# **Second Sunday After Pentecost**

June 13 & 14, 2020

#### AS WE GATHER

In Baptism God calls us to be His own and makes us members of His family. We are God's sent ones, people whose purpose in life is defined by the call of Christ to make disciples. As we are sent, we are empowered to do mighty works in His name, so that the love of God in Christ Jesus may be proclaimed to the lost in word and in deed.

#### PRELUDE

"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

setting by Paul Manz

WELCOME

#### **₽** PREPARATION **₽**

# OPENING HYMN (sung by soloist) 790 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (vv. 1-4)

- 1 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
  O my soul, praise Him, for He is your health and salvation!
  Let all who hear
  Now to His temple draw near,
  Joining in glad adoration!
- 2 Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is wondrously reigning
  And, as on wings of an eagle, uplifting, sustaining.
  Have you not seen
  All that is needful has been
  Sent by His gracious ordaining?
- Praise to the Lord, who has fearfully, wondrously, made you,
  Health has bestowed and, when heedlessly falling, has stayed you.
  What need or grief
  Ever has failed of relief?
  Wings of His mercy did shade you.
- Praise to the Lord, who will prosper your work and defend you;
  Surely His goodness and mercy shall daily attend you.
  Ponder anew
  What the Almighty can do
  As with His love He befriends you.

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#### INVOCATION

Pastor:

In the name of the Father and of the ♥ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People:

Amen.

# CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Pastor:

Since we have such a great high priest who has passed through the

heavens, Jesus Christ our Lord, let us with confidence draw near to God,

that we may receive mercy and find grace in time of need.

People:

Have mercy on us, O God, according to Your lovingkindness. In Your

great mercy, wash away our iniquity and cleanse us from our sin.

Create in us clean hearts, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Do

not remove us from Your presence; do not take Your Spirit away.

Restore to us the joy of Your salvation, and sustain us with Your Spirit.

Amen.

Pastor:

God is merciful and gracious, granting forgiveness through Jesus Christ to all who confess their sin. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sin, in the name of the Father, and of the

Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

People:

Amen. Thanks be to God!

# HYMN OF PRAISE (sung by soloist)

790 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (v. 5)

Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore Him!

All that has life and breath, come now with praises before Him!

Let the Amen

Sound from His people again;

Gladly forever adore Him!

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# PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor:

The Lord be with you.

People:

And also with you.

Pastor:

Let us pray.

God our Savior, multitudes do not know the redeeming work of our Savior Jesus Christ. By the prayers and labors of Your Church, lead all people to know and worship You through Your Son, who lives and reigns

with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People:

Amen.

#### **₩** WORD **₩**

#### OLD TESTAMENT READING

Exodus 19:2-8

(At Mount Sinai)

<sup>2</sup> After they set out from Rephidim, they entered the Desert of Sinai, and Israel camped there in the desert in front of the mountain.

<sup>3</sup> Then Moses went up to God, and the LORD called to him from the mountain and said, "This is what you are to say to the house of Jacob and what you are to tell the people of Israel: <sup>4</sup> 'You yourselves have seen what I did to Egypt, and how I carried you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. <sup>5</sup> Now if you obey me fully and keep my covenant, then out of all nations you will be my treasured possession. Although the whole earth is mine, <sup>6</sup> you will be for me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation.' These are the words you are to speak to the Israelites."

<sup>7</sup> So Moses went back and summoned the elders of the people and set before them all the words the LORD had commanded him to speak. <sup>8</sup> The people all responded together, "We will do everything the LORD has said." So Moses brought their answer back to the LORD.

Pastor:

This is the Word of the Lord.

People:

Thanks be to God.

Please stand

Pastor:

The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the ninth and tenth chapters.

People:

Glory to You, O Lord.

**HOLY GOSPEL** 

Matthew 9:35-10:8

(Jesus sends out the Twelve.)

<sup>35</sup> Jesus went through all the towns and villages, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the good news of the kingdom and healing every disease and sickness. <sup>36</sup> When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. <sup>37</sup> Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. <sup>38</sup> Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field."

