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14th Sunday after Pentecost

September 10, 2017

A service based on Evangelical Lutheran Worship Setting Six

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Prelude *The Feast is Ready*—Graham Kendrick; arr. Valerie Shields

Confession and Forgiveness (*Please stand as you are able*)

P: Let us begin in the name in which we are Baptized, + the Father, Son,
and Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

P: As one of the blessings of Baptism is the forgiveness of sins, let us turn
back to our Lord, "for if we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves,
and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is
faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all
unrighteousness." (*1 John 1:8-9*)

(Silence for reflection and self-examination)

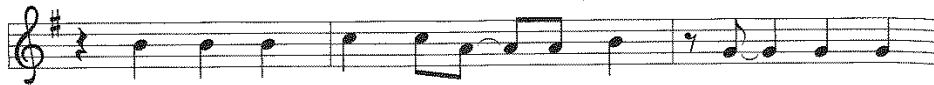
P: Most merciful God,

**C: We confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We
have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have
done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our
whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the
sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew
us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your
ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

P: There is joy in heaven over every sinner who repents. By the grace of
God in + Christ Jesus, who gave himself for us all, your sins are
forgiven and you are made free. Rejoice with the angels and with one
another! We are home in God's mercy, now and forever.

C: Amen.

Gathering Hymn The Trumpets Sound, the Angels Sing



1 The trum - pets sound, the an - gels sing, the feast is
 2 Ta - bles are la - den with good things; oh, taste the
 3 The hun - gry heart he sat - is - fies, of - fers the



read - y to be - gin. The gates of heav'n are o - pen wide,
 peace and joy he brings. He'll fill you up with love di - vine;
 poor his par - a - dise. Now hear all heav'n and earth ap - plaud



and Je - sus wel - comes you in - side.
 he'll turn your wa - ter in - to wine.
 the a - maz - ing good - ness of the Lord.

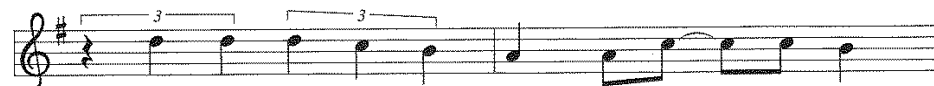
Refrain



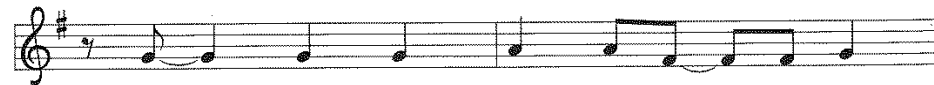
Sing with thank - ful - ness songs of pure de - light.



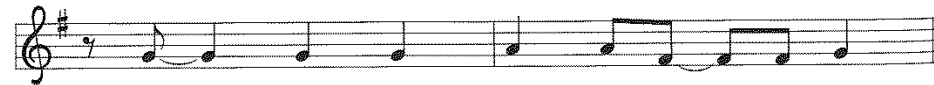
Come and rev - el in heav - en's love and light.



Take your place at the ta - ble of the King.



The feast is read - y to be - gin;



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 Music: Graham Kendrick

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THE FEAST IS READY
 LM and refrain

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Greeting (from II Corinthians 13:13)

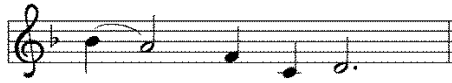
P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

Kyrie (from Psalm 123:3; Matthew 17:15; 20:30)



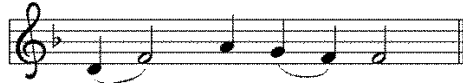
In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



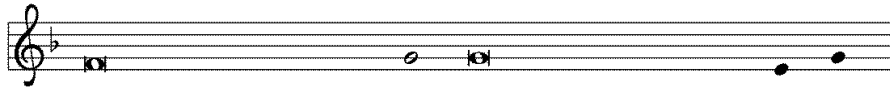
Lord, have mer - cy.



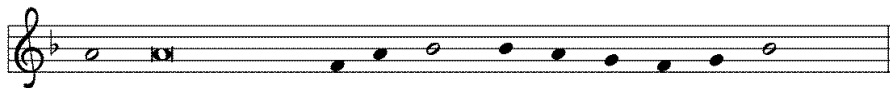
For the peace from a - bove, and for our sal - vation, let us pray to the Lord.



