

TODAY'S WORSHIP

Divine Service III LSB pages 184-202

L = Liturgist \* = Stand C = Congregation

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**\*OPENING HYMN**

*The Church's One Foundation*

LSB 644

1. **The Church's one foundation Is Jesus Christ her Lord;  
She is His new creation By water and the Word.  
From heav'n He came and sought her To be His holy bride;  
With His own blood He bought her, And for her life He died.**
  
2. **Elect from every nation, Yet one o'er all the earth,  
Her charter of salvation: One Lord, one faith, one birth.  
One holy name she blesses, Partakes one holy food,  
And to one hope she presses, With every grace endued.**
  
3. **Through toil and tribulation And tumult of her war  
She waits the consummation Of peace forevermore,  
Till with the vision glorious Her longing eyes are blest  
And the great Church victorious Shall be the Church at rest.**

**\*INVOCATION AND GENERAL CONFESSION**

L: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **♩ Amen.**

L: We invoke the name of God the Father,

C: **Maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.**

L: And we invoke the one Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God,

C: **Begotten of His Father before all worlds.**

L: God of God, Light of Light,

C: **Begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made;**

L: And in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of Life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son,

C: **Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified.**

L: We humbly confess our sins.

C: **O almighty God, merciful Father, I a poor, miserable sinner, confess to you all my sins and iniquities with which I have offended you. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor sinful being. Amen.**

**\*THE ABSOLUTION**

C: **♩ Amen.**

**\*THE GLORIA PATRI** (Taken from LSB, page 186)

C: **♩ Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

**\*THE KYRIE**

C: **♩ Lord, have mercy upon us. Chris, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.**

**\*THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

L: The Lord be with you.

C: **♩ And with thy spirit.**

L: Let us pray.

C: **✠ Amen.**

THE FIRST READING for the twentieth Sunday after Pentecost is from Habakkuk 1:1-3, 2:1-4, page 785: (8:00 & 10:30)

<sup>1</sup>The oracle that Habakkuk the prophet saw. <sup>2</sup>O LORD, how long shall I cry for help, and you will not hear? Or cry to you "Violence!" and you will not save? <sup>3</sup>Why do you make me see iniquity, and why do you idly look at wrong? Destruction and violence are before me; strife and contention arise. <sup>2:1</sup>I will take my stand at my watchpost and station myself on the tower, and look out to see what he will say to me, and what I will answer concerning my complaint. <sup>2</sup>And the LORD answered me: "Write the vision; make it plain on tablets, so he may run who reads it. <sup>3</sup>For still the vision awaits its appointed time; it hastens to the end—it will not lie. If it seems slow, wait for it; it will surely come; it will not delay. <sup>4</sup>"Behold, his soul is puffed up; it is not upright within him, but the righteous shall live by his faith.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: **✠ Thanks be to God.**

THE EPISTLE READING is from II Timothy 1:5-10, page 995:

<sup>5</sup>I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that dwelt first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, dwells in you as well. <sup>6</sup>For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands, <sup>7</sup>for God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control. <sup>8</sup>Therefore do not be ashamed of the testimony about our Lord, nor of me his prisoner, but share in suffering for the gospel by the power of God, <sup>9</sup> who saved us and called us to a holy calling, not because of our works but because of his own purpose and grace, which he gave us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, <sup>10</sup>and which now has been manifested through the appearing of our Savior Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

**\*ALLELUIA AND VERSE**

C: **✠ Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

**\*THE HOLY GOSPEL** - according to St. Luke, the seventeenth chapter, verses 1-10, page 876:

C: **✠ Glory be to Thee, O Lord.**

<sup>1</sup>And Jesus said to his disciples, "Temptations to sin are sure to come, but woe to the one through whom they come! <sup>2</sup> It would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck and he were cast into the sea than that he should cause one of these little ones to sin. <sup>3</sup>Pay attention to yourselves! If your brother sins, rebuke him, and if he repents, forgive him, <sup>4</sup>and if he sins against you seven times in the day, and turns to you seven times, saying, 'I repent,' you must forgive him." <sup>5</sup> The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith!" <sup>6</sup>And the Lord said, "If you had faith like a grain of mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you. <sup>7</sup>"Will any one of you who has a servant plowing or keeping sheep say to him when he has come in from the field, 'Come at once and recline at table'? <sup>8</sup>Will he not rather say to him, 'Prepare supper for me, and dress properly, and serve me while I eat and drink, and afterward you will eat and drink'? <sup>9</sup>Does he thank the servant because he did what was commanded? <sup>10</sup>So you also, when you have done all that you were commanded, say, 'We are unworthy servants; we have only done what was our duty.'"

