

Take a moment to notice the * at the beginning of various portions of the order of service. The * indicates the place where it is inappropriate to enter or leave the sanctuary because it marks a time of prayer or respect for the Word of the Lord. Please be considerate of others around you by honoring these notations.



When life seems oppressive and burdens weigh us down, it is easy to feel alone, unloved and defeated. As the Lord of Life gives us His body and blood in the Lord’s Supper, however, we are reminded that we are not alone, that we are deeply loved, and that in Christ we have the victory! For Scriptural reasons, we practice close communion. If you do not belong to a congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, we invite you to join our communion fellowship. For details, please speak or make an appointment with Pastor Kane through the church office (319) 235-6705.

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
Jesus Makes Fishers of Men

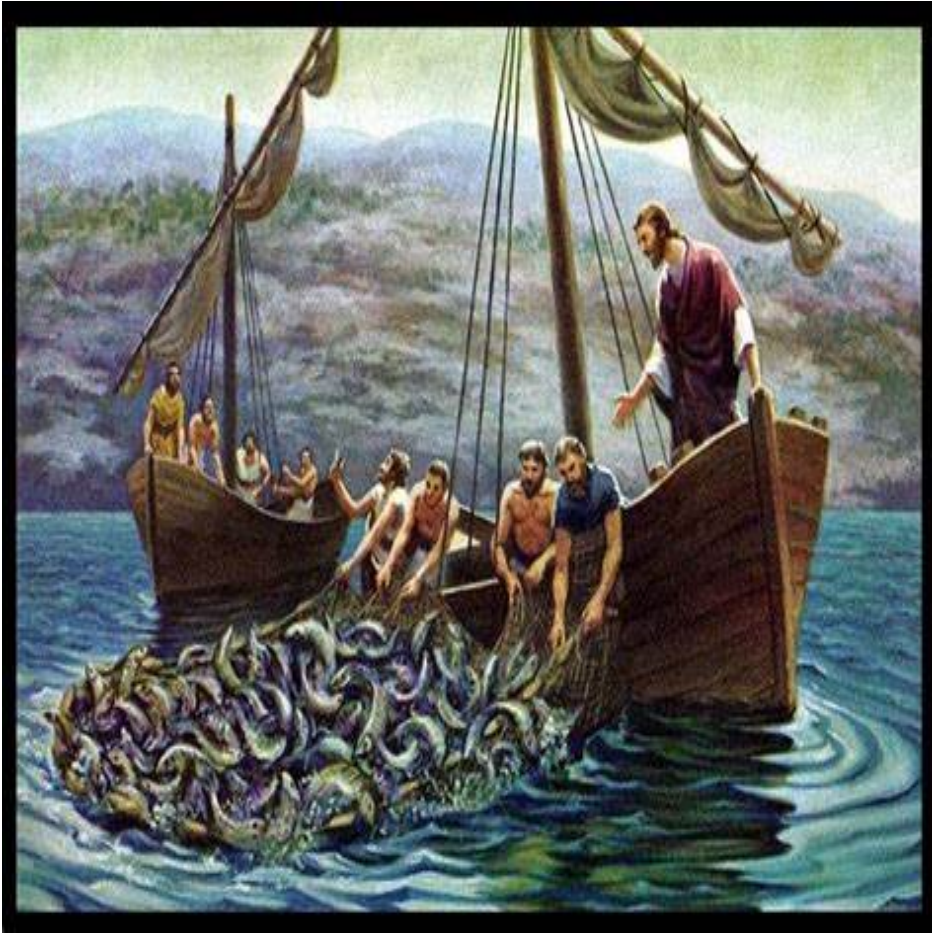
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AS WE GATHER: The Lord called fishermen to be fishers of men (Luke 5:1-11). The net they would use is the message of the cross, which is foolishness and a stumbling block to the world (! Cor. 1:18-25). The power of God to save is not in spectacular signs like wind and fire and earthquakes (1 Kings 19:11-21), nor is it to be found in human intelligence and wisdom. The power of God to save comes in the still, small voice of the preaching of Christ crucified. In worldly darkness the disciples could catch nothing. But in the light of Christ, whose Word was attached to the water, the boats were filled with fish. So it is that in Baptism you have been drawn in to the ship of the Church. Though the nets are breaking and some who hear the Word do not believe, pastors continue to cast the net of the Gospel and the Sacraments, that Christians may abide in the boat of the Church and that we may be ready to give a defense to everyone who asks a reason for the hope that is in us (1 Peter 3:8-15).

***COLLECT OF THE DAY:**
Pastor: O God,
People: You have prepared for those who love You good things that surpass all understanding. Pour into our hearts such love toward You that we, loving You above all things, may obtain Your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

ORDER OF WORSHIP	
Divine Service II	
Announcements	
Opening Hymn:	LSB 869
"With the Lord Begin Your Task"	
*Confession/Absolution:	LSB 167
SERVICE OF THE WORD	
Kyrie:	LSB 168
Gloria in Excelsis:	LSB 170
*Salutation:	LSB 172
*Collect of the Day:	(Printed)
Catechism Recitation	
Catechism Review	Question #7
Old Testament:	1 Kings 19:11-21
Pew Bible Page 559	
Epistle:	1 Peter 3:8-15
Pew Bible Page 1890	
*Alleluia and Verse:	LSB 173
*Holy Gospel:	Luke 5:1-11
Pew Bible Page 1597	
*Nicene Creed:	
LSB 174	
Sermon Hymn:	LSB 750
"If Thou But Trust in God to Guide Thee"	
Sermon	
Offertory	LSB 176
*Prayer of the Church	
*Lord’s Prayer	LSB 179
*Benediction	LSB 183
This concludes the service for online viewing	
*SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT	
LSB 177ff	
Distribution Hymns:	
"Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus"	LSB 685

"I Lie, O Lord, within Your Care"	LSB 885
*Nunc Dimittis:	LSB 182
*Post-Communion Collect:	LSB 183
*Benediction:	LSB 183
Closing Hymn:	LSB 718
"Jesus, Lead Thou On"	



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