

# THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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Yoked Together, In Personal Service to Christ in World Wide Missions*

## ✠ DIVINE SERVICE ✠



### OPENING HYMN

"Sing Praise to God, the Highest Good"

(LSB 819)

### INVOCATION

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

**C** Amen.

### EXHORTATION

**P** If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

**C** But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

### CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION

**P** Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

**C** Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. 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.
- C** Amen.

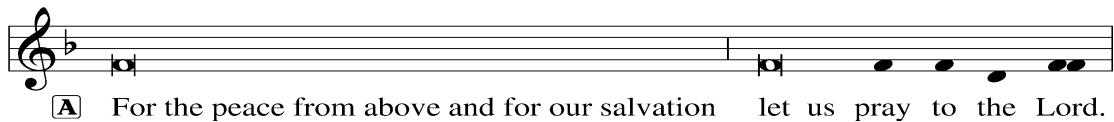
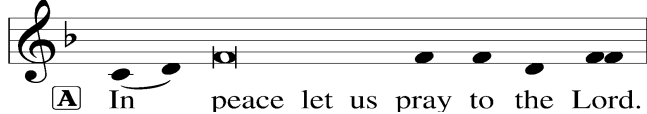
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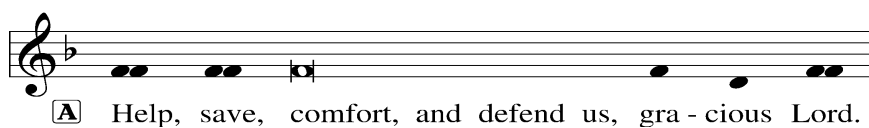
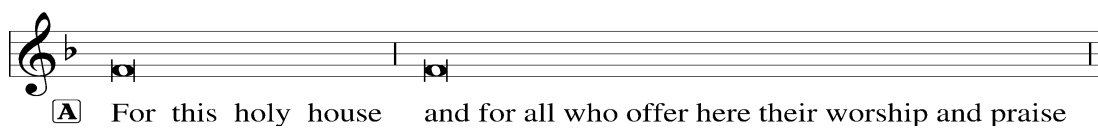
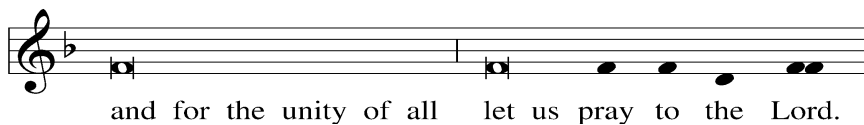
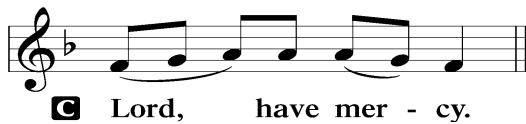
**INTROIT**

*Psalm 107:29-32; (antiphon: Ps. 107:28)*

- P** Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble.  
and he delivered them from their distress.
- C** He made the storm be still,  
and the waves of the sea were hushed.
- P** Then they were glad that the waters were quiet,  
and he brought them to their desired haven.
- C** Let them thank the LORD for his steadfast love,  
for his wondrous works to the children of men!
- P** Let them extol him in the congregation of the people,  
and praise him in the assembly of the elders.
- C** Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.
- P** Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble.  
and he delivered them from their distress.

