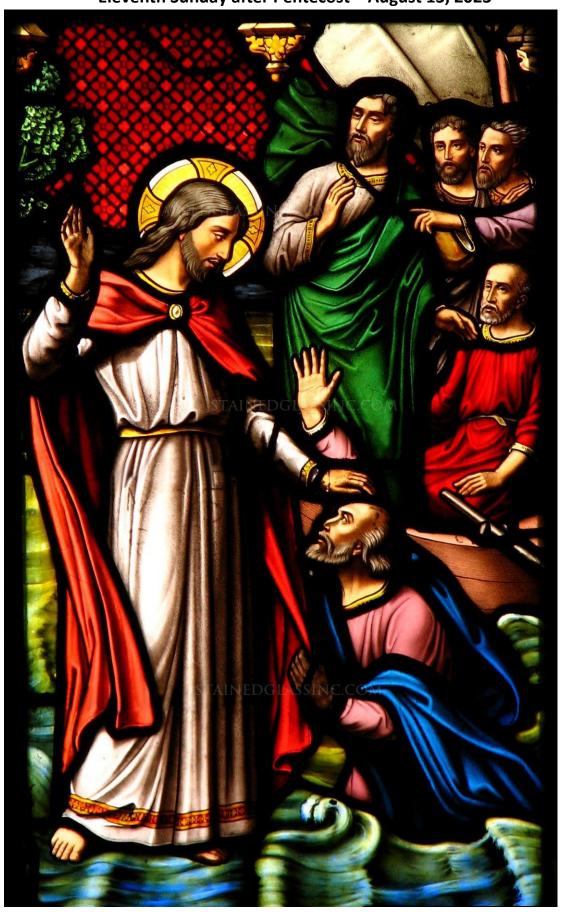
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Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost – August 13, 2023



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11th Sunday after Pentecost

August 13, 2023 10:30 a.m.

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Divine Service 1 - Order of Holy Communion

* = All Stand

PRELUDE

"Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming"

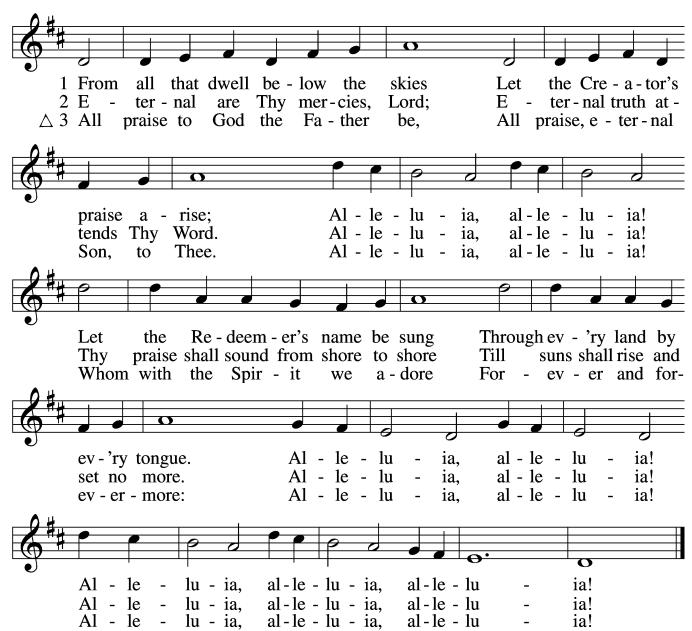
Johannes Brahms

SHARE THE PEACE OF THE LORD

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (10:30 a.m.)

816 From All That Dwell Below the Skies



Stand

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

- P In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.
- 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.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

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

I will bless the LORD at | all times;*

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his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

his praise shall continually be | in my mouth.

Service of the Word

Introit

Psalm 34:4–8; antiphon: v. 1

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I sought the LORD, and he | answered me*
and delivered me from | all my fears.

Those who look to him are | radiant,*
and their faces shall never | be ashamed.

