

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church Jackson, Minnesota

"Bringing Jesus to Jackson"

The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost July 17, 2022

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.

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Prelude and Ringing of the Bell

Hymn "For All the Faithful Women" **855**

855 vv. 1, 9, 3, 4

Confession and Absolution

- **L** In the name of the Father and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.
- L Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- C who made heaven and earth.
- **L** If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?
- **©** But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.
- L Since we are gathered to hear God's Word and call upon Him in prayer and praise, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.
- Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.
- L Almighty God, merciful Father, in Holy Baptism You declared us to be Your children and gathered us into Your one, holy Church, in which You daily and richly forgive us our sins and grant us new life through Your Spirit. Be in our midst, enliven our faith, and graciously receive our prayer and praise; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.
- C Amen.

Introit Ps. 119:57-60, 64; antiphon: Ps. 119:105

- L Your word is a lamp to my feet
- **C** and a light to my path.

- **L** The Lord is my portion;
- **C** I promise to keep your words.
- **L** I entreat your favor with all my heart;
- **©** be gracious to me according to your promise.
- L When I think on my ways,
- **C** I turn my feet to your testimonies;
- **L** I hasten and do not delay
- **C** to keep your commandments.
- **L** The earth, O Lord, is full of your steadfast love;
- 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.
- L Your word is a lamp to my feet
- **C** and a light to my path.

Kyrie, Gloria in Excelsis

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Salutation and Collect of the Day

- **L** O Lord, hear my prayer.
- **C** And let my cry come to You.
- Let us pray. . . through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C Amen.

Old Testament Reading

Genesis 18:1–10a ESV

¹The Lord appeared to [Abraham] by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the door of his tent in the heat of the day. ²He lifted up his eyes and looked, and behold, three men were standing in front of him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent door to meet them and bowed himself to the earth ³ and said, "O Lord, if I have found favor in your sight, do not pass by your servant. ⁴Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree, ⁵ while I bring a morsel of bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant." So they said, "Do as you have said." ⁶ And Abraham went quickly into the tent to Sarah and said, "Quick! Three seahs of fine flour! Knead it, and make cakes." ⁶ And Abraham ran to the herd and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to a young man, who prepared it quickly. § Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them. And he stood by them under the tree while they ate.

⁹ They said to him, "Where is Sarah your wife?" And he said, "She is in the tent." ¹⁰ The Lord said, "I will surely return to you about this time

next year, and Sarah your wife shall have a son."

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

Gradual

Romans 10:15b, 18b; Isaiah 52:7b, alt.

- L How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news,
- **C** who publish peace and bring good news of salvation.
- **L** Their voice has gone out to all the earth,
- **C** and their words to the ends of the world.

Epistle

Colossians 1:21–29 ESV

²¹ You, who once were alienated and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, ²² he has now reconciled in his body of flesh by his death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach before him, ²³ if indeed you continue in the faith, stable and steadfast, not shifting from the hope of the gospel that you heard, which has been proclaimed in all creation under heaven, and of which I, Paul, became a minister.

²⁴ Now I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am filling up what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the church, ²⁵ of which I became a minister according to the stewardship from God that was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known, ²⁶ the mystery hidden for ages and generations but now revealed to his saints. ²⁷ To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. ²⁸ Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ. ²⁹ For this I toil, struggling with all his energy that he powerfully works within me.

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

Alleluia and Verse

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Holy Gospel

St. Luke 10:38-42 ESV

L The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the tenth chapter.

C Glory to You, O Lord.

³⁸ Now as they went on their way, Jesus entered a village. And a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. ³⁹ And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching. ⁴⁰ But Martha was distracted with much serving. And she went up to him and said, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Tell her then to help me." ⁴¹ But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, ⁴² but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be

taken away from her."

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

Hymn "Lord, Thee I Love with All My Heart"

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Letter from Pastor

St. Luke 10:38-42

"Not Or But And"

Prayer of the Church

Richard Polz, Tyler King (Carol Henning's friend's nephew), Diann Johnson (Bernie Stubbe's sister), Deb Sundahl, Sharon Henning, Jane Henning, Ron Kloos, Barney Olson, Travus Mekosch.

Prayer concludes:

L . . . through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Offering

The Lord's Prayer

Collect and Benediction

- Let us pray. Almighty God . . . through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C Amen.
- **L** The Lord bless us, defend us from all evil, and bring us to everlasting life.
- C Amen.

Closing Hymn

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"God's Word Is Our Great Heritage"

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Thank you to our Lay Ministers Mark Mohr and Mark Oeltjenbruns for leading worship this morning!

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