

*The Third Sunday of*  
**PENTECOST**

June 9, 2024



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“If a kingdom is divided  
against itself, that kingdom  
cannot stand.”

Mark 3:24



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## Lutheran Church

June 9, 2024

### PRELUDE

“Pomp and Circumstance”

*Edward Elgar*

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

LSB 790 v. 1-3



1 Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre -  
2 Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is won - drous - ly  
3 Praise to the Lord, who has fear - ful - ly, won - drous - ly,



a - tion! O my soul, praise Him, for He is your  
reign - ing And, as on wings of an ea - gle, up -  
made you, Health has be - stowed and, when heed - less - ly



health and sal - va - tion! Let all who hear Now to His  
lift - ing, sus - tain - ing. Have you not seen All that is  
fall - ing, has stayed you. What need or grief Ev - er has



tem - ple draw near, Join - ing in glad ad - o - ra - tion!  
need - ful has been Sent by His gra - cious or - dain - ing?  
failed of re - lief? Wings of His mer - cy did shade you.

### INVOCATION *Mt 28:19*

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People:  Amen.

### OPENING SENTENCES *Psalm 71:1-6, 14, 23-24a adapted*

Pastor: In You, O Lord, do I take refuge; let me never be put to shame!

People: **In Your righteousness deliver me and rescue me; be to me a rock of refuge.**

Pastor: You have given the command to save me, for You are my rock and my fortress.

People: **For You, O Lord, are my hope; my praise is continually of You.**

Pastor: I will hope continually and will praise You yet more and more.  
People: **My lips will shout for joy, when I sing praises to You, my soul also, which You have redeemed. And my tongue will talk of Your righteous help all the day long.**

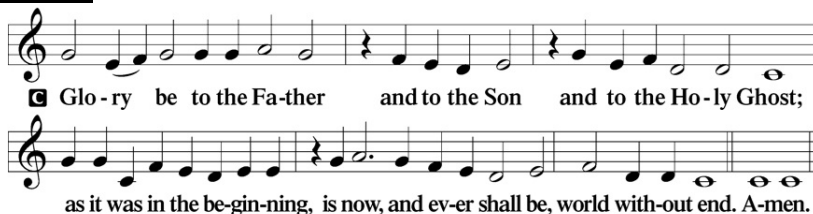
### **CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

Pastor: Let us now make confession of our sins to God, our heavenly Father.  
People: **Merciful Father, we confess our sinfulness. We are sinful from our birth and since that time have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed. Our actions have brought injury to others. We have left undone those things we ought to have done; we have done those things we ought not to have done. We sincerely repent of our sins. Graciously hear this our confession, O Lord, and grant us Your grace and forgiveness in Jesus Christ. By the renewing work of the Holy Spirit within us, lead us to amend our sinful lives, that each day we grow in righteousness and in hope to the glory of Your holy name.**  
Pastor: Jesus, our Redeemer and God's greatest gift, promises forgiveness, life, and salvation. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit. As you believe, so may it be.  
People: ♪ Amen.

### **THE INTROIT** *Psalm 28:7-9; antiphon: v. 6*

Pastor/Choir: Blessed be the Lord! For he has heard the voice of my pleas for mercy. The Lord is my strength and my shield; in him my heart trusts, and I am helped; my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to him. The Lord is the strength of his people; he is the saving refuge of his anointed. Oh, save your people and bless your heritage! Be their shepherd and carry them forever.

### **THE GLORIA PATRI**



☐ Glo - ry be to the Fa-ther and to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost;  
as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end. A-men.

### **THE KYRIE** *Mt 9:27, 15:22*

♪ Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us.  
Lord, have mercy upon us.

## HYMN OF PRAISE

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

LSB 790 v. 4-5



4 Praise to the Lord, who will pros - per your work and de -  
5 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a -  
fend you; Sure - ly His good - ness and mer - cy shall  
dore Him! All that has life and breath, come now with  
dai - ly at - tend you. Pon - der a - new What the Al -  
prais - es be - fore Him! Let the A - men Sound from His  
might - y can do As with His love He be - friends you.  
peo - ple a - gain; Glad - ly for - ev - er a - dore Him!

## THE SALUTATION 2 Tim 4:22

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People:



☐ And with thy spir - it.

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Almighty and eternal God, Your Son, Jesus, triumphed over Satan and freed us from our bondage to sin. Rule our lives, enable us to do Your will, and help others to see that we belong to You; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People:  Amen.

## OLD TESTAMENT READING

Genesis 3:8–15

*(The fall and the Lord's promise of a Savior)*

<sup>8</sup> And they heard the sound of the Lord God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God among the trees of the garden. <sup>9</sup> But the Lord God called to the man and said to him, “Where are you?” <sup>10</sup> And he said, “I heard the sound of you in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked, and I hid myself.” <sup>11</sup> He said, “Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten of the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?” <sup>12</sup> The man said, “The woman whom you gave to be with me, she gave me fruit of the tree, and I ate.” <sup>13</sup> Then the Lord

God said to the woman, “What is this that you have done?” The woman said, “The serpent deceived me, and I ate.”

<sup>14</sup>The Lord God said to the serpent, “Because you have done this, cursed are you above all livestock and above all beasts of the field; on your belly you shall go, and dust you shall eat all the days of your life. <sup>15</sup>I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and her offspring; he shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise his heel.”

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

### **EPISTLE**

2 Corinthians 4:13–5:1

*(“So we do not lose heart.”)*

<sup>13</sup>Since we have the same spirit of faith according to what has been written, “I believed, and so I spoke,” we also believe, and so we also speak, <sup>14</sup>knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus and bring us with you into his presence. <sup>15</sup>For it is all for your sake, so that as grace extends to more and more people it may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

<sup>16</sup>So we do not lose heart. Though our outer self is wasting away, our inner self is being renewed day by day. <sup>17</sup>For this light momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, <sup>18</sup>as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal.

<sup>1</sup>For we know that if the tent that is our earthly home is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

### **ANTHEM** @9am

“Glory Be to God the Father”

*Emellie Weisse, arr. John Carter  
The Cathedral Choir*

### **HOLY GOSPEL**

Mark 3:20–35

*(“For whoever does the will of God, he is My brother and sister and mother.”)*

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the third chapter.

People:



**G** Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

<sup>20</sup> Then (Jesus) went home, and the crowd gathered again, so that they could not even eat. <sup>21</sup> And when his family heard it, they went out to seize him, for they were saying, “He is out of his mind.”

<sup>22</sup> And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem were saying, “He is possessed by Beelzebul,” and “by the prince of demons he casts out the demons.” <sup>23</sup> And he called them to him and said to them in parables, “How can Satan cast out Satan? <sup>24</sup> If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. <sup>25</sup> And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. <sup>26</sup> And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but is coming to an end. <sup>27</sup> But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his goods, unless he first binds the strong man. Then indeed he may plunder his house.

<sup>28</sup> “Truly, I say to you, all sins will be forgiven the children of man, and whatever blasphemies they utter, <sup>29</sup> but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit never has forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin” — <sup>30</sup> for they were saying, “He has an unclean spirit.”

<sup>31</sup> And his mother and his brothers came, and standing outside they sent to him and called him. <sup>32</sup> And a crowd was sitting around him, and they said to him, “Your mother and your brothers are outside, seeking you.” <sup>33</sup> And he answered them, “Who are my mother and my brothers?” <sup>34</sup> And looking about at those who sat around him, he said, “Here are my mother and my brothers! <sup>35</sup> For whoever does the will of God, he is my brother and sister and mother.”

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People:



■ Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

## **THE 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.**

**HYMN OF THE DAY****“Jerusalem the Golden”**

LSB 672



- 1 Je - ru - sa - lem the gold - en, With milk and hon - ey blest—  
 2 With-in those walls of Zi - on Sounds forth the joy - ful song,  
 3 A - round the throne of Da - vid, The saints, from care re - leased,  
 △ 4 O sweet and bless - ed coun - try, The home of God's e - lect!



The prom - ise of sal - va - tion, The place of peace and rest—  
 As saints join with the an - gels And all the mar - tyr throng.  
 Raise loud their songs of tri - umph To cel - e - brate the feast.  
 O sweet and bless - ed coun - try That faith - ful hearts ex - pect!



We know not, oh, we know not What joys a - wait us there:  
 The Prince is ev - er with them; The day - light is se - rene;  
 They sing to Christ their lead - er, Who con - quered in the fight,  
 In mer - cy, Je - sus, bring us To that e - ter - nal rest



The ra - dian - cy of glo - ry, The bliss be - yond com - pare!  
 The cit - y of the bless - ed Shines bright with glo - rious sheen.  
 Who won for them for - ev - er Their gleam - ing robes of white.  
 With You and God the Fa - ther And Spir - it, ev - er blest.

