



20th Sunday after Pentecost

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MOSAIC

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Welcome to MOSAIC!



We extend a warm welcome to all visitors. Connect with us by scanning the QR code. Or go to our *Church Connect* page at thirdlutheranchurch.churchtrac.com. You can also create a profile there to receive our weekly email and occasional text messages.

- ★ We are committed to the inclusion of all people, with *no* exception. Therefore, we practice **open communion**, welcoming *all* to the table to receive the sacrament of Holy Communion.
- ★ Children are **full participants** in this congregation's worship, educational, and community life!
- ★ For 30 years, this congregation has advocated for the **full welcome, inclusion, and equity** of LGBTQIA+ individuals in all aspects of the church and community. We invite all people into lives of authenticity, integrity, and wholeness.

Gathering

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

***MEAL PREPARATION TIME ~ GATHERING**

Preparations for the meal commence. As set-up and rehearsal end, the Assisting Minister invites everyone to gather around the lit Christ candle. Candles are carried from the tables for lighting.

***WELCOMING TIME**

***CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God,
who forgives all our sin,
whose mercy endures forever.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin and come to God for healing.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Gracious God,

have mercy on us.

**We confess that we have honored you with our lips,
but have harmed our neighbors with our tongues.**

**The cravings at war within us
cause conflicts and disputes.**

**In our desire to be first
we make distinctions among ourselves.**

We place the needs of the poor and the suffering last.

In your great mercy, forgive us our sins.

**Draw near to us with grace in time of need,
and turn us to follow in the way of Jesus Christ,
our Savior and Lord.**

Amen.

...In the name of † Jesus Christ,
the source of eternal healing,
your sins are forgiven.

Amen.

***(MOSAIC) GATHERING SONG**

A gathering song is sung.

***GREETING**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Sovereign God,

you have created us to live in loving community with one another. Form us for life that is faithful and steadfast, and teach us to trust like little children, that we may reflect the image of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

Word

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

GOSPEL: Mark 10:2-16

The gospel is announced.

The holy gospel according to Mark.

Glory to you, O Lord.

The reading concludes:

The Gospel of the Lord.

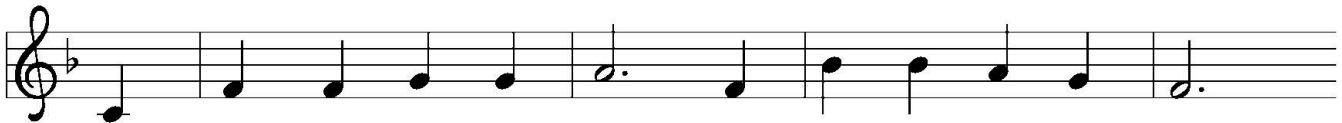
Praise to you, O Christ.

COMMUNITY MEANING-MAKING

During our conversation, we follow these Touchstones for Safe Places:

- Choose for yourself when and how to participate.
- Make space for silence and reflection.
- No debating.
- Embrace differences.
- When the going gets rough, turn to wonder.
- Learn to ask honest, open questions more than making statements.
- Approach the text with curiosity, not curiosity-killers (assumption, bias, conclusion).
- Observe confidentiality.

***HYMN OF THE DAY *Our Father, by Whose Name* (ELW 640)**



1 Our Fa - ther, by whose name all par - ent - hood is known,
2 O Christ, your - self a child with - in an earth - ly home,
3 O Ho - ly Spir - it, bind our hearts in u - ni - ty



in love di - vine you claim each fam - 'ly as your own.
with heart still un - de - filed to full a - dult - hood come:
and teach us how to find the love from self set free;



Bless moth - ers, fa - thers, guard - ing well, with con - stant love as
our chil - dren bless in ev - 'ry place that they may all be -
in all our hearts such love in - crease that ev - 'ry home, by



sen - ti - nel, the homes in which your peo - ple dwell.
hold your face and, know - ing you, may grow in grace.
this re - lease, may be the dwell - ing place of peace.

Text: F. Bland Tucker, 1895–1984, alt.

Music: RHOSYMEDRE, John D. Edwards, 1806–1885

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*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Each petition ends:

Hear us, O God.

hear our prayer.

The prayers conclude:

We entrust these and all our prayers to you, holy God, in the name of your beloved child, Jesus Christ, our Savior.

Amen.

*PEACE

The presiding minister and the assembly greet each other in the peace of the risen Christ.

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace, and may say, "Peace be with you," or similar words.

Meal

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

OFFERING

An offering plate is placed on the serving table or you may give online using this QR code. We encourage members to give regularly to sustain our work for the mission of the church, including the care of those in need.



During this time, the table is set for holy communion, then concludes with the Offertory Prayer.

