



6th Sunday of Pentecost

July 17, 2022

Based on ACS Holy Communion Setting 11

Perhaps the church, at its best, is “all ears.” God urges the faithful, again and again, to “listen up!”—to heed the word that gives life. So it was with Abraham and Sarah, Mary and Martha, and the early church at Colossae. So it is today as we join the assembly to hear the word of God, the word of life.

PRELUDE

GATHERING

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING PRAYER

P O God of majesty, who created all creation to sing out your praises: Pour out your Spirit on your servants who, with the gifts of music, enliven our praises and proclaim your word with power. In music throughout the world, you have given us a new awareness of your beauty and grace in every generation, and we join our voices with all the choirs of heaven, both now and forever; through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C Amen.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Please stand as you are able.

P To you, O God,

C all hearts are open, to you all desires known. We come to you, confessing our sins. Forgive us in your mercy, and remember us in your love. Show us your ways; teach us your paths; and lead us in justice and truth, for the sake of your goodness in Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.


P By water and the Holy Spirit, God gives you a new birth, and through the death and resurrection of † Jesus Christ, God forgives you all your sins. The God of mercy and might strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life.

C Amen.



GATHERING HYMN

Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation



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1 Christ is made the sure foun - da - tion, Christ, our head and
 2 To this tem - ple, where we call you, come, O Lord of
 3 Here be - stow on all your ser - vants what they seek from
 4 Praise and hon - or to the Fa - ther, praise and hon - or


cor - ner - stone, cho - sen of the Lord and pre - cious,
 hosts, and stay; come with all your lov - ing - kind - ness,
 you to gain; what they gain from you, for - ev - er
 to the Son, praise and hon - or to the Spir - it,

bind - ing all the church in one; ho - ly Zi - on's
 hear your peo - ple as they pray; and your full - est
 with the bless - ed to re - tain; and here - af - ter
 ev - er three and ev - er one: one in might and

help for - ev - er and our con - fi - dence a - lone.
 ben - e - dic - tion shed with - in these walls to - day.
 in your glo - ry ev - er - more with you to reign.
 one in glo - ry while un - end - ing a - ges run!



GREETING

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.

CANTICLE OF PRAISE

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

2 Peo - ple and realms of ev - 'ry tongue dwell on his
3 Sing to the Lord with cheer - ful voice, come ye be -
love with sweet - est song; to him shall end - less
fore him and re - joice. All peo - ple that on
prayer be made, and end - less prais - es
earth do dwell, serve him with mirth, his
crown his head.
prais - es tell. A - men, a - men.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray.

Eternal God, you draw near to us in Christ, and you make yourself our guest.

Amid the cares of our lives, make us attentive to your presence, that we may treasure your word above all else, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C Amen.

Please be seated.

WORD

HYMN

Dear Lord and Father of Mankind

Unison

1. Dear Lord and Fa - ther of man - kind, for - give our fool - ish
ways! Re - clothe us in our right - ful mind, in pur - er lives thy
ser - vice find, in deep - er rev - 'rence praise, in deep - er rev - 'rence praise.

2. In simple trust like theirs who heard,
beside the Syrian sea,
the gracious calling of the Lord,
let us, like them, without a word,
rise up and follow thee,
rise up and follow thee.

3. O Sabbath rest by Galilee!
O calm of hills above,
where Jesus knelt to share with thee
the silence of eternity,
interpreted by love!
Interpreted by love!

4. Drop thy still dews of quietness,
till all our strivings cease;
take from our souls the strain and stress,
and let our ordered lives confess
the beauty of thy peace,
the beauty of thy peace.

5. Breathe through the heats of our desire
thy coolness and thy balm;
let sense be dumb, let flesh retire;
speak through the earthquake, wind and fire,
O still small voice of calm!
O still small voice of calm!

READING: GENESIS 18:1-10A

¹The LORD appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the entrance of his tent in the heat of the day. ²He looked up and saw three men standing near him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent entrance to meet them, and bowed down to the ground. ³He said, “My lord, if I find favor with you, do not pass by your servant. ⁴Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree. ⁵Let me bring a little bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant.” So they said, “Do as you have said.” ⁶And Abraham hastened into the tent to Sarah, and said, “Make ready quickly three measures of choice flour, knead it, and make cakes.” ⁷Abraham ran to the herd, and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to the servant, who hastened to prepare it. ⁸Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them; and he stood by them under the tree while they ate.

⁹They said to him, “Where is your wife Sarah?” And he said, “There, in the tent.”

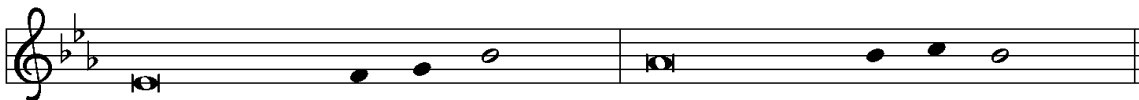
^{10a}Then one said, “I will surely return to you in due season, and your wife Sarah shall have a son.”

