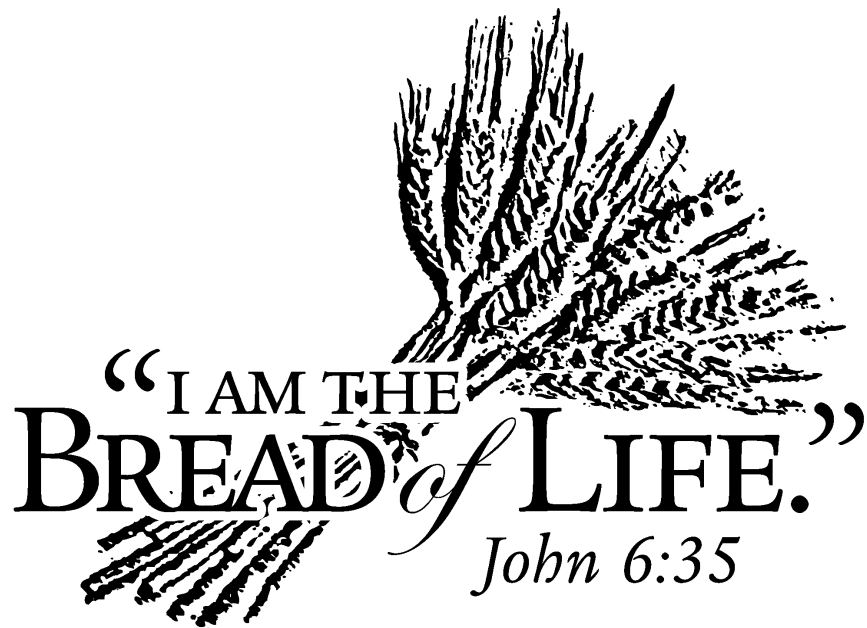


2021

*"Our Hope is in the Lord, for HE who promised is Faithful"*



WELCOME TO WORSHIP  
ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER  
PENTECOST

**Please tune your car radio to 106.1 FM to Worship with us today!**

*Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for He who promised is faithful. Hebrews 10:23*

Call Statement:

*“My call is to share my Faith in Christ”*

Mission Statement:

*“To live my Faith in Christ I will build loving relationships so others will become disciples with Jesus as Lord and Savior.”*

**PRELUDE**

Beth Helwagen

**WELCOME AND PRAYER**

**BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

Leader: In the name of the Father, and the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen.**

Leader: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love You and worthily magnify Your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: **Amen.**

Leader: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Leader: Most merciful God,

All: **we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against You in thought, word and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**

Pastor: Almighty God, in His mercy, has given His Son to die for you and, for His sake, forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**All: Amen.**

### THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**All: And also with you.** *(Wave and/or Honk to each other)*

### SONG

Come, Now is the Time to Worship

Verse

Come, now is the time to worship.  
Come, now is the time to give your heart.  
Come, just as you are to worship.  
Come, just as you are before your God,  
Come.

Chorus

One day every tongue will confess You are God.  
One day every knee will bow.  
Still the greatest treasure remains  
For those who gladly choose You now.

Verse

Chorus

Verse

Ending

Come. Come. Come,  
Just as you are, come!  
Come!

### APOSTOLIC GREETING

Pastor: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**All: And also with you.**

### PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray: Almighty God,

**All: Gracious Father, Your blessed Son came down from heaven to be the true bread which gives life to the world. Give us this bread, that He may live in us and we in Him, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### LESSON

1 Kings 19:1 - 8

### GOSPEL

John 6:35 - 51

### THE MESSAGE

Pastor Jeffrey J. Lee

# Bread of Life

### SONG

At the Cross (Love Ran Red)

Verse 1

There's a place Where mercy reigns and never dies,  
There's a place Where streams of grace flow deep and wide;  
Where all the love I've ever found Comes like a flood,  
comes flowing down.

Chorus 1

At the cross, at the cross, I surrender my life.  
I'm in awe of You, I'm in awe of You.  
Where Your love ran red, and my sin washed white.  
I owe all to You, I owe all to You, Jesus.

Verse 2

There's a place Where sin and shame are powerless,  
Where my heart Has peace with God and forgiveness;  
Where all the love I've ever found Comes like a flood,  
comes flowing down.

