

A WELCOMING FAITH COMMUNITY. GROWING. CARING. SERVING.

AUGUST 3/4, 2024 11 TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Welcome to Worship

If you are a visitor please stop at the Welcome Desk in the lower level for a visitor bag.

PREACHING: Pastor Sue Wallager ASSISTING: SAT Deb Oas Koepsell SUN Pr Connie Tiede READER:

5 РМ Greg Bergeron 8 AM Marcia Wilson 9 AM Ron Gray 11 AM Jill Arendt

ORGANISTS:

5 PM KT Thompson

8 & 9 AM Mary Jo Gothmann

11 AM Shari Albrecht

We begin a four week preaching series on the Lord's Prayer. The prayer Jesus teaches in Luke 11:2-4 follows the pattern of the commandment to love God with heart, soul, strength, and mind and our neighbors as ourselves. Only after the prayer is grounded in God's person and reign do we move to requests that reflect our personal needs, our relationships with our neighbors, and the struggles of our own souls.

PRELUDE (5 PM & 9 AM):

"Duet for Cello and Bass" by Giacomo Rossini Amelia Podolny, cello: Davis Moore, bass

GATHERING

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

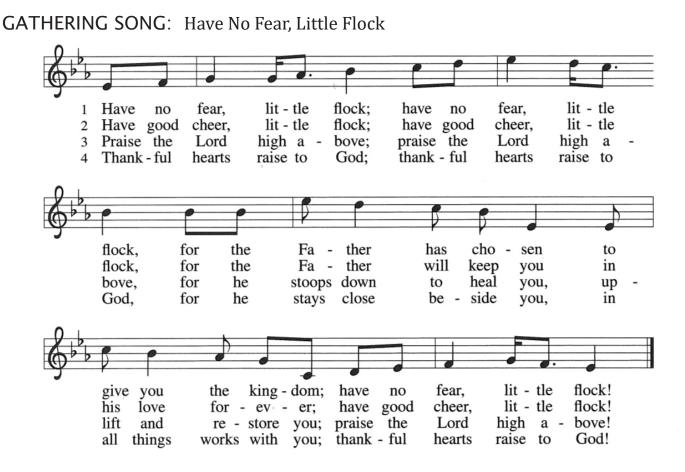
(silence for reflection)

Gracious God,

Have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of † Jesus Christ your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

Amen.



Text: Luke 12:32, st. 1; Marjorie Jillson, b. 1931, sts. 2–4 Music: Heinz Werner Zimmermann, b. 1930 Text and music © 1973 Concordia Publishing House 764

GREETING:

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY:

Abba, Father, we come as your children. Your majesty and love has been shown to us through Jesus Christ. You are the great creator, and yet you are the caring, watchful Father found close to all people. God, when we call you Father, remind us that at the same time we are calling one another brother and sister. Fill our hearts with your love, in Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

WORD

WORD FOR KIDS (9 AM)

LESSONS: Ephesians 3:14-19

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (from ACS page 33):



GOSPEL

The Holy Gospel according to Luke 11:1-13

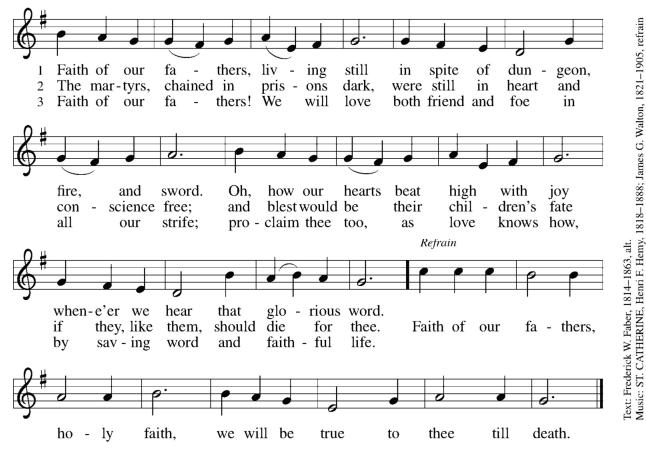
Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

THE SERMON: "The Lord's Prayer: The Father" by Pastor Sue Wallager

HYMN OF THE DAY: Faith of Our Fathers



THE APOSTLES' CREED:

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH: After each petition God of mercy and grace . . . Hear our prayer.

