

5TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
DIVINE SERVICE II
JULY 5, 2020 9:00 A.M.

PRAYER ON ENTERING CHURCH: *“LORD, I love the habitation of Your House and the place where Your Glory Dwells. In the multitude of Your Tender Mercies prepare my heart that I may enter Your House to worship and confess Your Holy Name; through Jesus Christ, my God and LORD.”* (145)

BEFORE WORSHIP: *“O LORD, our Creator, Redeemer, and Comforter, as we come together to worship You in Spirit and in Truth, we humbly pray that You would open our hearts to the preaching of Your Word so that we may repent of our sins, believe in Jesus Christ as our only Savior, and grow in Grace and Holiness. Hear us for His sake, Amen.”* (146)

PRELUDE

OPENING HYMN: *“Father Most Holy”* [LSB: 504]

1.

Father Most Holy, Merciful, and Tender; Jesus, our Savior, with the Father Reigning; Spirit of Comfort, Advocate, Defender, Light never waning;

3.

Maker of all things, all Thy creatures praise Thee; All for Thy worship were and are created; Now, as we also worship Thee devoutly, Hear Thou our voices.

2.

Trinity Blessèd, Unity unshaken, Goodness unbounded, Very God of Heaven, Light of the angels, Joy of those forsaken, Hope of all living,

4. ▲

LORD God Almighty, unto Thee be Glory, One in three persons, over all Exalted! Glory we offer, praise Thee and adore Thee, Now and forever.

✠ SERVICE OF CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION ✠

INVOCATION..... [Pg. 167]

P In the Name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen.

[Matthew 28:19b, 18-20]

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION..... [LSB: pg. 167]

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.**

1 John 1:8-9

P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.
C **Most Merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You I 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.**

ABSOLUTION..... [LSB: pg. 167]

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.

PSALM 145:1-14 (ANTIPHON: V. 19) **P** = Pulpit **C** = Congregation



- P** He fulfills the desire of those who | fear Him;*
He also hears their cry and | Saves them.
I will extol You, my | God and King,*
and bless Your Name Forever and | Ever.
- L** Every day I will | bless You*
and praise Your Name Forever and | Ever.
Great is the Lord, and greatly | to be praised,*
and His Greatness is un- | searchable.
- P** One generation shall commend Your Works to an- | other,*
and shall declare Your | Mighty Acts.
On the Glorious Splendor of Your | Majesty,*
and on Your Wondrous Works, I will | meditate.
- L** They shall speak of the Might of Your | Awesome Deeds,*
and I will declare Your | Greatness.
They shall pour forth the fame of Your Abundant | Goodness*
and shall sing aloud of Your | Righteousness.
- P** The Lord is Gracious and | Merciful,*
slow to anger and abounding in | Steadfast Love.
The Lord is | Good to all,*
and His Mercy is over all that | He has made.
- L** All Your Works shall give thanks to You, | O Lord,*
and all Your saints shall | bless You!
They shall speak of the Glory of Your | Kingdom*
and tell | of Your Power,
- P** to make known to the children of man Your | Mighty Deeds,*
and the Glorious Splendor of Your | Kingdom.
Your Kingdom is an Everlasting | Kingdom,*
and Your Dominion endures throughout all gener- | ations.
- L** The Lord is Faithful in | all His Words*
and kind in | all His Works.
The Lord upholds all who are | falling*
and raises up all who are | bowed down.
- C** 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.
- P** He fulfills the desire of those who | fear Him;*
He also hears their cry and | Saves them.
I will extol You, my | God and King,*
and bless Your Name Forever and | Ever.

☩ SERVICE OF THE WORD ☩

KYRIE ≈ LORD, Have Mercy [Mark 10:47] [LSB: pg. 168]

- A** In peace let us pray to the LORD.
- C** LORD, have Mercy

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

C **LORD, have Mercy**

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**.

C **LORD, have Mercy**

A For this Holy House and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the **LORD**.

C **LORD, have Mercy**

A Help, Save, Comfort, and Defend us, Gracious **LORD**.