L: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: **✠ Praise be to Thee, O Christ.**

#### THE LWML PLEDGE

**In fervent gratitude for the Savior's dying love and His blood-bought gift of redemption, we dedicate ourselves to Him with all that we are and have; and in obedience to His call for workers in the harvest fields, we pledge Him our willing service wherever and whenever He has need of us. We consecrate to our Savior our hands to work for Him, our feet to go on His errands, our voice to sing His praises, our lips to proclaim His redeeming love, our silver and our gold to extend His kingdom, our will to do His will, and every power of our life to the great task of bringing the lost and erring into eternal fellowship with Him. Amen.**

**HYMN OF THE DAY***Soldiers of Christ Arise*

TLH 450

1. **Soldiers of Christ, arise And put your armor on,  
Strong in the strength which God supplies Through His eternal Son;**
2. **Strong in the Lord of hosts And in His mighty pow'r.  
Who in the strength of Jesus trusts Is more than conqueror.**
3. **Stand, then in His great might, With all His strength endued;  
But take, to arm you for the fight, The panoply of God,**
4. **From strength to strength go on, Wrestle and fight and pray;  
Tread all the powers of darkness down And win the well-fought day.**

## THE SERMON

"Forgiven and Forgiving"

(Luke 17:3-5)

THE OFFERING - *During the offering all worshipers are asked to fill out the blue or ivory cards found in the pew rack. Please pass cards down to center aisle. They will be collected immediately after the offering.*

## VOLUNTARY

\*THE OFFERTORY LSB page 192

**♫ Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.**

## \*PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

\*LORD'S PRAYER (Found in the back cover of the hymnal.)

## \*THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

L: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: **♫ Amen.**

\*THE AGNUS DEI LSB page 198

**♫ 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 HYMN

*Draw Near and Take the Body*

LSB 637

1. **Draw near and take the body of the Lord  
And drink the holy blood for you outpoured.  
Offered was He for greatest and for least,  
Himself the Victim and Himself the Priest.**
2. **He who His saints in this world rules and shields,  
To all believers life eternal yields,  
With heav'nly bread He makes the hungry whole,  
Gives living waters to the thirsting soul.**
3. **Come forward then, with faithful hearts sincere  
And take the pledges of salvation here.  
O Lord, our hearts with grateful thanks endow  
As in this feast of love You bless us now.**

## OTHER DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

LSB 570, 578 (1-4), 636

NUNC DIMITTIS - Song of Simeon Luke 2:29-32 LSB page 199

♪ **Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people, a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

L: Oh, give thanks to the Lord, for He is good.

C: ♪ **And His mercy endureth forever.**

L: Let us pray.

C: ♪ **Amen.**

L: The Lord be with you.

C: ♪ **And with Thy Spirit.**

L: Bless we the Lord.

C: ♪ **Thanks be to God.**

\*THE BENEDICTION

C: ♪ **Amen. Amen. Amen.**

\*THE CLOSING HYMN

*LWML Hymn*

(Tune: *Onward Christian Soldiers*)

1. "Serve the Lord with gladness!" Us He gave command  
To proclaim His Gospel Now in every land  
So that fellow sinners May, like us, be blest;  
Leading them to Jesus, We can serve Him best.  
Onward, then, for Jesus! Let this be our aim:  
"Serve the Lord with gladness!" Glorify His name!

\*SILENT PRAYER/POSTLUDE + + + + +

SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY:

Preacher: Pastor Dennis A. Kastens

Liturgist: 5:00, 8:00 & 10:30 - Pastor Jon C. Furgeson; 9:20 - Sem. Weeks

Organist: 8 & 10:30: Burnell Hackman, DMM; 5 & 9:20: Alice Kastens

KFUO AM 850 Broadcaster/Engineer: Dean Seyfert/Dennis Gerfen

NEWS AND NOTES:

THE 20TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

OCTOBER 2, 2016

CHRIST'S TRUE BODY AND BLOOD, given and shed in His passion for the forgiveness of sins, are really present in, with, and under the bread and the wine in the Sacrament of the Altar and are given to and received by those who commune. Confirmed church members who are of one faith with us are invited to the Lord's table. Please register by marking the attendance card in the pew rack.

TODAY'S EDUCATION HOUR: 9:15 - 10:15 a.m.

Adult Bible Class (Lower Commons): Early Church History

Bible Study for 18 - 25 Year Olds (Former Sanctuary Overflow Room): Discussions led by group members with mentors present.

Women's Bible Class (Office Conf. Rm.): led by Janice McCreary

Youth Bible Class: led by Christina Stackle, DCE

8th Grade Youth: led by Rick Goodman

7th Grade Youth: led by Greg Wirtel and Louise Oster

PLEASE SILENCE ALL CELL PHONES

HEARING ASSIST TRANSMITTERS are available from the ushers. Ear pieces are available although we suggest you bring your own.