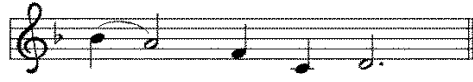
Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of



God, and for the uni - ty of all, let us pray to the Lord.



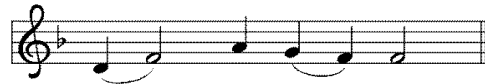
Lord, have mer - cy.



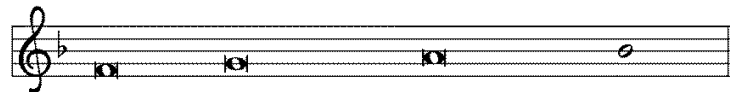
For this ho - ly house, and for all who offer here their wor - ship and



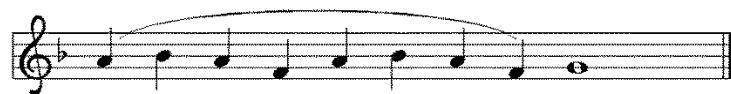
praise, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gracious Lord.



A - men.

Canticle of Praise (from Revelation 5:12; 15:3-4; 19:6-8)

Refrain



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose



blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.



Pow - er, rich - es, wis - dom, and strength, and



hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are his. *Refrain*



2 Sing with all the peo - ple of God, and



join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion:



Bless - ing, hon - or, glo - ry, and might be to



God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men. *Refrain*

3 For the Lamb who was slain has be -
gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.
Final refrain
This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Prayer of the Day

L: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

L: Let us Pray...

Gracious Lord, we ask you to pour out your blessing on us, so that we can be a blessing in our community. When we don't feel like we have enough faith, remind us that you have given us all that we need. We pray this in Jesus' name.

C: Amen.

THE WORD

Children's Sermon

Staff Rally Day Song

Kids' Word (11am) ~ Kids approx. ages 4-8 can go and hear the Word through story, crafts & games. Please meet in back of sanctuary. Children return after sermon.

Reading

Deuteronomy 6:4-9

⁴Hear, O Israel: The LORD is our God, the LORD alone. ⁵You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your might. ⁶Keep these words that I am commanding you today in your heart. ⁷Recite them to your children and talk about them when you are at home and when you are away, when you lie down and when you rise. ⁸Bind them as a sign on your hand, fix them as an emblem on your forehead, ⁹and write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Musical Meditation

My God is an Awesome God – Keith Hampton

(Please stand as you are able for the Gospel Acclamation)

Gospel Acclamation (from John 6:68)

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?

You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.

R: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 13th Chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord

Gospel

Matthew 13:31-35

³¹Jesus put before them another parable: "The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed that someone took and sowed in his field; ³²it is the smallest of all the seeds, but when it has grown it is the greatest of shrubs and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and make nests in its branches."

³³He told them another parable: "The kingdom of heaven is like yeast that a woman took and mixed in with three measures of flour until all of it

was leavened."

³⁴Jesus told the crowds all these things in parables; without a parable he told them nothing. ³⁵This was to fulfill what had been spoken through the prophet:

"I will open my mouth to speak in parables;

I will proclaim what has been hidden from the foundation of the world."

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

(Please be seated)

Sermon

Pastor Paula

After a brief silence for meditation, please stand as you are able for the hymn of the day

Hymn of the Day In Christ Alone

In Christ alone my hope is found; He is my light, my strength my song.
This cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings
cease! My comforter, my all in all; here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless babe.
This gift of love and righteousness, scorned by the ones He came to save.
'Til on that cross as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied;
For every sin on Him was laid; here in the death of Christ I live.

(Interlude)

There in the ground His body lay, light of the world by darkness slain.
Then bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave He rose again!
And as He stands in victory sin's curse has lost its grip on me;
For I am His and He is mine bought with the precious blood of Christ.

On Christ the solid rock I stand all other ground is sinking sand.
All other ground is sinking sand. (key change)
On Christ the solid rock I stand all other ground is sinking sand.
All other ground is sinking sand.

No guilt in life, no fear in death this is the power of Christ in me.
From life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no scheme of man can ever pluck me from His hand;
'Til he returns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

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Rite of Holy Baptism (11am)

Apostles' Creed (8am)

**I believe in God the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,**

was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen

Prayers of the Church

L: ...Lord, in your mercy,

C: Hear our prayer.

