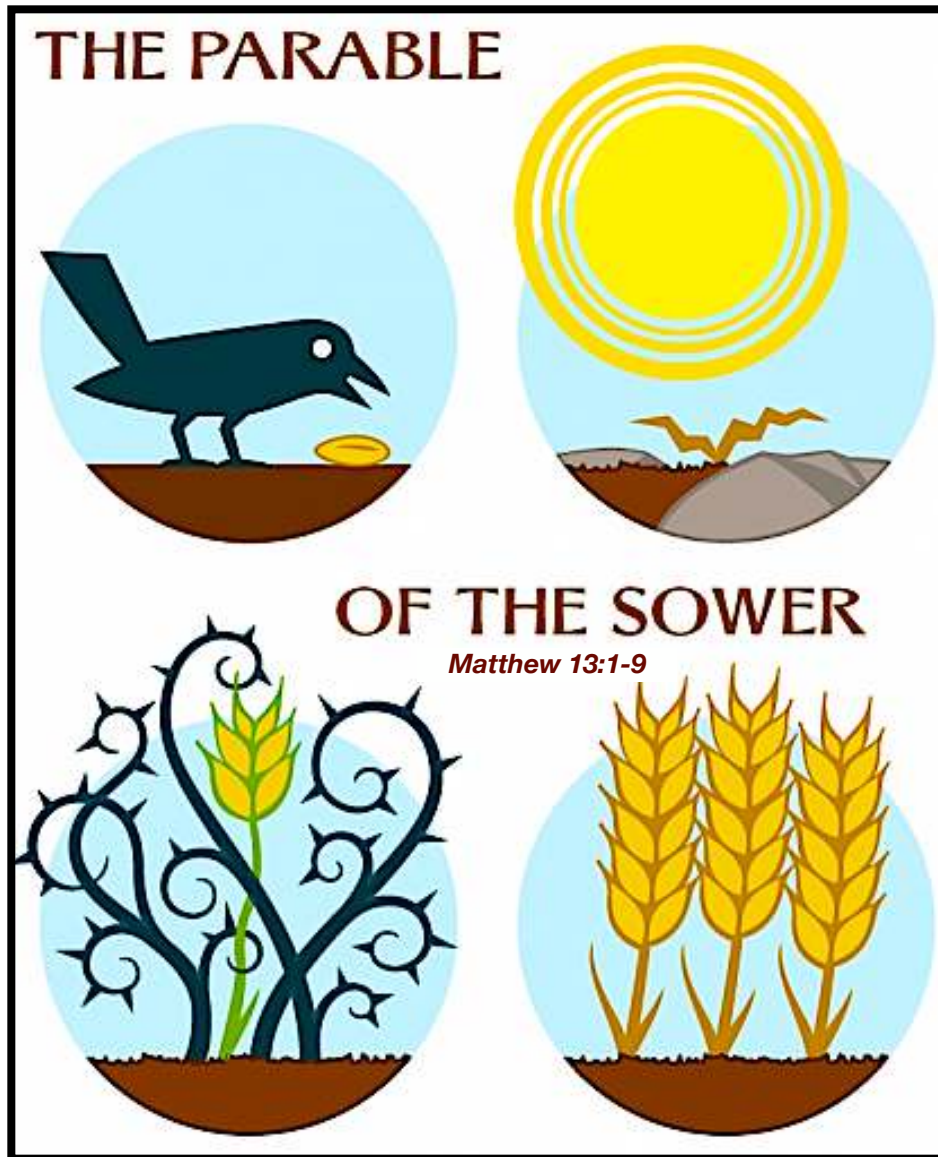


# ST. PAUL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

– CHURCH OF THE LUTHERAN CONFESSION –  
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**8TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
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### **ORDER OF WORSHIP: SERVICE OF THE WORD** *(printed on insert inside front cover of maroon hymnal)*

- ◆ Pre-Service Devotion: Psalm 65 (pew bible, p.513)
- ◆ The Hymns: 901, 693, 589 (1-3), 923
- ◆ Scripture Lessons: Isaiah 55:10-13, Romans 8:18-25
- ◆ Psalm of the Day: From Psalm 119

#### **Sermon Text – Matthew 13:1-9**

### ***LORD, MAKE OUR HEARTS GOOD SOIL FOR YOUR GOSPEL SEED!***

Bless us with ears that listen ...

1. Prayerfully, asking for understanding.
2. Persistently, seeking depth of conviction.
3. Attentively, blocking out earthly concerns.

- ◆ Prayer & Lord's Prayer
- ◆ Benediction & Closing Hymn (923)

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