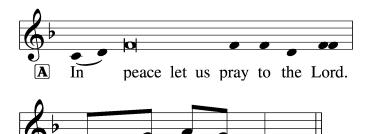
This poor man cried, and the LORD | heard him*
and saved him out of all his | troubles.

The angel of the LORD encamps around those who | fear him,*
and de- | livers them.

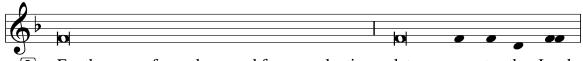
Oh, taste and see that the | LORD is good!*
Blessèd is the man who takes ref- | uge in him!

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.
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Kyrie LSB 152



C Lord, have mer - cy.

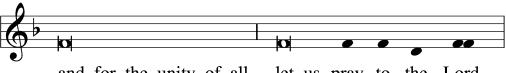


A For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.



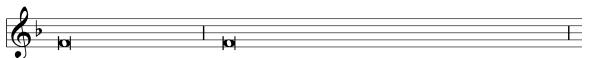


A For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,

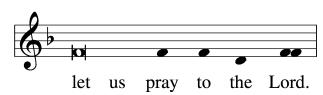


and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.



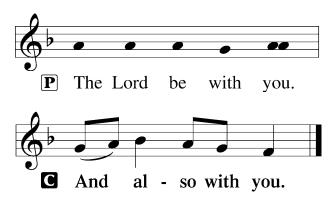


A For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise





Salutation and Collect of the Day



P Let us pray.

Almighty and most merciful God, preserve us from all harm and danger that we, being ready in both body and soul, may cheerfully accomplish what You want done; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Sit

Old Testament Reading

Job 38:4-18

⁴[The Lord said to Job:] "Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding.

⁵Who determined its measurements—surely you know!

Or who stretched the line upon it?

⁶On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone,

⁷when the morning stars sang together and all the sons of God shouted for joy?

8"Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb,

⁹when I made clouds its garment and thick darkness its swaddling band,

¹⁰and prescribed limits for it and set bars and doors,

¹¹and said, 'Thus far shall you come, and no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stayed'?

¹²"Have you commanded the morning since your days began, and caused the dawn to know its place,

¹³that it might take hold of the skirts of the earth, and the wicked be shaken out of it?

¹⁴It is changed like clay under the seal, and its features stand out like a garment.

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15From the wicked their light is withheld, and their uplifted arm is broken.
16"Have you entered into the springs of the sea, or walked in the recesses of the deep?
17Have the gates of death been revealed to you, or have you seen the gates of deep darkness?
18Have you comprehended the expanse of the earth? Declare, if you know all this."
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A This is the Word of the Lord.

as it was in the be- | ginning,*

is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

C Thanks be to God.

Psalm

Psalm 18:1-6; antiphon: v. 46

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<sup>1</sup>I | love you,*
  O LORD, my strength.
<sup>2</sup>The Lord is my rock and my fortress and my de- | liverer,*
  my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge.
  my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold.
<sup>3</sup>I call upon the LORD, who is worthy to be praised,*
  and I am saved from my enemies.
<sup>4</sup>The cords of death en- | compassed me;*
  the torrents of destruction as- | sailed me;
5the cords of Sheol en- | tangled me;*
  the snares of death con- | fronted me.
<sup>6</sup>In my distress I called upon the LORD;
  to my God I | cried for help.*
From his temple he heard my voice,
  and my cry to him | reached his ears.
Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
  and to the Holy | Spirit;
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Epistle Romans 10:5–17

⁵Moses writes about the righteousness that is based on the law, that the person who does the commandments shall live by them. ⁶But the righteousness based on faith says, "Do not say in your heart, 'Who will ascend into heaven?'" (that is, to bring Christ down) ⁷or "Who will descend into the abyss?'" (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). ⁸But what does it say? "The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart" (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); ⁹because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved. ¹¹For the Scripture says,