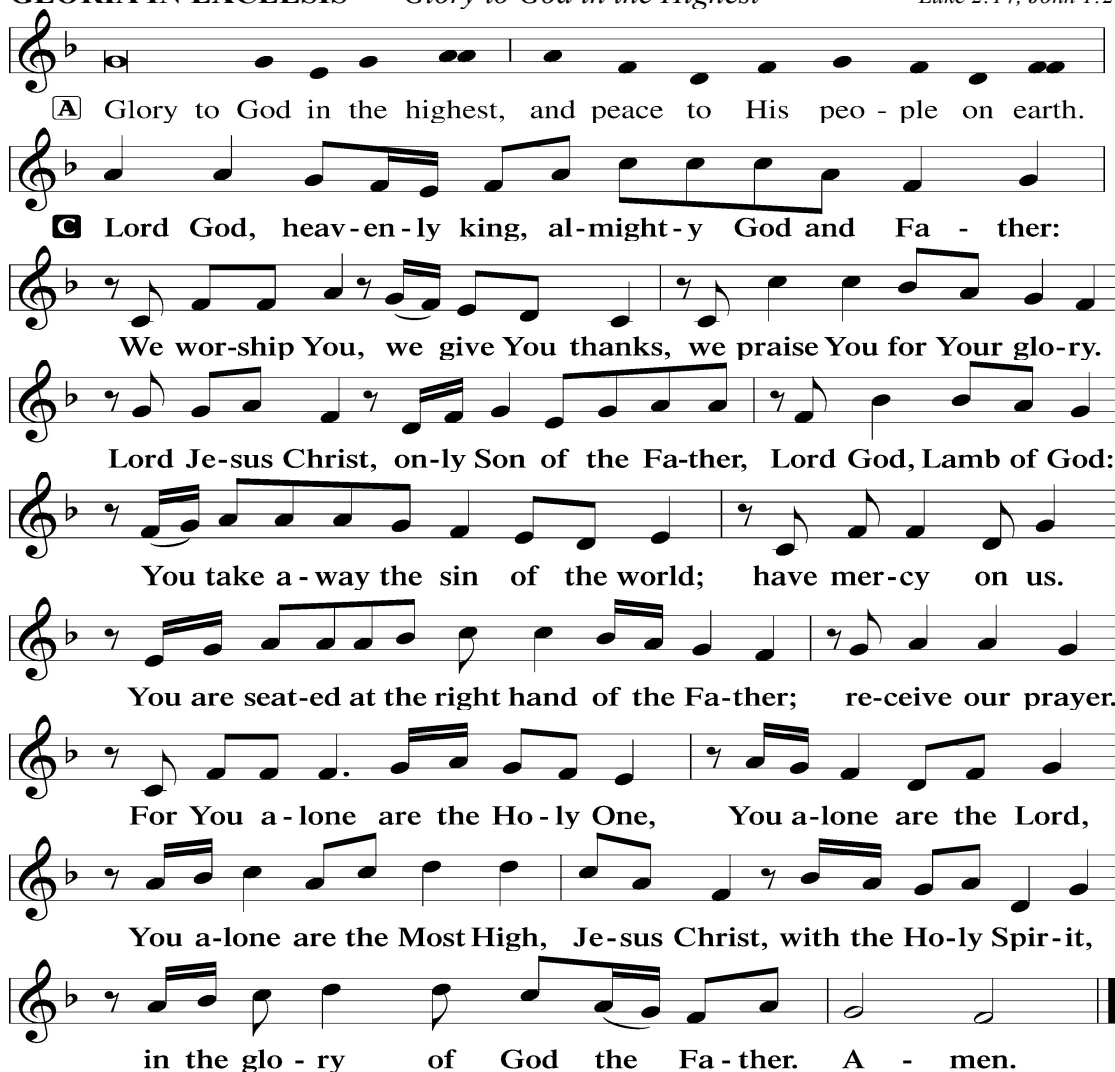
**KYRIE**





# GLORIA IN EXCELSIS “Glory to God in the Highest”

Luke 2:14; John 1:29



The musical score is written on a single staff with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The tempo and meter are not explicitly stated, but the notation includes various note values such as quarter, eighth, and sixteenth notes, as well as rests. The lyrics are written below the staff, aligned with the notes. The score is divided into several lines of music, each corresponding to a line of lyrics. The lyrics are: "Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His people on earth. Lord God, heaven-ly king, al-might-y God and Fa-ther: We wor-ship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glo-ry. Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God: You take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us. You are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther; re-ceive our prayer. For You a-lone are the Ho-ly One, You a-lone are the Lord, You a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it, in the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A-men."

**A** Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His peo - ple on earth.

**C** Lord God, heav-en-ly king, al-might-y God and Fa - ther:

We wor-ship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glo-ry.

Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God:

You take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.

You are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther; re-ceive our prayer.

For You a-lone are the Ho-ly One, You a-lone are the Lord,

You a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it,

in the glo - ry of God the Fa-ther. A - men.

## SALUTATION and COLLECT OF THE DAY

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you.

**P** Let us pray. Almighty God, in Your mercy guide the course of this world so that Your Church may joyfully serve You in godly peace and quietness; through Jesus Christ,

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

**C** Amen.

*(Please be seated)*

**OLD TESTAMENT**

*Job 38:1–11*

(God is Creator, you are not!)

