Long Lake Lutheran Church

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7th Sunday after Easter



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PRELUDE

GATHERING

GATHERING SONG: "What A Friend We Have in Jesus" (all verses)

What a Friend We Have in Jesus Ο What a friend we have in Je - sus, all our sins and griefs to bear! 1 Have we tri - als and temp - ta - tions? Is there trou-ble an - y - where? 2 Are we weak and heav-y - lad - en, cum - bered with a load of care? 3 What a priv - i - lege to car - ry 'ry-thing to God in prayer! ev -We should nev - er be dis - cour - aged-take it the Lord in prayer. to Pre - cious Sav-ior, still our ref - uge- take it to the Lord in prayer. Oh, what peace we of - ten for - feit; oh, what need-lesspain we bear-Can we find a friend so faith - ful who will all our sor-rowsshare? Do your friends de-spise, for-sake you? Take it to the Lord in prayer. ev - 'ry-thing to God in prayer! all be - cause we do not car - ry Je - sus knows our ev - 'ry weak - ness—take it to the In his arms he'll take and shield you; you will find a it to the Lord in prayer. so-lace there.

Text: Joseph Scriven, 1820–1886 Music: CONVERSE, Charles C. Converse, 1832–1918

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETING

- P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- A: And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

- P: Gracious and glorious God, you have chosen us as your own, and by the powerful name of Christ you protect us from evil. By your Spirit transform us and your beloved world, that we may find our joy in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- A: Amen.



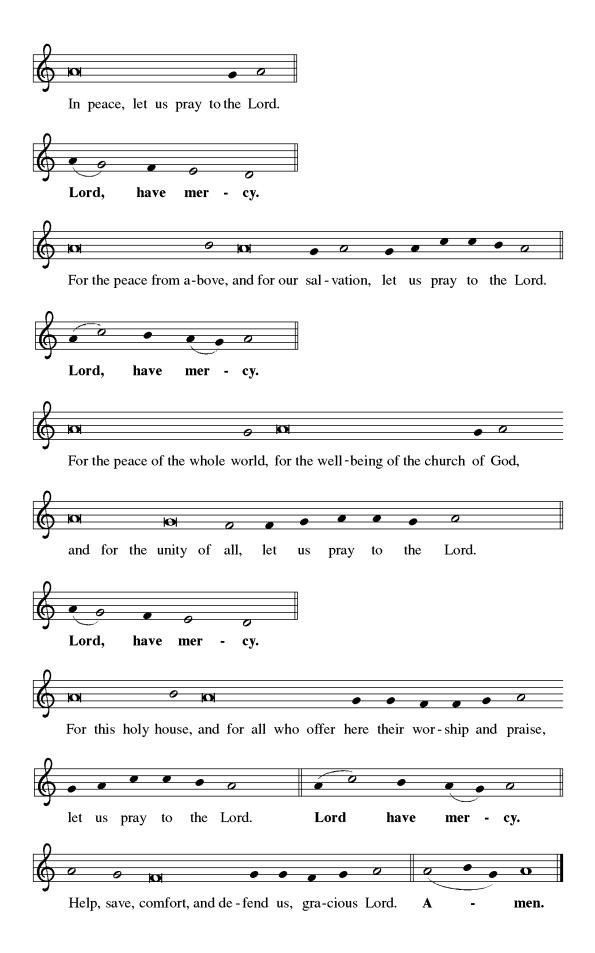
THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

- P: Alleluia! Christ is risen.
- A: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!
- P: Refreshed by the resurrection life we share in Christ, let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

We thank you, risen Christ, for these waters where you make us new, leading us from death to life, from tears to joy. We bless you, risen Christ, that your Spirit comes to us in the grace-filled waters of rebirth, like rains to our thirsting earth, like streams that revive our souls, like cups of cool water shared with strangers. Breathe your peace on your church when we hide in fear. Clothe us with your mercy and forgiveness. Send us companions on our journey as we share your life. Make us one, risen Christ. Cleanse our hearts. Shower us with life. To you be given all praise, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God, now and forever.

A: Amen.

KYRIE



HYMN OF PRAISE



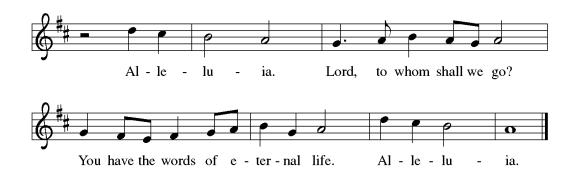
WORD

PSALM: Psalm 1

- P: ¹Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel of the wicked, nor lingered in the way of sinners, nor sat in the seats of the scornful!
- A: ²Their delight is in the law of the LORD, and they meditate on God's teaching day and night.
- P: ³They are like trees planted by streams of water, bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that do not wither; everything they do shall prosper.
- A: ⁴It is not so with the wicked; they are like chaff which the wind blows away.
- P: ⁵Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when judgment comes, nor the sinner in the council of the righteous.
- A: ⁶For the LORD knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked shall be destroyed.



