

CHRIST'S TRUE BODY AND BLOOD, given and shed in His passion for the forgiveness of sins, are really present in, with, and under the bread and the wine in the Sacrament of the Altar and are given to and received by those who commune. Confirmed church members who are of one faith with us are invited to the Lord's table. Please register by marking the attendance card in the pew rack.

TODAY'S WORSHIP

Divine Service III LSB pages 184-202

L = Liturgist

* = Stand

C = Congregation

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***HYMN OF INVOCATION**

- 1. Lord, we come before Thee now, At Thy feet we humbly bow;
Oh, do not our suit disdain! Shall we seek Thee, Lord, in vain?**
- 2. Lord, on Thee our souls depend; In compassion now descend,
Fill our hearts with Thy rich grace, Tune our lips to sing Thy praise.**
- 3. In Thine own appointed way Now we seek Thee, here we stay.
Lord, we know not how to go Till a blessing Thou bestow.**
- 4. Send some message from Thy Word That may joy and peace afford;
Let Thy Spirit now impart Full salvation to each heart.**
- 5. Comfort those who weep and mourn, Let the time of joy return;
Those that are cast down lift up, Make them strong in faith and hope.**
- 6. Grant that all may seek and find Thee a gracious God and kind.
Heal the sick, the captive free; Let us all rejoice in Thee.**

***INVOCATION AND CONFESSION**

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

C: Amen. (Sung)

L: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

C: But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

L: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

C: We confess to You heavenly Father, that we are by nature separated from You. So often our thoughts have been selfish, our words have hurt others, our actions have shown our lack of love. We do not even deserve to have You come into our homes and into our lives. But for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ, we pray, forgive us our sins. Pardon us and restore us. Amen.

***THE ABSOLUTION**

C: Amen. (Sung)

***THE GLORIA PATRI** (Taken from LSB, page 186)

C: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. (Sung)

***THE KYRIE**

C: Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us. (Sung)

***THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

L: The Lord be with you.

C: And with thy spirit. (Sung)

L: Let us pray.

C: Amen. (Sung)

THE FIRST READING for the fifth Sunday after Pentecost is from Job 38:1-11, page 397: (8:00, 10:30)

¹ Then the LORD answered Job out of the storm. He said: ² "Who is this that darkens my counsel with words without knowledge? ³ Brace yourself like a man; I will question you, and you shall answer me. ⁴ "Where were you when I laid the earth's foundation? Tell me, if you understand. ⁵ Who marked off its dimensions? Surely you know! Who stretched a measuring line across it? ⁶ On what were its footings set, or who laid its cornerstone- ⁷ while the morning stars sang together and all the angels shouted for joy? ⁸ "Who shut up the sea behind doors when it burst forth from the womb, ⁹ when I made the clouds its garment and wrapped it in thick darkness, ¹⁰ when I fixed limits for it and set its doors and bars in place, ¹¹ when I said, "This far you may come and no farther; here is where your proud waves halt?"

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God. (Sung)

THE SECOND READING is from II Corinthians 6:1-13, page 861:

¹As God's fellow workers we urge you not to receive God's grace in vain. ²For he says, "In the time of my favor I heard you, and in the day of salvation I helped you." I tell you, now is the time of God's favor, now is the day of salvation. ³We put no stumbling block in anyone's path, so that our ministry will not be discredited. ⁴Rather, as servants of God we commend ourselves in every way: in great endurance; in troubles, hardships and distresses; ⁵in beatings, imprisonments and riots; in hard work, sleepless nights and hunger; ⁶in purity, understanding, patience and kindness; in the Holy Spirit and in sincere love; ⁷in truthful speech and in the power of God; with weapons of righteousness in the right hand and in the left; ⁸through glory and dishonor, bad report and good report; genuine, yet regarded as impostors; ⁹known, yet regarded as unknown; dying, and yet we live on; beaten, and yet not killed; ¹⁰sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; poor, yet making many rich; having nothing, and yet possessing everything. ¹¹We have spoken freely to you, Corinthians, and opened wide our hearts to you. ¹²We are not withholding our affection from you, but you are withholding yours from us. ¹³As a fair exchange—I speak as to my children—open wide your hearts also.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God. (Sung)

