

# FOR OUR 10:45 A.M. DIVINE WORSHIP

5th Sunday After Pentecost

July 10, 2022

**WE PRAY:** Holy Spirit, who blesses us with all spiritual gifts, we thank You for our faith in Jesus Christ, we pray You to help us love our peers, and we praise You for the hope laid up for us in glory; for Your gifts make our days worthwhile and our future with our Lord our greatest expectation; through Jesus Christ, our Savior, who with You and the Father are one God with dominion over us forever. Amen.

*(Please turn off cell phones in preparation for Divine Worship)*

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**PRELUDE**

**PASTORAL GREETING**

**OPENING HYMN**

**TLH 439**

*O God of Mercy, God of Might*

1. O God of mercy, God of might,  
In love and pity infinite,  
Teach us, as ever in Thy sight,  
To live our life to Thee.
2. And Thou, who cam'st on earth to die  
That fallen man might live thereby,  
Oh, hear us; for to Thee we cry,  
In hope, O Lord, to Thee.
3. Teach us the lesson Thou hast taught,  
To feel for those Thy blood hath bo't,  
That ev'ry word and deed and tho't  
May work a work for Thee.
4. All are redeemed, both far and wide,  
Since Thou, O Lord, for all hast died,  
Oh, teach us, whatsoe'er betide,  
To love them all in Thee!

5. In sickness, sorrow, want, or care,  
Whate'er it be, 'tis ours to share;  
May we, when help is needed, there  
Give help as unto Thee!
  
6. And may Thy Holy Spirit move  
All those who live to live in love,  
Till Thou shalt greet in heaven above  
All those who live to Thee.

## THE ORDER OF HOLY COMMUNION

### INVOCATION

**P:** In the Name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C:** Amen.

### CONFESSION OF SIN 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 Thou forgavest the iniquity of my sin.

**A:** O almighty God, merciful Father, I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto Thee all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended Thee and justly deserved Thy temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray Thee of Thy boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Thy 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 of your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost.

**C:** Amen.

### THE INTROIT

**P:** Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever. It is he who remembered us in our low estate, for his steadfast love endures forever; and rescued us from our foes, for his steadfast love endures forever; he who gives food to all flesh, for his steadfast love endures forever. Give thanks to the God of heaven, for his steadfast love endures forever.

### GLORIA PATRI

**C:** Glory to be the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

### THE KYRIE

**A:** Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

### THE GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

**C:** Glory be to God on high:

**C:** And on earth, peace, good will toward men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory. O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord God, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, That takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer. Thou sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord. Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

### SALUTATION

**P:** The Lord be with you.

**C:** And with thy spirit.

### COLLECT

**P:** Lord Jesus Christ, in Your deep compassion You rescue us from whatever may hurt us. Teach us to love You above all things and to love our neighbors as ourselves; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C:** Amen.

### LESSONS

## **OLD TESTAMENT**

### ***Leviticus 18: 1-5***

Then the Lord spoke to Moses, saying, "Speak to the children of Israel, and say to them: 'I am the Lord your God. According to the doings of the land of Egypt, where you dwelt, you shall not do; and according to the doings of the land of Canaan, where I am bringing you, you shall not do; nor shall you walk in their ordinances. You shall observe My judgments and keep My ordinances, to walk in them: I am the Lord your God. You shall therefore keep My statutes and My judgments, which if a man does, he shall live by them: I am the Lord.

## **EPISTLE**

### ***Colossians 1: 1-14***

Paul, an apostle of Jesus Christ by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, To the saints and faithful brethren in Christ who are in Colosse: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. We give thanks to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, praying always for you, since we heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of your love for all the saints; because of the hope which is laid up for you in heaven, of which you heard before in the word of the truth of the gospel, which has come to you, as it has also in all the world, and is bringing forth fruit, as it is also among you since the day you heard and knew the grace of God in truth; as you also learned from Epaphras, our dear fellow servant, who is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, who also declared to us your love in the Spirit. For this reason we also, since the day we heard it, do not cease to pray for you, and to ask that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding; that you may walk worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing Him, being fruitful in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God; strengthened with all might, according to His glorious power, for all patience and longsuffering with joy; giving thanks to the Father who has qualified us to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed us into the kingdom of the Son of His love, in whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins.

