



# THE LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER

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July 7, 2024

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

10:30 am

## + GATHERING +

### PRELUDES

*Variations on "America"*

*Shall We Gather at the River*

*We Come to the Hungry Feast*

Charles Callahan

Robert Hobby

David Cherwien

### WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*<We stand.>*

### CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, the God of manna, the God of miracles, the God of mercy.

**Amen.**

Drawn to Christ and seeking God's abundance, let us confess our sin.

*The congregation kneels as silence is kept for reflection.*

God our provider,

**Help us.**

**It is hard to believe there is enough to share.**

**We question your ways when they differ from the ways of the world in which we live.**

**We turn to our own understanding rather than trusting in you.**

**We take offense at your teachings and your ways.**

**Turn us again to you.**

**Where else can we turn?**

**Share with us the words of eternal life and feed us for life in the world.**

**Amen.**

*<We stand.>*

Beloved people of God:

In Jesus, the manna from heaven, you are fed and nourished.

By Jesus, the worker of miracles, there is always more than enough.

Through Jesus, † the bread of life, you are shown God's mercy:

you are forgiven and loved into abundant life. **Amen.**

**GREETING**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the Communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**And also with you.**

**CANTICLE OF PRAISE**

**ELW page 99**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Let us pray together. God of the covenant,  
**in our baptism you call us to proclaim the coming of your kingdom. Give us the courage you gave the apostles, that we may faithfully witness to your love and peace in every circumstance of life, in the name Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

*<We sit.>*

**+ WORD +**

**READING**

**Ezekiel 2:1-5**

*Pew Bible pg. 673*

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**LIL' LUTHERAN TALK**

*<We stand.>*

The Gospel according to Mark

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

**Mark 6:1-13**

*Pew Bible pg. 817*

*<At the conclusion of the reading>*

The Gospel of the Lord

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

*<We sit.>*

**SERMON**

*<We stand.>*

## **APOSTLES' CREED**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

## **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

One in the communion of saints and in the power of the Holy Spirit, we join our voices in prayer.

*<We kneel.>*

*Each prayer petition will end with "In Your Mercy" and the response is "Hear our prayer."  
At the conclusion of the prayers, we respond with "Amen."*

*<We stand.>*

## **SHARING OF THE PEACE**

*You are invited to share the peace however you and those around you are comfortable.*

*<We sit.>*

## **RECEPTION OF THE OFFERING**

**SPECIAL MUSIC**      *The King of Love My Shepherd Is*


**Arr. Dan Forrest**  
**Soloist: Alanna Boozer**

## + MEAL +

<We stand.>

OFFERTORY HYMN    **Take My Life, That I May Be, vs 1**

ELW HYMN 685



1 Take my life, that I may be con - se - crat - ed, Lord, to thee;  
take my mo - ments and my days; let them flow in cease - less praise.

### OFFERTORY PRAYER

Let us pray, ... your body for the life of the world.

**Amen.**

### GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

### PREFACE

It is indeed right, our duty, and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise ... *Here the minister continues with the preface for the day, concluding* ... we praise your name and join their unending hymn.

**HOLY, HOLY, HOLY**

ELW page 108

### THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

Holy God, holy and mighty,...

... Together as the body of Christ, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

... all our sins and sorrows will be no more.

**Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

... sharing your bounty with all the world.

**Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.**

... in your holy church, now and forever.

**Amen.**

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray...

**Our 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.**

### INVITATION TO THE MEAL

Christ has set the table with more than enough for all. Come!

<We sit.>

### COMMUNION

*Participation in Holy Communion is open to all the baptized of this and other Christian congregations. We come in faith that Christ is truly present in, with, and under the bread and the wine. We receive this gift knowing that we are forgiven and are nourished to be sent to proclaim God's love to the world. You are invited to come to the altar to receive the bread and wine. You may dip the bread into the chalice of wine. If you are not able, the meal will be brought to you in your pew. A gluten-free wafer is available, upon request, for those who need it.*

### COMMUNION SONG

### Lamb of God

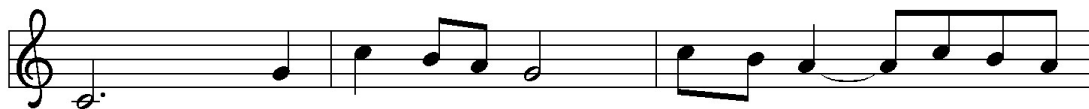
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Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have



mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the



world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a -



way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

<We stand.>

## THE TABLE BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

**Amen.**

## POST COMMUNION CANTICLE

*Now, Lord*

ELW page 113

## POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Let us pray, ... In your name we pray.

**Amen.**

## + SENDING +

### SUNG BLESSING

In the name of the Father.

