

PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
September 28, 2025, 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.
Pastor Christian Magnell

WELCOME AND GREETING

HYMN

“Old Church Choir”

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Like the Church at Pergamum, we dwell in the midst of evil.

And we’ve ignored the call to stand against it.

It’s easier to just go with the flow and not rock the boat,

To water down what we believe and what we say about it.

Take a moment to consider what that means in your life before we pray. *(time for reflection)*

Let’s pray together:

Lord God, we confess that we’ve sinned against you in our thoughts, our words, and our deeds. We’ve denied you with both our words and our actions. For the sake of Jesus Christ, forgive us of our sins and renew us daily to live for you. Teach us what it means to follow you and give us the courage to do so.

Friends, in the name of Jesus Christ we have been forgiven of our sins!

Thanks be to God!

SHARING OF THE PEACE

CHILDREN’S SERMON

3RD GRADE BIBLES

BAPTISM (10:30)

Callie Jo Salm

HYMN

“Nobody Loves Me Like You”

READING: Revelation 2:12-17

The Church at Pergamum needed to repent of the ways in which they were slipping from Christ.

¹²“And to the angel of the church in Pergamum write: ‘The words of him who has the sharp two-edged sword. ¹³“I know where you dwell, where Satan’s throne is. Yet you hold fast my name, and you did not deny my faith even in the days of Antipas my faithful witness, who was killed among you, where Satan dwells. ¹⁴But I have a few things against you: you have some there who hold the

teaching of Balaam, who taught Balak to put a stumbling block before the sons of Israel, so that they might eat food sacrificed to idols and practice sexual immorality. ¹⁵So also you have some who hold the teaching of the Nicolaitans. ¹⁶Therefore repent. If not, I will come to you soon and war against them with the sword of my mouth. ¹⁷He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the

churches. To the one who conquers I will give some of the hidden manna, and I will give him a white stone, with a new name written on the

stone that no one knows except the one who receives it.'

HYMN

"Build My Life"

GOSPEL – John 6:30-40

³⁰So they said to him, "Then what sign do you do, that we may see and believe you? What work do you perform?" ³¹Our fathers ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.'" ³²Jesus then said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. ³³For the bread of God is he who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." ³⁴They said to him, "Sir, give us this bread always." ³⁵Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes

in me shall never thirst. ³⁶But I said to you that you have seen me and yet do not believe. ³⁷All that the Father gives me will come to me, and whoever comes to me I will never cast out. ³⁸For I have come down from heaven, not to do my own will but the will of him who sent me. ³⁹And this is the will of him who sent me, that I should lose nothing of all that he has given me but raise it up on the last day. ⁴⁰For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who looks on the Son and believes in him should have eternal life, and I will raise him up on the last day."

SERMON – Churches of Revelation – Pergamum

PRAYER AT RECEIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

MUSIC DURING DISTRIBUTION *"Blessings"*

PRAYER AND BLESSING AFTER COMMUNION

BENEDICTION

And now may the Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace!

Amen!

CLOSING SONG *"Take You at Your Word"*

DISMISSAL

Let's go in peace to love and serve the Lord!

Thanks be to God!

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