*After the reading:*

**L** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

**ANTHEM**

"The Storm Is Passing Over" (*Charles Albert Tindley, arr. Baker*)

Marlis Doud, Helen Kiepke, Laura Mehlhaff, Carolyn Ryckman, Laura Streich

**EPISTLE** *2 Corinthians 6:1–13* (Christ's love compels perseverance through all hardships.)

*After the reading:*

**L** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

*(Please stand)*

**ALLELUIA and VERSE**

The musical notation is written on two staves in G major (one sharp). The first staff begins with a C-clef and a key signature of one sharp. It contains the melody for the first line of the Alleluia. The second staff begins with a C-clef and a key signature of one sharp. It contains the melody for the second line of the Alleluia. The lyrics are written below the staves.

**C** Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the  
words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

**HOLY GOSPEL**

*Mark 4:35–41*

(Jesus calms the storm.)

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

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

*After the reading:*

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

**C Praise to You, O Christ.**

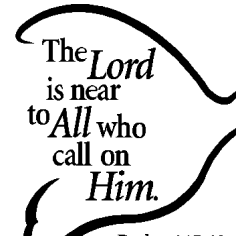
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## BIBLE LESSON

**SERMON HYMN**      "Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me"      (LSB 921)

**SERMON** "We Are Perishing?" (Mark 4:35-41)  
*Pastor Sam Handschke*

<b>CREED</b>	8:30	<i>Apostles'</i>	<i>Inside back cover of the</i>
<i>Lutheran Service Book</i>			
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<i>Lutheran Service Book</i>			



## OFFERING AND SHARING GOD'S PEACE

*(Please stand)*

## PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

**P** Let us pray for the whole Church of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

We thank You, Lord, for Your steadfast love and Your wondrous works to the children of men. You hold power over wind and wave, sin and death. Deliver us from every trouble and distress, and bring us at last to our eternal haven. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** God of our salvation, You have ushered in the favorable time and day of salvation through the incarnation of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Support all Your ministers, and remove all obstacles from hearing and believing the Word they preach. Let Your grace be proclaimed through every hardship, struggle and suffering, and encourage us

by the example of many saints to consider ourselves rich and alive despite every opposition, for since we have Christ, we possess everything. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Heavenly Father, open wide the hearts of Christians to one another, especially within the home and between neighbors. Let love be genuine, speech truthful and patience constant. Let us commend ourselves in everything as those known by God's love and, therefore, unashamed to serve one another. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Almighty God, You rule this world by Your power. Give to our civil servants respect and recognition of Your creation and its nature. When they use the authority given them from above, let it be in accord with Your good design for our world and not the corruption of sin, which they are to rebuke for the good of their citizens. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Mighty Lord, You command wind and wave. Out of Your mercy, spare us from disaster. Give success to crops; send suitable rain for the earth; give protection to those endangered by storms on land, sea or air; and give us faith both to call to You in trouble and to trust that You will work everything for our good for the sake of Christ. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Gracious Father, You see that we are perishing, yet You bid us to set our fears aside and trust in You for the sake of Christ, by whose blood we have received peace for our troubled consciences. Do not reject our prayers for their faithlessness, but teach us to trust in You fully. Give Your protection and peace to those in need [*especially* \_\_\_\_\_]. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Holy Lord, we join with the sons of God and shout for joy as Christ Jesus gives to us His true body and blood in the Lord's Supper. Let us not doubt but firmly believe Your Word, that You who formed our world and its matter know well how to be present for us and our forgiveness in this Sacrament. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Hear us, heavenly Father, for the sake of Christ Jesus, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

### **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.

The 8:30 am service continues on page 11 with the Benediction.

**IN REGARD TO HOLY COMMUNION:** According to Scripture, Holy Communion should be celebrated by those who are: **United in a common faith** (1 Cor. 10:16-17, 21-22; Rom. 16:17); **Repentant of sins** (1 Cor. 5:11, Matt. 18:17-18); **Able to examine their lives** (1 Cor. 11:27-29); and believe that in this precious meal they **receive the true body and blood of Jesus** given and shed for the forgiveness of their sins (Luke 22:19-22).

Since Scripture teaches that those people who do not fully understand the meaning of this meal eat and drink to their own harm (1Cor. 11:27-29), and because the Lord's Supper is the supreme act of stating our unity in faith and doctrine, we would ask those people who are visiting with us to **please speak with our pastors**, before communing, in order that we might fulfill our responsibility of properly instructing people in the right use of the precious Sacrament.

### **✠ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT ✠**

**11:00 am service**

### **PREFACE**

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you.

