

October 24, 2021

*The Twenty Second
Sunday
After Pentecost*



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Worship:

8:00, 9:30 & 11:00am

Communion:

1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays

Adult Bible Study &

Sunday School:

9:30 am

(Grace Hall)

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Pastor:

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Deaconess:

Karen Suter

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✠ PREPARATION ✠

PRELUDE

"Harvest Trumpet"
"Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

D. Paxton
arr. A. Page

WELCOME

Stand

HYMN

"Rise, Shine, You People"

LSB 825



1 Rise, shine, you peo - ple! Christ the Lord has en - tered
2 See how He sends the pow'rs of e - vil reel - ing;
3 Come, cel - e - brate, your ban - ners high un - furl - ing,
4 Tell how the Fa - ther sent His Son to save us.



Our hu - man sto - ry; God in Him is cen - tered.
He brings us free - dom, light and life and heal - ing.
Your songs and prayers a - gainst the dark - ness hurl - ing.
Tell of the Son, who life and free - dom gave us.



He comes to us, by death and sin sur -
All men and wom - en, who by guilt are
To all the world go out and tell the
Tell how the Spir - it calls from ev - 'ry



round - ed, With grace un - bound - ed.
driv - en, Now are for - giv - en.
sto - ry Of Je - sus' glo - ry.
na - tion His new cre - a - tion.

INVOCATION

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

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

- 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.**

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

- 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 ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen.

✠ SERVICE OF THE WORD ✠

INTROIT

Psalm 131



P Out of the depths I cry to you, | O LORD!*

O Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for | mercy!

O LORD, my heart is not lifted up; my eyes are not | raised too high;*

I do not occupy myself with things too great and too marvel- | ous for me.

But I have calmed and quieted my soul, like a weaned child with its | mother;*
like a weaned child is my soul with- | in me.

O Israel, hope | in the LORD*

from this time forth and for- | evermore.



G Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

P Out of the depths I cry to you, | O LORD!*

O Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for | mercy!

KYRIE

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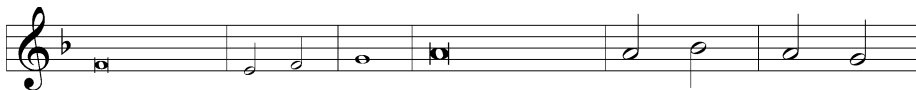
G Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



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

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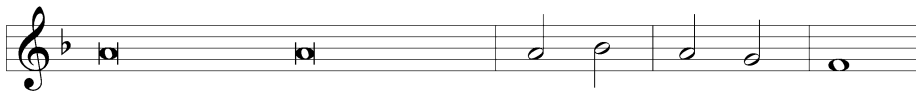
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Glory be to God on high: and on earth peace, good - will toward



men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.



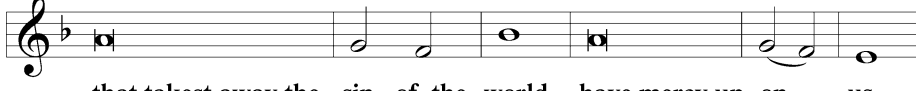
O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.



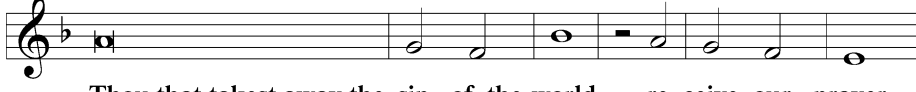
O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;



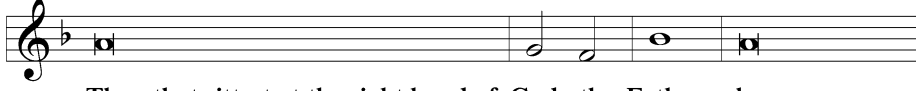
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,



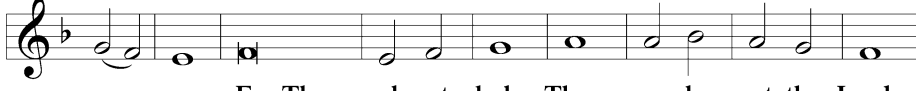
that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.



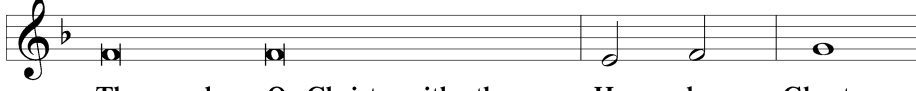
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.



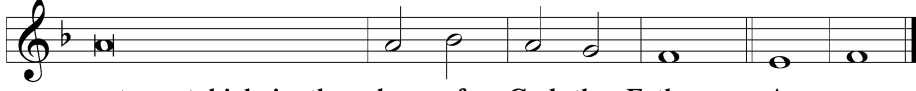
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-



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 with thy spirit.**

P Let us pray. O God, the helper of all who call on You, have mercy on us and give us eyes of faith to see Your Son that we may follow Him on the way that leads to eternal life; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

Sit

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Jeremiah 31:7–9

The Word is read...

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

EPISTLE

Hebrews 7:23–28

The Word is read...

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Stand

ALLELUIA

LSB 190



C Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 10:46–52

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the tenth chapter.

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

The Gospel is read...

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

G Praise to Thee, O Christ.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE, 11:00 service Title: "Speak Up!"
Scripture: Mark 10:46-52

Billy Milam

APOSTLE'S CREED

G I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His 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 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.

