

Gathering Music

Greeting/Announcements

Song ..... “Here in This Place” ..... 718 Blue

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness ..... pg. 10 Blue

Prayer of the Day

**Heavenly Father, you want us to give thanks for all things, to fear nothing except losing you, and to lay all our cares on you, knowing that you care for us. Protect us from faithless fears and worldly anxieties, and grant that no clouds in this mortal life may hide from us the light of your immortal love shown to us in your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

First Reading: Genesis 16:1-13, 15-16

Second Reading: Galatians 4:21-28

Faith Seeds ..... Shelly Kirchoff

Faith Seeds is a time for children of all ages to come forward for a lesson geared to them.

The Gospel Acclamation: “Good Soil”

**Lord, let my heart be good soil,  
open to the seed of Your word.  
Lord, let my heart be good soil,  
where love can grow and peace is understood.**

Gospel: Matthew 21:33-44

Sermon “God’s PROMISE, Abraham’s Faith: Mistaken for Faith”  
Pastor Scott Grorud

Song ..... “God of Wonders” ..... 31 White

Apostles’ Creed

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

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again 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.**

Offering/Special Music .... “Blessed Be His Name” ..... John Muske

Prayers of the Church

The Words of Institution

The Lord’s Prayer

The Distribution

Benediction

Closing Song ..... “Take to the World” ..... 52 White

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# Faith Lutheran Church

LCMC

Hutchinson, Minnesota

October 11, 2020

10:10 a.m. Sanctuary Service

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

## **“What Does This Mean?”**

Questions about Today’s Worship Theme:  
Genesis 16:1-13:15-16

- † How does understanding of ancient law and custom change how we read Genesis 16?
- † In what way was Sarah and Abraham’s solution to their childlessness mistaken for faith in God?
- † Why could Ishmael’s birth not serve as fulfillment of God’s covenant promises to Abraham?
- † How does the messy account in Genesis 16 inform how we live under God’s promises to us?

