



All praise to God,

EPHESIANS 1:3

THE FATHER OF OUR LORD
JESUS CHRIST, WHO HAS
BLESSED US WITH EVERY
SPIRITUAL BLESSING IN THE
HEAVENLY REALMS BECAUSE
WE ARE UNITED WITH CHRIST.

**KING OF KINGS
LUTHERAN CHURCH
PRAISE ALIVE!**

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The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

July 15, 2018 - 11:00 AM

PRESERVICE MUSIC

OPENING SONG

GREETING AND PASTOR'S WELCOME

WORSHIP SONGS

THE INVOCATION AND PRAISE VERSES

P: In the name of God the Father, God the ☩ Son and God the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

P: How lovely is Your dwelling place, O Lord Almighty! O Lord Almighty, my King and my God.

C: **Blessed are those who dwell in Your house; they are ever praising You.**

P: Blessed are those whose strength is in You...

C: **Better is one day in Your courts than a thousand elsewhere;**

P: I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of the wicked.

C: **O Lord Almighty, blessed is the man who trusts in You.** [Ps 84:1, 3-5, 10, 12]

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

READINGS

The First Lesson

Amos 7:7-15

Pew Bible, page 1428

The Second Lesson

Ephesians 1:3-14

Pew Bible, page 1817

The Gospel Lesson

Mark 6:14-29

Pew Bible, page 1561

MESSAGE

Pastor Paul Birner

OFFERING AND MESSAGE SONG

PRAYERS AND SPECIAL PETITIONS

P: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

C: “We do not know what we ought to pray for, but the Spirit Himself intercedes for us with groans that words cannot express.” [Rom 8:26]

*Special Prayers will be made at this time
Petitions will end with the words, “Lord in Your mercy”
The congregation may respond, “Hear our prayer.”*

P: Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord,

C: **Amen.**

THE LORD’S PRAYER

Baptismal Anniversaries: Eric Sorensen – July 15, Chuck Tompkins – July 15, Brandon Bail – July 18, Jacob Bail – July 18, Kimmy Bail – July 18, Carl Gysler – July 18, Jackie Steger – July 18, Cathy Blanchard-Davies – July 21, Matthew Both – July 21

PREPARATION FOR HOLY COMMUNION-- CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P: Since we are gathered here to receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned and cannot save ourselves. I ask you before God who searches the heart, “In regard to sin, how do you stand?”

C: **I am a sinner. The Bible is true when it says, “All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.”** [Romans 3:23]

P: How have you sinned?

C: **I confess that I have sinned against God and against my neighbor. I have sinned by my thoughts, words and deeds.**

P: How then, do you hope to be saved?

C: **In the same place the Bible also teaches, “We are justified freely by His grace through the redemption that came by Christ Jesus. God presented Him as a sacrifice of atonement through faith in His blood.”** [Romans 3:24, 25]

P: The wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord. [Rom 6:23]

C: **Jesus died for us. We have been justified by His blood. We have been saved from death and reconciled to God by Jesus. Everyone who calls on the name of Jesus will be saved.** [Rom 5:9-11, 10:13]

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 servant of the Word I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son ☩ and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen.**

THE CONSECRATION

At King of Kings, we welcome at Holy Communion all baptized Christians who believe that Jesus Christ is present in this Sacrament and that forgiveness of sins is given in it. Children who have not yet been instructed to receive Holy Communion and those who are not yet baptized are invited to come forward to receive a blessing. Please see the Pastor if you have further questions.

COMMUNION SONGS

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

THE APOSTLES CREED

THE BENEDICTION

P: "The mind controlled by the Spirit is life and peace." [Rom 8:6]

C: "**The love of Christ controls us.**" [2 Cor 5:14]

P: "God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control." [2 Tim 1:7]

C: "**I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.**" [Phil 4:13]

P: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

C: **Amen.**

CLOSING SONG

Welcome to King of Kings Lutheran Church !

*The flowers this Sunday are given to the glory of God
By Chris and Yvonne Christopherson in memory of Barb.*

You are welcome to remain seated during worship if that is more comfortable for you.
Large print bulletins are available from the ushers.