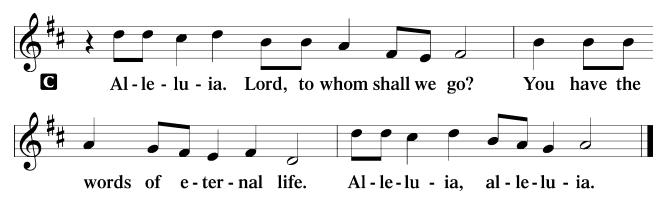
"Everyone who believes in him will not be put to shame." ¹²For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all, bestowing his riches on all who call on him. ¹³For "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

¹⁴But how are they to call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? ¹⁵And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!" ¹⁶But they have not all obeyed the gospel. For Isaiah says, "Lord, who has believed what he has heard from us?" ¹⁷So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Alleluia and Verse LSB 156



Holy Gospel Matthew 14:22–33

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fourteenth chapter.



²²Immediately [Jesus] made the disciples get into the boat and go before him to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. ²³And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up on the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, ²⁴but the boat by this time was a long way from the land, beaten by the waves, for the wind was against them. ²⁵And in the fourth watch of the night he came to them, walking on the sea. ²⁶But when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were terrified, and said, "It is a ghost!" and they cried out in fear. ²⁷But immediately Jesus spoke to them, saying, "Take heart; it is I. Do not be afraid."

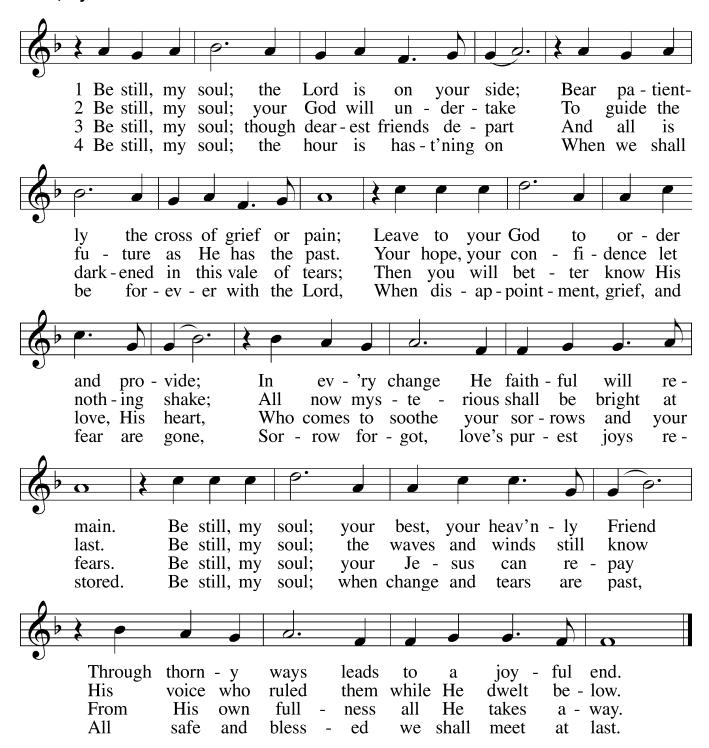
²⁸And Peter answered him, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." ²⁹He said, "Come." So Peter got out of the boat and walked on the water and came to Jesus. ³⁰But when he saw the wind, he was afraid, and beginning to sink he cried out, "Lord, save me." ³¹Jesus immediately reached out his hand and took hold of him, saying to him, "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?" ³²And when they got into the boat, the wind ceased. ³³And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, "Truly you are the Son of God."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Sit

752 Be Still, My Soul



TITLE OF THE SERMON:

"TAKE HEART – DO NOT BE AFRAID!"

TEXT: Matthew 14:22-33 and Romans 10:5-17 DATE: 8-13-23

LITURGICAL DAY: 11th Sunday after Pentecost

Theme: Since Jesus is the Son of God, you can take heart and not be afraid!

You can cry out to Jesus, "Lord save me!"

I. JESUS PRAYED ON THE MOUNTAINSIDE

II. JESUS WALKED ON THE LAKE

III. JESUS REACHED OUT TO SAVE PETER

CONCLUSION: To be of little faith is to doubt Jesus and His Word.