**P** Lift up your hearts.

**C** We lift them to the Lord.

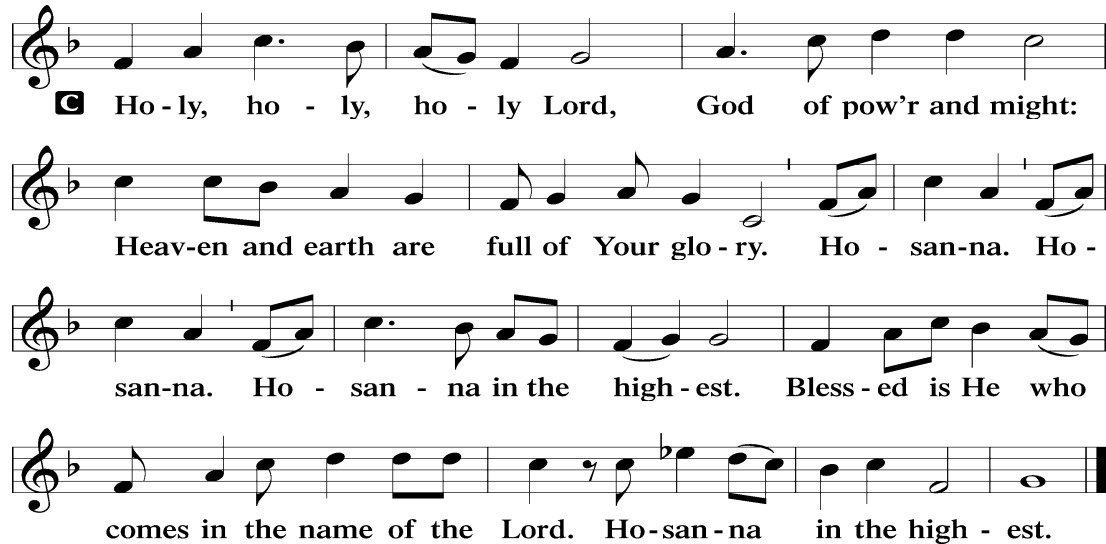
**P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.



**C** It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

**P** It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who at His transfiguration revealed His glory to His disciples that they might be strengthened to proclaim His cross and resurrection and with all the faithful look forward to the glory of life everlasting. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

## SANCTUS



**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might:  
Heav-en and earth are full of Your glo-ry. Ho - san-na. Ho -  
san-na. 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.

## PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

**P** Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross.

Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers;

deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

## WORDS OF OUR LORD

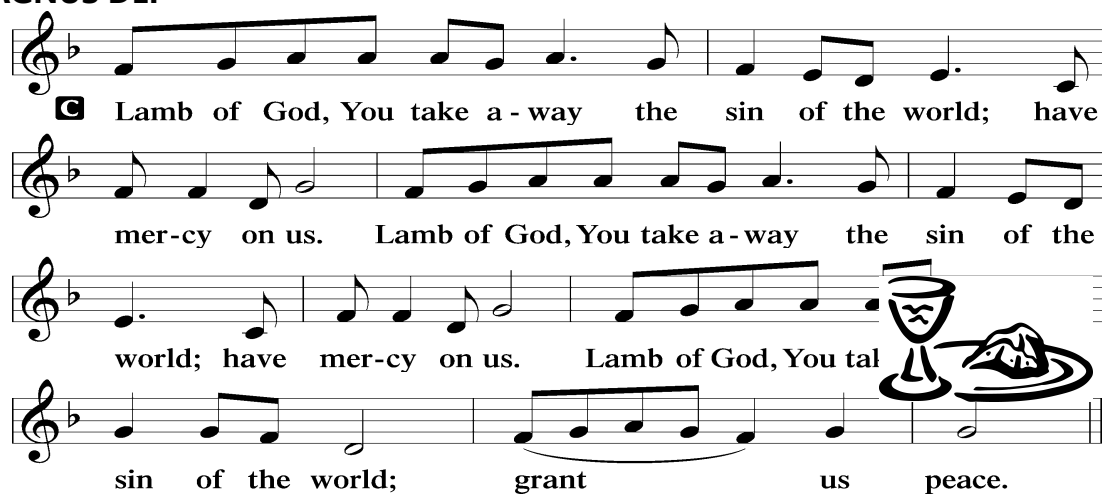
*Matt 26:26–28; Mk 14:22–24; Lk 22:19–20; 1 Cor 11:23–25*

## PAX DOMINI

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

**C** Amen.

## AGNUS DEI



**C** Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the world; have  
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the  
world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the  
sin of the world; grant us peace.

