Jesus Loves and His Disciples Love

How To Love

Luke 10:25-37



Peace in the Valley Lutheran Church Fifth Sunday After Pentecost July 10, 2022



Please silence all cell phones.

Entry into the Sanctuary is for prayerful preparation and quiet meditation.

Our Mission: To reach out wherever we can with the message of God's peace and renewal in His Son, Jesus, the Savior of the world. To follow Jesus and to share His story.

Welcome to our Worship! If you are new to the community or looking for a new church home, we invite you to make this your church. Please let us know how we may serve you. (If standing during any portion of the worship service is a problem, you may be seated.)

In the Lord's Supper we receive the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in, with, and under bread and wine. (1 Corinthians 11:24–25) Since participation expresses unity of confession, if you are not an LCMS member please speak with the Pastor before communing. The cups in the center of the communion trays hold water with a drop of wine for those who are sensitive to wine.

Prayer on entering the 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. Amen.

Prayer Before Worship: O Lord, my creator, redeemer, and comforter, as I come to worship You in spirit and in truth, I humbly pray that You would open my heart to the preaching of Your Word so that I may repent of my sins, believe in Jesus Christ as my only Savior,

and grow in grace and holiness. Hear me for the sake of His name.

Prayer Before Communing: Dear Savior, at Your gracious invitation I come to Your table to eat and drink Your holy body and blood. Let me find favor in Your eyes to receive this holy Sacrament in faith for the salvation of my soul and to the glory of Your holy name: for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

LCMS. Lutheran Service Book: Pew Edition (pp. iv-v). Concordia Publishing House. Kindle Edition.

Altar Paraments are green - symbolizing the renewal of vegetation and generally of living things and the promise of new life. It is used for the Season of Epiphany between Transfiguration Sunday and the beginning of Lent, and for Ordinary Time between Trinity Sunday (first Sunday after Pentecost) and the beginning of Advent. Green symbolizes a time of growth in the Christian faith as the church studies and strives to practice the teachings of Jesus.

In Our Prayers Today: Allen Edwards, Chuck Hale, Ron Warner

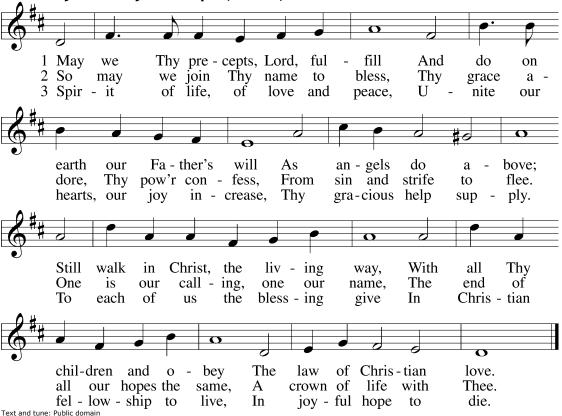
If you know of parishioners who need our prayers, please let Carol Rollins know each week by Wednesday morning (pitv.office@gmail.com)

ORDER OF WORSHIP

♣ Confession and Absolution **♣**

Hymn of Invocation (Please stand on the last verse as you are able)

698 May We Thy Precepts, Lord, Fulfill



- ightharpoonspice In the name of the Father and of the ightharpoonspice Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.
- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- **G** who made heaven and earth.

- P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination

- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.
- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

→ SERVICE OF THE WORD →

Introit

Psalm 136:23-26; antiphon: v. 1

- \mathbf{P} Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,
- for his steadfast love endures forever.

It is he who remembered us in our low estate,

for his steadfast love endures forever;

and rescued us from our foes,

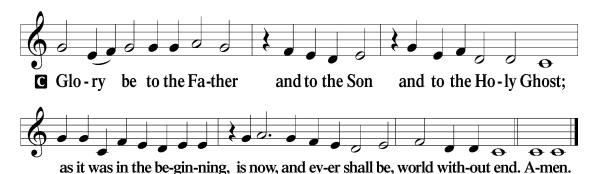
for his steadfast love endures forever;

he who gives food to all flesh,

for his steadfast love endures forever.

Give thanks to the God of heaven,

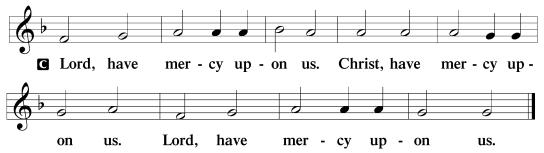
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- P Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,
- for his steadfast love endures forever.



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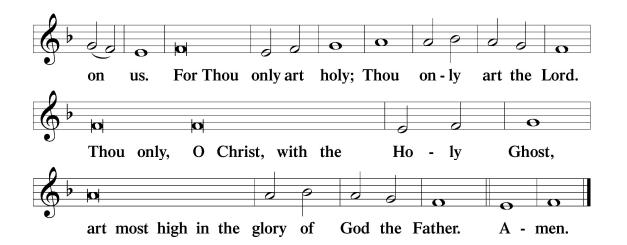


Gloria in Excelsis (Glory to God in the Highest)

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P Glory be to God on high:





Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.



P Let us pray.

