



## ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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*A Christ Caring People Who Gather Around Word and Sacrament,  
Yoked Together, In Personal Service to Christ in World Wide Missions*

### ‡ DIVINE SERVICE ‡

**OPENING HYMN**                      "Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty"                      (LSB 901)

#### **INVOCATION**

P In the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
C **Amen.**

#### **EXHORTATION**

P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

- P Our help is in the name of the Lord,  
 C **who made heaven and earth.**  
 P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,  
 C **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

**CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION**

- P O almighty God, merciful Father,  
 C **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
 C **Amen.**

**T WORD T**

**INTROIT**

*Psalm 28:1-2, 6-7 (antiphon: 28:8)*

- P The LORD is the strength of his people;  
 he is the saving refuge of his anointed.  
 C **To you, O LORD, I call; my rock, be not deaf to me,  
 lest, if you be silent to me, I become like those who go down to the pit.**  
 P Hear the voice of my pleas for mercy, when I cry to you for help,  
 when I lift up my hands toward your most holy sanctuary.  
 C **Blessed be the LORD!**  
**For he has heard the voice of my pleas for mercy.**  
 P The LORD is my strength and my shield; in him my heart trusts, and I am helped;  
 my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to him.

- C **Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**
- P The LORD is the strength of his people;  
he is the saving refuge of his anointed.

### KYRIE

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

### GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

Glory be to God on high: and on earth peace, good - will toward men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory. O Lord God, heav'n - ly King, God the Fa - ther Al - mighty. O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.

Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho-ly Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. A-men.

**SALUTATION and COLLECT OF THE DAY**

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray. Almighty and everlasting Father, You give Your children many blessings even though we are undeserving. In every trial and temptation grant us steadfast confidence in Your loving-kindness and mercy; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

*(Please be seated)*

**OLD TESTAMENT**

Isaiah 56:1, 6-8

(The Lord gathers his people to him)

*After the reading:*

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

**ANTHEM**

"Here I Am to Worship"

*(arr. Tom Fettke)*

Randy Hartmann, vocal soloist

**EPISTLE** Romans 11:1-2a, 13-15, 28-32 (God calls both Jews and Gentiles to him)

*After the reading:*

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

*(Please stand)*

**ALLELUIA**



**HOLY GOSPEL** Matthew 15:21-28 (Jesus grants a persistent woman's request)

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fifteenth chapter.

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

*After the reading:*

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

*(Please be seated)*

**SERMON HYMN** "In Christ There Is No East or West" (LSB 653)

**SERMON** "A Faith that Looks to Jesus" (Matthew 15:21-28)  
Pastor Cory J. Rajek

**CREED** 8:30 am Nicene Inside back cover of the Lutheran Service Book  
11:00 am Apostles' Inside back cover of the Lutheran Service Book

## SHARING GOD'S PEACE

*(Please stand)*

### PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

- P Let us pray to the Lord for all that we need and on behalf of all people, that He may bestow upon us the riches of His grace and that we may receive His gifts with faith and thanksgiving in our hearts.
- P For those outside the kingdom; for missionaries near and far, especially \_\_\_\_\_; for the ministries and agencies of our Church where the Gospel is spoken to those who have not heard; and for those who hear, that they may be brought to faith, let us pray to the Lord:
- C **Lord, have mercy.**
- P For all families, for husbands and wives to live in faithfulness to each other, for all mothers with child, for all children, and for those who bring them to Baptism and nurture them in the faith, let us pray to the Lord:
- C **Lord, have mercy.**
- P For our president; the Congress; our governor; all elected and appointed leaders; all judges and magistrates; the members of the armed forces; and our police, firefighters and emergency medical personnel in their duties to protect and serve us, let us pray to the Lord:
- C **Lord, have mercy.**
- P For the healing of the sick, the relief of the suffering, the comfort of the grieving and the peace of the dying, especially \_\_\_\_\_, and for those who care for them in their afflictions, let us pray to the Lord:
- C **Lord, have mercy.**
- P For teachers, for principals, for administrators, for all special educators, that they may be strengthened in their daily endeavors to form our children into upstanding adults, and for all students, that they may diligently accomplish their studies and grow in wisdom and understanding, let us pray to the Lord:
- C **Lord, have mercy.**
- P Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy through Jesus Christ, our Lord.
- C **Amen.**



## LORD'S PRAYER

- C **Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

The 11:00 am Sunday service continues on page 10 with the Benediction.

