



**Our Redeemer Lutheran Church
Jackson, Minnesota**

**The Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost
LWML Sunday
October 10, 2021**

Welcome to this Divine Service. We gather in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Please sign the attendance card in pew and place in offering plate.



Prelude and Ringing of the Bell

Adult Choir “We Are Your People, O Lord!” **Adult Choir**

Hymn “Thee Will I Love, My Strength, My Tower” **694**

Confession and Absolution **184-185**

Introit **Ps. 112:3-6; antiphon: Ps. 112:1**

P Praise the LORD! Blessed is the man who fears the LORD,

C **who greatly delights in his commandments!**

P Wealth and riches are in his house,

C **and his righteousness endures forever.**

P Light dawns in the darkness for the upright;

C **he is gracious, merciful, and righteous.**

P It is well with the man who deals generously and lends;

C **who conducts his affairs with justice.**

P For the righteous will never be moved;

C **he will be remembered forever.**

**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.**

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C **who greatly delights in his commandments!**

**Kyrie, Gloria in Excelsis,
Salutation and Collect of the Day**

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P The Lord be with you.

C (*sung*) **And with thy spirit.**

P Let us pray. Lord Jesus Christ, whose grace always precedes and follows us, help us to forsake all trust in earthly gain and to find in You our heavenly treasure; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C (*sung*) **Amen.**

Old Testament Reading

Amos 5:6–7, 10–15 ESV

- ⁶ Seek the LORD and live,
lest he break out like fire in the house of Joseph,
and it devour, with none to quench it for Bethel,
- ⁷ O you who turn justice to wormwood
and cast down righteousness to the earth!
- ¹⁰ They hate him who reproves in the gate,
and they abhor him who speaks the truth.
- ¹¹ Therefore because you trample on the poor
and you exact taxes of grain from him,
you have built houses of hewn stone,
but you shall not dwell in them;
you have planted pleasant vineyards,
but you shall not drink their wine.
- ¹² For I know how many are your transgressions
and how great are your sins—
you who afflict the righteous, who take a bribe,
and turn aside the needy in the gate.
- ¹³ Therefore he who is prudent will keep silent in such a time,
for it is an evil time.
- ¹⁴ Seek good, and not evil,
that you may live;
and so the LORD, the God of hosts, will be with you,
as you have said.
- ¹⁵ Hate evil, and love good,
and establish justice in the gate;
it may be that the LORD, the God of hosts,
will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph.

P This is the Word of the Lord. **C** **Thanks be to God.**

P He will command his angels concerning you

C to guard you in all your ways.

P Bless the LORD, O my soul,

C and all that is within me, bless his holy name!

Epistle

Hebrews 3:12–19 ESV

¹² Take care, brothers, lest there be in any of you an evil, unbelieving heart, leading you to fall away from the living God. ¹³ But exhort one another every day, as long as it is called “today,” that none of you may be hardened by the deceitfulness of sin. ¹⁴ For we have come to share in Christ, if indeed we hold our original confidence firm to the end. ¹⁵ As it is said,

“Today, if you hear his voice,
do not harden your hearts as in the rebellion.”

¹⁶ For who were those who heard and yet rebelled? Was it not all those who left Egypt led by Moses? ¹⁷ And with whom was he provoked for forty years? Was it not with those who sinned, whose bodies fell in the wilderness? ¹⁸ And to whom did he swear that they would not enter his rest, but to those who were disobedient? ¹⁹ So we see that they were unable to enter because of unbelief.

P This is the Word of the Lord. **C** Thanks be to God.

Alleluia

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Holy Gospel

St. Mark 10:17–22 ESV

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

C Glory to You, O Lord.

¹⁷ As [Jesus] was setting out on his journey, a man ran up and knelt before him and asked him, “Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?” ¹⁸ And Jesus said to him, “Why do you call me good? No one is good except God alone. ¹⁹ You know the commandments: ‘Do not murder, Do not commit adultery, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Do not defraud, Honor your father and mother.’ ” ²⁰ And he said to him, “Teacher, all these I have kept from my youth.” ²¹ And Jesus, looking at him, loved him, and said to him, “You lack one thing: go, sell all that you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me.” ²² Disheartened by the saying, he went away sorrowful, for he had great possessions.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord. **C** Praise to You, O Christ.

Hymn**“Serve the Lord with Gladness”**

“Serve the Lord with gladness!” It is He alone
Who redeemed us sinners, Guides us as His own
To enjoy the blessings Of His love and grace,
Will at last in glory Meet us face to face.
Onward, then, for Jesus! Let this be our aim:
“Serve the Lord with gladness!” Glorify His name!

“Serve the Lord with gladness!” He gave us command
To proclaim His Gospel Now in every land
So that fellow sinners May, like we, be blest.
Leading them to Jesus, We can serve Him best.
Onward, then, for Jesus! Let this be our aim:
“Serve the Lord with gladness!” Glorify His name!

“Serve the Lord with gladness!” There’s no greater joy
Than to serve the Master, Work in His employ.
As He builds His kingdom, Angels, too, rejoice
Over every sinner Brought to hear His voice.
Onward, then, for Jesus! Let this be our aim:
“Serve the Lord with gladness!” Glorify His name!

Sermon**St. Mark 10:17–22****“Jesus’ Goodness for Your Gladness”****LWML Pledge**

In fervent gratitude for the Savior's dying love and His blood-bought gift of redemption, we dedicate ourselves to Him with all that we are and have; and in obedience to His call for workers in the harvest fields, we pledge Him our willing service wherever and whenever He has need of us. We consecrate to our Savior our hands to work for Him, our feet to go on His errands, our voice to sing His praises, our lips to proclaim His redeeming love, our silver and our gold to extend His Kingdom, our will to do His will, and every power of our life to the great task of bringing the lost and the erring into eternal fellowship with Him.
Amen.

Offertory and Offering**192-193****Prayer of the Church***Karen Temple, Sharon Henning, Isaac Adkins (great-nephew of the Onken*

sisters), Lorna Nielsen, Jane Henning, Heather Muir (Mary Muir's stepdaughter), Rose Baerg (Mark Oeltjenbruns's aunt), Ron Kloos, Barney Olson, Travus Mekosch, Kim Nesmoe. We remember in our prayers Caleb Hakes, who is fighting the Dixie fire in California.

Petitions conclude:

P . . . Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

Final petition:

P Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C Amen.

Hymn "We Give Thee But Thine Own"

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The Lord's Prayer

Collect

P Almighty God, You have called Your Church to witness that in Christ You have reconciled us to Yourself. Grant that by Your Holy Spirit we may proclaim the good news of Your salvation so that all who hear it may receive the gift of salvation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C (*sung*) Amen.

Salutation, Benedicamus, and Benediction

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Hymn "Oh, That the Lord Would Guide My Ways"

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Postlude



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