Lord Jesus Christ, in Your deep compassion You rescue us from whatever may hurt us. Teach us to love You above all things and to love our neighbors as ourselves; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



↓ Please Be Seated

Children's Message

The Catechism Reading

The Creed

The Catechism reading today is the Creed.

As the head of the family should teach them in a simple way to his household.

The First Article - Creation

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

P What does this mean? I believe that God has made me and all creatures; that He has given me my body and soul, eyes, ears, and all my members, my reason and all my senses, and still takes care of them.

He also gives me clothing and shoes, food and drink, house and home, wife and children, land, animals, and all I have. He richly and daily provides me with all that I need to support this body and life.

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 41

- **A** The Old Testament reading is from Psalms, Chapter 41.
- A Blessèd is the one who considers the poor!

 In the day of trouble the LORD delivers him;
 the LORD protects him and keeps him alive;
 he is called blessèd in the land;
 you do not give him up to the will of his enemies.

The LORD sustains him on his sickbed; in his illness you restore him to full health.

As for me, I said, "O LORD, be gracious to me; heal me, for I have sinned against you!"

My enemies say of me in malice, "When will he die and his name perish?"

And when one comes to see me, he utters empty words, while his heart gathers iniquity; when he goes out, he tells it abroad.

All who hate me whisper together about me; they imagine the worst for me.

They say, "A deadly thing is poured out on him; he will not rise again from where he lies."

Even my close friend in whom I trusted, who ate my bread, has lifted his heel against me.

But you, O LORD, be gracious to me, and raise me up, that I may repay them!

By this I know that you delight in me: my enemy will not shout in triumph over me.

But you have upheld me because of my integrity, and set me in your presence forever.

Blessèd be the LORD, the God of Israel, from everlasting to everlasting!

Amen and Amen.

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

- **A** The Epistle reading is from Colossians, the first chapter.
- A Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother,

To the saints and faithful brothers in Christ at Colossae:

Grace to you and peace from God our Father.

We always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, when we pray for you, since we heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. Of this you have heard before in the word of the truth, the gospel, which has come to you, as indeed in the whole world it is bearing fruit and growing—as it also does among you, since the day you heard it and understood the grace of God in truth, just as you learned it from Epaphras our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf and has made known to us your love in the Spirit.

And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God. May you be strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy, giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light. He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

† Please Stand

Alleluia



Holy Gospel

Luke 10:25-37

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke the 10th chapter.



P Behold, a lawyer stood up to put [Jesus] to the test, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the Law? How do you read it?" And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself." And he said to him, "You have answered correctly; do this, and you will live."

But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him and departed, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on

the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was, and when he saw him, he had compassion. He went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he set him on his own animal and brought him to an inn and took care of him. And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, 'Take care of him, and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.' Which of these three, do you think, proved to be a neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?" He said, "The one who showed him mercy." And Jesus said to him, "You go, and do likewise."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Apostles Creed

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

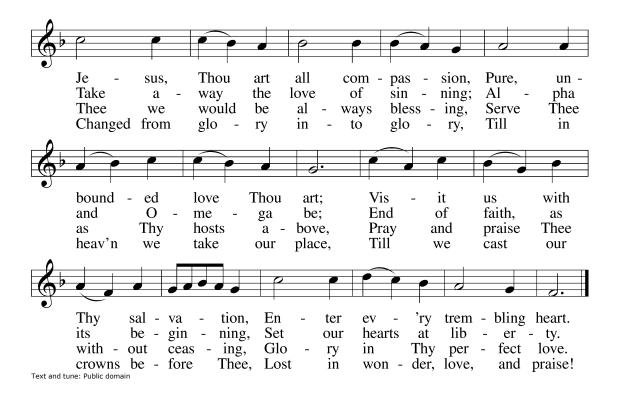
everlasting. Amen.

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Hymn of the Day / Message Hymn

700 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling





Sermon Theme

"Love Defined"

- **P** The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.
- C Amen.

Offertory LSB 192



Tithes/Offerings

(Please drop them into the offering receptacle at the doors of the Sanctuary)

Prayers of the Church

- P Heavenly Father, in Your name ... Lord in Your mercy,
- after each petition: "hear our prayer".
- † Please Stand as you are able

♣ Service of the Sacrament **♣**

Preface LSB 194

P The Lord be with you.



P Lift up your hearts.

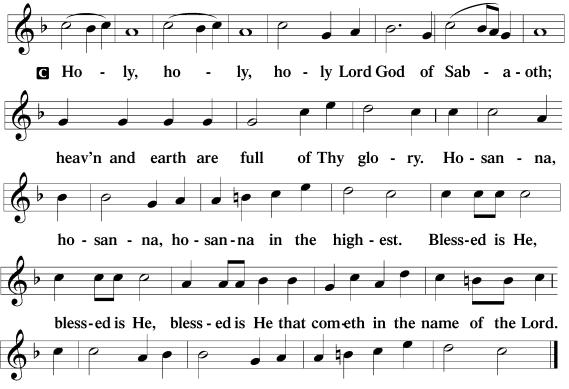


P Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.



