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Divine Service III

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

July 14, 2024



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Stand

Confession and Absolution

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

In the name of the Father and of the \(\mathbb{Y} \) Son and of the Holy Spirit. P:

C: Amen.

P: Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

- P: Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- C: who made heaven and earth.
- P: I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- C: and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

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

- P: O almighty God, merciful Father,
- C: I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.
- P: Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the \(\mathbb{H} \) Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C: Amen.

Introit

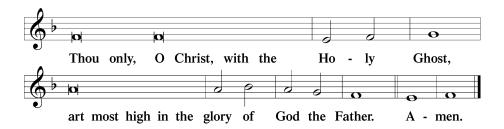
Service of the Word

Service of the word

Psalm 143:1-2, 8a; antiphon: v. 11

- P: For your name's sake, O LORD, preserve my life!
- C: In your righteousness bring my soul out of trouble!
- P: Hear my prayer, O LORD; give ear to my pleas for mercy!
- C: In your faithfulness answer me, in your righteousness!
- P: Enter not into judgment with your servant,
- C: for no one living is righteous before you.
- P: Let me hear in the morning of your steadfast love,
- C: for in you I trust.
- ALL: 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: For your name's sake, O LORD, preserve my life!
- C: In your righteousness bring my soul out of trouble!





Salutation and Collect of the Day

P: The Lord be with you.



P: Let us pray... one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Amos 7:7-15

⁷This is what [the Lord God] showed me: behold, the Lord was standing beside a wall built with a plumb line, with a plumb line in his hand. ⁸And the LORD said to me, "Amos, what do you see?" And I said, "A plumb line." Then the Lord said,

"Behold, I am setting a plumb line in the midst of my people Israel; I will never again pass by them; 9the high places of Isaac shall be made desolate, and the sanctuaries of Israel shall be laid waste, and I will rise against the house of Jeroboam with the sword."

¹⁰Then Amaziah the priest of Bethel sent to Jeroboam king of Israel, saying, "Amos has conspired against you in the midst of the house of Israel. The land is not able to bear all his words. ¹¹For thus Amos has said,

""Jeroboam shall die by the sword, and Israel must go into exile away from his land.""

¹²And Amaziah said to Amos, "O seer, go, flee away to the land of Judah, and eat bread there, and prophesy there, ¹³but never again prophesy at Bethel, for it is the king's sanctuary, and it is a temple of the kingdom."

¹⁴Then Amos answered and said to Amaziah, "I was no prophet, nor a prophet's son, but I was a herdsman and a dresser of sycamore figs.

¹⁵But the LORD took me from following the flock, and the LORD said to me, 'Go, prophesy to my people Israel."'

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Memory Verse

Acts 2:38-39

All: I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world."

Epistle Ephesians 1:3–14

³Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, ⁴even as he chose us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. In love ⁵he predestined us for adoption as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will, ⁶to the praise of his glorious grace, with which he has blessed us in the Beloved. ⁷In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, ⁸which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight ⁹making known to us the mystery of his will, according to his purpose, which he set forth in Christ ¹⁰as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth.

¹¹In him we have obtained an inheritance, having been predestined according to the purpose of him who works all things according to the counsel of his will, ¹²so that we who were the first to hope in Christ might be to the praise of his glory. ¹³In him you also, when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and believed in him, were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit, ¹⁴who is the guarantee of our inheritance until we acquire possession of it, to the praise of his glory.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Stand





Holy Gospel Mark 6:14-29

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the sixth chapter.



¹⁴King Herod heard of it, for Jesus' name had become known. Some said, "John the Baptist has been raised from the dead. That is why these miraculous powers are at work in him." ¹⁵But others said, "He is Elijah." And others said, "He is a prophet, like one of the prophets of old." ¹⁶But when Herod heard of it, he said, "John, whom I beheaded, has been raised." ¹⁷For it was Herod who had sent and seized John and bound him in prison for the sake of Herodias, his brother Philip's wife, because he had married her. ¹⁸For John had been saying to Herod, "It is not lawful for you to have your brother's wife." ¹⁹And Herodias had a grudge against him and wanted to put him to death. But she could not, ²⁰for Herod feared John, knowing that he was a righteous and holy man, and he kept him safe. When he heard him, he was greatly perplexed, and yet he heard him gladly.

²¹But an opportunity came when Herod on his birthday gave a banquet for his nobles and military commanders and the leading men of Galilee. ²²For when Herodias's daughter came in and danced, she pleased Herod and his guests. And the king said to the girl, "Ask me for whatever you wish, and I will give it to you." ²³And he vowed to her, "Whatever you ask me, I will give you, up to half of my kingdom." ²⁴And she went out and said to her mother, "For what should I ask?" And she said, "The head of John the Baptist." ²⁵And she came in immediately with haste to the king and asked, saying, "I want you to give me at once the head of John the Baptist on a platter." ²⁶And the king was exceedingly sorry, but because of his oaths and his guests he did not want to break his word to her. ²⁷And immediately the king sent an executioner with orders to bring John's head. He went and beheaded him in the prison ²⁸and brought his head on a platter and gave it to the girl, and the girl gave it to her mother. ²⁹When his disciples heard of it, they came and took his body and laid it in a tomb.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Nicene Creed

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 \maltese of the world to come. Amen.





