

## ***“The Common Good and the Lord’s Supper”***

Recovering the Art of Discernment

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We affirm the omniscient, omnipotent, omnipresent, sovereign God.  
(except in our decisions)

We affirm the God of redemption and restoration.  
(except in things that we are involved with)

The Challenge of discernment is its effect and affect in both personal and communal impact.  
(Not removal from, or separation, but joining, aligning, and

Grappling with the Common Good

The benediction of Dr. Halvorson, the prayer of Dobson

The impact of the personal discernment on community.  
Examples of Sharon and Oreland

God does not exist to solve our problems. We exist to stand up for something in His world. Luke 15.

The Gift of Communion

Broken body and cup of the new covenant shared.

Not Common sense but common life

Jesus call to discipleship is a call to communion, reestablished relationship.

The Gift of Scripture

God has said, and God still says. (1 Co 13.12/Hb 4.12-13).

Why we appreciate Luther’s practice but avoid it.

The Discernment Disturbance

The Realization and the Relationship