(We confess and believe that Jesus is Lord. Pastors have been sent to us so that the Gospel has been preached, we have heard, we have believed and we can call on the name of the Lord. Through his death and resurrection and by faith in his name

we are justified and saved)

He speaks to us, reaches out and catches us

in baptism, preaching / teaching, absolution and communion.

We worship Him as the Son of God in human flesh! We are not afraid!

We have faith in Jesus and believe His Word - so take heart and call out - Lord save me!

HOLY COMMUNION POLICY:

Holy Communion is administered to Lutheran Church Missouri Synod members and LCMS guests who have been instructed, catechized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith.

If you are visiting, please speak to the Elder of the day, or to the Pastor

about receiving the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

ATTENDANCE AND COMMUNION REGISTRATION:

During the gathering of the Offerings, members and visitors please pick up the Ritual of Friendship pad at the end of the pew, take out a white (member) or tan (visitor) sheet and pass the pad down the pew to the people sitting next to you.

Please fill out the date, address and phone number information as well as e-mail addresses.

The sheets will be collected in the baskets in the narthex as you leave. Thank you!

Stand

Nicene Creed

C 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 Spirit 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 sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds 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 in 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.

Prayer of the Church

Note: If you would like a prayer included in the Divine Service today, please fill out the form and hand it to the elder or usher at the beginning of the service. You may also call the church office, e-mail, or leave a message on the answering machine for special prayers.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH, SUNDAY, AUGUST 13, 2023

In the Hospital OR Receiving Treatments OR Recuperating:

Jim & Patsy Turnpaugh, Madisen Lemke, Arlesa Tarver, Amy Johnson, Kandie Darmody, Larry Miller, Gary Brosowske

Other Needs We Pray for

* Trinity Lutheran Church, Early Childhood & Campus Ministries* Pray for Rain

Military Service Members & their Families

Mike Gobble, Emily Shelton, Alex Laffin, Ricardo Bitanga, Danny Greene, Courtney Tate, Eli Wiley

Police and Firefighters

Birthdays

Marcia Gillis	8/13	Leah Haxton	8/14
Leah Haxton	8/14	John Eisenbraun	8/16
Deborah Stratmoen	8/16	Ashley Wilson	8/16
Caleb Hartman	8/17	Aaron Lee	8/17
Jamie Huntley	8/17	Lexi Merchant	8/18
Rowan Ullman	8/18	Keagan Hager	8/19

<u>Anniversaries</u>	<u>Years</u>	
Rev. Myron & Dorothy Maltz	8/15/1965	58
Steve & Tammy Lemke	8/16/1980	43
Ken & Pat Ortgies	8/18/1951	72

Missions

The Rev. Samuel and Erica Bobby serve the Lord through The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS) in Riga, Latvia. In this role, Sam teaches at the Luther Academy, the seminary of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Latvia. He also serves as a missionary pastor to the area.

Sit Offering

(Fill out the **Ritual of Friendship** sheet and place it in the baskets in the narthex as you leave. Place your offerings in the offering plates as they are passed down the pew)

We thank you for presenting your weekly offerings

to the church in one of four ways:

- 1. Place your offerings in the offering plates that are passed down the pew
 - 2. Mail your offering envelopes to the Church Office
 - 3. Bring your Offerings to the Church Office
- You may place your offering in the wooden box on the bench by the glass doors.
 - 4. Use the "Simply Giving" service to give your offerings digitally online.