<sup>1</sup> He called his twelve disciples to him and gave them authority to drive out evil spirits and to heal every disease and sickness.

<sup>2</sup> These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon (who is called Peter) and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; <sup>3</sup> Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; <sup>4</sup> Simon the Zealot and Judas Iscariot, who betrayed him.

<sup>5</sup> These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: "Do not go among the Gentiles or enter any town of the Samaritans. <sup>6</sup> Go rather to the lost sheep of Israel. <sup>7</sup> As you go, preach this message: "The kingdom of heaven is near.' <sup>8</sup> Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse those who have leprosy, drive out demons. Freely you have received, freely give.

Pastor:

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People:

Praise to You, O Christ.

#### APOSTLES' CREED

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.

#### PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

#### INSTALLATION OF

Mary Laesch – Volunteer Children and Family Ministry Coordinator
Dr. Jim Marriott – Pastoral Assistant – Youth Ministry
Bill Rusnak – Director of Adult Ministry and Facility Management

Please stand

#### PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Pastor:

Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all

people according to their needs.

+++ Special Intercessions +++

Each concluding: Pastor: Lord, in Your mercy, People: hear our prayer.

Pastor:

Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend ourselves and all for whom we

pray, trusting in Your mercy, through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

People:

Amen.

#### 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.

#### **SACRAMENT ★**

In the Lord's Supper we receive Christ's body and blood in and with the bread and wine. The two great blessings of the Lord's Supper are the forgiveness of sins and strength to live an improved Christian life. In response to the Lord's command we are to examine ourselves privately prior to partaking of the Sacrament. There are three basic questions on which we should examine ourselves, all of which we should be able to answer in the affirmative if we are to partake of the Sacrament worthily: 1) Am I truly sorry for my sins? 2) Do I believe Jesus Christ is my Savior? 3) Do I promise with God's help to live a Christian life? If you agree with the above statement, we invite you to the Sacrament.

#### WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Pastor:

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 is my blood of the new testament, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.

# PEACE OF THE LORD

Pastor:

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People:

And also with you.

#### DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Please stand

### PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Pastor:

Let us pray.

O God the Father, the fountain and source of all goodness, who in loving-kindness sent Your only-begotten Son into the flesh, we thank You that for His sake You have given us pardon and peace in this Sacrament, and we ask You not to forsake Your children but always to rule our hearts and minds by Your Holy Spirit that we may be enabled constantly to serve You; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People:

Amen.

#### BENEDICTION

Pastor:

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.

People:

Amen.

# **CLOSING HYMN**

826 Hark, the Voice of Jesus Crying

1 Hark, the voice of Jesus crying,
"Who will go and work today?
Fields are white and harvests waiting—
Who will bear the sheaves away?"
Loud and long the Master calleth;
Rich reward He offers thee.
Who will answer, gladly saying,
"Here am I, send me, send me"?

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- If you cannot speak like angels,
  If you cannot preach like Paul,
  You can tell the love of Jesus,
  You can say He died for all.
  If you cannot rouse the wicked
  With the judgment's dread alarms,
  You can lead the little children
  To the Savior's waiting arms.
- 3 If you cannot be a watchman,
  Standing high on Zion's wall,
  Pointing out the path to heaven,
  Off'ring life and peace to all,
  With your prayers and with your bounties
  You can do what God commands;
  You can be like faithful Aaron,
  Holding up the prophet's hands.
- 4 Let none hear you idly saying,

  "There is nothing I can do,"

  While the multitudes are dying

  And the Master calls for you.

  Take the task He gives you gladly,

  Let His work your pleasure be;

  Answer quickly when He calleth,

  "Here am I, send me, send me!"

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# **POSTLUDE**

"Toccata in F Major"

D. Buxtehude

Prepare for next weekend's worship by reading: Jeremiah 20:7-13; Romans 6:12-23; Matthew 10:5a, 21-33

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# Serving at Chapel

Preacher: Jim Marriott

Liturgist & Lector: Theodore Laesch

Soloists: 5:00 p.m. Denise Koch

8:30 a.m. Ellory Glenn

11:00 a.m. Nate Laesch

Organist & Accompanist: Ryan Meyer