C **Amen**

HYMN OF PRAISE: *≈ This is The Feast* [LSB: pg. 171]
Revelation 5:12-13; 19:5-9

P This is the Feast of Victory for our LORD. Alleluia

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY [Pg. 172]

P *Sung:* The LORD be with you. *2 Timothy 4:22*

C **And also with you.**

P Gracious God, our Heavenly Father, Your Mercy attends us all our days. Be our Strength and Support amid the wearisome changes of this world, and at life's end grant us Your Promised Rest and the full Joys of Your Salvation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our LORD, **W** Who Lives and Reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and Forever.

C **Amen.**

ZECHARIAH 9:9–12

“Rejoice greatly, O Daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O Daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your King is coming to you; Righteous and having Salvation is He, Humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. ¹⁰ I will cut off the chariot from Ephraim and the war horse from Jerusalem; and the battle bow shall be cut off, and He shall speak peace to the

nations; His rule shall be from sea to sea, and from the River to the ends of the earth. ¹¹ As for you also, because of the Blood of My Covenant with you, I will set your prisoners free from the waterless pit. ¹² Return to your stronghold, O Prisoners of Hope; today I declare that I will restore to you double.”

A This is the Word of the LORD.

C **Thanks be to God.**

GRADUAL [Pg. 172]

A Great is the LORD and greatly | to be praised*
in the city of our God, his holy | mountain!
As we have heard, so | have we seen*
in the city of the | LORD of hosts.
We have thought on your steadfast love, | O God,*
in the midst of your | temple.
Great is the LORD and greatly | to be praised*
in the city of our God, his holy | mountain!

EPISTLE: *Romans 7:14–25a*

“For we know that the Law is Spiritual, but I am of the flesh, sold under sin. ¹⁵ I do not understand my own actions. For I do not do what I want, but I do the very thing I hate. ¹⁶ Now if I do what I do not want, I agree with the Law, that it is Good. ¹⁷ So now it is no longer I who do it, but sin that dwells within me. ¹⁸ For I know that nothing good dwells in me, that is, in my flesh. For I have the desire to do what is right, but not the

ability to carry it out. ¹⁹ For I do not do the Good I want, but the evil I do not want is what I keep on doing. ²⁰ Now if I do what I do not want, it is no longer I who do it, but sin that dwells within me. ²¹ So I find it to be a Law that when I want to do right, evil lies close at hand. ²² For I delight in the Law of God, in my inner being, ²³ but I see in my members another Law waging war against the Law of my mind and making me

captive to the Law of sin that dwells in my members. ²⁴
Wretched man that I am! Who will deliver me from this
body of death? ²⁵ *Thanks be to God through Jesus*

Christ our LORD!"

A This is the Word of the LORD.

C Thanks be to God.

HOLY GOSPEL: *Matthew 11:25–30*

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

C Glory to you, O LORD.

"At that time Jesus declared, 'I thank You, Father, LORD of Heaven and earth, that You have hidden these things from the wise and understanding and revealed them to little children; ²⁶ yes, Father, for such was Your Gracious Will. ²⁷ All things have been handed over to Me by My Father, and no one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except

the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal Him. ²⁸ Come to Me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you Rest. ²⁹ Take My Yoke upon you, and learn from Me, for I am Gentle and Lowly in heart, and you will find Rest for your souls. ³⁰ For My Yoke is easy, and My Burden is light."

P This is the Gospel of our LORD.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

HYMN OF THE DAY: *"Oh, That the LORD Would Guide My Ways"* [LSB: 707]

1.

**Oh, that the LORD would guide my ways
To keep His Statutes still!
Oh, that my God would grant me Grace
To know and do His Will!**

3.

**Assist my soul, too apt to stray,
A stricter watch to keep;
And should I e'er forget Thy Way,
Restore Thy wand'ring sheep.**

2.

**Order my footsteps by Thy Word
And make my heart sincere;
Let sin have no dominion, LORD,
But keep my conscience clear.**

4.

**Make me to walk in Thy Commands—
'Tis a delightful road—
Nor let my head or heart or hands
Offend against my God.**

SERMON

APOSTLES' CREED [LSB: pg. 175]

C I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our LORD,

Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

Born of the virgin Mary,

Suffered under Pontius Pilate,

Was crucified,

Died,

And was buried.

He descended into hell.

The third day He rose again from the dead.

He ascended into Heaven

and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.

