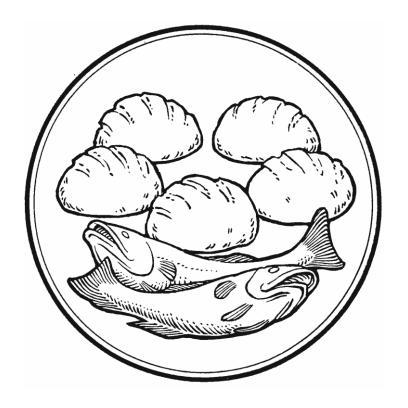
Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

August 6/7, 2023



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Prelude

Announcements

Entrance Hymn Lord, 'Tis Not That I Did Choose Thee LSB 573

Confession and Absolution

Stand

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

- **P** In the name of the Father and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.
- **P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- **C** who made heaven and earth.
- **P** If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?
- **©** But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.
- P Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and 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 in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.
- Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.
- 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 Christ, and by His authority, I therefore 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

P Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon His name; make known His deeds among the peoples!

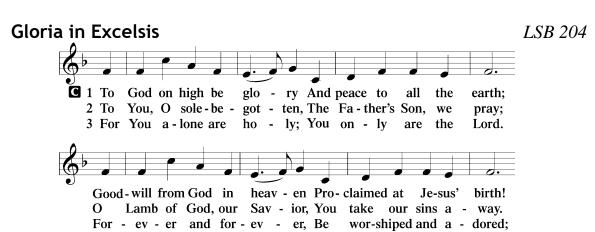
He spread a cloud for a covering, and fire to give light by night.

- C They asked, and He brought quail, and gave them bread from heaven in abundance.
- **P** He opened the rock, and water gushed out;
- **C** it flowed through the desert like a river.
- **P** For He remembered His holy promise, and Abraham, His servant.
- **C** So He brought His people out with joy, His chosen ones with singing.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

P Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon His name; make known His deeds among the peoples!







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Our thanks for Your great glo - ry, Lord God, our heav'n-ly King. Where You in pow'r are seat-ed At God's right hand on high—In God the Fa-ther's glo - ry. "A - men!" our glad re - ply.

Text: Stephen P. Starke

Salutation and Collect of the Day

- **P** The Lord be with you.
- C And also with you.
- P Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, though we do not deserve Your goodness, still You provide for all our needs of body and soul. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may acknowledge Your gifts, give thanks for all Your benefits, and serve You in willing obedience; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 55:1-5

1"Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat!

Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price.

²Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy?

Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food.

³Incline your ear, and come to me;

hear, that your soul may live; and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David.

⁴Behold, I made him a witness to the peoples, a leader and commander for the peoples.

⁵Behold, you shall call a nation that you do not know, and a nation that did not know you shall run to you, because of the LORD your God, and of the Holy One of Israel, for he has glorified you."

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

Gradual and Verse

- **P** Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God!
- **C** How unsearchable are His judgments and how inscrutable His ways!
- **P** For from Him and through Him and to Him are all things.
- **C** To Him be glory forever. Amen.
- **P** Alleluia. Man ate of the bread of the angels;
- **G** He sent them food in abundance. Alleluia.

Epistle Romans 9:1–13

¹I am speaking the truth in Christ—I am not lying; my conscience bears me witness in the Holy Spirit—²that I have great sorrow and unceasing anguish in my heart. ³For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my brothers, my kinsmen according to the flesh. ⁴They are Israelites, and to them belong the adoption, the glory, the covenants, the giving of the law, the worship, and the promises. ⁵To them belong the patriarchs, and from their race, according to the flesh, is the Christ who is God over all, blessed forever. Amen.

⁶But it is not as though the word of God has failed. For not all who are descended from Israel belong to Israel, ⁷and not all are children of Abraham because they are his offspring, but "Through Isaac shall your offspring be named." ⁸This means that it is not the children of the flesh who are the children of God, but the children of the promise are counted as offspring. ⁹For this is what the promise said: "About this time next year I will return and Sarah shall have a son." ¹⁰And not only so, but also when Rebecca had

conceived children by one man, our forefather Isaac, ¹¹though they were not yet born and had done nothing either good or bad—in order that God's purpose of election might continue, not because of works but because of his call— ¹²she was told, "The older will serve the younger." ¹³As it is written, "Jacob I loved, but Esau I hated."

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

Stand

Alleluia and Verse



Holy Gospel

Matthew 14:13-21

- **P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fourteenth chapter.
- **C** Glory to You, O Lord.

