



PRINCE OF PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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“DISCIPLESHIP AT HOME AND IN COMMUNITY”

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Welcome to Worship! God’s gifts are all around us every day. Often, we lose focus on God’s daily work and only see our troubles and cling to hope in God’s salvation ‘some day.’ But God is at work for us and in us and through us to share His love and mercy with others every day. As we rejoice in God’s gift of worshipping together, we ask the Holy Spirit to open our eyes and hearts to His work in our lives and the lives of others.

THE PRELUDE

THE WELCOME AND PRAYER

THE OPENING HYMN

"Blessed Jesus, at Your Word"

Burgundy Hymnal #904

Blessed Jesus, at Your Word

We are gathered all to hear You.

Let our hearts and souls be stirred

Now to seek and love and fear You,

By Your teachings, sweet and holy,

Drawn from earth to love You solely.

All our knowledge, sense, and sight

Lie in deepest darkness shrouded

Till Your Spirit breaks our night

With the beams of truth unclouded.

You alone to God can win us;

You must work all good within us.

Gracious Savior, good and kind,

Light of Light, from God proceeding,

Open now our heart and mind;

Help us by Your Spirit's pleading.

Hear the cry Your Church now raises;

Hear and bless our prayers and praises.

Father, Son, and Spirit, Lord,

Praise to You and adoration!

Grant that we may trust Your Word,

Confident of our salvation,

While we here below must wander,

Till we sing Your praises yonder.

WE PREPARE OUR HEARTS AND MINDS FOR WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION AND PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Pastor: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son + and of the Holy Spirit.

ALL: AMEN.

Pastor: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.

**ALL: BUT IF WE CONFESS OUR SINS, GOD, WHO IS FAITHFUL AND JUST, WILL
FORGIVE OUR SINS
AND CLEANSE US FROM ALL UNRIGHTEOUSNESS.**

Pastor: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

**ALL: MOST MERCIFUL GOD, WE CONFESS THAT WE ARE BY NATURE
SINFUL AND UNCLEAN.**

WE HAVE SINNED AGAINST YOU

IN 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.

Pastor: 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 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 HYMN OF PRAISE

"Freely, Freely" (Projected)

Green Hymnal #436

God forgave my sin in Jesus' name; I've been born again in Jesus' name;
And in Jesus' name I come to you to share His love as He told me to.

Refrain

He said, "Freely, freely, you have received; freely, freely give.

Go in My name and because you believe, others will know that I live."

All pow'r is giv'n in Jesus' name, in earth and heav'n in Jesus' name;

And in Jesus' name I come to you to share His pow'r as He told me to.

Refrain

OUR FAITH GROWS AS WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

THE PRAYER FOR THE DAY

THE BIBLE READINGS

The First Reading: Exodus 19:2-8

The Second Reading: Romans 5:6-15

The Gospel Reading: Matthew 9:35-10:8

CONFESSION OF FAITH: NICENE CREED

I believe in one God,

The Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

And of all things visible and invisible

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,

The only-begotten Son of God,

Begotten of His Father before all worlds;

God of God, Light of Light, Very God of Very God,

Begotten, not made,

Being of one substance with the Father,

By Whom all things were made;

Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven,

And was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary;

and was made man;

And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered and was buried.
And the third day He rose again
according to the Scriptures,
And ascended into heaven,
And sits at the right hand of the Father.
And He will come again with glory
to judge both the living and the dead,
Whose Kingdom will have no end.



And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and Giver of life,
Who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
Who with the Father and the Son together
Is worshiped and glorified,
Who spoke by the prophets.
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
And I look for the resurrection of the dead

And the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE SONG

“Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus”

Burgundy Hymnal #685

Let us ever walk with Jesus, follow His example pure,
Through a world that would deceive us and to sin our spirits lure.
Onward in his footsteps treading,
Pilgrims here, our home above, full of faith and hope and love,
Let us do the Father’s bidding.
Faithful Lord, with me abide; I shall follow where You guide.

Let us suffer here with Jesus and with patience bear our cross.
Joy will follow all our sadness; where He is, there is no loss.
Though today we sow no laughter,
We shall reap celestial joy; all discomforts that annoy
Shall give way to mirth hereafter.
Jesus, here I share Your woe; help me there Your joy to know.

Let us gladly die with Jesus. Since by death he conquered death,

He will free us from destruction, give to us immortal breath.
Let us mortify all passion
That would lead us into sin; and the grave that shuts us in
Shall but prove the gate to heaven.
Jesus, here with You I die, there to live with You on high.

Let us also live with Jesus. He has risen from the dead
That to life we may awaken. Jesus, You are now our head.
We are your own living members;
Where You live, there we shall be in your presence constantly,
Living there with You forever.
Jesus, let me faithful be, life eternal grant to me.