From thence He will come to Judge the living and the dead.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Christian Church, the Communion of saints, the Forgiveness of sins,
the Resurrection of the body, and the Life ☩ Everlasting. Amen.**

Christian: the ancient text reads "catholic," meaning the whole Church as it confesses the wholeness of Christian doctrine

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH [I timothy 2:1-4] [LSB: pg. 175]

POST PRAYER OF THE CHURCH HYMN: *"God Bless Our Native Land"* [LSB: 965]

1.
God bless our native land;
Firm may she ever stand
Through storm and night.
When the wild tempests rave,
Ruler of wind and wave,
Do Thou our country save
By Thy Great Might.

2.
So shall our prayers arise
To God above the skies;
On Him we wait.
Thou Who art ever nigh,
Guarding with watchful eye,
To Thee aloud we cry:
God save the state!

OFFERING & MUSICAL OFFERING

OFFERTORY [*Psalm 116:12-13; 17-19*] [LSB: pg. 176]

- C** What shall I render to the LORD for all His benefits to me?
I will offer the sacrifice of thanksgiving and will call on the Name of the LORD.
I will take the Cup of Salvation and will call on the Name of the LORD.
I will pay my vows to the LORD now in the presence of all His People,
In the courts of the LORD's House, in the midst of you, O Jerusalem.

✠ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT ✠

PREFACE [LSB: pg. 177]

- P** The LORD be with you. *2 Timothy 4:22*
C And also with you.
P Lift up your hearts *Colossians 3:1*
C We lift them to the LORD.
P Let us give thanks to the LORD our God. *Psalms 136*
C It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

PROPER PREFACE (*seasonal*)

- P** It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times...we laud and magnify Your Glorious Name, evermore praising You and saying::

SANCTUS ≈ *Holy, Holy, Holy* [*Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9*] [LSB: pg. 178]

**Holy, Holy, Holy LORD, LORD God of Pow'r and Might:
Heaven and earth are full of Your Glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He Who comes in the Name of the LORD.
Hosanna in the highest.**

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING [LSB: pg. 178]

- P** Blessed are You, LORD of heaven and earth... with all the faithful the Marriage Feast of the Lamb in His Kingdom.
C Amen.

THE WORD'S OF OUR LORD [LSB: pg. 179]

PROCLAMATION OF CHRIST [LSB: pg. 179]

- P** As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the LORD's death until He comes. [*1 Corinthians 11:26*]
C Amen. Come, LORD Jesus. [*Revelation 22:20*]

- P** O LORD Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, in giving us Your Body and Blood to eat and to drink, You lead us to remember and confess Your Holy Cross and Passion, Your Blessed death, Your Rest in the tomb, Your

Resurrection from the dead, Your Ascension into Heaven, and Your Coming for the Final Judgment. So remember us in Your Kingdom and teach us to pray:

LORD'S PRAYER [LSB: pg. 179]

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. *Matthew 6:9-13*

PAX DOMINI ≈ *The Peace of the LORD* [LSB: pg. 180]

P The Peace of the LORD be with you always.
C Amen.

AGNUS DEI ≈ *Lamb of God* [LSB: pg. 180]

C Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have Mercy upon us.
Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world, have Mercy upon us.
Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world, grant us Thy Peace. *John 1:29*

DISTRIBUTION [LSB: pg. 181]

DISTRIBUTION HYMN #1: "*Eternal Father, Strong to Save*" [LSB: 717]

1.
Eternal Father, Strong to Save,
Whose arm hath bound the restless wave, Who
bidd'st the mighty ocean deep Its own
appointed limits keep:
O hear us when we cry to Thee
For those in peril on the sea.

2.
O Christ, Whose voice the waters heard
And hushed their raging at Thy Word, Who
walkedst on the foaming deep And calm amid
its rage didst sleep: O hear us when we cry to
Thee For those in peril on the sea.

3.
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.

DISTRIBUTION HYMN #2: "*LORD Jesus Christ, You Have Prepared*" [LSB: 622]

1.
LORD Jesus Christ, You have prepared
This Feast for our Salvation;
It is Your Body and Your Blood,
And at Your invitation
As weary souls, with sin oppressed,
We come to You for needed rest,
For Comfort, and for Pardon.

