

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost  
Divine Service, Setting Four  
July 31, 2022

**Regarding the Lord's Supper** – *Today as we celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion we will receive the body and blood of our Savior. We receive the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our faith. Mindful of the Scriptural teaching concerning Church fellowship (Acts 2:42; 1 Cor. 10:17; 1 Cor. 11:26; Rom. 16:17), we practice closed communion. Communicant members of this congregation, or another congregation of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, are encouraged to commune this morning. Guests desiring to receive the sacrament are encouraged to speak with the pastor.*

**Prelude**

**Words of Welcome**

**Stand**

***THIS IS THE DAY THE LORD HAS MADE***

LSB 903

1           This is the day the Lord has made;  
              He calls the hours His own.  
              Let heav'n rejoice, let earth be glad  
              And praise surround the throne.

2           Today He rose and left the dead,  
              And Satan's empire fell;

Today the saints His triumphs spread  
And all His wonders tell.

3 Hosanna to the\_anoointed King,  
To David's holy Son!  
Help us, O Lord; descend and bring  
Salvation from Your throne.

4 Blessèd is He who comes to us  
With messages of grace;  
He, in the Lord's name, comes to us  
To save our fallen race.

5 Hosanna in the highest strains  
The Church on earth can raise.  
The highest heav'ns, in which He reigns,  
Shall give Him nobler praise.

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

**INVOCATION**

LSB 203

**P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the  
Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

**EXHORTATION**

LSB 203

**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?

**C 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.

### *CONFESSION OF SINS*

LSB 203

**C Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.**

### *PRAYER FOR FORGIVENESS*

**P** Almighty God, merciful Father, in Holy Baptism You declared us to be Your children and gathered us into Your one, holy Church, in which You daily and richly forgive us our sins and grant us new life through Your Spirit. Be in our midst, enliven our faith, and graciously receive our prayer and praise; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**C Amen.**

*INTROIT* Ps. 49:7–8, 13–14a, 15; antiphon: Ps. 49:1–2

**P** Hear this, all peoples! Give ear, all inhabitants of the

world,

**C both low and high, rich and poor together!**

**P** Truly no man can ransom another, or give to God the price of his life,

**C for the ransom of their life is costly and can never suffice.**

**P** This is the path of those who have foolish confidence; yet after them people approve of their boasts.

**C Like sheep they are appointed for Sheol; death shall be their shepherd.**

**P** But God will ransom my soul from the power of Sheol, for he will receive me.

**C 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** Hear this, all peoples! Give ear, all inhabitants of the world,

**C both low and high, rich and poor together!**

*KYRIE*

LSB 204

**C Lord, have mercy.  
Christ, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.**

*GLORIA IN EXCELSIS*

LSB 204

**C To God on high be glory  
And peace to all the earth;  
Goodwill from God in heaven  
Proclaimed at Jesus' birth!  
We praise and bless You, Father;  
Your holy name we sing—**

**Our thanks for Your great glory,  
Lord God, our heav'nly King.**

**To You, O sole-begotten,  
The Father's Son, we pray;  
O Lamb of God, our Savior,  
You take our sins away.  
Have mercy on us, Jesus;  
Receive our heartfelt cry,  
Where You in pow'r are seated  
At God's right hand on high—**

**For You alone are holy,  
You only are the Lord.  
Forever and forever,  
Be worshiped and adored;  
You with the Holy Spirit  
Alone are Lord Most High,  
In God the Father's glory.  
"Amen!" our glad reply.**

***SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY***

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you.

**P** Let us pray.

**C** O Lord, grant us wisdom to recognize the treasures  
You have stored up for us in heaven, that we may  
never despair but always rejoice and be thankful for  
the riches of Your grace; through Jesus Christ,  
Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You

**and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.  
Amen.**

***Sit***

***OLD TESTAMENT READING***Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12–14; 2:18–26

<sup>2</sup>Vanity of vanities, says the Preacher,  
vanity of vanities! All is vanity.

<sup>12</sup>I the Preacher have been king over Israel in Jerusalem.

<sup>13</sup>And I applied my heart to seek and to search out by  
wisdom all that is done under heaven. It is an unhappy  
business that God has given to the children of man to be  
busy with. <sup>14</sup>I have seen everything that is done under the  
sun, and behold, all is vanity and a striving after wind.

<sup>18</sup>I hated all my toil in which I toil under the sun, seeing that  
I must leave it to the man who will come after me, <sup>19</sup>and who  
knows whether he will be wise or a fool? Yet he will be  
master of all for which I toiled and used my wisdom under  
the sun. This also is vanity. <sup>20</sup>So I turned about and gave my  
heart up to despair over all the toil of my labors under the  
sun, <sup>21</sup>because sometimes a person who has toiled with  
wisdom and knowledge and skill must leave everything to be  
enjoyed by someone who did not toil for it. This also is vanity  
and a great evil. <sup>22</sup>What has a man from all the toil and  
striving of heart with which he toils beneath the sun? <sup>23</sup>For all  
his days are full of sorrow, and his work is a vexation. Even  
in the night his heart does not rest. This also is vanity.