**L:** Here ends the Epistle.

**C:** Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

## **HOLY GOSPEL**

**P:** The Holy Gospel is written in the 10<sup>th</sup> chapter of St. Luke, beginning at the 25<sup>th</sup> verse.

**C: Glory be to Thee, O Lord!**

***Luke 10: 25-37***

And behold, a certain lawyer stood up and tested Him, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the law? What is your reading of it?" So he answered and said, " 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength, and with all your mind,' and 'your neighbor as yourself.' " And He said to him, "You have answered rightly; do this and you will live." But he, wanting to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" Then Jesus answered and said: "A certain man went down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell among thieves, who stripped him of his clothing, wounded him, and departed, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a certain priest came down that road. And when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. Likewise a Levite, when he arrived at the place, came and looked, and passed by on the other side. But a certain Samaritan, as he journeyed, came where he was. And when he saw him, he had compassion. So he went to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on oil and wine; and he set him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. On the next day, when he departed, he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said to him, 'Take care of him; and whatever more you spend, when I come again, I will repay you.' So which of these three do you think was neighbor to him who fell among the thieves?" And he said, "He who showed mercy on him." Then Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

**P:** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C: Praise be to Thee, O Christ!**

**THE NICENE CREED *(In Unison)***

I believe in one God, 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 Ghost 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 sitteth on the right hand of the Father; And He shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost, The Lord and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth 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 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.

**SERMON**            “How to Never Tire of Doing Good”            **Col. 1: 1-14**

**OFFERTORY**

**A: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence; and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation; and uphold me with Thy free spirit.**

**THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES and SACRIFICIAL GIFTS**

**OFFERING PRAYER** (*Pastor*)

**THE PRAYERS**

**LORD’S PRAYER**

**THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**THE PAX DOMINI**

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always!

**C** Amen.

**THE AGNUS DEI**

**C** O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.

**THE DISTRIBUTION**

**HYMN OF THE DAY**

**TLH 412**

*May We Thy Precepts, Lord, Fulfil*

1. May we Thy precepts, Lord, fulfil,  
And do on earth our Father's will,

As angels do above;  
Still walk in Christ, the living Way,  
With all Thy children and obey  
The law of Christian love.

2. So may we join Thy name to bless,  
Thy grace adore, Thy pow'r confess,  
From sin and strife to flee,  
One is our calling, one our name,  
The end of all our hopes the same,  
A crown of life with Thee.
3. Spirit of Life, of Love and Peace,  
Unite our hearts, our joy increase,  
Thy gracious help supply.  
To each of us the blessing give,  
In Christian fellowship to live,  
In joyful hope to die.

### THE NUNC DIMITTIS

**C** Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, For mine eyes have seen Thy Salvation: which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people, a Light to lighten the Gentiles and the Glory of Thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

### FIRST ANTIPHON AND COLLECT

**P** Oh, give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good.

**C** And His mercy endureth forever.

**P** We give thanks to Thee, Almighty God, that Thou hast refreshed us through this salutary gift; and we beseech Thee that of Thy mercy Thou wouldst strengthen us through the same in faith toward Thee and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end.

**C** Amen.

### CLOSING HYMN

TLH 50

*Lord, Dismiss Us With thy blessing*

1. Lord, dismiss us with Thy blessing;  
Fill our hearts with joy and peace;  
Let us each, Thy love possessing,  
Triumph in redeeming grace.  
Oh, refresh us, Oh, refresh us,  
Trav'ling through this wilderness!
2. Thanks we give and adoration  
For Thy Gospel's joyful sound.  
May the fruits of Thy salvation  
In our hearts and lives abound;  
Ever faithful, Ever faithful  
To the Truth may we be found!
3. So whene'er the signal's given  
Us from earth to call away,  
Borne on angels' wings to heaven,  
Glad the summons to obey,  
May we ever, May we ever  
Reign with Christ in endless day!

## **BENEDICTION**

**ALL: "Amen, Amen, Amen."**

## **SILENT PRAYER**

## **RECESSIONAL**

## **POSTLUDE -**

Officiant: Pastor Randy Boelter

Lector: Jean Azar

Music Director: Bruce Sininger

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CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH  
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SUNDAY, JULY 10, 2022



**GOOD MORNING** and welcome to worship! The OT lesson this morning records the will of God regarding our relationship to Him and our relationship to each another. Above all, we are to love the LORD our God with heart, soul, strength, and mind and love our neighbor as ourselves. Because of sin, we fail to think, act and love justly. But Jesus comes to deliver to us the forgiveness of our sins. Freed from our sin, He gives us faith and spiritual strength to walk, as St. Paul exhorts us today in our Epistle, in a manner “worthy of the LORD.” The Parable of the Good Samaritan is a lesson for all of us from Jesus in Living for God and being fruitful in every good work. Today in Word and Sacrament, Jesus comes to forgive our sins, strengthen our faith and to give us the spiritual stamina to follow through in life as Jesus would have us do! Return to worship with us again soon!

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

**Pat Boyson-** sister of Pam Zimmer, who is recovering from injuries sustained in a fall

**Mitzi Mitzsunanga-** who is undergoing neurological tests

**For those recovering from surgery:** Jon McLaren, Robert Wicks, Jim Geffert and Pam Zimmer

**For those treated for cancer:** Tom Harms, Lyn Short, Roy Koeppe, Eric Hingst, Frank Erbecker, Lisa Zimmermann, Keith Josefiak, Shiela Rice, Patty Bennett and Cathy Surhigh.