*(Please be seated)*

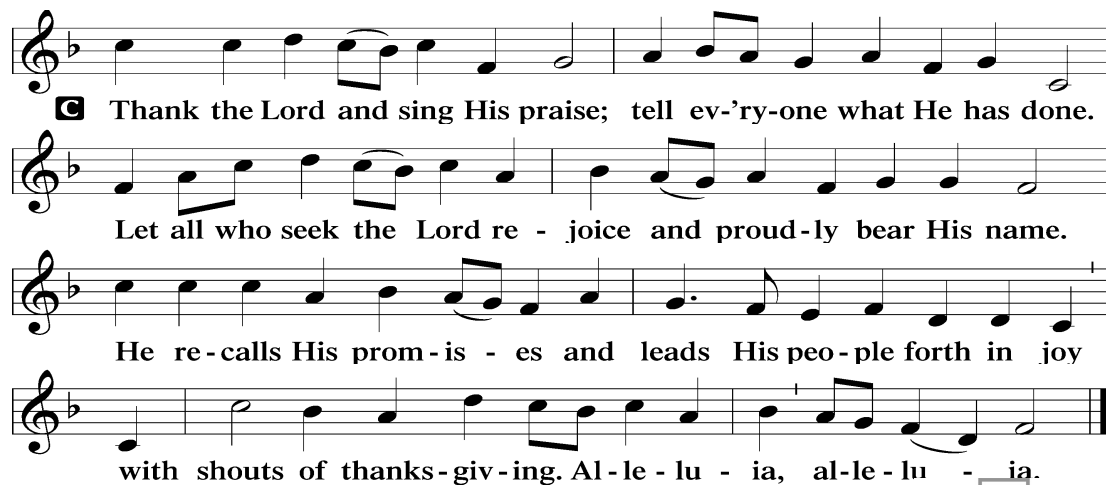
## DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

"Precious Lord, Take My Hand" (LSB 739)

"I Am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus" (LSB 729)

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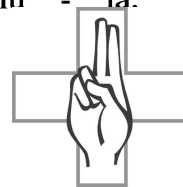
## THANK THE LORD



**C** Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev-'ry-one what He has done.  
 Let all who seek the Lord re - joice and proud-ly bear His name.  
 He re-calls His prom-is - es and leads His peo-ple forth in joy  
 with shouts of thanks-giv-ing. Al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia.

### 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 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.
- C** Amen.



### BENEDICTION

*Numbers 6:24-26*

- P** 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.



**C** A-men, a-men, a - men.

### CLOSING HYMN

"Eternal Father, Strong to Save"

(LSB 717)

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



**AS WE GATHER** For all of the Bible's reassurances of how much God loves us, cares for us, protects and guides us, it is, nevertheless, of our fallen, sinful nature that we still at times harbor doubts and even despairingly want to argue with God Himself and question His love and promises. The undying question is "Why?" The troubles, setbacks, trials, tragedies, and reverses in life do that. The Word before us today describes those times with the imagery of the destructive power of raging water and

the greater power of God to deliver from threatening distress. Even when threatened with a raging flood, we are reminded that our help is still in the God who created everything. The trials of the otherwise "blameless and upright" man of God named Job (1:1) and the Lord's patient yet commanding love in His answer to Job's complaint should remind us to live our faith in daily repentance yet always still in praise of our saving God.

[Jesus] awoke and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. Mark 4:39

If there are prayer concerns for you, your family, your friends, or your neighbors, please put them on the back of the blue attendance/communion card. Our Board of Elders are prayerful with our pastors about these joys and struggles of our earthly journey.  
*"The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective." James 5:16b*

**Welcome to Faith Evangelical Lutheran on this Fifth Sunday after Pentecost!** We are delighted to have you in worship with us. If you are visiting from out of town, we bid you welcome and God-speed on your journey. Should you be from our community, and have no church home, we invite you to make Faith your church home.

**Preaching this morning** is Rev. Samuel Handschke.

**Holy Communion** is celebrated at our 11:00 service this Sunday. In this Sacrament, our Lord gives His true body and blood for our



forgiveness. Those who confess the faith declared at this altar and who desire to receive communion today are asked to read our communion statement found in the bulletin. Thank you.