Chorus 2

At the cross, at the cross, I surrender my life.  
I'm in awe of You, I'm in awe of You.  
Where Your love ran red, and my sin washed white.  
I owe all to You, I owe all to You.

### Bridge

Here my hope is found, Here on holy ground;  
Here I bow down, here I bow down.  
Here, arms open wide, Here, You saved my life;  
Here I bow down, here I bow.

### Chorus 3

At the cross, at the cross, I surrender my life.  
I'm in awe of You, I'm in awe of You.  
Where Your love ran red, and my sin washed white.  
I owe all to You, I owe all to You.  
I owe all to You, I owe all to You. Jesus.

### APOSTLES' CREED (in unison)

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 catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

### PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Pastor: Brothers and sisters in Christ, let us be united as the Church in heart and mind as we go to our heavenly Father in prayer..

Pastor: *(After each petition. . .)* Lord, in your mercy,

**All: hear our prayer.**

Pastor: . . . Into your hands, Father, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**All: Amen.**

### THE LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

**All: 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.**

### THE SENDING PRAYER

Leader: Let us pray. Heavenly Father,

**All: Open my eyes, open my heart, so I see and have compassion on broken and lost people around me. Move me to bring Hope into their lives with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Give me courage. Give me patience. Guide my words. Through me I pray they experience Jesus' redeeming Love. I ask in Jesus' Name. Amen.**

### THE BENEDICTION

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

**All: Amen.**

### SONG

#### Days of Elijah

##### Verse 1

**These are the days of Elijah,  
Declaring the Word of the Lord;  
And these are the days of Your servant, Moses,  
Righteousness being restored;  
And though these are days of great trials,  
Of famine and darkness and sword;  
Still we are the voice in the desert crying,  
"Prepare ye the way of the Lord."**

**Chorus**

Behold He comes, Riding on the clouds,  
Shining like the sun at the trumpet call;  
Lift your voice, It's the year of Jubilee,  
And out of Zion's hill Salvation comes.

**Verse 2**

And these are the days of Ezekiel,  
The dry bones becoming as flesh;  
And these are the days of Your servant, David,  
Rebuilding a temple of praise;  
And these are the days of the harvest,  
The fields are as white in the world;  
And we are the laborers in Your vineyard,  
Declaring the Word of the Lord.

**Chorus**

**BRIDGE**

There is no god like Jehovah,  
There is no god like Jehovah.  
(repeat)

**Chorus**  
**Chorus**

**THE DISMISSAL**

Pastor: Go and be a witness for the Lord!

**All: Thanks be to God!**

*Trust*

TRUST IN THE LORD WITH ALL YOUR HEART AND LEAN NOT UNTO YOUR OWN  
UNDERSTANDING. IN ALL YOUR WAYS, ACKNOWLEDGE HIM AND HE SHALL  
DIRECT YOUR PATH. PROVERBS 3:5,6

**NEXT SUNDAY August 15, 2021**

**Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost**

**Scripture Readings for Next Sunday**

**Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18 Psalm 34:12-22 Ephesians 5:6-21**

**John 6:51-69**

---

---

**FAITH IN CHRIST  
LUTHERAN CHURCH**

**1603 Moorefield Road, Springfield, Ohio 45503**

**Phone - (937) 399-4134 Fax - (937)342-4766**

**e-mail address - [ficlc@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ficlc@sbcglobal.net) (Church Office)**

**e-mail address - [ficpr@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ficpr@sbcglobal.net) (Pastor)**

**Website: [www.ficlc.net](http://www.ficlc.net)**

---

---



CCLI #1796647



**Sunday August 15<sup>th</sup> Brown Bag Lunch Meeting**

The TNT Ministry Team will have a brown bag lunch following worship to go through our checklist as we resume TNT this year.

**TNT Teens, this brown bag lunch is for you too** as the Leadership you displayed during Day Camp will have many opportunities to be **put into action** this TNT year!

***Is God Calling you to Join the TNT TEAM?***

You're encouraged to speak with Dave, Holly, Heather, or Pastor to learn more. We have many places where your gift's can be put into action.

**Thursday August 26<sup>th</sup> 6 - 8 PM TNT RESUMES!! YEA!!**

Thursday Nights Together, TNT, will resume with a Kick-off Celebration on Thursday August 26. Supper, games, and Worship will fill out the evening with laughter and JOY as we put our "Faith in Action"!