***ALLELUIA AND VERSE**

C: Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. (Sung)

*THE HOLY GOSPEL - according to St. Mark, the fourth chapter, verses 35-41, page 747:

C: Glory be to Thee, O Lord. (Sung)

³⁵That day when evening came, he said to his disciples, "Let us go over to the other side." ³⁶Leaving the crowd behind, they took him along, just as he was, in the boat. There were also other boats with him. ³⁷A furious squall came up, and the waves broke over the boat, so that it was nearly swamped. ³⁸Jesus was in the stern, sleeping on a cushion. The disciples woke him and said to him, "Teacher, don't you care if we drown?" ³⁹He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Quiet! Be still!" Then the wind died down and it was completely calm. ⁴⁰He said to his disciples, "Why are you so afraid? Do you still have no faith?" ⁴¹They were terrified and asked each other, "Who is this? Even the wind and the waves obey him!"

L: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise be to Thee, O Christ. (Sung)

***THE CREED (Council of Chalcedon A.D. 451) (5:00, 8:00, 10:30)**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and in one Lord Jesus Christ, perfect in Godhead, perfect in manhood, truly God and truly man. Of a rational soul and body: consubstantial with the Father according to the Godhead, and consubstantial with us according to the Manhood, in all things like unto us, without sin; begotten before all the ages of the Father according to the Godhead, and in these latter days, for us and for our salvation, born of the virgin Mary, the God-bearer according to His Manhood. Only-begotten, to be acknowledged in two natures, inconfusedly, unchangeably, indivisibly, inseparably, yet one person. Who was crucified for us, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

HYMN OF THE DAY *Children of the Heavenly Father* 725

THE SERMON "Affliction's Assets" (II Cor. 6:10)

THE OFFERING - During the offering all worshipers are asked to fill out the blue or ivory cards found in the pew rack. Please pass cards down to center aisle. They will be collected immediately after the offering.

VOLUNTARY

***THE OFFERTORY (LSB pg 192)**

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

***PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

***LORD'S PRAYER**

***THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

L: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: Amen. (Sung)

***THE AGNUS DEI (sung)**

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O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.

DISTRIBUTION HYMN

1. An awe-full mystery is here To challenge faith and waken fear:
The Savior comes as food divine, Concealed in earthly bread and wine.
2. This world is loveless, but above, What wondrous boundlessness of love!
The King of Glory stoops to me My spirit's life and strength to be.
3. In consecrated wine and bread No eye perceives the mystery dread;
But Jesus' words are strong and clear: "My body and My blood are here."
4. Yet here we have no boon on earth, And faith alone discerns its worth:
The Word, not sense, must be our guide, And faith assure, since sight's denied.
5. Lord, show us still that Thou art good And grant us evermore this food.
Give faith to every wavering soul And make each wounded spirit whole.

OTHER DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

619, 813, 622

NUNC DIMITTIS (Sung) - Song of Simeon Luke 2:29-32

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Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people, a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

L: Oh, give thanks to the Lord, for He is good.

C: **and His mercy endureth forever. (Sung)**

L: Let us pray.

C: **Amen. (Sung)**

L: The Lord be with you.

C: **And with thy spirit. (Sung)**

L: Bless we the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God. (Sung)**

*THE BENEDICTION

C: **Amen, amen, amen. (Sung)**

*THE CLOSING HYMN *Faith of Our Fathers*

1. **Faith of our fathers, living still In spite of dungeon, fire and sword.
Oh, how our hearts beat high with joy When-e'er we hear the glorious word!
Faith of our fathers, holy faith, We will be true to thee till death!**

2. **Faith of our fathers, we will love Both friend and foe in all our strife;
And preach you too, as love knows how, By kindly words and virtuous life.
Faith of our fathers, holy faith, We will be true to thee till death!**

*SILENT PRAYER

POSTLUDE + + + + +

SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY:

Preacher: Pastor Dennis A. Kastens
Liturgist: Pastor Jon C. Furgeson; 9:20 - Rev. Eldon Winker
Organist: Kendra Ruesler

NEWS AND NOTES:

THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST JUNE 21, 2009

ALTAR FLOWERS are from Ken and Darlene Quandt, in celebration of their 29th wedding anniversary on June 21st; from Donald and Rosalie Calvin in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary on June 20th; and in honor of the June 20th marriage of their daughter Donna Calvin to Wayne Auer; also from Jack and Ella LaPlante in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary on June 20th.

