



Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

Jackson, Minnesota

“Bringing Jesus to Jackson”

The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

October 2, 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.

Communion Policy: In the Lord’s Supper, the Risen Christ gives us His true Body & Blood for the forgiveness of sins and the strengthening of our faith. As we participate in the Lord’s Supper we declare doctrinal unity. Therefore we ask guests who are not members of Our Redeemer Lutheran Church to speak with Pastor before communing with us.

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Prelude and Ringing of the Bell

Hymn “Christ Is Our Cornerstone” **912**

Confession and Absolution **203**

Introit Ps. 119:162, 164, 165, 167; antiphon: Ps. 119:166

P I hope for your salvation, O LORD,

C and I do your commandments.

P I rejoice at your word

C like one who finds great spoil.

P Seven times a day I praise you

C for your righteous rules.

P Great peace have those who love your law;

C nothing can make them stumble.

P My soul keeps your testimonies;

C I love them exceedingly.

**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 I hope for your salvation, O LORD,

C and I do your commandments.

Kyrie, Gloria in Excelsis **204**

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you. **C** And also with you.

P Let us pray. O God, our refuge and strength, the author of all godliness, by Your grace hear the prayers of Your Church. Grant

that those things which we ask in faith we may receive through Your bountiful mercy; 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

Habakkuk 1:1–4; 2:1–4 ESV

- ¹ The oracle that Habakkuk the prophet saw.
- ² O LORD, how long shall I cry for help,
and you will not hear?
Or cry to you “Violence!”
and you will not save?
- ³ Why do you make me see iniquity,
and why do you idly look at wrong?
Destruction and violence are before me;
strife and contention arise.
- ⁴ So the law is paralyzed,
and justice never goes forth.
For the wicked surround the righteous;
so justice goes forth perverted. . . .
- ^{2:1} I will take my stand at my watchpost
and station myself on the tower,
and look out to see what he will say to me,
and what I will answer concerning my complaint.
- ² And the LORD answered me:
“Write the vision;
make it plain on tablets,
so he may run who reads it.
- ³ For still the vision awaits its appointed time;
it hastens to the end—it will not lie.
If it seems slow, wait for it;
it will surely come; it will not delay.
- ⁴ “Behold, his soul is puffed up; it is not upright within him,
but the righteous shall live by his faith.”
- P** This is the Word of the Lord. **C** Thanks be to God.

Gradual

Ps 91:11; 103:1

- 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!

¹ Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God according to the promise of the life that is in Christ Jesus,

² To Timothy, my beloved child:

Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

³ I thank God whom I serve, as did my ancestors, with a clear conscience, as I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day.

⁴ As I remember your tears, I long to see you, that I may be filled with joy. ⁵ I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that dwelt first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, dwells in you as well. ⁶ For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands, ⁷ for God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control.

⁸ Therefore do not be ashamed of the testimony about our Lord, nor of me his prisoner, but share in suffering for the gospel by the power of God, ⁹ who saved us and called us to a holy calling, not because of our works but because of his own purpose and grace, which he gave us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, ¹⁰ and which now has been manifested through the appearing of our Savior Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel, ¹¹ for which I was appointed a preacher and apostle and teacher, ¹² which is why I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know whom I have believed, and I am convinced that he is able to guard until that day what has been entrusted to me. ¹³ Follow the pattern of the sound words that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. ¹⁴ By the Holy Spirit who dwells within us, guard the good deposit entrusted to you.

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

Alleluia and Verse

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Holy Gospel

St. Luke 17:1–10 ESV

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the seventeenth chapter.

C Glory to You, O Lord.

¹ [Jesus] said to his disciples, “Temptations to sin are sure to come, but woe to the one through whom they come! ² It would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck and he were cast into the sea than that he should cause one of these little ones to sin. ³ Pay attention to yourselves! If your brother sins, rebuke him, and if he repents, forgive him, ⁴ and if he sins against you seven times in the day, and turns to you seven times, saying, ‘I repent,’ you must forgive him.”

⁵ The apostles said to the Lord, “Increase our faith!” ⁶ And the Lord said, “If you had faith like a grain of mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, ‘Be uprooted and planted in the sea,’ and it would obey you.

⁷ “Will any one of you who has a servant plowing or keeping sheep say to him when he has come in from the field, ‘Come at once and recline at table’? ⁸ Will he not rather say to him, ‘Prepare supper for me, and dress properly, and serve me while I eat and drink, and afterward you will eat and drink’? ⁹ Does he thank the servant because he did what was commanded? ¹⁰ So you also, when you have done all that you were commanded, say, ‘We are unworthy servants; we have only done what was our duty.’ ”

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

Nicene Creed 206

Hymn “Let Me Be Thine Forever” 689

Sermon “A Gift Meant to Be Used” **2 Timothy 1:1–14**

Prayer of the Church

Gen Rehnehl, Spencer Heser, Nina Walter, Craig Hakes, Evelyn Lucht, Robert Pohlman, Bonnie Temple (Ken and Karen Temple’s daughter-in-law), Tyler King (Carol Henning’s friend’s nephew), Diann Johnson (Bernie Stubbe’s sister), Deb Sundahl, Sharon Henning, Ron Kloos, Barney Olson, Travus Mekosch.

Petitions conclude:

[P] . . . Lord, in Your mercy, **[C]** hear our prayer.

Final petition concludes:

[P] . . . one God, now and forever. **[C]** Amen.

Offering

Service of the Sacrament 208-212

Distribution Hymns 587, 566

Closing Hymn “Heavenly Hosts in Ceaseless Worship” 949

Postlude



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