

And he said to him, "You shall *love* the Lord your God
with **ALL YOUR HEART** and
with **ALL YOUR SOUL** and
with **ALL YOUR MIND.**

This is the great and first commandment.

MATTHEW 22:37-38

Saturday 5PM Worship
Sunday 10AM Worship
October 24th & 25th, 2026



BREAD OF LIFE
LUTHERAN CHURCH

Welcoming, deepening and serving in faith
for all God's people.

Welcome to Bread of Life! We're glad you're here. We are a church whose mission is Welcoming, Deepening, and Serving in faith for all of God's people. If you're visiting today, we invite you to fill out a welcome card found in the pews (place in the offering when completed) or you can scan the QR code in the bulletin and fill it out online. You are welcome here.



WELCOME

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✠ one God,
who pours love into our hearts and healing upon the earth.

Amen.

Confident that God justifies us by grace through faith,
let us confess our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Compassionate God,

**we confess that we struggle to embody your goodness in the
world and in our own hearts. Creation groans from overuse.**

Jealousy and bitterness strain our relationships.

Indifference keeps us from seeking justice.

Divisions disrupt your call to show genuine love to others.

Turn our hearts back to you.

Restore our world and reconcile us to one another.

Renew us to live as your holy people,

following the way of Jesus Christ.

Amen.

Hear this good news:

We have peace with God through ✠ Jesus Christ,
in whom there is no condemnation,
but only forgiveness and the promise of eternal life.

Receive freely this healing gift of grace.

Amen.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you all. **And also with you.**

OPENING SONG – Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You, 836

OPENING PRAYER

READINGS

We hear God's word, inspired by the Holy Spirit, trusting that God is still speaking to us today.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION – Halle, Halle, Hallelujah, 172

Halle, halle, hallelujah.

Halle, halle, hallelujah.

Halle, halle, hallelujah.

Hallelujah, Hallelujah.

GOSPEL READING RESPONSE

Leader: Words of God, words of life.

All: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S WORD

SERMON - "It's All About Love" Pastor Tammy Hamm

HYMN OF THE DAY –

The Church of Christ in Every Age, 729, v. 1,3,5

APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.***

**On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,**

**he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

God whose greatest commandments are love, **hear our prayer.**

OFFERING

Your offering supports our mission together as Jesus' church. Offering can be placed in the plates as they are passed by the ushers or you can give online by scanning the offering QR code or texting "BOLminot" to 77977. Online giving cards can be found in the pews and placed in the offering plates if you'd like to indicate your online giving.



OFFERING SONG – Give Thanks

**Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy one,
give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, his Son (2x's)
And now let the weak say "I am strong", let the poor say "I am rich",
because of what the Lord has done for us (2x's)
Give thanks**

OFFERING PRAYER

God of faithfulness,

**All blessings are from you;
make us generous with what we have.
Use our gifts, our abilities, and our hearts
in service to you and in love to our neighbors,
today and always. Amen.**

COMMUNION

At Bread of Life we have an "Open Table" which means that all are welcome to receive communion. We trust that God's grace in Christ is in the bread and wine and that this grace is for all of

us, at all times, and in all things. A gluten free option is placed on the baptismal font. As you come forward for communion, and if you'd like, you are invited to dip your finger in the baptismal font, marking a cross on your forehead remembering that you are God's beloved child always.

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen

COMMUNION PRAYER

God of grace,

Once again you have nourished us with your forgiveness and love. By your Spirit, send us from this table to serve a needy world. Make us living signs of your healing and hope, following the way of Jesus, in whose name we pray. Amen.

BLESSING

CLOSING SONG – I Love to Tell the Story, 661

SENDING

Go in peace, serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**