

PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
October 19, 2025, 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.
Pastor Christian Magnell

WELCOME AND GREETING

HYMN *“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

We worship today in the presence of Christ,

who calls himself the door to abundant life.

We know we have this promise of life in Christ, but so often we turn away.

We seek the good life in so many other places.

Let’s quiet our hearts and minds and consider how we’ve turn from the goodness of God in our lives. *(time for reflection)*

Let’s pray together:

Lord God, we confess that we often forget You hold the door of our lives in Your hands.

We try to force our own way instead of walking through the doors You open. We grow weary of doing good and lose courage when our strength feels small. Forgive us for doubting Your promises and for clinging to our comfort instead of Your calling.

Forgive us for the sins we’ve committed against you and others and renew us daily to live for you.

Jesus Christ died that we might have life, and in His name, and for His sake, we are forgiven of our sins.

Thanks be to God!

SHARING OF THE PEACE

CHILDREN’S SERMON

HYMN *“You Are My King (Amazing Love)”*

READING: Revelation 3:7-13

Jesus praised the Church in Philadelphia for their works and promises an open door which will not shut and a future as a pillar in the temple of God.

⁷“And to the angel of the church in Philadelphia write: ‘The words of the holy one, the true one, who has the key of David, who opens and no one will shut, who shuts and no one opens. ⁸“I know your works. Behold, I have set before you an open door, which no one is able to shut. I know that you

have but little power, and yet you have kept my word and have not denied my name.

⁹Behold, I will make those of the synagogue of Satan who say that they are Jews and are not, but lie—behold, I will make them come and bow down before your feet, and they will learn that I have loved you. ¹⁰Because you

have kept my word about patient endurance, I will keep you from the hour of trial that is coming on the whole world, to try those who dwell on the earth. ¹¹I am coming soon. Hold fast what you have, so that no one may seize your crown. ¹²The one who conquers, I will make him a pillar in the temple of my God.

Never shall he go out of it, and I will write on him the name of my God, and the name of the city of my God, the new Jerusalem, which comes down from my God out of heaven, and my own new name. ¹³He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches.'

HYMN

"Graves into Gardens"

GOSPEL – John 10:1-10

¹"Truly, truly, I say to you, he who does not enter the sheepfold by the door but climbs in by another way, that man is a thief and a robber. ²But he who enters by the door is the shepherd of the sheep. ³To him the gatekeeper opens. The sheep hear his voice, and he calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. ⁴When he has brought out all his own, he goes before them, and the sheep follow him, for they know his voice. ⁵A stranger they will not follow, but they will flee from him, for they do not know the voice of strangers." ⁶This

figure of speech Jesus used with them, but they did not understand what he was saying to them. ⁷So Jesus again said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, I am the door of the sheep. ⁸All who came before me are thieves and robbers, but the sheep did not listen to them. ⁹I am the door. If anyone enters by me, he will be saved and will go in and out and find pasture. ¹⁰The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.

SERMON – Churches of Revelation – Philadelphia

PRAYER FOR RECEIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

MUSIC DURING DISTRIBUTION *"Thank You, Jesus, for the Blood"*

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

"Amazing Grace, My Chains are Gone"

DISMISSAL

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

Thanks be to God!

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