PLEASE KEEP FOOD & DRINK consumption inside the Gym.

ALTAR FLOWERS are from Ralph and Grace Truemper in celebration of their 45th wedding anniversary; also from Roy Baese in remembrance of his wonderful wife, Ginnie, on what would have been their 54th wedding anniversary.

LIFE CHAIN is **today**, Sunday, October 2, 1:45-3:00. We will meet at Reinhold Flooring, 5429 Telegraph Road. THRIVE'S MEDICAL MOBILE UNIT will be available to tour at Peace, this morning, October 2. Visit the mobile unit to learn more about this life saving ministry. — Life Ministry Team

THE BIBLE STORY BOOKS are ready for pick up in the Sunday School office.

LOYALTY SUNDAY is next weekend. 2017 pledges may be placed in Narthex and Commons receptacles.

KFUO PEACE BROADCAST openings: 2/5, 2/26, 3/19, 3/26, 4/2, 4/9 (Palm Sunday), 4/16 (Easter), 4/23, and 4/30 for 2017. Contact Alan Hopfer.

GREEN PARK GRANDPARENTS DAY this Friday, October 7.

YOUTH NEWS: Join us for Life Chain today 1:45-3:00pm, to serve as a visual statement in prayer for the sanctity of human life. Meet at Reinhold Flooring, 5429 Telegraph Rd. Pick up is at 3:30 at Oberweis. 6th-8th Graders grab your friends and join us for the Amazing Race, Sat., Oct. 15, 6:30-9:30pm. Cost \$5. Sign up by Oct. 9. We will need parents to drive the teams around So. County. Jr. & Sr. Youth are needed to work a shift at the Men's Club Sausage Dinner, Sun. Oct. 16. Please sign up to help.

OCTOBER 16 SAUSAGE DINNER TICKETS available in the Commons after services, in the Church Office during the week or from a Men's Club member. Adults-\$10.00 (pre-sale) \$11.00 at the door, Children 5-12 years-\$5.00; under 5 FREE.

JACKSON BORGES will present a recital here at Peace **this afternoon at 3:00**. Jackson is Organist & Director of Music for The Episcopal Parish of All Saints' Church & St. George's Chapel in Rehoboth Beach and Harbeson, Delaware.

NOT TOO LATE TO SIGN UP for the Planning for a Lifetime seminar this coming weekend, Oct. 8 at 9:30am or Oct. 10 at 6:30pm. Sign-up sheet is located in the Commons.

NEW DAYTIME ADULT HANDBELL ENSEMBLE is being formed - the Glocken Ringers. We will meet on Wednesdays, 1:00-2:00pm, starting October 5th. This is open to the community at large.

BAKE SALE TODAY in the Gym! All proceeds will benefit Peace Hong Kong Missions. Thank you for your continued support!

ALASKA MISSIONS will be selling Stoneys Sausages and Cheeses this weekend in the Gym. Also, tickets will be available for the Ladies Night Out and Quarter Auction at the same time. Be sure to stop by our table in the Gym and see us!

#### **THE 2016 BOAR'S HEAD CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL DEC. 1, 2, 3 and 4**

**ADVANCE TICKETS FOR PEACE MEMBERS** are available Oct. 22 & 23 and Oct. 29 & 30 after all church services in the Commons area. Each family is allowed up to 6 free tickets.

**CAST MEMBERS** - Measurement forms and ticket requests are due Oct. 16.

**BUSINESSES, FAMILIES, AND INDIVIDUALS** who would like to support the Festival financially may use the contribution form in the October Peace Lutheran or contact Ralph and Grace Truemper.

**BROCHURES** are available at the Welcome Center. Feel free to share one with family or friends who have not attended the Festival.

CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF OCTOBER 2, 2016:

Today: 11:30 Sunday School Meeting  
1:45 Life Chain at Reinhold Flooring  
3:00 Jackson Borges Organ Recital  
Mon: 3:30 GP Practice  
6:30 Council  
6:30 Cub Scout Pack Meeting  
Tue: 9:00 Quilters  
7:15 Orchestra Winds of Peace Rehearsal  
Wed: 4:00 5/6/7/8 Gr. Confirmation Class  
7:00 Bells of Peace Rehearsal  
7:00 Wednesday Bible Study  
Thu: 9:00 Mary/Martha Bible Study  
6:30 ESL Classes  
7:00 Chancel Choir  
Sat: 9:30 Planning for a Lifetime Seminar  
5:00 Worship Service  
6:00 Orchestra of Peace Fall Social  
Sun: 11:30 Youth Board Meeting