It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who, having created all things, took on human flesh and was born of the virgin Mary. For our sake He died on the cross and rose from the dead to put an end to death, thus fulfilling Your will and gaining for You a holy people. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy)



Ho-san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na in the high - est.

Lord's Prayer

- P Taught by our Lord and trusting in His promises, we are bold to pray:
- GOur 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.

The Words of Our Lord

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My → body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My Holood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini (Peace of the Lord)

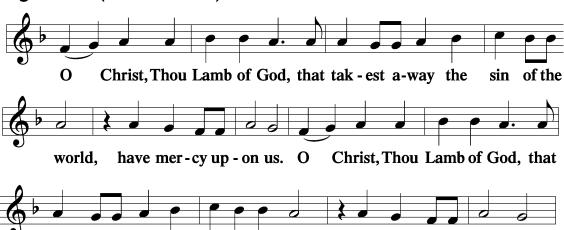
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P The peace of the Lord be with you always.



Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)

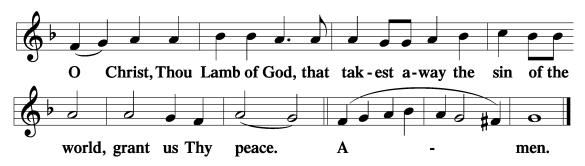
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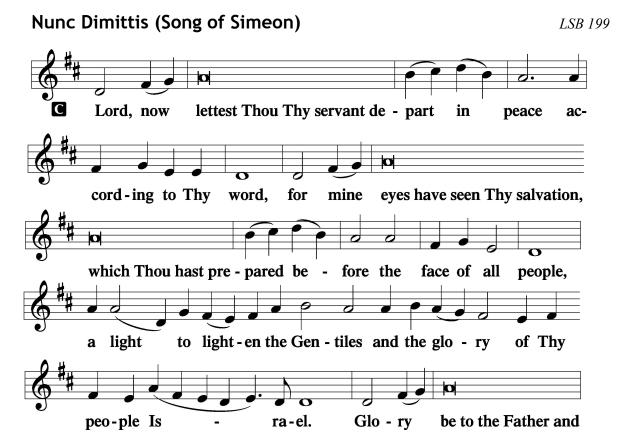


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Distribution

(Special Music by Felicia)

† Please Stand





P O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,



P Let us pray.

O God the Father, the fountain and source of all goodness, who in loving-kindness sent Your only-begotten Son into the flesh, we thank You that for His sake You have given us pardon and peace in this Sacrament, and we ask You not to forsake Your children but always to rule our hearts and minds by Your Holy Spirit that we may be enabled constantly to serve You; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



P The Lord be with you.



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Pastor's Announcements/Recognitions

Closing Hymn (Please stand on the last verse as you are able)

803 Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee



- 1 Joy ful, joy ful we a dore Thee, God of glo ry, Lord of love!
- 2 All Thy works with joy sur-round Thee, Earth and heav'n re-flect Thy rays,
- △ 3 Thou art giv ing and for giv ing, Ev er bless-ing, ev er blest,



Hearts un-fold like flow'rs be-fore Thee, Prais-ing Thee, their sun a - bove. Stars and an-gels sing a-round Thee, Cen - ter of un-bro-ken praise. Well-spring of the joy of liv - ing, O - cean-depth of hap-py rest!



Melt the clouds of sin and sad-ness, Drive the gloom of doubt a-way. Field and for - est, vale and moun-tain, Flow-'ry mead-ow, flash-ing sea, Fa - ther, Son, and Ho-ly Spir - it, Foun-tain-head of love di-vine:



Giv - er of im - mor - tal glad-ness, Fill us with the light of day. Chant-ing bird, and flow - ing foun-tain Call us to re - joice in Thee. Joy - ful, we Thy heav'n in - her - it! Joy - ful, we by grace are Thine!

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Benedicamus LSB 202

P Bless we the Lord.



Benediction LSB 202

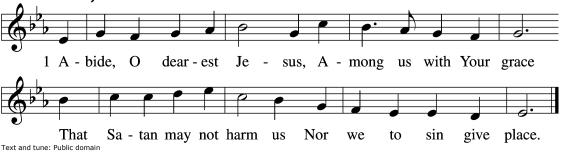
P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and + give you peace.



Hymn to Depart

919 Abide, O Dearest Jesus



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Please wait to be ushered out

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Service in Worship Today

Organist: Felicia Brown Lay Reader: Isabel York Greeter: Suzie Van Skike Videographer: Tom Bujalski

Elders: Roger Brandt, L.B. Mack, Virgil Schmidt

Children

Children 2 through 9, at the parents' discretion, may leave the Church service during the Hymn of the Day for Sunday School and return to their families before the blessing of the elements.

Adult Bible Study

We encourage you to join Pastor Ron for a rewarding study of Luther's Catechism immediately following fellowship.

1+1+1: A Dollar for Missions

A Dollar for Missions – One dollar per parishioner per week. Your dollar should be placed in the special collection receptacle near the mail-slot counter. Our "Dollar for Missions" money will be sent to The English District LCMS for the Dominican Republic Lutheran Mission (DRLM) quarterly.



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