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The Sixth Sunday After Pentecost



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Worship:

8:00, 9:30 & 11:00am *Communion:* 1 st, 3 rd & 5 th Sundays

Adult Bible Study & Sunday School: 9:30 am (Grace Hall)

+ Pastor:

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<u>Deaconess:</u> Karen Suter

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→ PREPARATION →

Today we will observe The Lord's Supper...The Lord's Supper is celebrated at Grace Lutheran Church in the confession and glad confidence that, as he says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but his very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with him and with one another. Our Lord invites to his table those who trust his words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as he forgives and loves us, that they may show forth his death until he comes. Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, are asked you first to speak with the pastor, an elder or an usher. (For further study, see Matthew 5:23f; 10:32f; 18:15-35; 26:26-29; I Cor. 11:17-34). Wine is used in the individual and common cup. It may also be received by intinction. A gluten free wafer is available upon request.

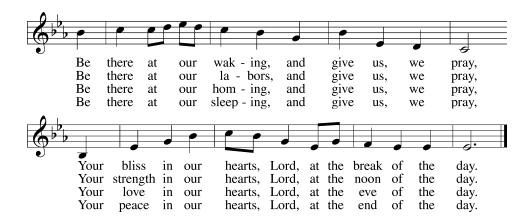
PRELUDE "The Clarion Call" D. Paxton

"Lord of All Hopefulness" arr. O. Young

WELCOME







INVOCATION

- **P** In the name of the Father and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- Amen.
- P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- who made heaven and earth.
- P If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?
- **©** But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.
- P Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

CONFESSION

- Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.
- P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His

authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

☆ SERVICE OF THE WORD **☆**



Your word is a lamp | to my feet* and a light | to my path.

The LORD is my | portion;*

I promise to keep your words.

I entreat your favor with | all my heart;*

be gracious to me according to your promise.

When I think on my ways,*

I turn my feet to your testi- | monies;

I hasten and do | not delay*

to keep your com- mandments.

The earth, O LORD, is full of your | steadfast love;* teach me your | statutes!

- Glory be to the Father and | to the Son* and to the Holy | Spirit; as it was in the be- | ginning,* is now, and will be forever. | Amen.
- Your word is a lamp | to my feet* and a light | to my path.

KYRIE LSB 204



C Lord, have mer-cy; Christ, have mer-cy; Lord, have mer-cy.

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Psalm 119:57-64

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

LSB 204



SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

- **P** The Lord be with you.
- And also with you.
- P Let us pray.

O Lord, grant us the Spirit to hear Your Word and know the one thing needful that by Your Word and Spirit we may live according to Your will; through 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

Genesis 18:1-10a

The Word is read...

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

PSALM Psalm 27



The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?*
The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

When evildoers assail me
 to eat | up my flesh,*
 my adversaries and foes,
 it is they who stum- | ble and fall.

³Though an army encamp against me, my heart | shall not fear;* though war arise against me, yet I will be | confident.

⁴One thing have I asked of the LORD, that will I seek | after:* that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD and to inquire in his | temple.

⁵For he will hide me in his shelter in the day of | trouble;* he will conceal me under the cover of his tent; he will lift me high up- | on a rock.

⁶And now my head shall be lifted up above my enemies all around me, and I will offer in his tent

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sacrifices with | shouts of joy;*
I will sing and make melody to the LORD.
<sup>7</sup>Hear, O LORD, when I cry aloud;*
  be gracious to me and answer me!
<sup>8</sup>You have said, | "Seek my face."*
My heart says to you,
  "Your face, LORD, do I seek."
  <sup>9</sup>Hide not your face from me.
Turn not your servant away in anger,*
  O you who have been my help.
Cast me not off: forsake me not.
  O God of my sal- | vation!
<sup>10</sup>For my father and my mother have for- saken me,*
  but the LORD will | take me in.
<sup>11</sup>Teach me your way, O LORD,*
  and lead me on a level path
  because of my | enemies.
<sup>12</sup>Give me not up to the will of my adver- | saries;*
  for false witnesses have risen against me,
  and they breathe out | violence.
<sup>13</sup>I believe that I shall look upon the goodness of the LORD*
  in the land of the | living!
<sup>14</sup>Wait | for the LORD;*
  be strong, and let your heart take courage;
  wait | for the LORD!
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EPISTLE Colossians 1:21–29

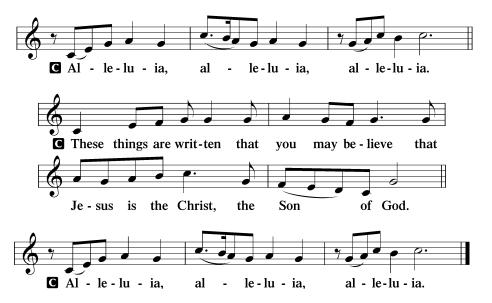
The Word is read...