L The Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

PSALM 15

Sung responsively



¹LORD, who may dwell in your | tabernacle?

Who may abide upon your 1 holy hill?

**²Those who lead a blameless life and do | what is right,
who speak the truth | from their heart;**

³they do not slander with the tongue, they do no evil ¹ to their friends;
they do not cast discredit up- ¹ on a neighbor.

4In their sight the wicked are rejected, but they honor those who | fear the LORD.

They have sworn upon their health and do not take | back their word.

⁵They do not give their money in hope of gain, nor do they take bribes against the innocent.

Those who do these things shall never be ¹ overthrown.

GOSPEL

Please stand as you are able.

P The Holy Gospel, according to Luke, the tenth chapter.

C Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL: LUKE 10:38-42

³⁸Now as Jesus and his disciples went on their way, he entered a certain village, where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home. ³⁹She had a sister named Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to what he was saying. ⁴⁰But Martha was distracted by her many tasks; so she came to him and asked, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me." ⁴¹But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; ⁴²there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her."

P The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

Hymn

O Day of Peace

Pr. Andrew will sing two verses not printed, then congregation sings verses as printed.



1 O day of peace that dim-ly shines through all our hopes and prayers and dreams,
2 Then shall the wolf dwell with the lamb, nor shall the fierce de-vour the small;



guide us to jus-tice, truth, and love, de-liv-ered from our self-ish schemes.
as beasts and cat-tle calm-ly graze, a lit-tle child shall lead them all.



May swords of hate fall from our hands, our hearts from en-vy find re-lease,
Then en-e-mies shall learn to love, all crea-tures find their true ac-cord;



till by God's grace our war-ring world shall see Christ's prom-ised reign of peace.
the hope of peace shall be ful-filled, for all the earth shall know the Lord.

SERMON

PR. ANDREW C. PATTY

HYMN OF THE DAY

Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer

Please stand for the final verse of the hymn.

The musical score is written for a three-part setting (Soprano, Alto, and Tenor/Bass) in the key of D major (one sharp). It consists of four systems of music, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The lyrics are as follows:

1 Guide me ev - er, great Re - deem - er, pil - grim through this
2 O - pen now the crys - tal foun - tain where the heal - ing
3 When I tread the verge of Jor - dan, bid my anx - ious

bar - ren land. I am weak, but you are might - y; hold me
wa - ters flow; let the fire and cloud - y pil - lar lead me
fears sub - side; death of death and hell's de - struc - tion, land me

with your pow'r - ful hand. Bread of heav - en, bread of heav - en,
all my jour - ney through. Strong de - liv - 'rer, strong de - liv - 'rer,
safe on Ca - naan's side. Songs and prais - es, songs and prais - es

feed me now and ev - er - more, ev - er - more, feed me now and ev - er - more.
shield me with your might - y arm, might - y arm, shield me with your might - y arm.
I will raise for - ev - er - more, ev - er - more, I will raise for - ev - er - more.

P Let us confess our faith with the words of the Apostles' Creed.

C 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.

THE PRAYERS

A United in Christ and guided by the Spirit, we pray for the church, the creation, and all in need.

A brief silence.

A Ever-present God, in Christ you fill all things. As your church gathers to hear your word, share your meal, and receive your blessing, teach us to welcome strangers as we have been welcomed by you. God of grace,

C hear our prayer.

A Through Christ you created all things, visible and invisible. Teach humankind to honor and protect all creation, including living things that remain hidden from our eyes such as air, atmosphere, molecules, and microscopic creatures. God of grace,

C hear our prayer.

A Through Christ, you hear the cries of vulnerable people across the world, especially those affected by the war in Ukraine. Provide safety from violence and assistance for those in need. Guide children and families as they lose their homes and loved ones. Particularly, let us pray for the German Evangelical-Lutheran Church in the Ukraine and our own partner synod of the Evangelical-Lutheran Church of the Urals, Siberia and the Far East as they face these times of conflict. God of grace,

C hear our prayer.

A Through Christ you reconcile all things. Motivate those in power to end enslavement, dehumanization, or brutality of any kind and to protect and improve the lives of Indigenous peoples. God of grace,

C hear our prayer.

A Through Christ you bring peace. Assure all who are worried and distracted by many things of your constant presence. Soothe those suffering in mind, body, or spirit. Sustain all who are afflicted, especially Laurie Jackson, Mike Jackson, Keith Springer, Peggy Buchholz, Helen Laughlin, Linda Longren, Don O'Brien, Susan Fitz, Junior Utech, and Martha Nemeth. God of grace,

C hear our prayer.