THE MESSAGE

THE PRAYERS

THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP **THE RECEIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS TO THE LORD**

We count it a special privilege to welcome our guests to worship the living Lord with us today!
Please sign the Rite of Fellowship tablet and pass it down the pew, returning it to the original location when everyone in your pew has signed. Recognizing all we have as a gift of the Lord,
we return the first portion in love and trust to Him. Please give to the Lord through your home congregation. Should the Lord lead you to give a special offering today, we thank you!

Want to receive our email announcements?
Please include your email address on your Rite of Fellowship entry!

WE CELEBRATE THE PRESENCE OF JESUS IN THE **SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION**

We believe that the Lord's Supper is a sacred action of God, instituted by Christ Himself, based on His Promise conveying, offering, giving and sealing the gift of forgiveness of sins to those who have received Jesus as Savior and Lord. We believe that we receive not only the bread and wine, but also the true Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus, as He announced, "This is My Body... This is My Blood." We share this Sacrament today, knowing it is for Christians who share like faith and understanding in Jesus Christ and in this Holy meal. If you are a guest and share in the same faith as described, you are welcome to commune with us.

White grape juice is available at the center of the individual cup trays for those who cannot consume the wine.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (spoken)

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE GREETING OF PEACE Out of love for one another, please consider a non-physical sign (wave, etc.)

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you!

ALL: AND ALSO WITH YOU!

THE COMMUNION SONGS

Lamb of God, You take our sin

Lamb of God, You take our sin

Lamb of God, have mercy on us

Grant us peace, O Lamb of God

Green Hymnal #329

"There Is Power in the Blood"

Would you be free from your burden of sin?

There's pow'r in the blood, pow'r in the blood;

Would you o'er evil a victory win?

There's wonderful pow'r in the blood.

Refrain

There is pow'r, pow'r, wonder-working pow'r in the blood of the Lamb.

There is pow'r, pow'r, wonder-working pow'r in the precious blood of the Lamb.

Would you be free from your passion and pride?

There's pow'r in the blood, pow'r in the blood;

Come for a cleansing to Calvary's tide.

There's wonderful pow'r in the blood.

Refrain

Would you be whiter, much whiter than snow?

There's pow'r in the blood, pow'r in the blood;

Sin-stains are lost in its life-giving flow.

There's wonderful pow'r in the blood.

Refrain

Would you do service for Jesus, your King?
There's pow'r in the blood, pow'r in the blood;
Would you live daily His praises to sing?
There's wonderful pow'r in the blood.

Refrain

Green Hymnal #358

"Because He Lives"

God sent His Son – they called Him Jesus;
He came to love, heal and forgive.
He lived and died to buy my pardon;
An empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives.

Refrain

Because He lives, I can face tomorrow;
Because He lives, all fear is gone.
Because I know He holds the future,
And life is worth the living just because He lives.

How sweet to hold a newborn baby,
And feel the pride and joy He gives;
But greater still the calm assurance:
This child can face uncertain days because He lives.

Refrain

And then one day I'll cross the river;
I'll fight life's final war with pain.
And then, as death gives way to vict'ry,
I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He reigns.

Refrain

THE FINAL COMMUNION HYMN

"Alleluia"

Alleluia...

He's our Savior...

I will praise Him...

{please rise}

Alleluia...

THE PRAYER OF THANKS

MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE

THE BLESSING

THE CLOSING SONG

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

Burgundy Hymnal #700/Green Hymnal #648

Love divine, all loves excelling, joy of heav'n to earth come down!

Fix in us Thy humble dwelling, all Thy faithful mercies crown.

Jesus, Thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded love Thou art;

Visit us with Thy salvation, enter ev'ry trembling heart.

Breathe, o breathe Thy loving Spirit into ev'ry troubled breast;

Let us all in Thee inherit; let us find Thy promised rest.

Take away the love of sinning; Alpha and Omega be;

End of faith, as its beginning, set our hearts at liberty.

Come, Almighty, to deliver; let us all Thy life receive;

Suddenly return, and never, nevermore Thy temples leave.

Thee we would be always blessing, serve Thee as Thy hosts above,

Pray, and praise Thee without ceasing, glory in Thy perfect love.

Finish then Thy new creation, pure and spotless let us be;

Let us see Thy great salvation perfectly restored in Thee,

Changed from glory into glory, till in heav'n we take our place,

Till we cast our crowns before Thee, lost in wonder, love, and praise!

MITE BOXES – DON'T FORGET TO BRING IN YOUR MITE BOXES TO SUPPORT THE MISSION PROJECTS OF THE LUTHERAN WOMENS' MISSIONARY LEAGUE

Scripture is the rule of our faith by which all else is measured. Every person should have their own appropriate Bible – from a “Beginner’s Bible” with colorful pictures to “Easy to Read” with large print. Let us know if you need a resource!