2.
Although You did to heav'n Ascend,
Where angel hosts are dwelling,
And in Your presence they behold
Your Glory, all excelling,
And though Your people shall not see
Your Glory and Your Majesty
Till dawns the judgment morning,

3.

Yet, Savior, You are not confined
To any habitation;
But You are present even now
Here with Your congregation.
Firm as a rock this truth shall stand,
Unmoved by any daring hand
Or subtle craft and cunning.

5.

Though reason cannot understand,
Yet faith this Truth embraces:
Your Body, LORD, is even now At once in many
places. I leave to You how this can be;
Your Word alone suffices me;
I trust its Truth unailing.

7.

Grant that we worthily receive
Your Supper, LORD, our Savior,
And, truly grieving for our sins,
May prove by our behavior
That we are thankful for Your Grace
And day by day may run our race,
In holiness increasing.

4.

We eat this bread and drink this cup,
Your precious Word believing
That Your true Body and Your Blood
Our lips are here receiving.
This Word remains forever true;
All things are possible with You,
For You are LORD Almighty.

6.

LORD, I believe what You have said;
Help me when doubts assail me.
Remember that I am but dust,
And let my faith not fail me.
Your Supper in this vale of tears
Refreshes me and stills my fears
And is my Priceless Treasure.

8.

For Your consoling Supper, LORD,
Be praised throughout all ages!
Preserve it, for in ev'ry place
The world against it rages.
Grant that this Sacrament may be
A blessed comfort unto me
When living and when dying.

THE DISMISSAL [LSB: pg. 181]

P The Body and Blood of our LORD Jesus Christ Strengthen and Preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting.
Depart **✠** in Peace. **C** Amen.

POST COMMUNION CANTICLE: [LSB: pg. 182]

C Lord, now You let Your servant go in peace; Your word has been fulfilled. My own eyes have seen the salvation which You have prepared in the sight of every people; A light to reveal You to the nations and the glory of your people Israel. 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.

POST-COMMUNION COLLECT [LSB: pg. 183]

P Let us pray ... Gracious God, our heavenly Father, You have given us a foretaste of the feast to come in the Holy Supper of Your Son's body and blood. Keep us firm in the true faith throughout our days of pilgrimage that, on the day of His coming, we may, together with all Your saints, celebrate the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom which has no end; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, **✠** Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
C Amen.

BENEDICTION [LSB: pg. 183]

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.
C Amen.

CLOSING HYMN: "Before You, LORD, We Bow" [LSB: 966]

1.

Before You, LORD, we bow,
Our God Who Reigns above
And Rules the world below,
Boundless in Pow'r and Love.
Our thanks we bring
In joy and praise,
Our hearts we raise
To You, our King!

3.

May ev'ry mountain height,
Each vale and forest green,
Shine in Your Word's Pure Light,
And its Rich Fruits be seen!
May ev'ry tongue Be tuned to praise
And join to raise A grateful song.

2.

The nation You have blest
May well Your Love declare,
From foes and fears at rest,
Protected by Your Care.
For this bright day,
For this fair land—
Gifts of Your hand—
Our thanks we pay.

4.

Earth, hear your Maker's Voice;
Your Great Redeemer own;
Believe, obey, rejoice,
And worship Him alone.
Cast down your pride, Your sin deplore,
And bow before The Crucified.

5.

And when in Pow'r He comes, Oh, may our native land
From all its rending tombs
Send forth a glorious band, A countless throng,
With joy to sing To Heav'n's High King
Salvation's Song!

POSTLUDE

Thanksgiving after receiving the Sacrament: Almighty and Everlasting God, we thank and praise You for Feeding us the Life-Giving Body and Blood of Your Beloved Son, Jesus Christ. Send us Your Holy Spirit that, having with our mouths received the Holy Sacrament, we may by Faith obtain and Eternally enjoy Your Divine Grace, the Forgiveness of sins, Unity with Christ, and Life Eternal, through Jesus Christ, our LORD. (158)

For blessing on the Word: LORD God, bless Your Word wherever it is proclaimed. Make it a word of power and peace to convert those not yet Your own and to confirm those who have come to saving faith. May Your Word pass from the ear to the heart, from the heart to the lip, and from the lip to the life that, as You have promised, Your Word may achieve the purpose for which You send it; through Jesus Christ, our LORD. (150)