***OFFERTORY PRAYER**

Blessed are you, O God,
source of every gift of your creation.
By these gifts and with our lives,
help us to serve one another and all in need,
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

***DIALOGUE**

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

....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
 God of might, heav - en and earth are full of your
 glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
 Bless - ed is the one who comes in the name of the
 Lord. Ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.
 Ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

***THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE**

...Through him all glory and honor is yours,
 Almighty Father, with the Holy Spirit,
 in your holy Church,
 both now and forever.

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.**

COMMUNION

All are welcome at Jesus' table of grace and love. We will serve each other by intinction (dipping the bread in the grape juice). Receive gluten-free bread and grape juice, then turn to serve your neighbor.

*When giving the bread and cup, those serving say
The body of Christ, given for you.
The blood of Christ, shed for you.
and each person may respond
Amen.*

The minister communes after others receive communion.

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, grant us peace.

***PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

Holy God,
**you have welcomed us to this meal
 and fed us with dignity at your table.
 Send us now to welcome others
 and to be at peace with one another,
 through Jesus Christ our Lord.
 Amen.**

After the post-communion blessing and prayer, dessert is served, then all assist in cleanup, and re-gather for sending.

Sending
God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

***ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Brief announcements may be made, especially those related to the assembly's participation in God's mission in the world.

**Please stand, as you are able.*

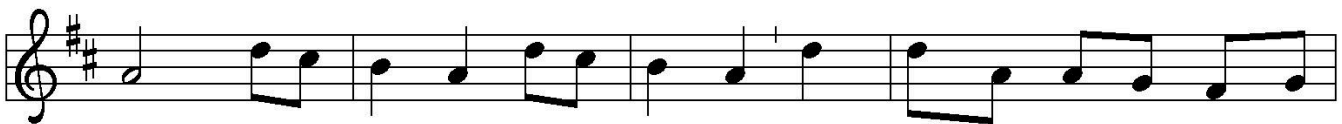
*BLESSING

God all mighty,
God most merciful
‡ bless you, keep you,
and give you peace.
Amen.

*SENDING SONG *All Creatures, Worship God Most High!* (ELW 835)



1 All crea-tures, wor-ship God most high! Sound ev-'ry voice in earth and
2 Sing, broth-er wind; with clouds and rain you grow the gifts of fruit and
3 Sing, broth-er fire, so mirth-ful, strong; drive far the shad-ows, join the
4 All who for love of God for-give, all who in pain or sor-row



sky: Al-le - lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia! Sing, broth-er sun, in splen-dor
grain: Al-le - lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia! Dear sis - ter wa - ter, use - ful,
throng: Al-le - lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia! Dear moth - er earth, so rich in
grieve: Al-le - lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia! Christ bears your bur-dens and your



bright; sing, sis - ter moon and stars of night:
clear, make mu - sic for your Lord to hear: Al-le - lu - ia, al-le -
care, praise God in col - ors bright and rare:
fears; still make your song a - mid the tears:



lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia!

5 And you, most gentle sister death,
waiting to hush our final breath:
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Since Christ our light has pierced your gloom,
fair is the night that leads us home.
Alleluia.

6 O sisters, brothers, take your part,
and worship God with humble heart:
Alleluia! Alleluia!
All creatures, bless the Father, Son,
and Holy Spirit, Three in One:
Alleluia.

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Music: LASST UNS ERFREUEN, *Geistliche Kirchengesänge*, Köln, 1623
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***DISMISSAL**

Assistant: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

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Connections

Our caring work in the world.

Serving *TODAY*:

Asst Min:

Greeter:

Musicians: Mary McCuen, Jon Wysong

Meal Planner:

In our prayers...

- **Pat Hayden**, grieving the loss of her mother.
- **Nick Wysong**, job search.
- **Carol Harnack**, recovering from hospitalization.
- **Buddy Sturgill** (grandfather of Sarah Rudd), home on hospice.
- **David Ragsdale**, recovering from heart issues/stroke.
- **Rhonda Montgomery**, life challenges.
- **The family of Keith Wulff**, grieving his death.
- **Marlene Uhlott and Robin Uhlott**
- **Alex and Katrina**, brother and sister-in-law of Matt Proffitt
- **Bob Bush** (band member of Matt Proffitt), heart issues
- **For peace in our world**, especially in Gaza and Israel, Ukraine and Russia, Syria, Sudan, Myanmar, and all areas of conflict...
- **For those in the path** of Tropical Storm Francine...
- **For those affected by the wildfires** in California and western states...
- **For victims of Typhoon Yagi** in Vietnam and for relief and recovery efforts...
- **For families grieving victims** of a capsized migrant boat off the coast of Senegal...
- **For victims of gun violence**, especially in Winder, GA, and Omaha, NE, and London, KY...
- **For national politics** during this election season...
- **For those navigating times of transition** and in need of discernment...