¹³Now when Jesus heard [about the death of John], he withdrew from there in a boat to a desolate place by himself. But when the crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the towns. ¹⁴When he went ashore he saw a great crowd, and he had compassion on them and healed their sick. ¹⁵Now when it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, "This is a desolate place, and the day is now over; send the crowds away to go into the villages and buy food for themselves." ¹⁶But Jesus said, "They need not go away; you

give them something to eat." ¹⁷They said to him, "We have only five loaves here and two fish." ¹⁸And he said, "Bring them here to me." ¹⁹Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass, and taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven and said a blessing. Then he broke the loaves and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds. ²⁰And they all ate and were satisfied. And they took up twelve baskets full of the broken pieces left over. ²¹And those who ate were about five thousand men, besides women and children.

- **P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- C Praise to You, O Christ.

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.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life,

whose kingdom will have no end.

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.

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Hymn of the Day O Living Bread from Heaven

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Sermon

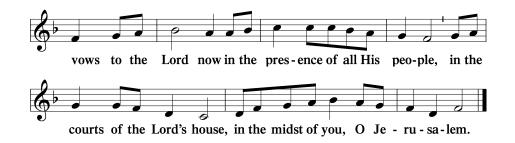
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Prayer of the Church

- A Lord, in Your mercy,
- C hear our prayer.

Offering: Offerings may be placed in the wooden box at the back of the sanctuary.





Service of the Sacrament

Stand

Preface LSB 208

- **P** The Lord be with you.
- C And also with you.
- **P** Lift up your hearts.
- **C** We lift them to the Lord.
- **P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- C It is right to give Him thanks and praise.
- P It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, for the countless blessings You so freely bestow on us and all creation. Above all, we give thanks for Your boundless love shown to us when You sent Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, into our flesh and laid on Him our sin, giving Him into death that we might not die eternally. Because He is now risen from the dead and lives and reigns to all eternity, all who believe in Him will overcome sin and death and will rise again to new life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:





Text: Stephen P. Starke

Prayer of Thanksgiving

P Blessed are You, O Lord our God, king of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

In Your righteous judgment You condemned the sin of Adam and Eve, who ate the forbidden fruit, and You justly barred them and all their children from the tree of life. Yet, in Your great mercy, You promised salvation by a second Adam, Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, and made His cross a life-giving tree for all who trust in Him.

We give You thanks for the redemption You have prepared for us through Jesus Christ. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may faithfully eat and drink of the fruits of His cross and receive the blessings of forgiveness, life, and salvation that come to us in His body and blood.

Hear us as we pray in His name and as He has taught us:

Lord's Prayer

C Our Father who art in heaven...

The Words of Our Lord

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed...

Pax Domini

- **P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- C Amen.



Sit

For the Communion Beliefs and Practices of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, please see the announcements at the back of the bulletin.

Distribution of the Sacrament

- The ushers will dismiss you to go forward.
- Go to the communion rail on your side.
- If you are able, you may kneel when pastor welcomes you.
- The host will be distributed, followed by the individual cups.
- If you receive the sacrament with an individual cup, please continue to hold the empty cup as pastor comes by with the chalice (common cup).
- The chalice will follow for those wishing to receive the sacrament in this way.
- If you take the common cup, please grasp the base or stem of the chalice and help the pastor tip the cup.

Distribution Hymns

Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness
Awake, O Sleeper, Rise from Death
O Gracious Lord, with Love Draw Near

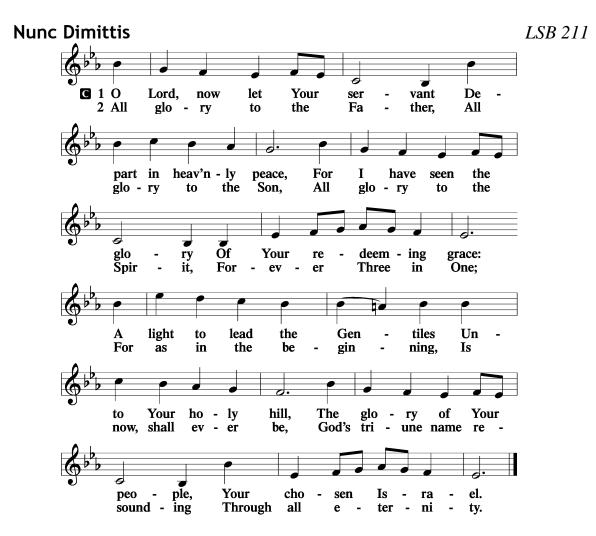
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Post-Communion Collect

A Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Benedicamus LSB 212

- **A** Let us bless the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

Benediction

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

C Amen.

Hymn to Depart At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing LSB 633

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Worship Times: Sunday at 9:00 A.M. & Monday at 6:00 P.M.