Sharing of the Peace

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

C: And also with you.

(Please be seated following Sharing of Peace)

Vocation/Occupation Sunday – One of the ways we are God’s hands and feet in the world is through our occupations. During the months of September and October, we would like to take some time to bless you and your godly work during worship. The occupations being blessed are listed in The Beacon. Please note that the categories are intentionally broad and you may need to find the area closest to what you do.

Today we pray for Healthcare Professionals

Community Time-During this time we would like to welcome and introduce guests at SLC.

THE MEAL

Communion Distribution~All Baptized Christians are welcome to join with us in this meal where we believe the true body and blood of Christ are really present and received under the form of bread and wine. At SLC, we commune by “Intinction.” As you are ushered forward, please come to the stations on either side of the Baptismal font, extend your hand to receive the bread (or ask for a gluten free wafer), and then dip it either into the wine or grape juice. White grape juice is available as a substitute and is offered in the second cup. You are also invited to remain at the altar rail for a brief time of prayer and meditation if you wish. Adults who do not receive the supper or children who have not received First Communion instruction are encouraged to come forward for a blessing.

The Offering *(Please sign and pass along the registration pad, returning it to the person who signed it first)*

Offertory *Communion Prayer* — Marc Jordan

(Please stand as you are able)

Offering Response *Come the Banquet Hall is Ready (Vss. 1 & 2 only)*

1
Come, the ban - quet hall is rea - dy, pre - par - a - tions are com -
2
We accept the way of Je - sus when we eat the bread and
4
plete. Christ him - self has spread the ta - ble,
wine; he who gave his life for oth - ers,
7
see how lav - ish is the feast. Ev - 'ry-one has been in -
at his ta - ble we will dine. He is liv - ing still a -
10
vit - ed, there's e - nough to go a - round.
mong us in the peo - ple seek - ing truth.
13
Here the sweet - est bread is giv - en, here the fin - est wine is
He is liv - ing in our strug - gles, in the righ - teous things we
16
found. Here the sweet - est bread is giv - en,
do. He is liv - ing in our strug - gles,
19
here the fin - est wine is found.
in the righ - teous things we do.

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Offering Prayer

L: Let us pray,

C: Holy God, gracious and merciful, you bring forth food from the earth and nourish your whole creation. Turn our hearts toward those who hunger in any way, that all may know your care; and prepare us now to feast on the bread of life, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Ho-ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow-er and might,
heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

(from Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9; Mark 11:9; John 12:13)

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer *(All)*

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, for ever and ever.
Amen.

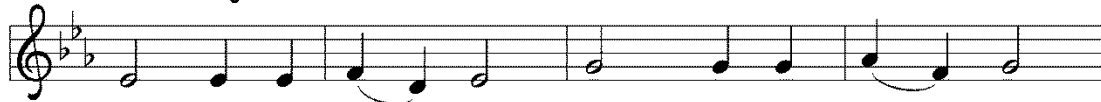
(Please be seated)

Lamb of God *(sung by all)* (from John 1:29; Isaiah 53:7; Revelation 5:6)

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a -
way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Communion Hymn

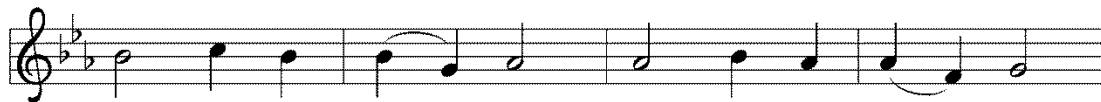
Beautiful Savior



1 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, King of cre - a - tion,
 2 Fair are the mead - ows, fair are the wood - lands,
 3 Fair is the sun - shine, fair is the moon - light,
 4 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, Lord of the na - tions,



Son of God and Son of Man!
 robed in flow'rs of bloom - ing spring;
 bright the spar - kling stars on high;
 Son of God and Son of Man!



Tru - ly I'd love thee, tru - ly I'd serve thee,
 Je - sus is fair - er, Je - sus is pur - er,
 Je - sus shines bright - er, Je - sus shines pur - er,
 Glo - ry and hon - or, praise, ad - o - ra - tion,



light of my soul, my joy, my crown.
 he makes our sor - rowing spir - it sing.
 than all the an - gels in the sky.
 now and for - ev - er - more be thine!

