

# Life in Christ Lutheran Church

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## Sixth Sunday after Pentecost July 12, 2020

### CHURCH CALENDAR

Sun Jul 12	9am	Divine Service—Grand Marais
	11:30am	Divine Service—Heston's Lodge
Mon-Fri	by Appoint.	Pastor's Office Hours
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#### INTROIT Ps. 103:15–19; antiphon: Ps. 103:8

The LORD is merciful and | gracious,\*

**slow to anger and abounding in | steadfast love.**

As for man, his days | are like grass;\*

**he flourishes like a flower | of the field;**

for the wind passes over it, and | it is gone,\*

**and its place knows | it no more.**

But the steadfast love of the LORD is from everlasting to everlasting on those who | fear him,\*

**and his righteousness to children's | children,**

to those who keep his | covenant\*

**and remember to do his com- | mandments.**

The LORD has established his throne in the | heavens,\*

**and his kingdom rules | over all.**

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\***

**and to the Holy | Spirit;**

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**is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

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Gal. 6: 1– 18

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Acts 15: 22– 41

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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