Welcome

We are glad that you have joined us today as we worship our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. If you have any questions during worship, please feel free to ask an usher at any time.

Small children are part of the Body of Christ. We always welcome them in worship. However, we understand that it may not be easy to remain still or quiet. If a break is needed, "Busy Bags" are hanging up as you enter the Sanctuary.

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Ushers:

Sunday: Aaron Utecht & Byron Kowitz

Monday: John & Michele Brixius

Communion Assistant

Sunday: Lee Matthias

Altar Guild

Michele Brixius

CD Recording

Joanne Thompson

Altar Flowers

Presented to the Glory of God by Rosemary Kautzer and family in memory of Bob.

Prayers

This Week at Redeemer

Sunday, August 6th 9:00 am Worship

Monday, August 7th 6:00 pm Worship

Tuesday, August 8th 8:15 am Finance 11:30 am STS Picnic

Wednesday, August 9th

Thursday, August 10th

Friday, August 11th Office Closed

Saturday, August 12th

Sunday, August 13th 9:00 am Worship

Last Week Attendance: 114 Last Week Offering: \$5,164

Statement on Holy Communion

The Lord's Supper is joyfully received here every weekend and on other holy days. At the altar, our Lord Jesus Christ delivers His true body and blood into our mouths. His gift of body and blood, given in, with, and under the bread and wine, bestows tremendous benefits. His body and blood forgives our sins, strengthens our faith, binds us to the Lord, and unites us with each other. In this is life and salvation.

All members of the Lutheran Church–Missouri Synod have publicly confessed this sacred gift and its blessings, and so are encouraged to commune. Other guests wishing to join our confession and receive this Holy Sacrament are asked to meet with a pastor before communing for the first time. When you have examined yourself according to Christ's bidding (1 Corinthians 11:17-34), come to His Supper rejoicing, just as Jesus asks, knowing that our Lord meets you at His altar with joy. Those coming to the altar for a blessing rather than the Holy Supper are asked to cross their arms over their chest.

Scholarships Available

Application forms at the Welcome Center. Please drop application forms in the offering box by August 28th.

- ✓ Frailing Scholarships are available for female students studying for careers in either health care or education (white Form).
- ✓ Redeemer Scholarships are given to those who plan for careers in the ministry of the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod as pastors, Directors of Christian Education or parochial school teachers. (Orange Form)

Kwik Trip Cards

The Kwik Trip cards are restocked and available for purchase. Cards available are \$25, \$50 and \$100. Thank you for supporting this preschool fundraiser.

Call Committee Update:

The Call Committee met on the 28th and we have narrowed down the list from the Synod to 5 potential candidates for the Senior Pastor position at Redeemer. Those are as follows:

Pastor Brassfield
Pastor Kennell
Pastor Holden
Pastor Nielson
Pastor Olson

We want to remind the congregation that they can view the detailed information provided from the Synod on each of the Pastors during church hours. That information is available in the church office and needs to be viewed there as well. We truly hope that you will take the time to review the information and prayerfully consider each of the Pastors. The Committee is now in the process of setting up conversations with each of the Pastors on the list and we will provide feedback on those conversations at the Voter's Meeting, which we hope will happen in early September. Further details will follow. Thank you for keeping the process, the Committee and the Pastor's in your prayers.

Youth game night

Youth Game Night will be held on Wednesday, August 16th at 6:00 pm. This month's puzzle is below:

But for the food that Endures to eternal life Son of Man gives ____.

Book Club

The Summer book club plans to meet on August 30th at 6:30pm. Books are available to sign out at the welcome center. All are welcomed.

Card Store Update

For many years, Redeemer's Men's Club has operated a card store. The proceeds received (above the cost of the cards) are used for outreach or mission projects as designated by the Men's Club. The card rack had been in the former library and has now been moved to the east end of the Fellowship Hall. There are cards for various occasions and all have a Christian sentiment. Boxes of cards are also available for Christmas. Money to purchase the cards can be put in the white envelope provided. Presently cards cost \$0.60 each or 3 for \$1.75. If anyone has any questions please contact Bob Gregurich.

Second Time Singles

Second Time Singles invite all ladies to join them.

- Picnic at Lincoln Park near Cabin 1 on August 8th at 11:30 a.m. Bring your own lunch, beverage and lawn chair. Dessert will be provided. In case of inclement weather, meet at church. JoAnn Noffke is the hostess.
- Sunday, August 20, breakfast following worship at Four Seasons. Please sign up by Aug. 15th so reservations can be made. Jane Boerst & Marlene Damm are hostesses.