**Those who need the Lord's daily strength and healing:** Julia Hingst, Ginny Liebaert, Laura Ropes Smith, Roger Parke, Kelley Hauschulz, Clifford Popp and James Gusmano.

**Judy Piche-** who is residing at The Rivers for care.

**Lynn Pinske and Jevin Pinske-** who are undergoing medical treatment at this time.

**For the People of the Ukraine.**

## STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Everybody has heard of Tabitha, aka Dorcas. We read about her in Acts 9:36-42. A miracle happened to her: She had died but was restored to life again through the ministry of Peter. She is introduced to us as one "who was full of good works and acts of charity" (verse.36). Who would think there was anything spectacular about a woman, known only to a small circle of people, who used her gift as a seamstress in service to others? Yet many churches have groups of women who serve others through their gifts and talents and who name themselves after that servant of the Lord, Dorcas. No gift is too small, no talent too inconsequential. God looks at our hearts and honors our gifts of service when they are done out of love and gratitude to Him.

## LIFE QUOTES

“How sweet it is to have gathered around Jesus and learn again, or maybe learn for the first time, how He loves you and me. And He promises nothing is ever going to break this circle, ‘...neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord’ (Romans 8:38b-39).” *Rev. Dr. Dale A. Meyer, guest speaker on The Lutheran Hour – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • [lutheransforlife.org](http://lutheransforlife.org)*

## THE LUTHERAN HOUR TOPIC

for next Sunday: "**18 Hours in the Ocean**" Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler. Voltaire said, "Life is a shipwreck." The Bible gives us a rescue beacon. (Ecclesiastes 9:10) Tune in to *The Lutheran Hour* every Sunday on WDFN (1130 AM) at 6:30 A.M., WRDT (560 AM) at 7:30 A.M. and at Noon, XM Satellite Family Radio Dial 170 at 1:00 P.M. or RealAudio on the internet at [www.lhm.org](http://www.lhm.org).

## ALTAR GUILD

Serving with the Altar Guild for the month are Judy Champine and Paula Pouhey.

## EXERCISE CLASS

all are welcome. We will be starting with warm up, arms, core, legs, and cool down run by a certified instructor. \$5.00 walk in fee. Wednesdays, 4:30-5:30 pm. Lower-level big room. Suggest a mat and bring dumbbells if you like. Work at your own pace. Chairs available if you prefer to sit.

## 80 for 80

On Sunday June 5, a presentation was made to our congregation about a special endeavor by which we will celebrate our 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary as a congregation, which was actually in 2021, but postponed because of the pandemic. Basically, we are asking each member to give a one-time gift of \$ 80.00 (or more) above and beyond our regular offerings by the end of the year to help us reduce the mortgage debt. Our bank note currently has a balance of \$ 355,000.00. It is our endeavor as a congregation to reduce our debt by at least 8% which would be by approximately \$ 29,000.00. One of our members has given a challenge gift to kick start this endeavor at the occasion of our anniversary. Our entire purpose for this offering is to reduce our debt, and to work toward the elimination of that debt before the interest rate on our loan will rise in 2024. We also hope to reduce this debt to as little as possible so that the congregation and our next pastor will have more resources to work with for outreach ministry. Let's make this

endeavor a success, in thanksgiving to God for 80 years of grace and blessing at Christ the King. When you think that God has helped us reduce our debt from the \$ 1.3 million dollar bank note that we had to incur 19 years ago to \$355,000.00 at this time, God's provision and blessing have been incredible! Rarely has the leadership at Christ the King asked for gifts above/beyond or normal weekly giving. This time we are doing so, to create a blessed future as we look ahead to the changes that will be transpiring in the next two years. Please join us in making this goal a reality! We will celebrate our 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with a special outdoor worship service and barbeque after Labor Day on Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup>. Gifts given for "80 for 80" will be collected to the end of 2022. ALL monies given will be applied to mortgage debt reduction.

***JUNE 2022 - FINANCIAL PROGRESS***

***Envelope & Plate Receipts Only***

<b><i>Week #</i></b>	<b><i>2022</i></b>	<b><i>2021</i></b>
1	\$ 7,503	\$ 4,190
2	3,782	6,704
3		
4		
<b>Month-to-Date Total</b>	<b>\$ 11,285</b>	<b>\$ 10,894</b>
<b>Year-to-Date Total</b>	<b>\$ 148,508</b>	<b>\$ 157,866</b>

***1-1-1 Missions Update***

<b><i>MTD</i></b>	<b><i>YTD</i></b>
\$ 41	\$ 597