Text: *Gesangbuch*, Münster, 1677; tr. Joseph A. Seiss, 1823–1904
 Music: SCHÖNSTER HERR JESU, Silesian folk tune, 19th cent.

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P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen

Post-Communion Prayer

L: God of abundance, with this bread of life and cup of salvation you have united us with Christ, making us one with all your people. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue forever in the risen life of Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C: Amen

The Benediction (from Numbers 6:24)

P: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

C: Amen

Sending Hymn

Shout to the North

1. Men of faith rise up and sing of the
2. Rise up wo - men of the truth, stand and
3. Rise up church with bro - ken wings, fill this
great and glo - rious King. You are strong when you feel
sing to bro - ken hearts, who can know the heal - ing
place with songs a - gain of our God who reigns on
weak, in your bro - ken - ness com - plete.
pow'r of our awe - some King of love.
high. By God's grace a - gain we'll fly.

10 Refrain
Shout to the north and the south, sing to the
13
16 cast and the west Je - sus is Sav - ior to all,
Bridge
19 Lord of hea - ven and earth. We've been through fire
22 we've been through rain, we've been re - fined by the pow'r of God's name;
25 we've fall - en deep - er in love with you. You've burned the truth on our
lips.
To refrain

Dismissal

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L: We are grace filled

C: And Spirit led!

L: Go in Peace and serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

Postlude *Fantasia in A* ~ Georg Philip Telemann; arr. Wayne L. Wold

Thank you for sharing your gifts of music: Sanctuary Choir

Altar flowers by Harold & Mary Lou Dahl, in celebration of 64th wedding anniversary.

Worship Leaders for September 10th

Minister of Music: Lynn Rupp

Liturgist: (8am) Hillary Thurman (11am) Hillary Thurman

Usher: Bob Brien

Communion Assistants:

(8am) Linda & Kevin Moran, Joyce Barry, Bee Rose

(11am) Sue Shultz, Kay & Clint Kersten, Debbie White

September Altar Care: Ann Phillips, Laurie Larson

Readers: (8am) Stephanie Taft (11am) Cathy Ford

Acolytes: (8am) Annabelle Havers, Katie Havers

(11am) Violet Adams, Natalie Story

Prayer and Care: Celebrating the Baptisms of Katealeigh and Elleena Taitano, Danica Rasely in the health of her unborn twins, Gerry Crawford undergoing testing, Deb Buck and family mourning the death of her brother, Mitchell Webb recovering from a serious facial dog bite, Peggy Grigg with heart problems. John Jeffries with heart and breathing problems.

Recovering From Surgery: Gary Ludwig, Gabby Ludwig, Renie Nicholson

Hospitalized: Esley Plessner

Facing cancer: Jack Harpel, Priscilla White-Lineker, Ron Maddux, Jim Meyer, Kathy Schaeffer, Carol Wales, Clay Perry and Jen Nelson. Remembering all who are homebound or in ill health.

Deployed & Military Support & their families: Christopher Thurman, Eric Fromm, Megan Shultz, Jared Cain, Michael Cress & Aaron Gray.

Continued Prayer: Jacob Rasely, Peter Carr, Caroline Gierke, Jean Sherbesman, Susan Mears, Regina Cloninger, Laura Gessner, Nancy Matronic, Jadon Sansgaard, Randy Fossum, Matt Ryan, Don Leonardy, Josh Wills, Virginia Olson, Skai Shiplet, Vicki Murray and Bob McGinty.

Next Week's Worship Leaders (Sept 17)

Liturgists: (8am) Sue Weaver (11am) Unavailable

Comm. Asst: (8am) Deb Buck, Barbara Pennington, Linda Roberts, Mary Serbousek (11am) Patti & Wade Randall, Sonny & Sharron Kanlian

Readers: (8am) Hillary Thurman (11am) Cathy Ford

Acolytes: (8am) Sean Hamrick, Tyler Larson (11am) Matthew Fee, Teddy Williams

Next Week's Readings: Genesis 50:15-21, Romans 14:10-13 & Matthew 18:21-35

As you read the lesson, ask yourself two questions:

1. Why was this story told?
2. Where do you see God at work?

As we celebrate the 500th anniversary of the year of the Reformation, here is something you may not know about Martin Luther and the Reformation.

The Reformation created a demand for all kinds of religious writings. Readership was so great that the number of books printed in Germany increased from about 150 in 1518 to nearly 1,000 six years later.