SHARING THE PEACE: The Peace of the Lord be with you always. And also with you.

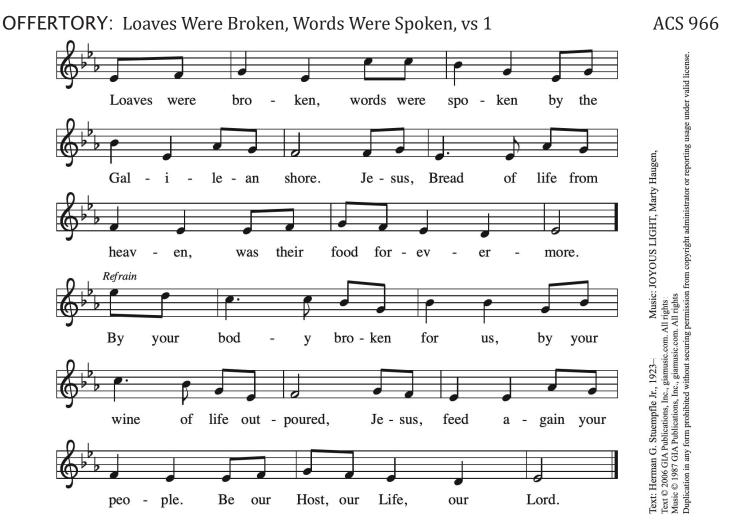
(Share the peace with a wave and word of peace.)



MEAL

OFFERING





OFFERTORY PRAYER:

As we offer our gifts and lives in this moment, may we become imitators of you, Gracious God, who holds nothing back from us, but is generous and gracious with all that is yours. In Jesus' name, we pray. **Amen.**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING:
The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE 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.

DISTRIBUTION

DISTRIBUTION HYMN: Lord of All Hopefulness all hope - ful - ness, Lord of Lord of all 1 joy, all 2 Lord of ea - ger - ness, Lord of all faith, kind - li - ness, 3 Lord of all Lord of all grace, all gen - tle - ness, 4 Lord of Lord all of calm, whose trust. child - like, cares could de stroy: no ev er whose strong hands skilled at lathe: were the plane and the vour hands swift wel-come, your arms brace: to to em whose voice is tent - ment, whose pres - ence is balm: con -0 there wak - ing, be give at our and us, we pray, be there at our la - bors, and give us, we pray, there hom - ing, be at and give our us, we pray, be there sleep - ing, at and give our us, we pray, your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day. hearts, Lord, the noon of the day. your strength in our at hearts, Lord, the eve day. your love in of the our at your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

Text: Jan Struther, 1901–1953 Music: SLANE, Irish traditional Text © Oxford University Press 1931.

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POST COMMUNION BLESSING AND PRAYER:

Jesus, we have received from your table more than we could ever ask. As you have nourished and forgiven us in this meal, now strengthen us to love the world with the love you've shown us. In your name we pray.

Amen.

SENDING

BENEDICTION

The Spirit of the Lord is upon you! You have been called, you have been made holy, you have been given a task to love one another. So go out from this place into God's kingdom. Go carrying Good News to the world: news about freedom from oppression and healing for the afflicted. For you are blessed by the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

WE WELCOME YOU TO WORSHIP

Hearing Assistance Units Available

Hearing assistance units are available at the sound booth at the back of the Sanctuary.

Mobility Concerns

We have areas in the sanctuary where a wheelchair or walker will fit. Ushers can assist you.

Children Welcome

Activity bags are available outside the sanctuary. We have two "pray grounds" in the sanctuary with plenty of places just outside the sanctuary as well where children can sit and play.

LIVE STREAM

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DISMISSAL: Go in peace. Serve the Lord. Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE