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**Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
June 28, 2020**

Divine Service ~ Setting Four
Welcome and Announcements
A Time of Greeting

Opening Hymn: LSB #837 “Lift High the Cross”

**Ref Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim
Till all the world adore His sacred name.**

- 1 Come, Christians, follow where our Captain trod,
Our king victorious, Christ, the Son of God. Refrain**
- 2 Led on their way by this triumphant sign,
The host of God in conqu'ring ranks combine. Refrain**
- 3 All newborn soldiers of the Crucified
Bear on their brows the seal of Him who died. Refrain**
- 4 O Lord, once lifted on the glorious tree,
As Thou hast promised, draw us all to Thee. Refrain**
- 5 Let ev'ry race and ev'ry language tell
Of Him who saves our lives from death and hell. Refrain**
- 6 So shall our song of triumph ever be:
Praise to the Crucified for victory! Refrain**

Confession and Absolution

In the name of the Father and of the+ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Our help is in the name of the Lord,
who made heaven and earth.

If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?
But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.

Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, and call upon Him in prayer and praise, 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. **Amen.**

Service of the Word

Introit

I will sing of the steadfast love of the LORD, forever
with my mouth I will make known your faithfulness to all generations.

Blessèd are the people who know the festal shout,
who walk, O LORD, in the light of your face,
who exult in your name all the day
and in your righteousness are exalted.

For you are the glory of their strength;
by your favor our horn is exalted.

For our shield belongs to the LORD,
our king to the Holy One of Israel.

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.

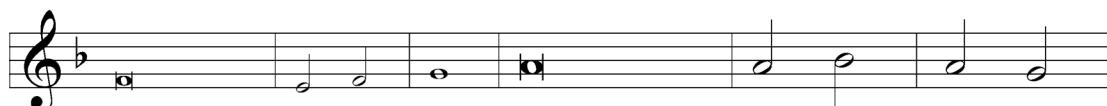
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Kyrie

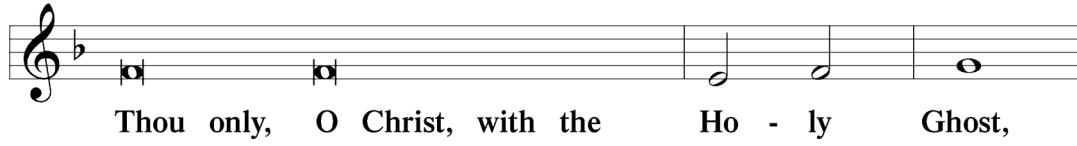
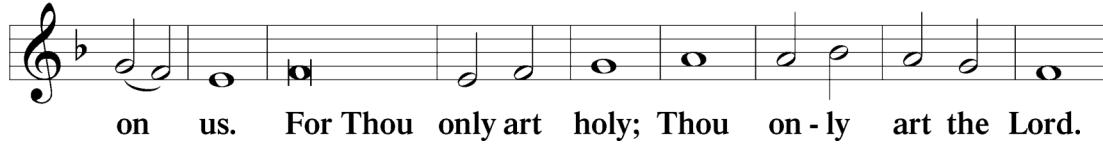
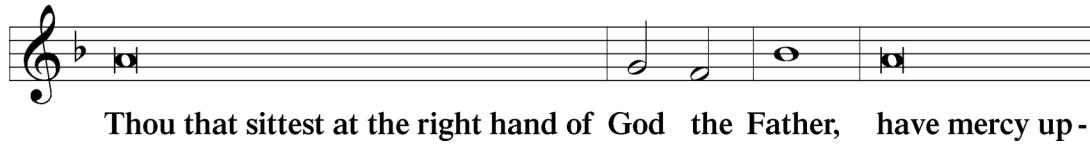
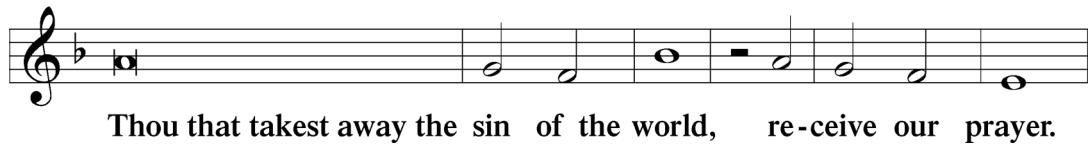
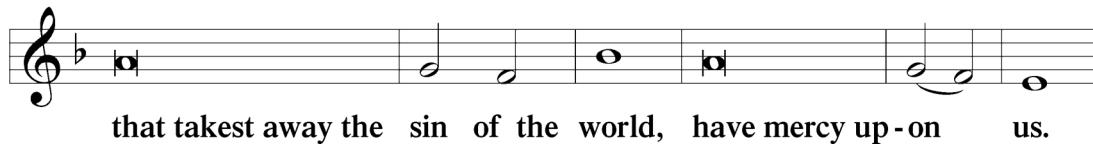
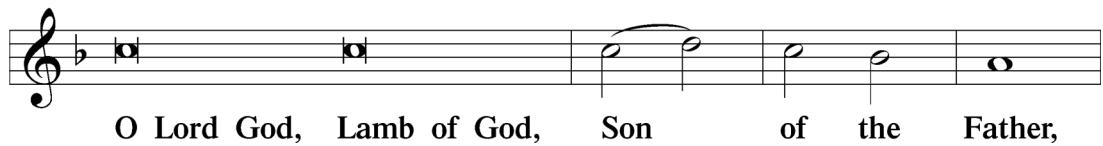
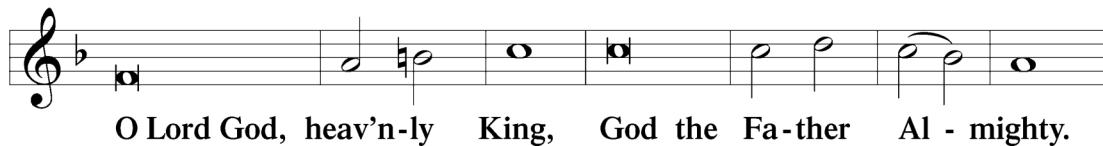
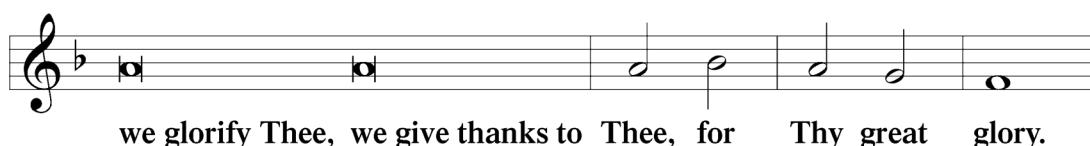


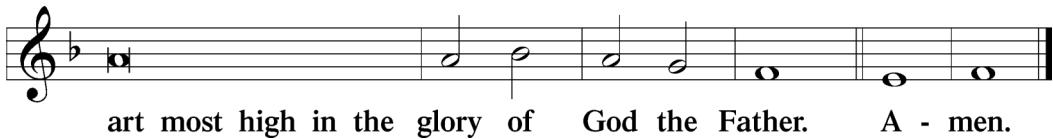
C Lord, have mer - cy; Christ, have mer - cy; Lord, have mer - cy.

Gloria in Excelsis



P Glory be to God on high: **C** and on earth peace, good - will toward





Salutation and Collect of the Day

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Let us pray.

Almighty God, by the working of Your Holy Spirit, grant that we may gladly hear Your Word proclaimed among us and follow its directing; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

Old Testament Reading **Jeremiah 28:5-9**

5Then the prophet Jeremiah spoke to Hananiah the prophet in the presence of the priests and all the people who were standing in the house of the LORD, 6and the prophet Jeremiah said, “Amen! May the LORD do so; may the LORD make the words that you have prophesied come true, and bring back to this place from Babylon the vessels of the house of the LORD, and all the exiles. 7Yet hear now this word that I speak in your hearing and in the hearing of all the people. 8The prophets who preceded you and me from ancient times prophesied war, famine, and pestilence against many countries and great kingdoms. 9As for the prophet who prophesies peace, when the word of that prophet comes to pass, then it will be known that the LORD has truly sent the prophet.”

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

Gradual

Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God!
How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways!

For from him and through him and to him are all things.
To him be glory forever. Amen.

Epistle **Romans 7:1-13**

1Or do you not know, brothers—for I am speaking to those who know the law—that the law is binding on a person only as long as he lives? 2Thus a married woman is bound by law to

her husband while he lives, but if her husband dies she is released from the law of marriage. 3Accordingly, she will be called an adulteress if she lives with another man while her husband is alive. But if her husband dies, she is free from that law, and if she marries another man she is not an adulteress.

4Likewise, my brothers, you also have died to the law through the body of Christ, so that you may belong to another, to him who has been raised from the dead, in order that we may bear fruit for God. 5For while we were living in the flesh, our sinful passions, aroused by the law, were at work in our members to bear fruit for death. 6But now we are released from the law, having died to that which held us captive, so that we serve not under the old written code but in the new life of the Spirit.

7What then shall we say? That the law is sin? By no means! Yet if it had not been for the law, I would not have known sin. I would not have known what it is to covet if the law had not said, "You shall not covet." 8But sin, seizing an opportunity through the commandment, produced in me all kinds of covetousness. Apart from the law, sin lies dead. 9I was once alive apart from the law, but when the commandment came, sin came alive and I died. 10The very commandment that promised life proved to be death to me. 11For sin, seizing an opportunity through the commandment, deceived me and through it killed me. 12So the law is holy, and the commandment is holy and righteous and good.

13Did that which is good, then, bring death to me? By no means! It was sin, producing death in me through what is good, in order that sin might be shown to be sin, and through the commandment might become sinful beyond measure.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Alleluia and Verse



C Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

The musical notation consists of three measures of G clef music. The first measure starts with a quarter note followed by eighth notes. The second measure starts with a dotted half note followed by eighth notes. The third measure starts with a quarter note followed by eighth notes. The lyrics "C Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia." are written below the notes.

C These things are writ-ten that you may be - lieve that

The musical notation consists of two measures of G clef music. The first measure starts with a quarter note followed by eighth notes. The second measure starts with a dotted half note followed by eighth notes. The lyrics "C These things are writ-ten that you may be - lieve that" are written below the notes.



Holy Gospel

Matthew 10:34-42

The Holy Gospel according to St Matthew, the tenth chapter.
Glory to You, O Lord.

34[Jesus said:] “Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth. I have not come to bring peace, but a sword.

35For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law. 36And a person’s enemies will be those of his own household. 37Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me, and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me. 38And whoever does not take his cross and follow me is not worthy of me. 39Whoever finds his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.

40“Whoever receives you receives me, and whoever receives me receives him who sent me.

41The one who receives a prophet because he is a prophet will receive a prophet’s reward, and the one who receives a righteous person because he is a righteous person will receive a righteous person’s reward. 42And whoever gives one of these little ones even a cup of cold water because he is a disciple, truly, I say to you, he will by no means lose his reward.”

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to You, O Christ.

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.

Sermon Hymn: LSB #537 “Beautiful Savior”

- 1 Beautiful Savior,**
 King of creation,
Son of God and Son of Man!
 Truly I'd love Thee,
 Truly I'd serve Thee,
 Light of my soul, my joy, my crown.

- 2 Fair are the meadows,**
 Fair are the woodlands,
 Robed in flow'rs of blooming spring;
 Jesus is fairer,
 Jesus is purer,
 He makes our sorr'wing spirit sing.

- 3 Fair is the sunshine,**
 Fair is the moonlight,
 Bright the sparkling stars on high;
 Jesus shines brighter,
 Jesus shines purer
 Than all the angels in the sky.

**4 Beautiful Savior,
Lord of the nations,
Son of God and Son of Man!
Glory and honor,
Praise, adoration
Now and forevermore be Thine!**

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Prayer of the Church

(each petition after ends)

...through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



Offering

Hymn during Offering: LSB #789 “Praise and Thanksgiving”

**1 Praise and thanksgiving,
Father, we offer
For all things living,
Created good:
Harvest of sown fields,
Fruits of the orchard,
Hay from the mown fields,
Blossom and wood.**

**3 Father, providing
Food for Your children,
By Your wise guiding
Teach us to share
One with another,
So that, rejoicing
With us, all others
May know Your care**

**2 Bless, Lord, the labor
We bring to serve You
That with our neighbor
We may be fed.
Sowing or tilling,
We would work with You,
Harvesting, milling
For daily bread.**

Lord's Prayer

**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.

Benedicamus and Benediction

Let us bless the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

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. Amen.

Closing Hymn: LSB #924 “Lord Dismiss Us with Your Blessing”

1 Lord, dismiss us with Your blessing,
 Fill our hearts with joy and peace;
Let us each, Your love possessing,
 Triumph in redeeming grace.
O refresh us; O refresh us,
Trav'ling through this wilderness.

2 Thanks we give and adoration
 For Your Gospel's joyful sound.
May the fruits of Your salvation
 In our hearts and lives abound.
Ever faithful, ever faithful
To Your truth may we be found.

3 Savior, when Your love shall call us
 From our struggling pilgrim way,
Let not fear of death appall us,
 Glad Your summons to obey.
May we ever, may we ever
Reign with You in endless day.



Celebrating birthdays in July...

- 1.Lloyd Lewis, Robert Soberg
- 2.Pat Werning
- 6.Donna Lewis, Tom Schneekloth, Janelle Woldruff
- 7.Brody Bascom
- 8.Steven Buhr, Carole Stransky
- 11.Will Peters
- 12.Allan Postel, Dustin Wendel
- 13.Jane Schmidt
- 15.Jason Bascom, Evelyn Lippmann, Margie Popenhagen, Jayme Scheck, Samantha Scheck, Ryan Spellerberg
- 17.Marcella Jacobsen
- 18.Ron Aschbrenner, Doris Terrace
- 19.Walker Armstrong, Barbara Burkhart, Pat Fehlberg, Eugene Pinney
- 20.Stephanie Setter
- 22.Carter Bramsen, Pearl Crow
- 24.Mark Cooling
- 27.Ron Floerchinger
- 28.Amy Worden
- 29.Jan Pearson
- 30.Chris Auman



Celebrating anniversaries in July...

- 1.Bob & Bonnie Hull
- 5.John & Jan Millett, Kraig & Kelly Snyder
- 7.Tom & Bette Jo Wendel
- 10.Jack & Shelley Gott
- 18.Darwin & Carole Benson
- 27.Ron & Jackie Floerchinger, Phil & Amy Worden
- 28.Andrew & Abby Myer
- 30. Doug & Beth Winders