A This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Stand

ALLELUIA AND VERSE



HOLY GOSPEL Luke 10:38-42

- **P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the tenth chapter.
- **G** Glory to You, O Lord.

The Gospel is read...

- **P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- Praise to You, O Christ.

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the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth
and of all things visible and invisible.
And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,

God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made;
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary
and was made man:

and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered and was buried.

And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father.

And He will come again with glory to judge both

the living and the dead,

whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the Lord and giver of life,

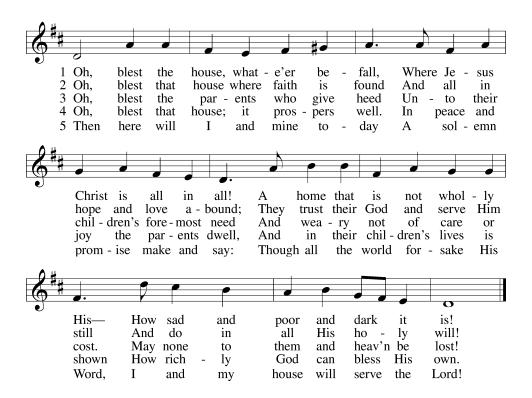
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,

who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life + of the world to come. Amen.

Sit

HYMN "Oh, Blest the House" **LSB 862**



SERMON

Stand

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

- Let us pray to the Lord on behalf of all people and especially for the people of God and the saints in this place.
 - For the Lord to grant us the wisdom of faith to choose the one thing needful amid all that competes for our attention and loyalty, let us pray to the Lord:
- C Lord, have mercy.
- A For the Lord to grant us knowledge of the mystery long hidden and revealed in Christ, that we may rejoice in our own salvation and be bearers of this Good News to the world at large, let us pray to the Lord:
- C Lord, have mercy.

- For loving hearts, patience, and compassion, that we not speak harshly but with kindness, putting the best construction on all things, let us pray to the Lord:
- C Lord, have mercy.
- A For hospitality, that our homes be places of love and that our churches welcome new people with genuine affection in Christ, let us pray to the Lord:
- C Lord, have mercy.
- For the sick, the suffering, the grieving, and the dying, [especially . . .], and all whom we name before the Lord in our hearts [silence], that God answer them with mercy, heal them in accordance with His will, and bring them to everlasting life, let us pray to the Lord:
- **C** Lord, have mercy.
- A For repentant hearts that we acknowledge God's goodness, offer Him thanks and praise, and use His gifts for the good of our neighbor, those in our care, and for the glory of His name, let us pray to the Lord:
- C Lord, have mercy.
- For our Communion this day upon the body and blood of Christ, that we may approach the Lord's Table with faith and depart united, rejoicing in the blessed grace of this Sacrament, let us pray to the Lord:
- C Lord, have mercy.
- A Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.
- Amen.

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OFFERING

VOLUNTARY "The Peace of God" arr. E. Broughton

Stand

OFFERTORY LSB 955

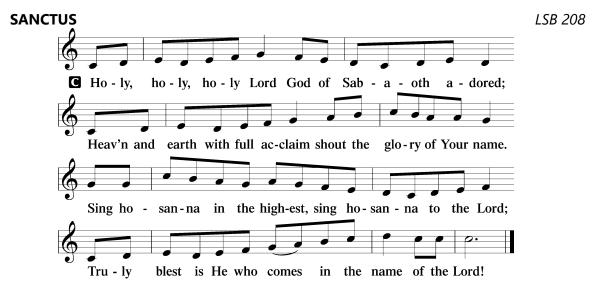


☆ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

PREFACE

- P The Lord be with you.
- And also with you.
- P Lift up your hearts.
- **W**e lift them to the Lord.
- **P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- **1** It is right to give Him thanks and praise.
- It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, for the countless blessings You so freely bestow on us and all creation. Above all, we give thanks for