 Thank you to everyone for faithfully supporting our ministry here

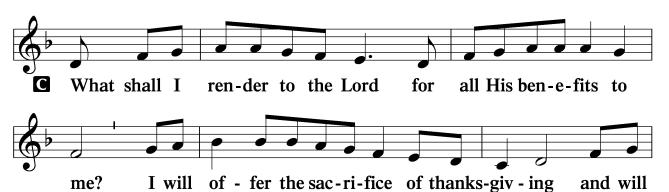
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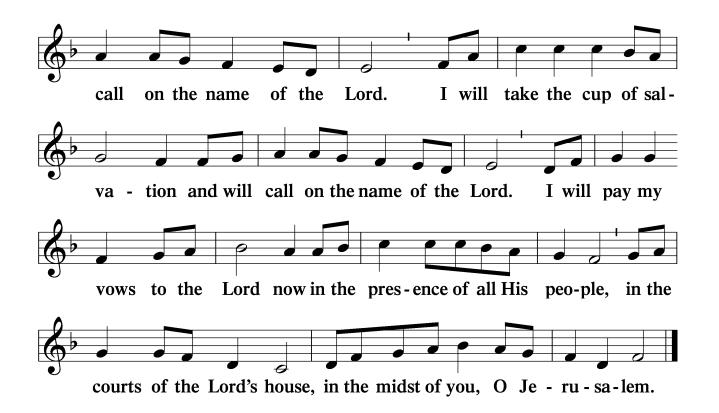
"Oh, Worship the King"

Carl Schalk

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Service of the Sacrament

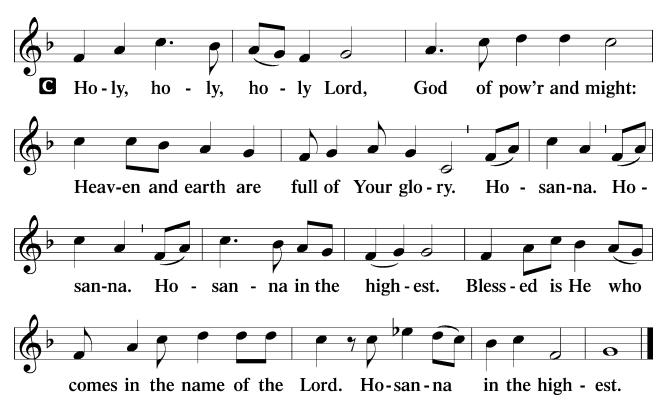
Preface LSB 160





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 on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. 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 LSB 161



Prayer of Thanksgiving

LSB 161

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.

Lord's Prayer

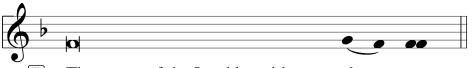
C Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name,
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done on earth
as it is in heaven;
give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom
and the power and the glory
forever and ever. Amen.

The Words of Our Lord

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini LSB 163

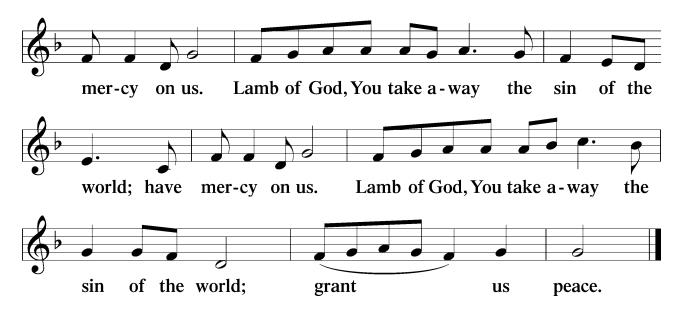


P The peace of the Lord be with you al - ways.



Agnus Dei LSB 163





Sit Distribution

The pastor and those who assist him receive the body and blood of Christ first and then distribute them to those who come to receive, saying:

Take, eat; this is the true body of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, given into death for your sins.

Amen.

