

# The Lutheran Church of The Redeemer

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August 21, 2022

**Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost**

10:30AM

**+ GATHERING +**

## **PRELUDE MUSIC**

*Lord, Whose Love In Humble Service*

*Beautiful Savior*

*Jesus, Priceless Treasure*

Raymond Haan

Robert Hobby

David Cherwein

## **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

*<We stand.>*

## **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, whose steadfast love endures forever.

**Amen.**

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

*<We kneel.>*

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

Merciful God,

**we confess that we have not followed your path, but have chosen our own way. Instead of putting others before ourselves, we long to take the best seats at the table. When met by those in need, we have too often passed by on the other side. Set us again on the path of life. Save us from ourselves and free us to love our neighbors. Amen.**

*<We stand.>*

Beloved in Christ, the Word draws near to you, and all who call out to God shall be saved. In Jesus, God comes to you again and again and gathers you under wings of love. In † Jesus' name, your sins are forgiven. God journeys with you and teaches you how to live in love. **Amen.**

**GATHERING HYMN**

**Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty**

**ELW 533**

## 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.**

## HYMN OF PRAISE

Assisting minister



Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and peace to God's peo - ple on earth.

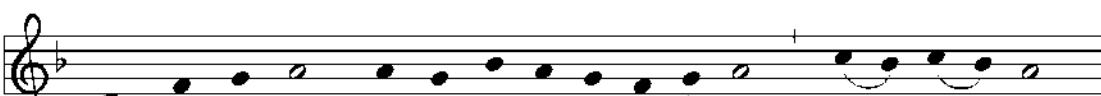
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Lord God, heav'n - ly King, al - might - y God and Fa - ther, we wor -



ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry.



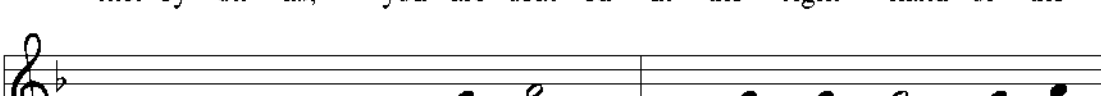
Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, O Lord God,



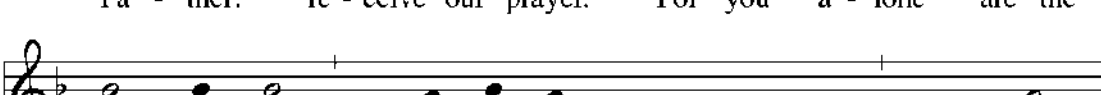
Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world: have



mer - cy on us; you are seat - ed at the right hand of the



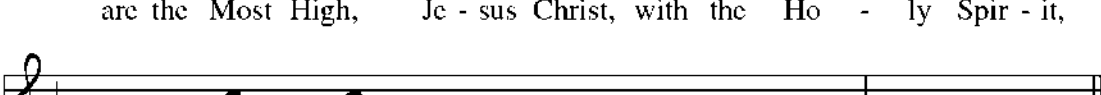
Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer. For you a - lone are the



Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord, you a - lone



are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir - it,



in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray together...

Sustainer of those who come for refuge,

**May we all be able to live into the service and love of Boaz who cared for Ruth in ways that we dream. May we provide space, food, and protection for those who come to glean what is leftover, welcoming them close so that they might know of your love and grace. Amen.**

*<We sit.>*

**+ WORD +**

## READING

**Ruth 2:1-23**

*Pew Bible pg. 211*

The Word of the Lord!

**Thanks be to God!**

## LIL' LUTHERAN TALK

## SERMON

*Rev. Matthew Titus*

*<We stand.>*

## HYMN OF THE DAY

**We Give Thee but Thine Own**

**ELW 686**

## APOSTLES' CREED

Let us confess our faith with the words of the Apostle's 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.**

<We kneel.>

## PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Each prayer petition will end with 'Merciful God.' The response is 'receive our prayer.'

<We stand.>

## SHARING OF THE PEACE

You are invited to share the peace with those participating in worship. You are invited to share the peace however you and those around you are comfortable.

<We sit.>

**ANTHEM**

*Prayer for Peace*

**David Cherwein**

<We stand.>

**+ MEAL +**

## OFFERTORY PRAYER

Let us pray ... in the name of Jesus.

**Amen.**

## GREAT THANKSGIVING

**ELW pg. 107**

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.**

## PREFACE

**ELW pg. 108**

It is indeed right, our duty, and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise... *Here the minister continues with the preface for the day, concluding...* we praise your name and join their unending hymn.