Good News Class: Are you interested in learning more about what it means to be a Christian, Lutheran, and member of Prince of Peace? Are you a member looking to "refresh the basics"? Do you want to become a member of Prince of Peace? New class is starting soon. Talk with Pastor John! (the schedule is flexible depending on those who are interested.).

Weekly Readings Study – dig into the next week's readings – Every Tuesday outside in the memorial garden and on Facebook Live at 9:00 a.m.! Next week’s readings: Jeremiah 20:7-13; Romans 6:12-23; Matthew 10:5a, 21-33

Keep in touch with your PoP family: Website: princeofpeaceoregon.com; Facebook: Prince of Peace Luth Church; PoPBlast: email princeofpeaceblast@gmail.com to get on the list!

Remember in Your Prayers:

+for healing – Russ Bell, Marilyn Brown, Delia Mestousis, Kate Mayer, Deb Hartke, Bob Roe, Mike Thanasiu, Rocco Donofrio, Sue Jones, Glendora Boway, Dwight Griffin, Kym Snyder, Carol Cicak, Tom Bragg, Caroline Buchanan, Jason Rhuland, Chris Peters, Sue Pfefferle, Bill Kelly, Carol Rigg, Paige Ozanski, Jane Bialecki, Chuck Brinkman, Saylor Vanderhorst, Michael Wells, Becky Kuelker, Fred Bordner, Jean Newman, Vicki Melms, Steve Jones, Pat Miller, Pam Downour, John Danford, Joyce Smith, Barbara Camp, Deanna Snyder, Don Williams, Lyle Brinkman, Lukas Mason

+for those dealing with the reality of the pandemic for friends and family

(Please contact the office if you would like someone added to the prayer list, or no longer would like your name on the list.)

+for your church – our vision and leaders and the commitment to follow God's will

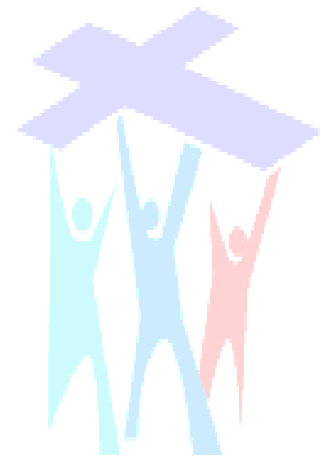
+for those serving in the armed forces – Ty Garbers, Ricky Pratt, Cole Pollex, Andrew Genszler

+for our missionaries –

- Pastor Tim Heiney, Global Lutheran Outreach in Guinea, West Africa
- Pastor Dave Erber, LCMS missionary in Nigeria, West Africa
- Mike and Becky Kuelker, IAM missionaries in Mexico
- Joe Boway, New Life Lutheran Church missionary to the children in Liberia
- POBLO (People of the Book Lutheran Outreach), a mission to Muslims
- Cherry Street Ministries, Toledo
- The Pregnancy Center, Toledo
- Rachel Meyer, LCMS missionary in Uganda, East Africa

+our 'adopted' seminary students –

- Miguel and Rachel Gonzalez
- Mark and Dana Renner



**Discipleship at Home
and in Community**

Our Ministries at Prince of Peace

Missionaries	<i>All members of Prince of Peace</i>
President of the Congregation	<i>Gary Garbers</i>
Vice President	<i>Jim Bragg</i>
Board of Elders	<i>Phil Miller, Gary Garbers, Bob Roe, Jim Bragg, Don Halka, Mark Sattler, Tom Smith, Lyle Stine</i>
Discipleship Team Leader	<i>Leader Needed</i>
Outreach Team Leader	<i>Jordan Jones</i>
Youth Ministry Team Leader	<i>Kyle Barry</i>
Family Life Team Leader	<i>Corrine Sattler</i>
Stewardship Team Leader	<i>Leader Needed</i>
Preschool Team Leader	<i>Laura Roe</i>
Properties Team Leader	<i>Dan Reichow</i>
Prayer Team Leader	<i>Gary Garbers</i>
Technology Team Leader	<i>Leader Needed</i>
Preschool Director	<i>Wendy Kelly</i>
Treasurer	<i>Jackie Reynolds</i>
Financial Secretary	<i>Vicki Melms</i>
Pastor	<i>John Genszler</i>
Secretary	<i>Julie Cox</i>
Pianist	<i>Pam Downour</i>
Organist	<i>Cindy Fennewald</i>
Praise and Worship Leader	<i>Jon Hartke</i>
Choir Director	<i>Pastor Gerald Hartke</i>
Prayer Chain	<i>Judy Young</i>
Altar Guild	<i>Jodi Halka</i>
Men's Cherry Street Team	<i>Jim Bragg</i>