

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.

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

The Cry of Faith: Lord, Have Mercy

September 10, 2023

AS WE GATHER: The ten lepers cried out from a distance, “Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!” (Luke 17:11-19). Their condition cut them off from God and others. So also do the works of the flesh cut us off from God and others. “Those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God” (Gal. 5:16-24). Thus we cry out with the lepers, “Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy,” eagerly seeking His good gifts. Jesus said to the lepers, “Go and show yourselves to the priests.” And as they went, they were cleansed. So too, we walk by faith and not by sight, being confident of Jesus’ help before we see any evidence of it, trusting that Jesus’ cleansing words of forgiveness will restore us to wholeness in the resurrection. Let us be as the one leper who returned to the true High Priest to give Him thanks and glory. For Jesus bore our infirmities in His sacrifice at Calvary. His words are life to those who find them, and health to all their flesh (Prov. 4:10-23).

*COLLECT OF THE DAY:

Pastor: O Lord,
People: keep Your Church with Your perpetual mercy; and because of our frailty we cannot but fall, keep us ever by Your help from all things hurtful and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; 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 I

Announcements

Opening Hymn: LSB 790

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

*Confession/Absolution: LSB 151

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Kyrie: LSB 152ff

*This Is the Feast: LSB 155

*Salutation: LSB 156

*Collect of the Day: (Printed)

Catechism Recitation

Catechism Review Question #17

Old Testament: Proverbs 4:10-23

Pew Bible Page 989

Epistle: Galatians 5:16-26

Pew Bible Page 1815

*Alleluia and Verse: LSB 156

*Holy Gospel: Luke 17:11-19

Pew Bible Page 1627

*Nicene Creed: LSB 158

Hymn of the Day: LSB 849

“Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness”

Sermon

Offertory “Give Thanks” Choir

*Prayer of the Church

*Lords Prayer LSB 162

*Benediction LSB 166

This concludes the service for online viewing

*SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT
LSB 160ff

Distribution Hymns:

“O Living Bread from Heaven” LSB 642

“O Blessed Spring” LSB 595

*Thank the Lord: LSB 164

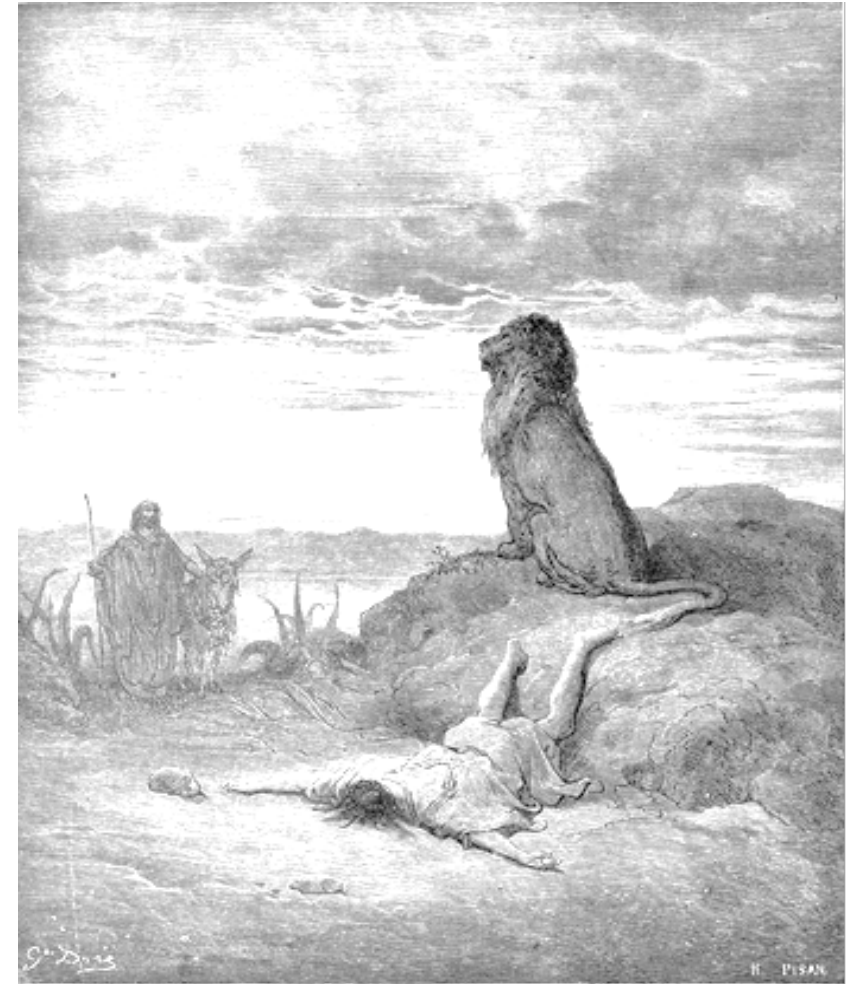
*Post-Communion Collect: LSB 166

*Benediction: LSB 166

Closing Hymn: LSB 895
“Now Thank We All Our God”

As Prayer Warriors with Love, Inc.: For women- a woman please pray for her son, who is in prison for life. a woman please pray as she tells of being followed, and having her stuff messed with. a woman please pray that the surgery to remove stints will go well, and that her children will thrive. a woman please pray that she is able to get her GED completed. a woman please pray she will do what she needs to do to be successful. a woman please pray for a healthy grandchild to be born. a woman please pray she will find a job. a woman please pray for her relationship with her son; he's 16 and having a hard time accepting her after being in jail. a woman please pray for her cousin who fell on Friday and was knocked unconscious; air flight to Iowa City and passed away during the flight. The whole family is in shock. He was in his 40's and had children. a woman please pray for her two oldest daughters who were both sexually abused; for emotional healing and safety. Please also pray that her recovery from alcohol will continue. For men- For a man please pray that his cancer will lessen, that his marriage will improve, and that his cardiac rehab will help.

Please pray for those who were talked to this week that need peace, financial stability, healthy boundaries, and better health. Please pray that the path to these answers will be first in knowing Jesus, and realizing he is the light, the way, and the truth.



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