**IN REGARD TO HOLY COMMUNION:** According to Scripture, Holy Communion should be celebrated by those who are: **United in a common faith** (1 Cor. 10:16-17, 21-22; Rom. 16:17); **Repentant of sins** (1 Cor. 5:11, Matt. 18:17-18); **Able to examine their lives** (1 Cor. 11:27-29); and believe that in this precious meal they **receive the true body and blood of Jesus** given and shed for the forgiveness of their sins (Luke 22:19-22).

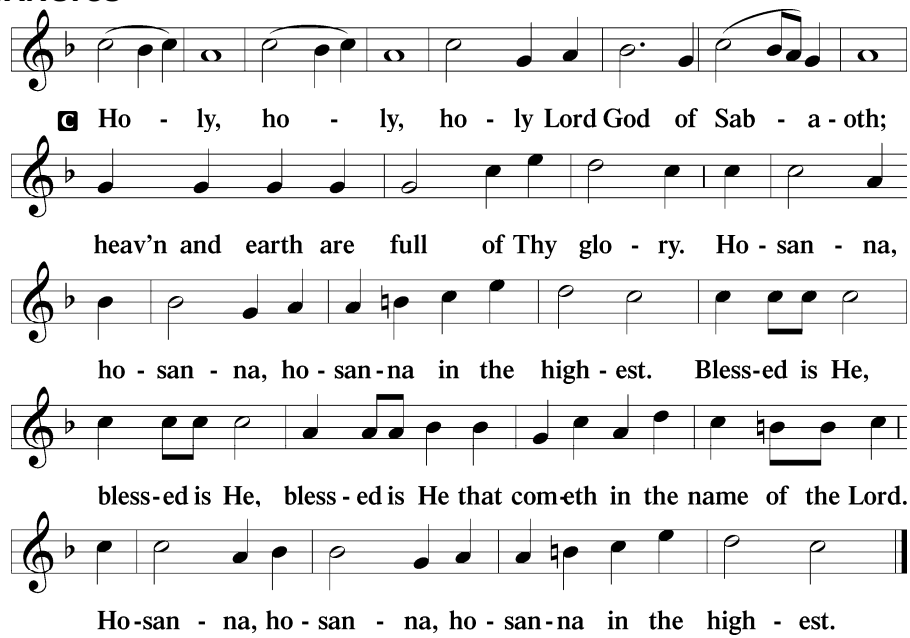
Since Scripture teaches that those people who do not fully understand the meaning of this meal eat and drink to their own harm (1Cor. 11:27-29), and because the Lord's Supper is the supreme act of stating our unity in faith and doctrine, we would ask those people who are visiting with us to **please speak with one of our pastors**, before communing, in order that we might fulfill our responsibility of properly instructing people in the right use of the precious Sacrament.

**† SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT †**  
**Sunday – 8:30 am, Wednesday – 7:00 pm**

## PREFACE

- P The Lord be with you.  
C **And with thy spirit.**  
P Lift up your hearts.  
C **We lift them up unto the Lord.**  
P Let us give thanks unto the Lord our God.  
C **It is meet and right so to do.**  
P It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

## SANCTUS



**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;  
heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,  
ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He,  
bless - ed is He, bless - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.  
Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

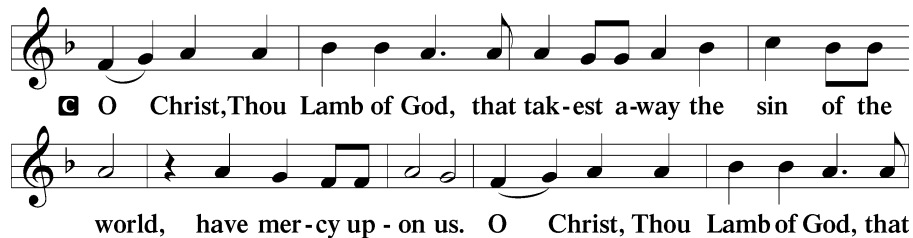
## WORDS OF OUR LORD

*Matt 26:26-28; Mk 14:22-24; Lk 22:19-20; 1 Cor 11:23-25*

## PAX DOMINI


- P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.  
**C** **And also with you.**


## AGNUS DEI

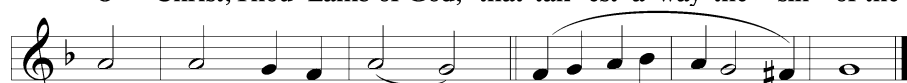


**C** O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a - way the sin of the  
world, have mer - cy up - on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that




  
 tak-est a-way the sin of the world, have mer-cy up-on us.