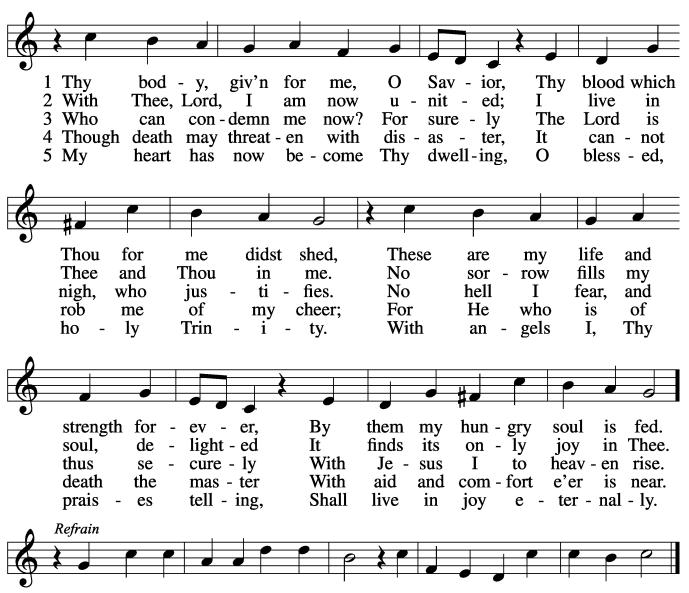
Take, drink; this is the true blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, shed for the forgiveness of your sins.

Amen.

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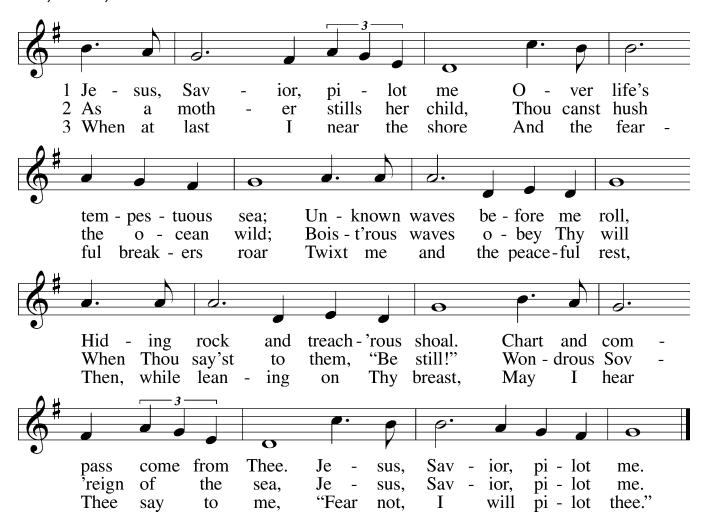
- P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart T in peace.
- C Amen.

619 Thy Body, Given for Me, O Savior

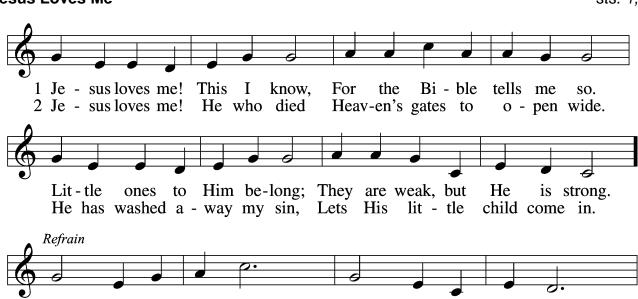


Lord, may Thy bod-y and Thy blood Be for my soul the high-est good!

715 Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me



588 Jesus Loves Me sts. 1, ref, 2



Yes.

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Bi - ble tells me

loves me!

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SO.

722 Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me

Yes.

Yes.

Je - sus loves me!

Je - sus loves me!



Thank the Lord LSB 164



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



Post-Communion Collect

A 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 in 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.



Benediction LSB 166



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.



717 Eternal Father, Strong to Save



- 3a Most Holy Spirit, who didst brood
 Upon the chaos dark and rude,
 And bid its angry tumult cease,
 And give, for wild confusion, peace:
 O hear us when we cry to Thee
 For those in peril on the sea.
- 4 O Trinity of love and pow'r,
 Our people shield in danger's hour;
 From rock and tempest, fire and foe,
 Protect them wheresoe'er they go;
 Thus evermore shall rise to Thee
 Glad praise from air and land and sea.



POSTLUDE

"Oh, Sing Jubilee to the Lord"

Wilbur Held