Please stand as you are able



GOSPEL: John 17: 6-19

R: The Holy Gospel according to John in the seventeenth chapter.

A: Glory to you, O Lord.

[Jesus prayed:] ⁶"I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. ⁷Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; ⁸ for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. ⁹I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. ¹⁰All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. ¹¹And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one. ¹²While I was with them, I protected them in your name that you have given me. I guarded them, and not one of them was lost except the one destined to be lost, so that the scripture might be fulfilled. ¹³But now I am coming to you, and I speak these things in the world so that they may have my joy made complete in themselves. ¹⁴I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. ¹⁵I am not asking you to take them out of the world, but I ask you to protect them from the evil one. ¹⁶They do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. ¹⁷Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth. ¹⁸As you have sent me into the world, so I have sent them into the world. ¹⁹And for their sakes I sanctify myself, so that they also may be sanctified in truth."

R: The gospel of the Lord.

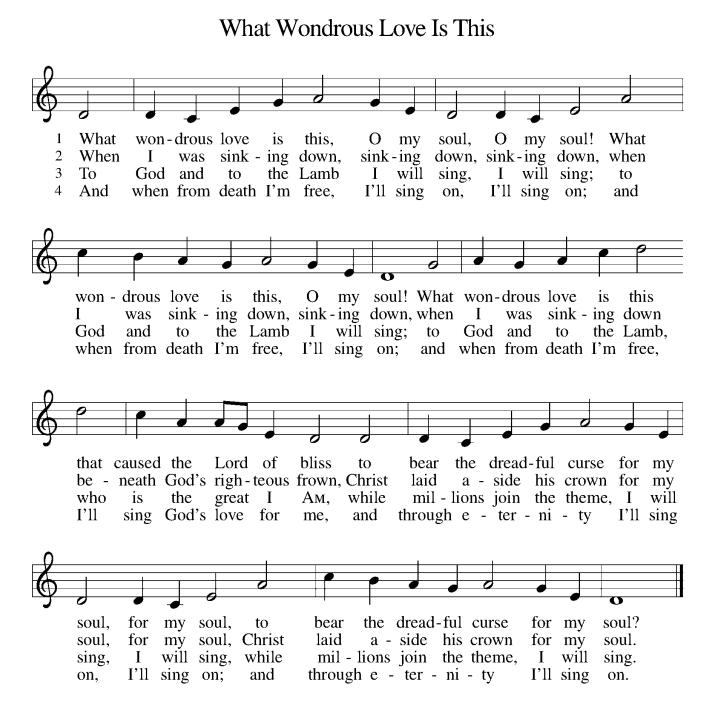
A: Praise to you, O Christ.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

MESSAGE: Pastor Sue Olson



SONG OF THE DAY "What Wondrous Love Is This" (all verses)



Text: North American folk hymn, 19th cent., alt. Music: WONDROUS LOVE, W. Walker, *Southern Harmony*, 1835

APOSTLE'S CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

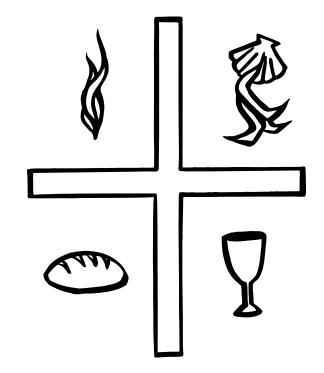
the holy Christian/catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

P: Alive in the risen Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit, we bring our prayers before God who promises to hear us and answer in steadfast love.

Hear us, O God.

- A: Your mercy is great.
- P: In the hope of new life in Christ, we raise our prayers to you, trusting in your never-ending goodness and mercy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
- A: Amen.