  
 O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the


  
 world, grant us Thy peace. A - - men.

*(Please be seated)*

**DISTRIBUTION HYMNS**

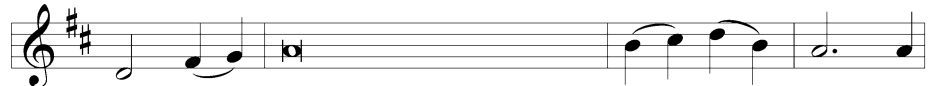
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 "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"  
 "To Thee, Omniscient Lord of All"

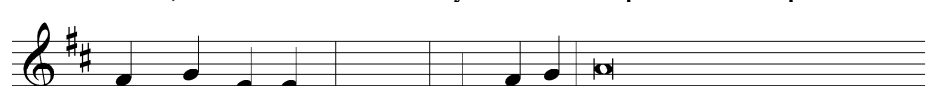
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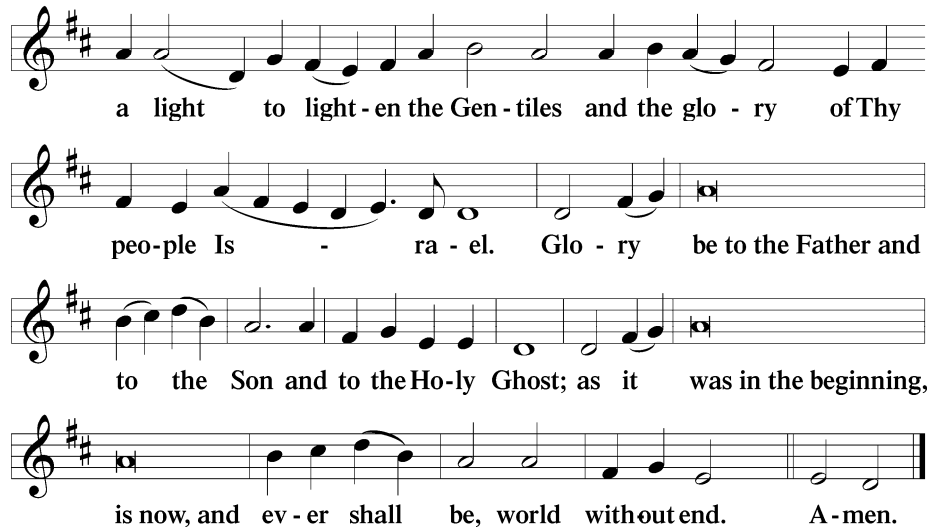
*(Please stand)*

**NUNC DIMITTIS**


  
 Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac-

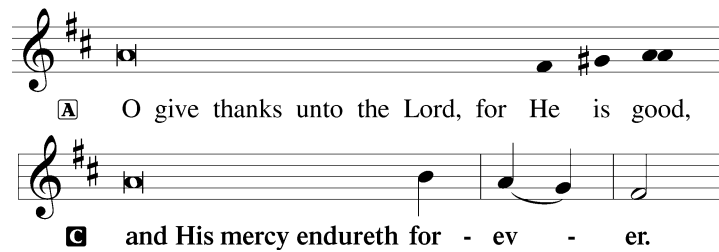

  
 cord-ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,


  
 which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,



a light to light-en the Gen-tiles and the glo-ry of Thy  
 peo-ple Is - ra-el. Glo-ry be to the Father and  
 to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,  
 is now, and ev-er shall be, world without end. A-men.

**THANKSGIVING**



**A** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,  
**G** and His mercy endureth for - ev - er.

**POST-COMMUNION COLLECT**

**P** Let us pray. We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.  
**C** Amen.

**SALUTATION**

**P** The Lord be with you.  
**C** And with thy spirit.

**BENEDICAMUS**

- P Bless we the Lord.  
C **Thanks be to God.**

**BENEDICTION**

*Numbers 6:24-26*

- P The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.  
C **Amen.**

**CLOSING HYMN**

“Voices Raised to You We Offer”

(LSB 795)

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