**Want to listen to our worship service via livestream?** Go to: [www.faithluth.com](http://www.faithluth.com). Click on livestream and it will take you to the service or if you have missed the service it will take you to the archived services. We livestream our 8:30 service each Sunday.

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### STEWARDSHIP CORNER

**Wed. June 11, Att. 296;** Offering \$390.00; **Sun., June 16, Att. 197;** General Fund \$15,148.10; Building Fund \$440.00; Love Fund \$100.00; Contingency Fund \$100.00; 642 Rent \$510.00; Broadcasts \$60.00; Mexico Mission \$260.00.

**Endowment Fund** There are lime green envelopes on the back side of the large center support post in the Narthex for your use. Donations do not have to be in memory of someone, they can be in celebration of an event in your lives, to the glory of God, or any number of happenings in your lives. The envelopes have an area where you can designate where you wish the funds to go. **Please use a separate check for your donation.** Where we deposit the funds does not take cash, so **it needs to be in the form of a check.** The counters cannot always find checks to cover when cash is given. Thanks for your help!

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**The Board of Missions and Evangelism is asking for the support of the congregation during the Independence Day parade in Fort Pierre through:**

1. **PRAY** that those attending the parade would be moved by the work of the Holy Spirit through Faith Lutheran's evangelism.
2. **RIDE** in the motor coach during the parade... let's fill it full, in support of Faith Lutheran Church.
3. **WALK** the parade route spreading the message of God through Christian materials. **The Board of Missions is looking for volunteers to help walk behind the float in the 4th of July Parade to hand out tracts.** Please sign-up in the Narthex so we know if anyone is willing to volunteer to help with this event.

**Main Street Living** "Main Street Living" is a liturgical worship service broadcasting a different local pastor each Sunday morning. It airs along with the classic Lutheran Hour program, "This is the Life." Both can be viewed on KDLT (NBC) & KEVN (FOX) Visit [www.mainstreetliving.com](http://www.mainstreetliving.com) to view current and past episodes. **Did you know** you can see the Worship Service and Kid's Crossing on our website at anytime? All programs are streamed on [www.mainstreetliving.com](http://www.mainstreetliving.com), and are available the day before they are

broadcast.

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*KDLT (NBC) channels 5.1 / 46.1*

**10:00 AM - "Amazing Grace"** - A man who has come from a poor beginning to a rich and full life must learn not to forsake his Christian faith.

**10:30 AM** - Rev. Brian Lemcke, pastor at Zion Lutheran Church in Delmont, presents a message titled "Questions to live (and suffer) By." This sermon is based on Job 38:1-11. This program is interpreted and closed captioned for the deaf and hard of hearing. For more information visit: [www.mainstreetliving.com](http://www.mainstreetliving.com)

**Life Quotes** "The state of marriage is under a full assault from the devil. He will use whatever means necessary to destroy what God has created. Pray also for all God's children. Pray that love may abound in all homes. Pray that forgiveness may be the first word spoken between husbands and wives, parents and children. Pray that you and all people receive an increase of the Holy Spirit, for it is only through Him that we may repent of our sinful lives, amend our ways, and live joyfully in the comfort of God's grace." *Rev. Matthew Wietfeldt, Concordia Theological Seminary – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • lutheransforlife.org*

## Faith Lutheran Youth



**Circuit Bible Camp** July 15-17, 2024 Oahe Dam Downstream Campground. Theme is: "Not that Lost" Camp cost is \$40.00 with Faith Lutheran picking up the cost for our members. If member youth would like to bring friends it would cost \$40.00 each.

Things to bring:

- ◆ Bible
- ◆ Sleeping bag/pillow
- ◆ Swimsuit/towel
- ◆ Bug spray/ sunscreen
- ◆ Clothes/toiletries

### ***This Week at Faith Lutheran***

**TODAY: June 23**

8:30 am Worship

11:00 am Communion

**Mon: June 24**

7-10 pm Pickleball

**Tues: June 25**

8:00 am Staff Devotions

10:30 am Women's Bible Study

6:30 pm Mary/Martha Circle

**Wed: June 26**

7:00 pm Chapel/Communion

8:00 pm LYF

**Thurs: June 27**

8:00 am Staff Devotions

**Fri: June 28**

Board of Parish Fellowship 'Zap' Night

**Sun: June 30**

8:30 am Communion

11:00 am Communion