**SERMON****“Keep Your Eye On the Ball”**

2 Corinthians 4:18

*Rev. Ronald Guettler, Cathedral Pastor**Historic Trinity Lutheran Church***OFFERTORY** *Ps 51:10-12*

tune: LSB 425



Cre - ate in me a\_\_ new heart Lord. That glad - ly



I o\_\_ - bey Your\_ Word. Let what You will be\_\_



my de\_ - sire, And with new life my soul in\_\_ - spire.

**GATHERING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

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**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**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.**


*10:30am continues with the bacculaureate*

**\* The Order of Holy Communion \***

*@9am*

**THE PREFACE AND PROPER PREFACE**

Pastor: The Lord be with you. *2 Tim. 4:22*

People: 

☐ And with thy spir - it.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts. *Lam 3:41*

People: 

☐ We lift them up un - to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God. *Ps 100:4*

People: 

☐ It is meet and right so to do.

Pastor: It is truly good, right, and proper that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, because Your mercy attends us all our days. Graciously You provide for all our wants of body and soul. In Christ, our hope of eternal life is realized, and we are assured of His abiding presence in our lives and days. 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** *Is 6:3*

LSB p. 195

♪ Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth; heav’n and earth are full of Thy glory.

**Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.**



**THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION** Mt 26:26-28; Mk 14:22-24; Lk 22:19-20; 1 Co 11:23-25


**THE PAX DOMINI** Jn 20:19

Pastor: The peace of Lord be with you all.

People:  Amen.

**THE AGNUS DEI** Jn 1:29

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 **O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.**  
**O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.**  
**O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace.**  
**Amen.**

**DISTRIBUTION**

*For those with health concerns, there is non-alcoholic white wine and gluten free wafers in the center of each tray.*

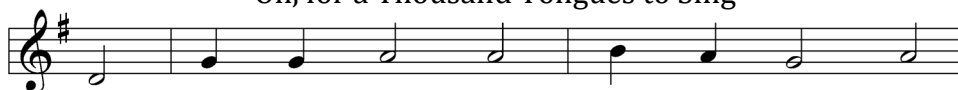
**TWO STATION COMMUNION:**

*If you would like to receive communion at the altar, take the path to the left before the chancel step.*

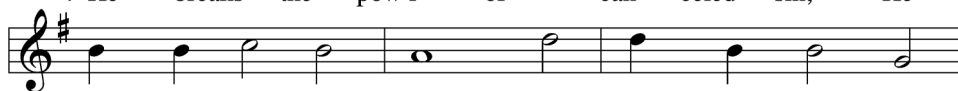
*If you would like to receive communion in a continuous line, take the path to the right before the chancel step.*

**“Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”**

LSB 528



1 Oh, for a thou - sand tongues to sing My  
2 My gra - cious Mas - ter and my God, As -  
3 Je - sus! The name that charms our fears, That  
4 He breaks the pow'r of can - celed sin; He



great Re - deem - er's praise, The glo - ries of my  
sist me to pro - claim, To spread through all the  
bids our sor - rows cease; 'Tis mu - sic in the  
sets the pris - 'ner free. His blood can make the



God and King, The tri - umphs of His grace!  
earth a - broad, The hon - ors of Thy name.  
sin - ner's ears, 'Tis life and health and peace.  
foul - est clean; His blood a - vails for me.

Look unto Him, ye nations; own Your God, ye fallen race.  
Look and be saved through faith alone, Be justified by grace.

See all your sins on Jesus laid; The Lamb of God was slain.  
His soul was once an off'ring made For ev'ry soul of man.

To God all glory, praise, and love Be now and ever giv'n  
By saints below and saints above, The Church in earth and heav'n.

## DIMISSAL

### PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Pastor: O Lord God, heavenly Father, You have given us a foretaste of the feast to come through this blessed Meal. Send Your Holy Spirit that, having now received this Holy Sacrament, we rejoice in the good gift of life and its restoration in Christ. We eagerly look forward to that time when we are gathered around the Table in Your heavenly kingdom to share in Your blessings for all eternity. This we ask through Jesus Christ, our Lord,

**People: Amen.**

### THE BACCALAUREATE

Pastor: Thus says the Lord, your Redeemer, who formed you from the womb: "I am the Lord, who made all things, who alone stretched out the heavens, who spread out the earth by myself." *Isaiah 44:24*

**People: Did not He who made me in the womb make him? And did not one fashion us in the womb? Job 31:15**

Pastor: In His hand is the life of every living thing and the breath of all mankind. *Job 12:10*

**People: Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker! Psalm 95:6**

Pastor: Know that the Lord, He is God! It is He who made us, and we are His; we are His people, and the sheep of His pasture. *Psalm 100:3*

**People: The Spirit of God has made me, and the breath of the Almighty gives me life. Job 33:4**

Pastor: Your hands have made and fashioned me; give me understanding that I may learn Your commandments. *Psalm 119:73*

**People: For You formed my inward parts; You knitted me together in my mother's womb.**

Pastor: I praise You, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are Your works; my soul knows it very well.