A In Christ you make your word fully known. Inspire this worshiping community and that of Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Creve Coeur, Missouri and St. John Lutheran Church in Russell, Hollis Renewal Center in Bonner Springs, and Andover Lutheran Church in Windom, Kansas, to abide fully in your word as we sit at the feet of Jesus. Bless the ministry of teachers and Bible study leaders. God of grace,

C hear our prayer.

A Through Christ, you grant blessings more than we can know. Bless Rhonda Webb, Barbara Apps, and Ted Quast as they celebrate their birthdays, David McGinnis as he remembers his baptism, and David & Brooke Ralph as they celebrate their wedding anniversary. God of grace,

C hear our prayer.

P In Christ you brought forth the firstborn from the dead. We give thanks for the saints you have gathered at your table. Gather us with them in your eternal glory. God of grace,

C hear our prayer.

P God of every time and place, in Jesus' name and filled with your Holy Spirit, we entrust these spoken prayers and those in our hearts into your holy keeping.

C Amen.

THE PEACE

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

Let us greet one another with God's peace.

Please be seated.

MEAL

OFFERTORY PRAYER

A God of abundance: you have set before us a plentiful harvest. As we feast on your goodness, strengthen us to labor in your field, and equip us to bear fruit for the good of all, in the name of Jesus.

C 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 our thanks and praise.

P It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ; who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,

ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,

heav-en and earth are full, full of your glo - ry.

Ho - san - na in the high - est, 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, ho - san - na in the high - est.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

P Blessed are you, O God, creator of heaven and earth. You rescued your covenant people, led them on all their journeys, and taught them by the prophets. You so loved the world that you gave your only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

**C Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.**

P Pour out your Holy Spirit in this meal, and make us one in this community of faith and with your people throughout the world.

Glory and praise to you, O God, Author of life, Word made flesh, Power of the Most High, now and forever.

C Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

P Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

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.

PRAISE GOD, FROM WHOM ALL BLESSING FLOW

**C Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures here below;
praise God above, ye heav'nly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P In Christ's presence there is fullness of joy. Come to the banquet.

COMMUNION

COMMUNION BLESSING

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

C **Amen.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

A Life-giving God, through this meal you have bandaged our wounds and fed us with your mercy. Now send us forth to live for others, both friend and stranger, that all may come to know your love. This we pray in the name of Jesus.

C **Amen.**

SENDING

BLESSING

P The God of peace, Father, ☩ Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you, comfort you, and show you the path of life this day and always.

C **Amen.**

SENDING HYMN

Here I Am , Lord

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1 "I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my peo - ple cry.
2 "I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my peo - ple's pain.
3 "I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.



All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.
I have wept for love of them. They turn a - way.
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.



I, who made the stars of night, I will make their dark-ness bright.
I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love a - lone.
Fin-est bread I will pro-vide till their hearts be sat - is - fied.



Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?"
I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?"
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?"



Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you



call-ing in the night. I will go, Lord, if you



lead me. I will hold your peo - ple in my heart.

DISMISSAL

A Go in peace. Love your neighbor.

C Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

Welcome to worship at Trinity!

Thank you for joining us for worship. We hope that you found the Spirit of God in our midst. If you are interested in becoming a member of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, or have other questions, please contact the church office at 785.233.0767

UPCOMING EVENTS AT TRINITY

Today, July 17Worship with Holy Communion.....10:30 AM
..... Coffee Hour after worship
..... Congregational Life committee meeting after worship
Mon., July 18 Church Council meeting 6:00 PM
Tues., July 19 Quilters 9:00 AM
Wed., July 20 August Trinity Tidings deadline
Sun., July 24 Worship with Holy Communion 10:30 AM
..... Coffee Hour after worship
..... Spiritual Care committee meeting after worship



On August 7, we will begin again to host our monthly favorite hymn sings before worship. Please note the insert included in today's bulletin on which you may list your favorite hymns.

| Worship Assistants | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| Date | Usher(s) | Musicians | Lector | Altar Guild | Assisting Minister | Presiding Minister | Coffee Hosts |
| July 17 | Marcy Carlson, Dean McGinnis | JoLana Pinon | Loni Reece | Pam Kobbeman & Team 3 | Bob Horton | Pr. Andrew Patty | Marilyn Heckman |
| July 24 | Duane Pomeroy, Howard Reece | Mitchell Bean | Shelley Andrews | Pam Kobbeman & Team 3 | Ted Murphy | Pr. Andrew Patty | Debbie & Duane Pomeroy |
| July 31 | Diane Bottorff, Marcy Carlson | Mitchell Bean | Marcy Carlson | Pam Kobbeman & Team 3 | Bob Horton | Pr. Andrew Patty | Loni & Howard Reece |