Sit

HYMN

"Today Your Mercy Calls Us"

LSB 915



1 To - day Your mer - cy calls us To wash a - way our sin.
2 To - day Your gate is o - pen, And all who en - ter in
3 To - day our Fa - ther calls us; His Ho - ly Spir - it waits;
4 O all - em - brac - ing Mer - cy, O ev - er - o - pen Door,



How - ev - er great our tres - pass, What - ev - er we have been,
Shall find a Fa - ther's wel - come And par - don for their sin.
His bless - ed an - gels gath - er A - round the heav'n - ly gates.
What should we do with - out You When heart and eye run o'er?



How - ev - er long from mer - cy Our hearts have turned a - way,
The past shall be for - got - ten, A pres - ent joy be giv'n,
No ques - tion will be asked us How of - ten we have come;
When all things seem a - gainst us, To drive us to de - spair,



Your pre - cious blood can wash us And make us clean to - day.
A fu - ture grace be prom - ised, A glo - rious crown in heav'n.
Al - though we oft have wan - dered, It is our Fa - ther's home.
We know one gate is o - pen, One ear will hear our prayer.

SERMON

P The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

G Amen.

Stand

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P As God's beloved children, invited by Jesus to come to Him without hindrance, let us pray for the Church, the world, and ourselves, trusting the mighty mercy of our Lord. God of mercy,

G hear our prayer.

P For the Church, that the Lord deliver us from greed and instead turn our hearts toward generosity, showing love to one another and to the world and putting our time and talents into seeking the lost. God of mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

A For this nation in which we live, in thanksgiving for the abundance of life and freedom that we enjoy. For the president and Congress, for our governor and local elected officials, that all work for the common good and serve not themselves, but especially for those who are struggling. That this nation so divided along political lines would repent of our hatred of those who differ from us and, based on our one common humanity, work to resolve our differences with reason and kindness. God of mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

P For those in need in our community—the sick, those facing surgery, those with terminal illness, [*especially . . .*], that they receive mercy and healing according to God’s will, that their hearts be opened to receive the love of Christ, and that they find peace in the love of Jesus. God of mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

A For this congregation, that, having received the mercy of Jesus, we find ways to bring God’s mercy to the people around us—family, co-workers, friends, and strangers alike. We pray especially for children in vulnerable situations—those not yet born, those experiencing family division, and those struggling with poverty. Show us the way to show these little ones mercy and open our arms to them as Jesus did. God of mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

P In remembrance of and thanksgiving for all those who have gone before us in the faith, for the mercy they showed us, for the examples of faith they gave us, for the joy they brought to our lives, we give thanks. [*We especially remember today . . .*]. With them, rescue us from every evil and bring us safely into Your heavenly kingdom. God of mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

A Let Your Holy Spirit breathe the prayers of our hearts that remain unspoken, and hear these spoken prayers in the mercy You show for the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ. To God be the glory forever and ever.

C **Amen.**

PAX DOMINI

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C Amen.

OFFERING

VOLUNTARY

"I Need Thee Every Hour"

arr. S. Scott

OFFERTORY

LSB 192

C Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -
way from Thy pres-ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir-it. A - men.

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.

BENEDICAMUS AND BENEDICTION

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

- P** The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ✠ give you peace.

- C** **Amen, amen, amen.**

HYMN

"From God Can Nothing Move Me"

LSB 713



1 From God can noth - ing move me; He will not step a - side
2 When those whom I re - gard - ed As trust - wor - thy and sure
3 The Lord my life ar - rang - es; Who can His work de - stroy?
4 Each day at His good plea - sure God's gra - cious will is done.



But gent - ly will re - prove me And be my con - stant guide.
Have long from me de - part - ed, God's grace shall still en - dure.
In His good time He chang - es All sor - row in - to joy.
He sent His great - est trea - sure In Je - sus Christ, His Son.



He stretch - es out His hand In eve - ning and in morn - ing,
He res - cues me from sin And breaks the chains that bind me.
So let me then be still: My bod - y, soul, and spir - it
He ev - 'ry gift im - parts. The bread of earth and heav - en



My life with grace a - dorn - ing Wher - ev - er I may stand.
I leave death's fear be - hind me; His peace I have with - in.
His ten - der care in - her - it Ac - cord - ing to His will.
Are by His kind - ness giv - en. Praise Him with thank - ful hearts!

- 5 Praise God with acclamation
 And in His gifts rejoice.
 Each day finds its vocation
 Responding to His voice.
 Soon years on earth are past;
 But time we spend expressing
 The love of God brings blessing
 That will forever last!
- 6 Yet even though I suffer
 The world's unpleasantness,
 And though the days grow rougher
 And bring me great distress,

That day of bliss divine,
 Which knows no end or measure,
 And Christ, who is my pleasure,
 Forever shall be mine.

- △7 For thus the Father willed it,
 Who fashioned us from clay;
 And His own Son fulfilled it
 And brought eternal day.
 The Spirit now has come,
 To us true faith has given;
 He leads us home to heaven.
 O praise the Three in One!

Sit

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND DISMISSAL

Deaconess Karen Suter

- Ⓐ Go in peace as you serve the Lord.
 © **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

"Break Forth, Ye Heavens!"

E. Broughton

PARTICIPATING IN THIS SERVICE

Pastor: Richard Willsea

Deaconess: Karen Suter

Organist: Patty Barnes

Trumpet: Susan Messersmith

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