WELCOME

Lord of Life Lutheran Church and Friends The 8th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

We are glad you have joined us.

WORSHIP

Serving Today
Reverend: Carl Russell Morten

Introit: Psalm 125

Opening Hymn: LSB 904 "Blessed Jesus, at Your Word"

Invocation: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Confession and Absolution

Salutation: The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Collect: *Let us pray*. **The Apostles Creed**

Readings: Deuteronomy 7:6-9; Romans 8:28-39 **Hymn of Praise:** LSB 578 "Thy Strong Word"

The Holy Gospel according to...St. Matthew Chapter 13:44-53



SERMON

PARABLES OF THE KINGDOM "THE DISCOVERY"

Matthew's Gospel

Prayer of the Church
The Lord's Prayer

Benediction: Let us bless the Lord.

Closing Hymn: LSB 918 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer"

"I know the plans I have for your life, plans to give you hope and a future."

Jeremiah 29:11