ALTAR CANDLE FUND COMPLETED! We now have received the necessary funds to order the replacement altar candles (of the same size, height and color) for Peace's chancel. A list of donors, together with names of those honored or memorialized, will appear in the next Peace newsletter. Thanks for your gifts!

MISSION TRIP PARTICIPANTS (WISCONSIN - returning June 21): Adam Behnke, Amanda Behnke,

Ryan Clarke, Lauren Dalton, Caleb DeClue, Chase DeClue, Kyle Eaton, Tyler Eaton, Madeline Lauer, Brendan Johnson, Caleb Mirly, Michael Murphy, Nick Murphy, Marina Nichols, Edrees Sidiqi, Najma Sidiqi, Dan Suedkamp, Matt Thiel, Ethan Werkmeister, Josh Whitney, Daniel Yaeger, Terri Dalton, Joe Western, Christina Stackle, Tammy Carlton.

(ALASKA - returning June 27): Ellen, Joshua and Jenny Wuerffel; Art, Jackie and Andrew Hoferlin; Julie Petrovic, Judy Spitzmiller, Mike and Christian Beckerle; Kim Kult and Joe Gibbons.

PATRIOTIC SERVICES JUNE 28th to be observed 8:00 and 10:30 with Brass and Chancel Choirs and color guard. (In preparation, rehearsal is on Thursday, June 25, at 7:30 p.m.)

NURSERY HELPERS needed for 9:20 and 10:30 services. If available once or more per Quarter, at the service of your choice, please call April Baese 846-1286 or the office 892-5610.

NEW MEMBER CLASSES on Sundays, 6:00-7:30 p.m., start June 28. Sign up sheet is posted on the Commons' bulletin board. (Or you today may indicate desired enrollment on your worship attendance card.) Auditors welcome.

EARLY CHILDHOOD has openings for the upcoming school year for Preschool, Parent's Day Out, and Daycare. Contact Sue Velten, 892-8844.

MISSOURI DISTRICT elections: R. Mirly, President, A. Wollenberg, K. Schurb, R. Rall and Wm. Marler, Vice Presidents for the 2009-11 triennium.

WANTED: Your unwanted (useable, unbroken, clean) items for August 8, Saturday, Couple's Club Garage Sale! Items may be dropped off at the lower level storage room on the West side. Clean clothing brought on hangers would be greatly appreciated. Call Fred Seiller, 631-4650 or Rich Behnke, 398-1288.

GROCERY CERTIFICATES Please remember to visit the Green Park Lutheran School table, on Sunday, in the Commons, to purchase grocery certificates. The school receives 5-7% of the sales. Questions? Contact Susie Sneed, 416-8791.

VOLUNTEERS needed at South County Pregnancy Resource Center operated by Thrivent. Call 894-7784. Details posted.

SPANISH INSTRUCTOR for 2009-2010 needed at LHSS. Submit resume by June 26 to bryherd@lhssonline.org or call 631-1400.

CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF JUNE 21, 2009:

Mon: 6:30 Elders
Tue: 8:30 Jr. Youth Service Event
9:00 Quilters
6:00 Men's Club
Wed: 11:00 So. Co. Senior Citizens
7:00 Fefferman / Appel Rehearsal
7:00 Wed. Bible Study
Thur: 4:30 Sr. Youth Service Event
6:00 GP Boys Futsal
7:00 Greek Class
7:30 Chancel Choir
Fri: 7:00 Fefferman / Appel Wedding
Sat: 9:00 Brass Choir
5:00 Worship Service
Sun: 6:00 Adult Inquiry Class
6:00 GP Girls 7/8 gr B-ball