Your boundless love shown to us when You sent Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, into our flesh and laid on Him our sin, giving Him into death that we might not die eternally. Because He is now risen from the dead and lives and reigns to all eternity, all who believe in Him will overcome sin and death and will rise again to new 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:



PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

P Blessed are You, O Lord our God, king of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

In Your righteous judgment You condemned the sin of Adam and Eve, who ate the forbidden fruit, and You justly barred them and all their children from the tree of life. Yet, in Your great mercy, You promised salvation by a second Adam, Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, and made His cross a life-giving tree for all who trust in Him.

We give You thanks for the redemption You have prepared for us through Jesus Christ. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may faithfully eat and drink of the fruits of His cross and receive the blessings of forgiveness, life, and salvation that come to us in His body and blood.

Hear us as we pray in His name and as He has taught us:

LORD'S PRAYER

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 WORDS OF OUR LORD

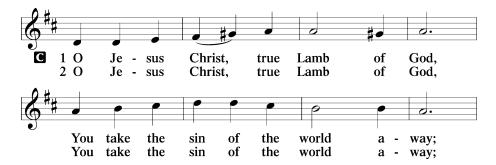
P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My → body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

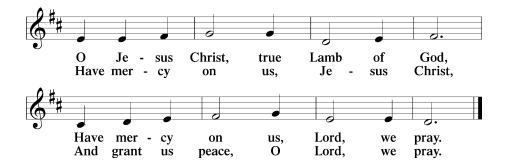
In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

PAX DOMINI

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

AGNUS DEI LSB 210





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DISTRIBUTION HYMN

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

LSB 525



- 1 Crown Him with man y crowns, The Lamb up on His throne;
- 2 Crown Him the vir gin's Son, The God in car nate born,
- 3 Crown Him the Lord of love. Be hold His hands and side,
- 4 Crown Him the Lord of life, Who tri-umphed o'er the grave
- 5 Crown Him the Lord of heav'n, En-throned in worlds a bove,



Hark how the heav'n-ly an - them drowns All mu - sic but its own. Whose arm those crim-son tro - phies won Which now His brow a-dorn: Rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, In beau - ty glo - ri-fied. And rose vic - to - rious in the strife For those He came to save. Crown Him the king to whom is giv'n The won-drous name of Love.



A - wake, my soul, and sing Of Him who died for thee, And of the mys-tic rose, that rose the stem, The Fruit Yet of ful - ly an - gels in the sky bear that sight, But No Can glo - ries now we sing, Who died and rose on high, Who Crown Him with man - y crowns As thrones be - fore Him fall; Crown



hail Him as thy match-less king Through all e - ter - ni - ty.
root whence mer - cy ev - er flows, The babe of Beth - le - hem.
down-ward bend their won-d'ring eyes At mys-ter - ies so bright.
died e - ter - nal life to bring And lives that death may die.
Him, ye kings, with man - y crowns, For He is king of all.

Stand

NUNC DIMITTIS LSB 211



POST COMMUNION COLLECT

P Let us pray.

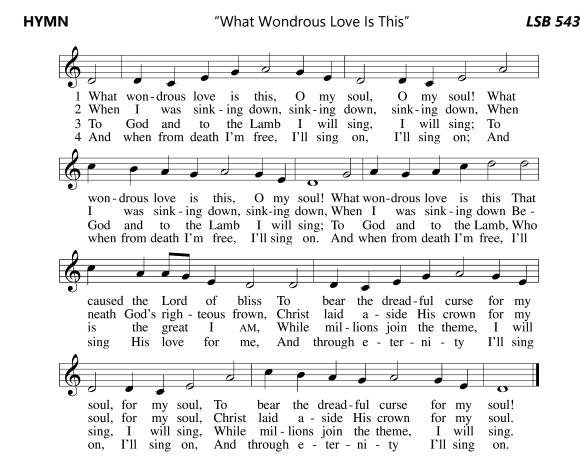
We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another;

through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

G Amen.

BENEDICAMUS AND BENEDICTION

- **A** Let us bless the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.
- The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious unto you.
 The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ♣ give you peace.
- C Amen.



Sit

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND DISMISSAL

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

POSTLUDE

"Come We That Love the Lord" arr. T. Birchwood

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