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,  
 heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry.  
 Ho - san - na in the high - est.  
 Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
 Ho - san - na in the high - est.

## THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

Holy, mighty, and merciful Lord...  
 ...be all honor and glory, now and forever.  
**Amen.**

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray...  
**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.**

## INVITATION TO THE MEAL

In Christ's presence there is fullness of joy. Come to the banquet.

*<We sit.>*

## COMMUNION

*Participation in Holy Communion is open to all the baptized of this and other Christian congregations. We come in faith that Christ is truly present in, with, and under the bread and the wine. We receive this gift knowing that we are forgiven and are nourished to be sent to proclaim God's love to the world. You are invited to come to the altar to receive the bread and wine. If you are not able, the meal will be brought to you in your pew. A gluten-free wafer is available, upon request, for those who need it.*

**COMMUNION HYMN**

*Come, Let Us Eat*

**ELW 491**

<We stand.>

## THE TABLE BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.  
**Amen.**



Now, Lord, you let your ser - vant go in peace: your word has  
been ful - filled. My own eyes have seen the sal - va - tion  
which you have pre - pared in the sight of ev - 'ry peo - ple:  
a light to re - veal you to the na - tions and the glo - ry of your  
peo - ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry to the Fa - ther, and to the Son,  
and to the Ho - ly Spir - it, as it was in the be - gin - ning,  
is now, and will be for - ev - er. A - men.

## POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Let us pray ... This we pray in the name of Jesus. **Amen.**

**+ SENDING +**

### SUNG BLESSING

In the name of the Father.

**In the name of the Father.**

In the name of the Son.

**In the name of the Son.**

In the name of the Spirit.

**In the name of the Spirit.**

The Three-in-One.

**The Three-in-One.**

May the Lord bless and keep you.

**May the Lord bless and keep you.**

May God's face shine upon you.

**May God's face shine upon you.**

May God's blessings be with you.

**May God's blessings be with you.**

And give you peace.

**And give you peace.**

<Please turn and face the rear of the nave.>

**DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Love your neighbor.

**Thanks be to God!**

**POSTLUDE**

*Rondeau*

Joseph Mouret

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## Worship Leadership

**Worship Leader**

Reverend Matthew Titus

**Worship Assistant**

Nikki Chapman

**Acolyte**

**Crucifer**

**Choir Director**

Gayle Lindley

**Organist**

Huger Caughman, Jr.

**Youth Director**

Aubrey Guyton

**Video**

Matt Bowers

**Audio**

Annette Belcher, Ben Bowers, Kristin Caughman,  
or Claire Grosshuesch

**Communion Prep**

Robert Kneece

## Announcements

**The Altar Flowers** are given to the Glory of God and in honor of Levi and Jaina Richardson, as well as all of the other students, faculty, staff, and administrators as they begin a new school year by Slade, Levi, Jaina, and Amanda Richardson.

**The Senior Choir resumed** rehearsals on Wednesday, August 17 at 7:30 pm in the McCullough Music Ministry room. The Senior Choir is open to anyone 13 and up. You do not have to read music to be in The Senior Choir. Rehearsals typically last from 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm and sing an anthem on most Sundays from mid-August thru mid-June. Anyone who is interested in singing is invited to join.

**Youth August Happenings** - Check out the Redeemer Youth Instagram page (@redeemer\_newberry\_youth) to see what fun things are going on this month!

**Handbell Workshop** - A Handbell Workshop is being planned for Sunday, August 28 and will be held in the McCullough Music Ministry room. The session will begin at 4:00 pm with basic skills and activities aimed as an introduction for youth (6th - 12th grades) and those adults who are interested in learning about handbells. All are welcome for this introductory session. Beginning at 5:00 pm, The Redeemer Ringers and those interested in joining The Redeemer Ringers will practice music for church performances. (The Redeemer Ringers play at various times throughout the school year and take a break during the summer.) The workshop will conclude with a meal.

Those wishing to attend the sessions are asked to call the church office or Gayle Lindley by Wednesday, August 24 so that adequate materials may be prepared.

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 21 - AUGUST 27**

Today	9:30 am	Sunday School Rally
	10:30 am	Worship
Monday	6:00 pm	Anger Management - Room 141
Tuesday	10:00 am	Prayer Shawl Ministry - Library
Wednesday	7:30 pm	Senior Choir-McCullough Music Ministry Room
Thursday		
Friday		
Saturday		

**Attendance for August 14, 2022**

Sunday School	17
In-Person	62
Online	72
<b>Total</b>	<b>134</b>

**Offering for this Week:**

**Needed Weekly - \$6,000.00**  
**Received 8-14-22 - \$4,800.71**