Fifteenth Week after Pentecost
4 September 2018
10:00 a.m.

Order of Procession
Crucifer
Torch Bearers
Assistant Marshals
New Students
Faculty Marshal
Fieldwork Pastors and Pastors of the District
Newly-Appointed Ordained Staff
Ordained Staff
Faculty
Academic Dean
Installer
Lectors
Officiant
Seminary President
Processional Hymn  Voices Raised to You We Offer  (LSB 795)
At the conclusion of the hymn introduction, the congregation stands and turns to face the processional cross.

1 Voices raised to You we offer; Tune them, God, for songs of praise.
2 All creation joins to praise You; Earth and sky Your works display.
3 Christ, the song of Love incarnate, Touching earth with heaven's grace.
4 Spirit, flaming through creation, Kindle faith with each heart.

For Your gifts through all our days. Alleluia!
We return to You today. Alleluia!
For Your rising, hear our praise! Alleluia!
Through our hands Your love impart. Alleluia!

5 How can any praise we offer
   Measure all the thanks we owe?
Take our hearts and hands and voices—
   Gifts of love we can bestow.
   Alleluia! Alleluia!
Triune God, to You we sing!

In Nomine Jesu

Al-le-lu-ia! Tri-une God, to You we sing!
Al-le-lu-ia! God, Cre-a-tor, source of life!
Al-le-lu-ia! Christ, Re-deem-er, Lord of life!
Al-le-lu-ia! Spirit, Help-er, breath of life!
Opening of the Academic Year

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Let us pray.
O God, through the Holy Spirit You illumine the minds and sanctify the lives of those whom You call to the work of pastors and deaconesses. Bless the seminary and the academic year which we begin in Your name this day. Bless those who teach and those who learn, and so renew and increase in us the gifts of Your Spirit that we may be built up in our most holy faith, strengthened for every duty, and enabled to render You and our fellowmen true acceptable service, through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

As President of Concordia Theological Seminary, by the authority vested in me by the Board of Regents, I now declare the beginning of the one-hundred-seventy-third academic year of this seminary, in the name of the Father and of the †Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

May the true faith flourish among us, the fear of God, and the love of the brethren; may the voice of prayer continually be heard here, the voice of rejoicing and salvation, the voice of praise, and the invocation of the most glorious and honorable name of the triune God, henceforth and forever.

Amen.

Office of Morning Prayer

Versicles – LSB 235

Psalmody

Venite – LSB 235

All

Lectern (left) side

Pulpit (right) side

Sit

Office Hymn 580 The Gospel Shows the Father’s Grace

First Reading 1 Timothy 4:6–16

After the reading:

O Lord, have mercy on us.
Thanks be to God.
Psalm 62

The antiphon is sung once by the choir and then is immediately repeated by the congregation. The congregation sings the psalm responsively with the choir, repeating the antiphon where indicated.

For God alone my soul waits in silence;*
from him comes my salvation.
He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress;*
I shall not be greatly shaken.

How long will all of you attack a man to batter him,*
like a leaning wall, a tottering fence?
They only plan to thrust him down from his high position. They take pleasure in falsehood.*
They bless with their mouths, but inwardly they curse. Antiphon

For God alone, O my soul, wait in silence,*
for my hope is from him.
He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress;*
I shall not be shaken.

On God rests my salvation and my glory;*
my mighty rock, my refuge is God.
Trust in him at all times, O people; pour out your heart before him;*
God is a refuge for us. Antiphon

(continued)
Those of low estate are but a breath; those of high estate are a delusion;* in the balances they go up; they are together lighter than a breath. Put no trust in extortion; set no vain hopes on robbery;* if riches increase, set not your heart on them.

Once God has spoken; twice have I heard this:* that power belongs to God, and that to you, O Lord, belongs steadfast love. For you will render to a man according to his work.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son* and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning,* is now, and will be forever. Amen.

Second Reading  Matthew 11:25–30

After the reading:

L O Lord, have mercy on us.
C Thanks be to God.
L In many and various ways, God spoke to His people of old by the prophets.
C But now in these last days, He has spoken to us by His Son.

Sermon
Installation of Newly Appointed Faculty and Ordained Staff

Stand

Canticle  Benedictus – LSB 238
The choir sings the part marked L (“You, my child…”).