<sup>24</sup>There is nothing better for a person than that he should  
eat and drink and find enjoyment in his toil. This also, I saw,  
is from the hand of God, <sup>25</sup>for apart from him who can eat or  
who can have enjoyment? <sup>26</sup>For to the one who pleases him

God has given wisdom and knowledge and joy, but to the sinner he has given the business of gathering and collecting, only to give to one who pleases God. This also is vanity and a striving after wind.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

### *EPISTLE*

Colossians 3:1–11

<sup>1</sup>If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. <sup>2</sup>Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. <sup>3</sup>For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. <sup>4</sup>When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

<sup>5</sup>Put to death therefore what is earthly in you: sexual immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. <sup>6</sup>On account of these the wrath of God is coming. <sup>7</sup>In these you too once walked, when you were living in them. <sup>8</sup>But now you must put them all away: anger, wrath, malice, slander, and obscene talk from your mouth. <sup>9</sup>Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have put off the old self with its practices <sup>10</sup>and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge after the image of its creator. <sup>11</sup>Here there is not Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave, free; but Christ is all, and in all.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## **Stand**

### *ALLELUIA AND VERSE*

LSB 205

**C** Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

**These things are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God.**

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

### *HOLY GOSPEL*

Luke 12:13–21

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the twelfth chapter.

**C** **Glory to You, O Lord.**

<sup>13</sup>Someone in the crowd said to [Jesus], “Teacher, tell my brother to divide the inheritance with me.” <sup>14</sup>But he said to him, “Man, who made me a judge or arbitrator over you?” <sup>15</sup>And he said to them, “Take care, and be on your guard against all covetousness, for one’s life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions.” <sup>16</sup>And he told them a parable, saying, “The land of a rich man produced plentifully, <sup>17</sup>and he thought to himself, ‘What shall I do, for I have nowhere to store my crops?’ <sup>18</sup>And he said, ‘I will do this: I will tear down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. <sup>19</sup>And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.’ <sup>20</sup>But God said to him, ‘Fool! This night your soul is required of you, and the things you have prepared, whose will they be?’ <sup>21</sup>So is the one who lays up treasure for himself and is not rich toward God.”

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



## **C Praise to You, O Christ.**

### *APOSTLES' CREED*

LSB 207

**C 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.**

***Sit***

### *PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING*

LSB 789

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.

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.

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.

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## *SERMON*

***Stand***

## *PRAYER OF THE CHURCH*

***Sit***

## *OFFERING*

***Stand***

**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:

**C** **Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth adored;  
Heav'n and earth with full acclaim shout the glory of  
Your name.**

**Sing hosanna in the highest, sing hosanna to the  
Lord;**

**Truly blest is He who comes in the name of the  
Lord.**

## *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*

LSB 209

**C** 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.**

*THE WORDS OF OUR LORD*

- P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: “Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.”
- P** In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: “Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

*PAX DOMINI*

LSB 209

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

*AGNUS DEI*

LSB 210

- C** O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,  
You take the sin of the world away;  
O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,  
Have mercy on us, Lord, we pray.

**O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,  
You take the sin of the world away;  
Have mercy on us, Jesus Christ,  
And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.**

**Sit**

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*THY BODY, GIVEN FOR ME, O SAVIOR*

LSB 619

1           Thy body, giv'n for me, O Savior,  
              Thy blood which Thou for me didst shed,  
              These are my life and strength forever,  
              By them my hungry soul is fed. Refrain

ref           Lord, may Thy body and Thy blood  
              Be for my soul the highest good!

2           With Thee, Lord, I am now united;  
              I live in Thee and Thou in me.  
              No sorrow fills my soul, delighted  
              It finds its only joy in Thee. Refrain

3           Who can condemn me now? For surely  
              The Lord is nigh, who justifies.  
              No hell I fear, and thus securely  
              With Jesus I to heaven rise. Refrain

4           Though death may threaten with disaster,  
              It cannot rob me of my cheer;  
              For He who is of death the master  
              With aid and comfort e'er is near. Refrain

5           My heart has now become Thy dwelling,  
              O blessèd, holy Trinity.  
              With angels I, Thy praises telling,

# Shall live in joy eternally. Refrain

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## *O JESUS, KING MOST WONDERFUL*

LSB 554

- 1 O Jesus, King most wonderful!  
O Conqueror renowned!  
O Source of peace ineffable,  
In whom all joys are found:
- 2 When once You visit darkened hearts,  
Then truth begins to shine,  
Then earthly vanity departs,  
Then kindles love divine.
- 3 O Jesus, light of all below,  
The fount of life and fire,  
Surpassing all the joys we know,  
All that we can desire:
- 4 May ev'ry heart confess Your name,  
Forever You adore,  
And, seeking You, itself inflame  
To seek You more and more!
- 5 Oh, may our tongues forever bless,  
May we love You alone  
And ever in our lives express  
The image of Your own!