OFFERING

OFFERING PRAYER

- P: Let us pray.
- P: God of love, you call us beloved children and welcome us to your table. Receive our lives and the gifts we offer. Abide with us and send us in service to a suffering world; for the sake of your beloved Child, Jesus Christ.
- A: Amen





LORD'S PRAYER (Please stand as you are able)

- P: Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.
- A: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

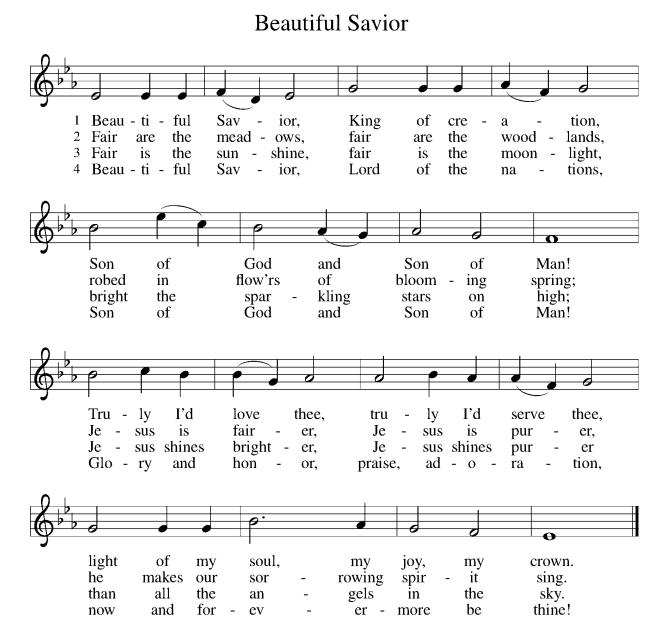
Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

BLESSING

- P: May our glorious God grant you a spirit of wisdom to know and to love the risen Lord Jesus. The God of life, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.
- A: Amen.

SENDING SONG "Beautiful Savior" (all verses)



Text: *Gesangbuch*, Münster, 1677; tr. Joseph A. Seiss, 1823–1904 Music: SCHÖNSTER HERR JESU, Silesian folk tune, 19th cent.

DISMISSAL

- P: Alleluia! Christ is risen.
- A: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!
- P: Go in peace. Share the good news. Alleluia!
- A: Thanks be to God. Alleluia!



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CONTACT INFORMATION

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Scholarship information is available on the website. Anyone who has completed at least one semester of college is eligible. The deadline for applications is May 31st! Also, there is a \$500 scholarship available for any student looking to get their boiler's license, contact Shawna for more information. This has been given in memory of Marv Evenson by his wife Colleen.

Please call if you need anything or have questions

Church Council Members: Kara Hepp, Council President 763-350-0250

Angie Spartz, Congregational Life; Dan Peterson, Missions; Rachel Maguire, Worship & Music; Julie Nielsen, Stewardship; Amanda Saelens, Education; Margaret Bauer, Youth & Family.

Fellowship Café

Meets every Tuesday, 9:30-Noon in Fellowship Hall. The coffee is on, bring your own treat and maybe a project you're working on. If you prefer a board/card game, please bring it along!



ELW Hymnals

We are updating our hymnals!

The new hymnals have a wider variety of hymns included (275 v. 893!) and are associated with the digital worship that we have been using for the past year. With this hymnal we are able to prepare and publish our bulletins with the whole hymns and other worship pieces. These red hymnals are the successor to the green LBW books and are the ones that most ELCA churches are using. They are also more welcoming to visitors. We have some memorial money that we are using to purchase these, but we would ask the congregation to purchase books for \$25

in honor or memory of loved ones.

Contact the office or sign up on Sunday to help us with our outdoor fellowship! We need someone to host the outdoor coffee hour, help serve treats and coffee. Let us know if you have any questions!

- The office is now open Monday-Friday, 9:00am-Noon!
- All gatherings are restricted to 15 or less people.
- Softball sign up is on the kiosk, contact Bruce Riebe with any questions 612-384-9109.

Community Garden

We will be planting the Community Garden soon. If you are interested in helping with the garden, please contact Marcy Stoeckel at 651-338-8986.

PRAYER CONCERNS (Let us know how we can pray for you)

Pray for healing for: Dale Strike, Larry Oliver, Diane Englund, Sharon Johnson, Marsha Weidner, Donnie Weidner, Donnie's sister Kay, Jean Hansen's brother Jim; Marcy Stoeckel's niece Erin, Karen Baker's mom Floy, Dave and Mel Ringstad's friend Sue, Ron Selix's sister Donna, Becky Agranoff's uncle Del, Shawna's dad Mike, Claudia Hanson's friend Beth, Gary Grell's brother Dave, Kent and Joanne Eittreim's friends Scott and Katie, Carol Vogtlin's husband, Jim, Lynn Perrin, Kate Allison, Colleen Evenson, Chris Rowe's brother Bob, Ron Selix, Karen Baker's niece Angie Bentley, Sharon Stanius' sister-in-law Jackie Englund, Therese Cathers, Lisa Gustafson's Uncle Ray, Renae Hooker's cousin Ken Stone, Linda Rouen, Lisa Gustafson's friend Brenda, Donna Larsen's great-niece Mckenna, Lynn Ulwelling, Ted Ericksold