Prayer – LSB 241

Benedicamus and Benediction – LSB 241

Sit

Words of Greeting

Stand

Hymn to Depart  Preach You the Word  (LSB 586)

1 Preach you the Word and plant it home To men who
2 We know how hard, O Lord, the task Your servant
3 The sower sows; his reckless love Scatters a-
4 Though some be snatched and some be scorched And some be

like or like it not, The Word that shall en-
bade us un- der take; To preach Your Word and
broad the good-ly seed, Intent alone that
choked and mat- ted flat, The sower sows; his
dure and stand When flow’rs and men shall be for-
nev- er ask What pride-ful prof-it it may make.
all may have The whole-some loaves that all men need.
heart cries out, “Oh, what of that, and what of that?”

5 Of all his scattered plenteousness
One-fourth waves ripe on hill and flat,
And bears a harvest hundredfold:
“Ah, what of that, Lord, what of that!”

6 Preach you the Word and plant it home
And never faint; the Harvest Lord
Who gave the sower seed to sow
Will watch and tend His planted Word.

† Soli Deo Gloria †
You are cordially invited to the Katherine Luther Dining Hall for a luncheon in celebration of the new academic year.

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Opening of the Academic Year, Preacher, and Greetings
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Voices Raised to You We Offer

Psalm 62

Preach You the Word

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Newly Appointed Faculty

Don C. Wiley
Assistant Professor of Pastoral Ministry and Mission

The Rev. Dr. Don Wiley has spent twenty-four years in the pastoral ministry, serving congregations in Redlands and Colton, CA, and as a missionary in church planting and leadership formation in the Republic of Panama. He graduated from the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign in 1980 with a B.S. in Electrical Engineering. In 1992 he graduated from CTSFW with an M.Div., completing an S.T.M. with a major in New Testament Exegetical Theology in 2009 and earning a Ph.D. in Missiology with a concentration in confessional theology in 2017. He has also served CTSFW as Adjunct Professor 2015–2017 and Guest Professor in 2017–2018. During these years he also served as Assistant Director of Spanish Speaker Church Worker Formation, as well as promoting ministry among Hispanics/Latinos here on campus through the Spanish over Lunch program. He and his wife, Renée, have two sons.
Newly Appointed Ordained Staff

Sergio A. Fritzler
Director of SMP Español/English

Sergio Adrián Fritzler graduated from the pastoral program of Concordia Seminary in Argentina in 1999. He was ordained at the beginning of 2000 in the Lutheran Church of Chile, where he served for nine years in the mission field and in theological education as Director and Professor of the Instituto Bíblico Luterano. He received his Master’s Degree in Theology from the IEPG of Brazil (2005) in the area of Pastoral Theology. He wrote the book *Oficio Pastoral* for CPH, and is editor of the new Spanish hymnal, *Himnario Luterano*, which will be published this year. He has taught a number of pastoral courses in Latin America for Luther Academy. From 2009 to 2016 he was Director and Professor of Seminario Concordia in Buenos Aires, Argentina. Since 2017 he has been serving at Centro de Misericordia y Seminario Concordia “El Reformador” in Santiago, Dominican Republic, as Dean of the institution and Professor of the pastoral area. He is married to Lilian Rosin from Paraguay, and they have two sons, Enzo and Martín.

Paul G. Hopkins
Advancement Officer

The Rev. Paul Hopkins was born into a United States Marine Corp family that after various deployments eventually settled in Buffalo Grove, IL. For twenty years he worked in law enforcement in the Chicago area, primarily as a Special Agent with the Rock Island Railroad and Conrail Railroad. While serving as a Police Sargent, he enrolled at Lewis University, Romeoville, IL, and earned a B.A. in Criminal/Social Justice. In 2000 he made a major career shift when he matriculated to CTSFW, receiving the M.Div. in 2005. He served as a parish pastor for thirteen years, first at St. Michael Lutheran, Rogers City (Belknap), MI, and then at St. Paul Lutheran, Mattoon (Dorans), IL. Rev. Hopkins is married to Joan (née Soucy). They have three children, including Rev. James Hopkins, a 2015 graduate of CTSFW, and five grandchildren, with another on the way.
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