**People: My frame was not hidden from You, when I was being made in secret, intricately woven in the depths of the earth.**

Pastor: Your eyes saw my unformed substance; in Your book were written, every one of them, the days that were formed for me, when as yet there was none of them. *Psalm 139:16*

**People: Thus says the Lord who made you, who formed you from the womb and will help you: Isaiah 44:2**

### GRADUATES

## High School

Parker Andrew Jones, Lutheran High Northwest (Grand Valley State)

Madeline Kitchen, Grosse Pointe South (Cornell)

Lucie Leonhard, Grosse Pointe North (Nova Southeastern)

Gavin Male, Saline (Trades)

Lily Moran, Lake Orion (Wayne State)

Jacob Page, Grosse Pointe South (John Carroll)

## College/University

Ethan Bach, Grand Valley State University, BS Engineering

Brendan Robert Bender, Ferris State University, BS Computer Information Technology

Sarah Lydia Eberhard, Michigan State University, BS Natural Science

Jeffrey Hillbom, Grand Valley State University, BS Business Administration

## Graduate School

Emma Victoria Cherry, Arkansas State University, DPT Doctor of Physical Therapy

Christina Koehler, Northeastern Medical School of Ohio, MD Doctor of Medicine.

## RESPONSIVE BACCALAUREATE LITANY

Pastor: Dear Father, You tell us to write Your word in our hearts. *(Prov. 3:1-2)*

**People: Lord, inspire them toward Your will and Your ways.**

Pastor: You tell us to be loving and faithful, *(Prov. 3:3)*

**People: Expand their capacity to love others unconditionally so that Your love may reach others through their service.**

Pastor: You tell us to trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding. *(Prov. 3:5-6)*

**People: Give these graduates faith and purpose in all their days. Stretch all of their imaginations to envision greater possibilities for what You can accomplish through them.**

Pastor: You encourage us with the promise that those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength; they will run and not be weary. *(Is 40:31)*

**Pastor: We thank You for Your past care and protection of these graduates. We pray for Your continued care as they enter new challenges and new responsibilities in life.**

Pastor: We ask for heavenly wisdom. *(Psalm 111:10)*

**People: Give wisdom to parents in their changing roles. As these students are now less dependent on parents, send others who will help them to make wise decisions and to do what is righteous and just.**

Pastor: Gracious Father, grant them the devotion to be disciples and the discipline to be devoted. In the name of Jesus Christ our Savior we pray.

**People: Amen.**

**BENEDICTION** Num. 6:24-26

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The ✱ Lord lift his countenance upon you and give you peace.

People:

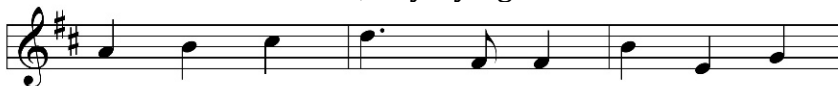


☐ A-men, a-men, a - men.

**RECESSIONAL HYMN**

“Savior, Thy Dying Love”

TLH 403



1 Sav - ior, Thy dy - ing love Thou gav - est  
2 O'er the blest mer - cy seat, Plead - ing for  
3 Give me a faith - ful heart, Like - ness to  
4 All that I am and have, Thy gifts so



me; Nor should I aught with - hold,  
me, My fee - ble faith looks up,  
Thee, That each de - part - ing day  
free, In joy, in grief, through life,



Dear Lord, from Thee. In love my  
Je - sus, to Thee. Help me the  
Hence - forth may see Some work of  
Dear Lord, for Thee! And when Thy



soul would bow, My heart ful - fill its vow,  
cross to bear, Thy won - drous love de - clare,  
love be - gun, Some deed of kind - ness done,  
face I see, My ran - somed soul shall be



Some of - f'ring bring Thee now,  
Some song to raise or prayer,  
Some wan - d'r'er sought and won,  
Through all e - ter - ni - ty



Some - thing for Thee.

**POSTLUDE**

“Praise to the Lord”

Jacob Weber