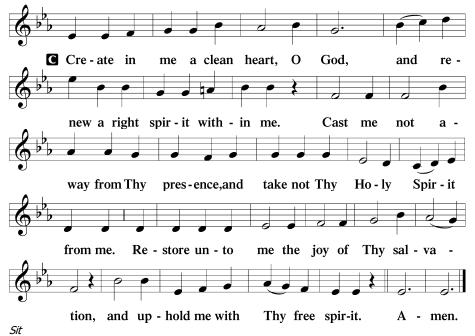
Sermon

Stand

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your P: hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

C: Amen.

Offertory



Offering

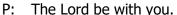
Reception of New Members

Stand

Prayer of the Church

Service of the Sacrament

Preface

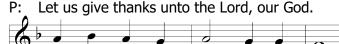




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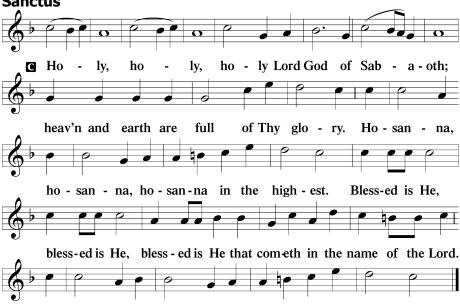
We lift them up un - to the Lord.



do. It is meet and right SO to C

P: It is truly meet, right, and salutary ... evermore praising You and saying:





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

Lord's Prayer

Matthew 6:9-13

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.

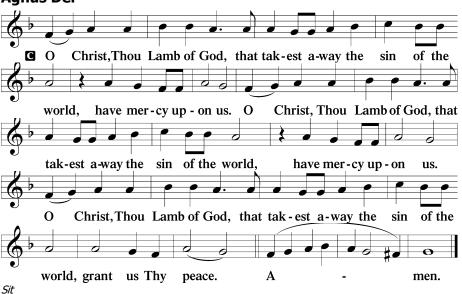
The Words of Our Lord

Pax Domini

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







THE DISTRIBUTION As we come to the altar, we come confessing our sins, looking to Christ for forgiveness, asking the Holy Spirit to change our sinful lives, and recognizing Christ's body and blood in the bread and wine.

In faithfulness to God's Word, our congregation practices close communion. We invite to our altar all who have confirmed their faith with us before a Lutheran Church Missouri Synod congregation or who have met with Pastor. Our practice in no way implies that people of other denominations are not Christians but allows us to maintain a clear confession of our faith and affords proper pastoral care of individuals.

Distribution Hymns

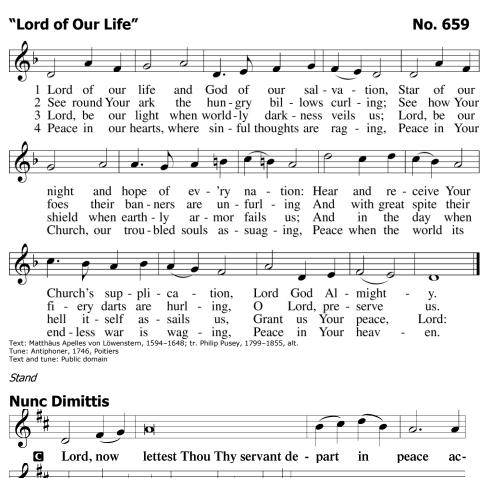




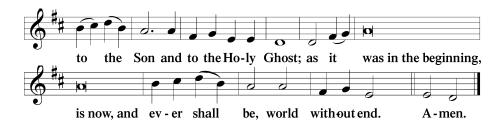
- 5 It bears to all the tidings glad And bids their hearts no more be sad; The weary, burdened souls it cheers And banishes their guilty fears.
- 6 May we in faith its message learn Nor thanklessly its blessings spurn; May we in faith its truth confess And praise the Lord, our righteousness.

Text: Matthias Loy, 1828-1915, alt.



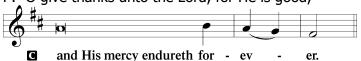






Thanksgiving

P: O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,



P: Let us pray... one God, now and forever.

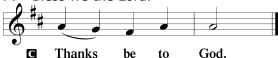
C: Amen.

P: The Lord be with you.



Benedicamus

P: Bless we the Lord.



