

October 2, 2022

Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost

10:30 am

+ GATHERING +

PRELUDE MUSIC

Air I

Sonantina from "God's Time is Best" Prelude in E-flat George F. Handel J. S. Bach William Henry Harris

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

<We stand.>

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who is eager to forgive and who loves us beyond our days.

Amen.

Dear friends, together let us acknowledge our failure to love this world as Jesus does. *<We kneel.>* Silence is kept for reflection.

God of mercy and forgiveness,

We confess that sin still has a hold on us. We have harmed your good creation. We have failed to do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with you. Turn us in a new direction. Show us the path that leads to life. Be our refuge and strength on the journey, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and friend. Amen.

<We stand.>

Beloved of God:

your sins are forgiven + and you are made whole. God points the way to new life in Christ, who meets us on the road. Journey now in God's abiding love through the power of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

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



PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray together... God of salvation,

you rescued the Israelites at the edge of the Red Sea. Rescue us from the things of this world that threaten our lives and livelihoods, so that we might forever place our trust in you. We pray these things in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

<We sit.> + WORD +Exodus 14:5-7, 10-15, 21-29 Pew Bible pg. 53 READING The Word of the Lord! Thanks be to God! LIL' LUTHERAN TALK Rev. Matthew Titus SERMON < We stand. >**ELW 780** Shepherd Me, O God HYMN OF THE DAY **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.

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<We kneel.>

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Each prayer petition will end with 'God of grace.' 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

With a Voice of Singing

Martin Shaw

<We stand.>

+ MEAL +

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Let us pray ... through Jesus Christ, who sets a table for all. Amen.

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.

PREFACE

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.



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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

Christ invites you to this table. Come, taste and see.

<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 Bread of Life from Heaven (vs. 1 & 5) **ELW 474**

<We stand.> THE TABLE BLESSING

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



POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Let us pray ... for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen. + SENDING +

SUNG BLESSING In the name of the Father.	May the Lord bless and keep you.
In the name of the Father.	May the Lord bless and keep you.
In the name of the Son.	May God's face shine upon you.
In the name of the Son.	May God's face shine upon you.
In the name of the Spirit.	May God's blessings be with you.
In the name of the Spirit.	May God's blessings be with you.
The Three-in-One.	And give you peace.
The Three-in-One.	⁶ And give you peace.

SENDING HYMN

Blessed Assurance

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

DISMISSAL

Go in peace, with Christ beside you. Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE

Prelude in G

J. S. Bach

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Worship Leadership

Worship Leader	Reverend Matthew Titus
Worship Assistant	Derryll Satterwhite
Acolyte	Mafra Kemper
Crucifer	Zoe Reid
Choir Director	Gayle Lindley
Organist	Huger Caughman, Jr.
Youth Director	Aubrey Guyton
Video	Matt Bowers
Audio	Annette Belcher or Claire Grosshuesch
Communion Prep	Robert Kneece

Announcements

The Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God and in memory of her parents, Lottie and Aubrey Davis by Gayle Lindley.

White Oak Manor Birthdays - Way back in the before times, we would celebrate birthdays at White Oak Manor. The time has come for those celebrations to return! We need volunteers at White Oak on Tuesday, October 4 at 3pm. If you would like to volunteer or receive more information, please contact PM by Sunday! Thank you!

LMM - If you would like to join the Committee of 100 or would like more information, please contact Johnny Lindsay. The Committee of 100 banquet will be held on Tuesday, October 4 at 7:00 pm at Grace, Prosperity. If you would plan to attend, please notify Walter Jacobs or Huger Caughman, Jr.

WELCA will meet this afternoon at 3:45 pm for their business meeting. The program will begin at 4:00 pm.

Oktoberfest RESCHEDULED - Oktoberfest in Downtown Newberry has been rescheduled to Saturday, October 15. This gives us two more weeks to get volunteers! Thanks to all who are able to help out!

Today	9:30 am	Sunday School
	10:30 am	Worship
	3:45 pm	WELCA
	5:15 pm	Youth
Monday	2:30-4:30 pm	Prayer & Care Class
	6:00 pm	Anger Management - Room 141
Tuesday	3:30 pm	Youth Homework and Hang at Genesis
	6:30 PM	Project Nectar
Wednesday	6:30 pm	Handbell - McCullough Music Ministry Room
	7:30 pm	Senior Choir-McCullough Music Ministry Room
Thursday		
Friday		
Saturday		

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OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 2 - OCTOBER 8

Attendance	for	Sent	25	2022
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Sunday School	24
In-Person	87
Online	78
Total	165

Offering for this Week: Needed Weekly - \$6,000.00 Received 9-25-22 - \$7,181.46