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Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost



Luke 18:10

¹⁰“Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector.

To listen to the service, please turn your radio to
FM 88.9

Thank you for joining our service today.

*This service will use the liturgy Setting 3 of ELW (cranberry hymnal).
Please stand (if able) for sections marked with an asterisk (*) in this bulletin.*

Gathering

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Prelude

Tena Rackow

Welcome

Confession and Forgiveness

P: In the name of the Father, and of the ☩ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **C: Amen.**

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

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Most merciful God,

C: Father eternal, giver of light and grace, we have sinned against you and against our neighbour, in what we have thought, in what we have said and done, through ignorance, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We are sorry and ashamed and repent of all our sins. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past and lead us out from darkness to walk as children of light. Amen.

P: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with repentance and faith turn to him, have mercy on you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life, through ☩ Jesus Christ, our Lord. **C: Amen.**

*** Gathering Hymn**

“Morning Has Broken”

ELW#556

* Greeting

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

C: And also with you.

* Kyrie

L: In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

L: For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

L: For the peace of the whole world,
for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all,
let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

L: For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,
let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

L: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

C: Amen.

* Gloria

L: Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.

**C: Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.**

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,

**Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;**

you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.

**For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

* Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray.

Holy God, our righteous judge, daily your mercy surprises us with
everlasting forgiveness. Strengthen our hope in you, and grant that all
the peoples of the earth may find their glory in you, through Jesus
Christ, our Savior and Lord. **C: Amen.**

Word

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

First Reading: Jeremiah 14:7-10, 19-22

⁷Although our iniquities testify against us, act, O LORD, for your name's sake; our apostasies indeed are many, and we have sinned against you. ⁸O hope of Israel, its savior in time of trouble, why should you be like a stranger in the land, like a traveler turning aside for the night? ⁹Why should you be like someone confused, like a mighty warrior who cannot give help? Yet you, O LORD, are in the midst of us, and we are called by your name; do not forsake us! ¹⁰Thus says the LORD concerning this people: Truly they have loved to wander, they have not restrained their feet; therefore the LORD does not accept them, now he will remember their iniquity and punish their sins. ¹⁹Have you completely rejected Judah? Does your heart loathe Zion? Why have you struck us down so that there is no healing for us? We look for peace, but find no good; for a time of healing, but there is terror instead. ²⁰We acknowledge our wickedness, O LORD, the iniquity of our ancestors, for we have sinned against you. ²¹Do not spurn us, for your name's sake; do not dishonor your glorious throne; remember and do not break your covenant with us. ²²Can any idols of the nations bring rain? Or can the heavens give showers? Is it not you, O LORD our God? We set our hope on you, for it is you who do all this.

L: Word of God, word of life. C: **Thanks be to God.**

Choir Anthem “Founded On Faith”

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

⁶As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. ⁷I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. ⁸From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

¹⁶At my first defense no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! ¹⁷But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. ¹⁸The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

L: Word of God, word of life. **C: Thanks be to God.**

*** Gospel Acclamation**

**Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life.
Alleluia. Alleluia.**

*** Gospel Reading: Luke 18:9-14**

P: The Holy Gospel according to Luke. **C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

⁹[Jesus] also told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt:¹⁰“Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. ¹¹The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, ‘God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. ¹²I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.’ ¹³But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, ‘God, be merciful to me, a sinner!’ ¹⁴I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted.”

P: The Gospel of the Lord. **C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon

*** Hymn of the Day “Lord Jesus, Think on Me”**

ELW#599

* 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.**

Prayers of Intercession

Lector leads the prayer.

Congregation responds to each petition with the following:

L: Hear us, O God, **C:** **Your mercy is great.**

We lift our prayers for

Lynn Lyvers, Jerry, Sheridan Brinker, Fern Harnish, Lois Paulsen, Taylor B., Denny Bergmann, Willie Kayser, Rene', Sue Kraft, Connor Stadermann, Brooke, Jon Forsythe, Diane, Randy, Brian, Deb Lindeman Harder, Paul Heller, Janet, Ryse Stone, Nicole, Meghan, John, Chuck, Joyce, Terri, Tina, Julie, Jamie, Crystal, Katie, Christian, Anna, Abby, Karla, Jacob and his family, Richard Gordon, Kay, Shanna, Kathy, Charlie, Brad, Amber, Chris, Ron, Vicki, Brenda, Abby Schick, Brenda, Jack, Gretchen, Tina, Joe, Dan Kempel, Ron Heckman, Justin Yeager, Phil, Sue, Emma, Cindy, Lamar Hail, Connie, Rachel Collins, and LaVonnie

Lord's Prayer

Sending

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

Announcements

Blessing

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,
In the name of the Father, † and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

* **Sending Hymn** **“I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light”**
ELW#815

* Dismissal

L: Go in peace, with Christ beside you. **C: Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Tena Rackow



*Attendance October 9th
In-person-31 Online – 88
On-line attendance includes Facebook and YouTube video views from the last 7 days.*

Announcements

All Saints Sunday, November 6th

We will remember each "Saint" or loved ones who have died since November 2021. We will remember them with a carnation on the altar and also by lifting their names during prayer of the people. If you would like your loved ones who died 2021-2022 to be included this year's All Saints Sunday, please contact the church office by Monday, October 24th.

Bible Study Group
meets on Tuesday's
at 11am in Fellowship Hall.

*We will collect Thankofferings
during November and
December.*

*Men's Group Meeting,
Saturday, October 29th 4:30pm*

Piece Corps Quilting Group
Meets every Wednesday
from 8am-11:30am in Fellowship Hall

ST. JOHN'S ANNUAL BAZAAR AND BEEF & NOODLE DINNER:

Please plan to attend this event November 8th, 2022. Bazaar opens at 8:30 a.m. The Bazaar will include homemade noodles, homemade baked goods, and homemade candies. A variety of crafts made by our members will also be available. Also there will be a Quilts raffle. Dinner serving is from 11:00 to 1:00 and includes beef and noodles, mashed potatoes and gravy, vegetables, Jell-O salads, relishes, dinner rolls, brownies or angel food cake, coffee, and milk – all for \$12. Carry-outs will be available via a drive-thru lane. FHN will be giving flu shots and doing blood pressure screenings from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m.

Hope to see you there!!