

Faith Lutheran Church
Hutchinson, MN
10:10 a.m. Sanctuary Service
September 20, 2026
Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

What Does This Mean?

1. Whose side are you on in the parable?
2. Why does grace offend us?
3. What does it mean that we are saved by grace alone?



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Gathering Music

Greeting/Announcements

Song “As We Gather”

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness WOV pg. 10

Opening Litany for the Season after Pentecost WOV page 46

Scripture Song WOV page 47

Prayer of the Day

Lord God, you call us to work in your vineyard and leave no one standing idle. Set us to our tasks in the work of your kingdom, and help us to order our lives by your wisdom; through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

First Reading Isaiah 55:6-9

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Second Reading Philippians 1:12-14, 19-30

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Faith Seeds Payton Eastman

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

The Gospel Acclamation WOV page 48

Word of life, Jesus Christ, all glory to you!

Word of life, Jesus Christ, all praise to you!

Our hearts burn within us while you open to us the Scriptures.

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Gospel Reading Matthew 20:1-16

L: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Sermon “Sola Gratia” Pastor Dave Wollan

Song “You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore” WOV #784

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

Offertory Response WOV page 50

Glory to you, God, for yours is the earth;

yours the anointing, the radiant worth.

Ours the rejoicing for spirits aflame;

ours the thanksgiving to your holy name.

Ours be the telling of deeds greatly done;

yours be the glory, O God, yours alone.

Offertory Prayer for the Season after Pentecost .. WOV page 51

Prayers of the Church

The Lord’s Prayer

Benediction

Closing Song .. “My Life Flows On in Endless Song” ...WOV #781