Benediction

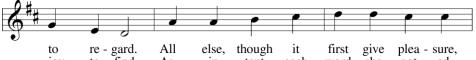
P: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ♣ give you peace.



Sit



- 1 One thing's need ful; Lord, this trea sure Teach me high ly 2 How were Mar - y's thoughts de - vot - ed Her e - ter - nal
- 3 Wis dom's high est, no blest trea sure, Je sus, is re-
- 4 Noth ing have I, Christ, to of fer, You a lone, my
- 5 There-fore You a lone, my Sav ior, Shall be all in



find in - tent each word she joy to As not - ed, You. find in You vealed in Let plea - sure. me mv high - est good. Noth - ing have I. Lord. prof - fer to be - hav - ior, all me; Search my heart and my



Is yoke press - es hard! a that At her Sav - ior's feet re - clined! And my way - ward will sub - due, crim - son - col - ored blood. Your Root out all hy - poc - ri - sy.

Be - neath it the How kin - dled her Hu - mil - i - ty Your death on the Through all my life's



heart is still fret-ting and striv-ing, No true, last-ing hap - pi - ness heart, how de - vout was its feel-ing, While hear-ing the les - sons that there and sim - plic - i - ty reign-ing, In paths of true wis - dom my cross has death whol-ly de - feat - ed And there - by my righ - teous-ness pil - grim-age, guard and up-hold me, In lov - ing for-give - ness, O



ev - er de - riv - ing. This one thing is need-ful; all oth - ers are Christ was re - veal-ing! All earth - ly con-cerns she for - got for her steps ev - er train-ing. If I learn from Je - sus this knowl-edge diful - ly com-plet - ed; Sal - va-tion's white rai-ments I there did ob Je - sus, en - fold me. This one thing is need-ful; all oth - ers are



Christ may ment in His Word. Lord And found her con-tent hear - ing vine, The bless - ing of heav en - ly wis - dom is mine. tain. And in them in glo ry with You Ι shall reign. but loss count all that I Christ may ob - tain!

Text: Johann Heinrich Schröder, 1667–99; tr. Frances E. Cox, 1812–97, alt. Tune: Adam Krieger, 1634–66

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- THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the glory of God by Becky & Kenny Wiiest in honor of Emma's Birthday
- IN OUR PRAYERS we remember all who are ill or under medical care, Marty Villars, Barbara Elliott, Deanna Hegedus, Diana Trent, Barb Sweet, Randy Sweet, Bob Feasel, Sue Krueger, Marcie Wellday (close friend of Deanna Hegedus), Dana Anderson (brother-in-law to Sheryl Harper), Joelyn Squires, Janet Shrewsberry (Ray Pool's sister), Tyler Voegele (close relative of Patty Tharp, Bill Sadler (Sheryl Harper's uncle), Clara Hays (Norman & Sarah Hays' daughter), Freida Kahle (wife of Gary), Nancy Pond.

"Dear saints at Redeemer,

Thank you so much for your kindness in welcoming us into your church family. We were awed and encouraged by the help and support we've received from you since coming here. We appreciate the incredible help with moving in and the food you provided us as we got settled. Thank you also for the wonderful gifts you gave to welcome us. The washer and dryer, the laundry basket full of home goods, the gift card basket, the Kansas bag, the communion set, and the devotional set for Sarah will all be so helpful in our life here with you in Kansas. Thank you for all your work to make the ordination service and meal happen and run smoothly. It was a beautiful day that we'll remember forever.

We look forward to the time we'll get to spend together around God's Word. It's an happer to serve you. We pray that God's Word would dwell

We look forward to the time we'll get to spend together around God's Word. It's an honor to serve you. We pray that God's Word would dwell among us richly.

God's richest blessings to you all, Pastor and Sarah Warneke

Traveling Bulletin – Jim & Teresa Holloway from Trinity Lutheran Church & School in Winfield, KS

THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER

TODAY: 9:00 am Adult Sunday School

10:15 am Divine Service with Holy Communion

MONDAY: SCRIBE NEWS DUE

WEDNESDAY: 7:00 pm Elders' Meeting
NEXT SUNDAY: 9:00 am Adult Sunday School

10:15 am Divine Service without Holy Communion

8:00 am Lutheran Hour on 1280 AM 10:30 am Lutheran Hour on 95.9 FM

THOSE SERVING AT REDEEMER

Officiating Elder: Duane Oestmann

Greeter: Val Rush

Altar Committee: Ellen Kelly, Michele Zimmerman, Nancy Pond

<u>STEWARDSHIP</u>

July 7, 2024 – Worship – 71

Budget Needs Weekly - \$2,922.58 Home Budget Offering - \$4,298.00

Missions - \$300.00 Endowment - \$100.00

July 7, 2024 – Ordination & Installation Service Kansas District Scholarship Fund - \$774.00