colossians 3:16* Tom Ingram

A: Together, let us recite the memory verse:

C: Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God.

INTRODUCTION TO THE READING

PSALM *Psalms 8*

O Lord, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory above the heavens. ²Out of the mouths of babes and infants you have founded a bulwark because of your foes, to silence the enemy and the avenger. ³When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars that you have

established; ⁴ what are humans that you are mindful of them, mortals that you care for them? ⁵ Yet you have made them a little lower than God and crowned them with glory and honor. ⁶ You have given them dominion over the works of your hands; you have put all things under their feet, ⁷ all sheep and oxen, and also the beasts of the field, ⁸ the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea, whatever passes along the paths of the seas. ⁹ O Lord, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

GOSPEL

Matthew 21:12-17

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-first chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

¹² Then Jesus entered the temple and drove out all who were selling and buying in the temple, and he overturned the tables of the money changers and the seats of those who sold doves. ¹³ He said to them, "It is written, 'My house shall be called a house of prayer,' but you are making it a den of robbers." ¹⁴ The blind and the lame came to him in the temple, and he cured them. ¹⁵ But when the chief priests and the scribes saw the amazing things that he did and heard the children crying out in the temple and saying, "Hosanna to the Son of David," they became angry ¹⁶ and said to him, "Do you hear what these are saying?" Jesus said to them, "Yes; have you never read, 'Out of the mouths of infants and nursing babies you have prepared praise for yourself?'" ¹⁷ He left them, went out of the city to Bethany, and spent the night there.

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Karyn Parker, Children's Ministries Coordinator

SERMON

The Rev. Diane Greble, Associate Pastor

SHARING OF THE PEACE

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Tom Ingram

A: Gathered together by the Holy Spirit, let us pray for the church and the needs of the world.

A brief silence.

A: Faithful God, establish your church to offer welcome and proclaim your peace. Nourish us so we can proclaim your hope to the world. God of grace,

C: hear our prayer.

A: Creator God, bring life to places experiencing drought, deforestation, and pollution. Help us to cultivate and care for the natural world around us. God of grace,

C: hear our prayer.

A: Loving God, bring an end to conflict and division. Sustain the work of prophets in our time, and work through world leaders to foster understanding, justice, and peace. God of grace,

C: hear our prayer.

A: Provider God, give your children what they need physically, emotionally, and spiritually. We remember before you those enduring extra difficulty (*especially those we now name aloud or in the quiet of our hearts*). Bless caregivers as they show your hospitality through their generous service. God of grace,

C: hear our prayer.

A: Living God, lead us from death to life. Inspire new ministries and endeavors, renew established ones, and strengthen our welcoming presence to our neighbors. God of grace,

C: hear our prayer.

A: Eternal God, we remember the faithful departed of this community and of the wider church and world (*especially those we now name aloud or in the quiet of our hearts*). We give thanks for saints of all times and places. God of grace,

C: hear our prayer.

A: Trusting you receive all our prayers, we commend our spoken and unspoken prayers to you, O God, through Jesus our Savior.

C: Amen.

STEWARDSHIP READING

Proverbs 28:22

The miser is in a hurry to get rich and does not know that loss is sure to come.

OFFERING

“King of Kings”

OFFERING PRAYER

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

LORD’S PRAYER

HOLY COMMUNION

POST HOLY COMMUNION BLESSING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLESSING

SENDING SONG

“O Beautiful for Spacious Skies”

DISMISSAL

JOIN THE BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR

Altar Guild

HELP PREPARE THE ALTAR &
SANCTUARY FOR WORSHIP

Training & Support Provided

contact Judy via the church office (248) 646-5041 or office@bslcmi.org



First Fruits Sundays

CLOTHES CLOSET & FOOD COLLECTION
FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH

CLOTHING

MEN'S PANTS
CHILDREN'S CLOTHING
NEW SOCKS & GLOVES
NEW UNDERWEAR
(CHILDREN & ADULT)
DIAPERS & WIPES

FOOD ITEMS

QUICK FULL MEALS:
CANNED CHILI
HAMBURGER HELPER
CASSEROLE & SKILLET STARTERS

CONTACT STEVE WAGNER VIA THE CHURCH OFFICE WITH ANY QUESTIONS: OFFICE@BSLCMI.ORG (248) 646-5041

BSLC HIKERS

July 11—Meet at trailhead
2nd Saturday of the Month

no commitment,
join the hikes
you're able

Contact Mary via
the church office
with questions

Sign up for hike notifications
bslcmi.org/post/hikers

Adults, 18+ only
no pets please