*ALL PEOPLE THAT ON EARTH DO DWELL*

LSB 791

- 1 All people that on earth do dwell,  
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice.  
Him serve with mirth, His praise forthtell;  
Come ye before Him and rejoice.
- 2 Know that the Lord is God indeed;  
Without our aid He did us make.  
We are His folk, He doth us feed,  
And for His sheep He doth us take.
- 3 O enter then His gates with praise;  
Approach with joy His courts unto.  
Praise, laud, and bless His name always,  
For it is seemly so to do.
- 4 For why? The Lord our God is good:  
His mercy is forever sure.  
His truth at all times firmly stood  
And shall from age to age endure.
- 5 To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,  
The God whom heav'n and earth adore,  
From us and from the angel host  
Be praise and glory evermore.

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***Stand***

*NUNC DIMITTIS*

LSB 211

**☐ O Lord, now let Your servant  
Depart in heav'nly peace,**



**For I have seen the glory  
Of Your redeeming grace:  
A light to lead the Gentiles  
Unto Your holy hill,  
The glory of Your people,  
Your chosen Israel.**

**All glory to the Father,  
All glory to the Son,  
All glory to the Spirit,  
Forever Three in One;  
For as in the beginning,  
Is now, shall ever be,  
God's triune name resounding  
Through all eternity.**

*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 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

LSB 212

- P** 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.

## Sit

## CHRIST BE MY LEADER

LSB 861

- 1 Christ be my Leader by night as by day;  
Safe through the darkness, for He is the way.  
Gladly I follow, my future His care,  
Darkness is daylight when Jesus is there.
- 2 Christ be my Teacher in age as in youth,  
Drifting or doubting, for He is the truth.  
Grant me to trust Him; though shifting as sand,  
Doubt cannot daunt me; in Jesus I stand.
- 3 Christ be my Savior in calm as in strife;  
Death cannot hold me, for He is the life.  
Nor darkness nor doubting nor sin and its stain  
Can touch my salvation: with Jesus I reign.

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## POSTLUDE

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## **Announcements**

**Coming in September!** Our Fall season of the Wednesday Bible Study is beginning in September. Rather than having one book or topic for 10 straight weeks, we'll have a "basket full of topics" to cover. More info to come!

**LutheranBnB** – Traveling soon? Believe it or not, an enterprising Lutheran has spent several years building a network of Lutheran hosts. For more information, see [LutheranBnB.com](http://LutheranBnB.com)

**Youth Confirmation Planning!** Well, we're on the downhill slide of summer! It's that time again to start planning for the fall Youth Confirmation instruction classes. Typically, we begin this around 6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup> grade here at CTK. If you, your child, or someone else might be ready to begin this instruction, please talk to Pastor Yoakum.

*"What is confirmation?"* Confirmation is a public rite of the church preceded by a period of instruction in which baptized Christians learn about the confession, life, and mission of the Christian church."

**Memory Verse Challenge of the Week:** 1 Corinthians 10:13 – No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation he will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it.

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- every worship service
- a weekly Book of the Month Bible Study (BOMBS)
- and also the upcoming Wednesday Bible study on the Small Catechism

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**Scripture Readings for July 24, 2022:**

Genesis 15:1-6 – The Lord promises Abraham many descendants.

Hebrews 11:1-6 – The faith of Abraham and others.

Luke 12: 22-34 – It is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom.

**Prayer List** – Ruth, Kay, Winston; Donna; David; Bonne; Robin; Kim; Kaitland; Robert; Bryant; Elmer; Christine; Brad; Jim and Noah; Mike; Loretta; Peggy; Lois; Christine; Judy; Lisa; Dave; Barbara; Isabel; Roma.

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**Serving Today (7/31):**

Elder – Charlie T.  
Ushers – Ted C. and Tony C.  
Organist – Kathy Y.  
Greeter – Kelley  
Acolyte – Kara Y.  
Altar Guild – Kathy Y.  
Camera – Beth B.  
Tellers – Walt B. and Melissa S.

**Serving Next Week (8/7):**

Elder – Dave B.  
Usher – Clair S. and Jerry H.  
Organist – Lisa T.  
Greeter – Legge  
Acolyte – Lauren S.  
Altar Guild – Angela F.  
Camera – Kathy Y.  
Tellers – Melissa S. and Kathy Y.

**Upcoming Calendar**

7-31-22	9am	Sunday School and Bible Class
	10am	Divine Service
	4pm	Chapel at Sun Towers
8-1-22	7pm	Elders Meeting
8-2-22	2pm	Livestreamed BOMBS Bible Study: Job 12
8-3-22	6:30pm	Wednesday Bible Study
8-7-22	9am	Sunday School and Bible Class
	10am	Divine Service
	4pm	Chapel at Sun Towers
8-8-22	7pm	Church Council
8-9-22	2pm	Livestreamed BOMBS Bible Study: Job 38