

Organization Day Services

of

The Evangelical Lutheran Church of the  
Good Shepherd

of

Morristown, Tennessee

REFORMATION SUNDAY

October 28, 1956

The Rev. Edwin N. Troutman, Mission Developer



The Service — 10:30 A. M.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH BUILDING

*Louise Avenue, 2 Blocks West of Southside Fire Station*



The Organization Service — 3:30 P. M.

ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

*West Main and Church Streets*

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The afternoon service broadcast over WCRK

THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

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Prelude and Silent Prayer

The Opening Hymn .....No. 158

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The Morning Prayer and Lord's Prayer

The Benediction and Silent Prayer

The Closing Hymn .....No. 129

## THE ORGANIZATION SERVICE

3:30 P. M.

West Main and Church Streets, Morristown, Tennessee  
(All Saints Episcopal Church)

Prelude and Silent Prayer

The Opening Hymn .....No. 199

The Invocation

The Act of Organization.....The Rev. James R. Crumley,  
Vice-President of the Knoxville Conference  
of the Lutheran Synod of Virginia

Special Music ..... "Psalm 23" ..... Williams

The Reception of Charter Members.....Rev. Troutman

The Introduction of Special Guests

The Epistle for Reformation Sunday — Galatians 2:16-21

THE HOLY GOSPEL for Reformation Sunday — John 8:31-36

The Sermon Hymn .....No. 195

THE SERMON ..... "What Price Freedom?" ..... Rev. Crumley

The Offering

Special Music..... "How Firm A Foundation".....arr. by Warner

The General Prayer and Lord's Prayer

The Order for Installation of the Church Council ..... Pg. 288

Benediction and Silent Prayer

The Closing Hymn ..... No. 198

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We, the members of the Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd, welcome all visitors present for both services today. We invite you to worship with us whenever you can, and if you do not have a church home to please give the Lutheran Church your consideration. We also welcome all of the visitors from other Lutheran churches in the area, and invite you to return to worship with us at your first opportunity.

Our sincere thanks and appreciation is extended to all who have helped make this day a success. Our especial thanks to the Rev. James R. Crumley, vice-president of the Knoxville Conference and pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, Oak Ridge, Tennessee, for conducting the act of formal organization. Our thanks also to the choirs of St. John's Lutheran Church, Knoxville, Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, South Knoxville, Messiah Lutheran Church, Bearden, and St. Paul Lutheran Church, Maryville, for providing the choir at the service of organization. The combined choirs are under the capable direction of Mrs. L. H. Killion, who is also organist for the afternoon service.

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The ushers for today's services are the councilmen-elect of the Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd:

Terms expiring 1960:	1959:	1958:
J. D. Caldwell	C. B. Lowe	J. B. Hill
Charles Holt	Paul Rhodes, Jr.	I. V. Martin
John Schurig	H. M. Sherrod	C. B. Westerdahl

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The Offering at both services today will go into the Lot Fund of the Morristown church.

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The flowers for both services are given by the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church Women for the Glory of God.

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Our thanks to the Seventh Day Adventist Church in whose building we hold services each Sunday, and to the All Saint's Episcopal Church for the Service of Organization.

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Our mission here in Morristown has received several gifts during the past few weeks, and has received notice of other gifts to be given at a later date. A formal service of dedication for these and other gifts will be held during the month of January 1957.

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Today is truly a glorious day in the history of the Lutheran Church in Morristown. From a beginning of one interested individual in establishing a Lutheran Church in Morristown, the work has grown to the point of formal organization. Work was started in Morristown on February 15, 1956 and the first service was held on Palm Sunday 1956. From a beginning of one today we organize with 54 adults and 29 children for a total membership of 74. Let it be our prayer that the church in Morristown continue to grow, and that it shall serve our Lord and His community.