**In the name of the Father.**

In the name of the Son.

**In the name of the Son.**

In the name of the Spirit.

**In the name of the Spirit.**

The Three-in-One.

**The Three-in-One.**

May the Lord bless and keep you.

**May the Lord bless and keep you.**

May God's face shine upon you.

**May God's face shine upon you.**

May God's blessings be with you.

**May God's blessings be with you.**

And give you peace.

**And give you peace.**

## SENDING HYMN

**O Beautiful for Spacious Skies**

ELW HYMN 888

*<Please turn and face the rear of the nave.>*

## DISMISSAL

Go in peace. You are the body of Christ.

**Thanks be to God.**

## POSTLUDE

*The Star Spangled Banner*

Arr. Virgil Fox

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## Worship Leadership

<b>Worship Leader</b>	Pastor Matt Titus
<b>Worship Assistant</b>	Derryll Satterwhite
<b>Acolyte</b>	Olivia West
<b>Crucifer</b>	Dennis Caughman
<b>Choir Director</b>	Nicholas Todd Shumate
<b>Organist</b>	Dr. Huger Caughman, Jr.
<b>Youth Director</b>	Aubrey Guyton
<b>Video</b>	Matt Bowers
<b>Audio</b>	Annette Belcher or Rebecca Sexton
<b>Communion Prep</b>	Susan Hayes

## Announcements

**The Altar Flowers** are given to the Glory of God and in honor of our loving and nurturing parents, Carol and Bob Montgomery, who have continually guided us in journeys of life and faith by their children and grandchildren Sean and Kathy Montgomery (Jake, Jackson) and Heather and Shyam Kaikini (Bose, Reid, Asha).

**WELCA** will meet today at 3:45 pm in the church library for its business meeting and then at 4:00 for its regular meeting. During the regular meeting, Aubrey Guyton will be joining us to share her experience as a Young Women Guest at the SCWELCA Convention. Then, we will be looking at our chapter on David and Abigail - "The Rebel and the Peacemaker" in our Love Stories of the Bible Speak book. All women and friends of the congregation are invited to attend.

**Prayer & Care Card Class** will meet on Monday mornings from 9:30 am - 11:30 am in Room 212 on July 15, July 29, August 12, and August 29. Everyone is welcome to come and join us for some creative card making. No experience required!

**Redeemer helps at GAAP** on the THIRD Saturday of each month, you are all welcome to come volunteer every Saturday, but especially SATURDAY, July 20. Don't hesitate to get in touch with Kevin Dove or the church office for more information.

**You can always donate food to Manna House** by placing those items in the shopping cart in the narthex or outside the church office. Thank you!



**OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 7 - JULY 13, 2024**

<b>Today</b>	9:00 am	Property Committee
	9:30 am	Sunday School
	10:30 am	Worship
	3:45 pm - 5:00 pm	WELCA Meeting & Book Study - Library
<b>Monday</b>	5:30 pm - 7:30 pm	Vacation Bible School
<b>Tuesday</b>	10:00 am - 11:00am	Prayer Shawl - Library
	11:00 am	OT Bible Class w/PM - Youth Hall
	5:30 pm - 7:30 pm	Vacation Bible School
	6:00 pm	Finance Committee Meeting
<b>Wednesday</b>	5:30 pm - 7:30 pm	Vacation Bible School
<b>Thursday</b>	5:30 pm - 7:30 pm	Vacation Bible School

**Attendance for June 30, 2024**

Sunday School	19
In-Person	82
Online	152
<b>Total</b>	<b>234</b>

**Offering Last Sunday:**

**Received June 30, 2024**

General Operating Account - \$3,544.23  
 Major Maintenance Account - \$ 825.00

Dedicated Account

Lutheridge Scholarship - \$ 50.00