| OFFERING, ATTENDANCE, and FINANCIAL STATUS | | | | | | |
|--|------------|-------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--|--------------------------|
| Date | General | Other | Total Weekly Income | Average Weekly Expense | Weekly Income Minus Average Weekly Expense | Attendance/ Communion |
| June 19 | \$925.00 | \$125.00 | \$1,050.00 | -\$2,761.27 | -\$1,711.27 | 25 |
| June 26 | \$1,715.00 | \$84.00 | \$1,799.00 | -\$2,761.27 | -\$962.27 | 20 |
| July 3 | \$2,690.00 | \$0.00 | \$2,690.00 | -\$2,761.27 | -\$71.27 | 30 |
| July 10 | \$2,365.00 | \$0.00 | \$2,365.00 | -\$2,761.27 | -\$396.27 | 24 |
| | | | Income | Expense | Behind/Ahead | |
| | | June 2022 | \$6,380.00 | -\$14,611.74 | -\$8,231.74 | |
| | | Jan. - June | \$46,596.64 | -\$70,951.28 | -\$24,354.64 | |



Many thanks to JoLana Pinon for playing the organ for us today. We appreciate her willingness to be here while Laurie is off.

Doorstep's 3rd Summer Cash Bash



Donate to Doorstep during the month of July, and help us earn 'match money' from an anonymous donor!

If we receive \$10,000 - We earn 5,000!

If we receive \$15,000 - We earn 10,000!

If we receive \$20,000 - We earn \$15,000!



Ways to Donate:

- ◆ **Mail it to Doorstep**
- ◆ **Bring it to our office**
- ◆ **Online DoorstepTopeka.org**

Please note on your donation if you belong to one of our member congregations...

And that you are donating towards our Cash Bash Match!

This is Doorstep's 3rd Summer Cash Bash Event! We started this event in 2019 as a way to help us during the summer months when donations typically slow down!

We have been blessed many times over throughout the pandemic, and in the past year with HVAC donations, and matching funds to help us meet our goal!

Please consider donating in July to help us earn more matching funds for Doorstep!

**Doorstep, Inc. 1119 SW 10th Ave
Topeka, Ks 66604**
Online: www.DoorstepTopeka.org
Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8am - 3pm



Doorstep's Christmas in July Donations Needed for this Christmas!



For our Christmas Store in 2022 we are collecting more specific items based on what families requested last year.

Craft and Art Sets

Canvases (3pk/6pk) Brushes & Paints (Teens/Adults)

Adult Coloring Books with Markers or Colored Pencils

Jewelry & Craft Making Kits



Kitchen Items

Bakeware Sets ~ Skillet Sets

Dish Sets ~ Utensil Sets ~ Pots & Pans



Toys

Footballs & Basketballs ~ Lego Sets ~ Pop-Its ~ LOL Dolls

Paw Patrol ~ Peppa Pig ~ Star Wars ~ Educational Toys (all ages)

Toys for Ages 5 - 12 ~ Family Board Games ~ Puzzles ~ Dinosaurs

Teen Girls ~ Make-Up & Nail Kits



Men's & Women's Gifts

Women's Bath & Lotion Sets

Men's Body Wash Sets

Men's & Women's Cologne Sets

Other Items

Towel Sets - (Bath, Hand & Washcloth) ~ Blankets ~ F/Q & K Sizes

Hygiene Items ~ Shampoo + Conditioner, Bar Soap, Combs, Hair Brushes, Toothpaste, Toothbrushes. (Full Size Items)

Bathroom Sets ~ (Rugs, Trash Can, Shower Curtain, Toothbrush & Soap Holders)

School Supplies

Notebook Paper ~ Spiral Notebooks ~ Folders ~ Pens ~ Pencils
Glue ~ Scissors ~ Erasers ~ Backpacks ~ Rulers ~ Crayons ~ Markers

Bring your donations to worship during the month of July, or deliver to Doorstep at 1119 SW 10th (10th & Buchanan). Thank you for making the holiday brighter for your neighbors in need!



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10:00AM-3:30PM, Monday through Thursday

Together in Community

Living with Christ's Love

Caring for Neighbors

Caring for Our Neighbors

Jesus commands us that when we care for the least of these; that we are in the presence of Christ (*Matthew 25:44-45*). As a congregation, we deeply care about serving those in need in our community. We hope to be a place of refuge and support for our neighborhood and to be a place to uplift those people that struggle around us. We also support ministries both local, national, and global as a church in the ELCA. As a congregation, we focus our efforts to partner with community organizations like Doorstep, while expanding opportunities to help our neighborhood through activities like our food ministry and community garden. We continue to be open to the ways that God calls us to be a presence in our community and to create a world where all are cared for in our society (*Philippians 2:4*).

Congregation Council

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