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June 30, 2024 6th Sunday after Pentecost 9:30 a.m. <u>Holy Communion Setting 10—ELW (Evangelical Lutheran book of Worship) year B</u>

INTRODUCTION

A woman finds healing by touching Jesus' cloak, and a girl is restored to life when he takes her by the hand. In both cases a boundary is crossed: in Jesus' time the hemorrhaging woman was considered ritually unclean, polluting others by her touch, and anyone who touched a corpse also became unclean. In Mark's gospel Jesus breaks down barriers, from his first meal at a tax collector's house to his last breath on the cross as the temple curtain is torn in two. We dare to touch Jesus in our "uncleanness" and to live as a community that defines no one as an outsider.

PRELUDE

Announcements are on page 18.

Please stand if you are able.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

A very warm welcome to all who worship here this morning, we thank God for sending you to Tabor.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

Blessed be the holy Trinity,+ one God, the God of manna, the God of miracles, the God of mercy.

Amen.

Drawn to Christ and seeking God's abundance, let us confess our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection.

God, our provider,
help us.
It is hard to believe there is enough to share.
We question your ways when they differ from the ways
of the world in which we live.
We turn to our own understanding
rather than trusting in you.
We take offense at your teachings and your ways.
Turn us again to you.
Where else can we turn?
Share with us the words of eternal life
and feed us for life in the world.
Amen.

Beloved people of God:
in Jesus, the manna from heaven,
you are fed and nourished.
By Jesus, the worker of miracles,
there is always more than enough.
Through Jesus, + the bread of life,
you are shown God's mercy:
you are forgiven and loved into abundant life.
Amen.

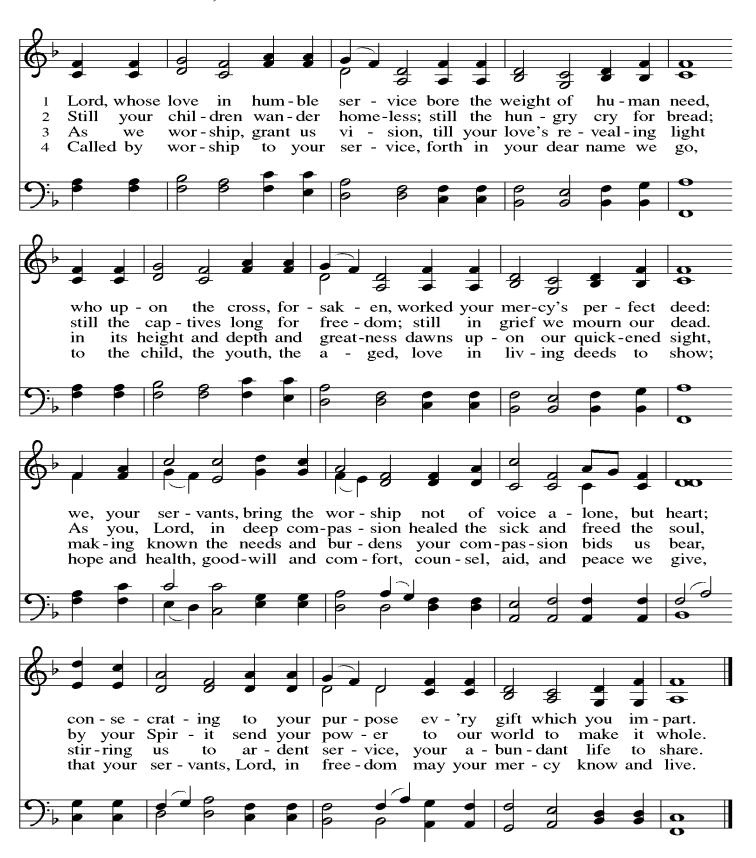
<u>GATHERING</u>

GATHERING HYMN

Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service

ELW 712

Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service



Text: Albert F. Bayly, 1901–1984 Music: BEACH SPRING, *The Sacred Harp*, Philadelphia, 1844; arr. *Selected Hymns*, 1985 Text © 1961 Oxford University Press. Arr. © 1985 Augsburg Fortress.

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.

KYRIE ELW Setting 10



- 1 Have mer-cy on us, Lord, and hear our sol-emn prayer.
- 2 Have mer-cy on us, Christ, and wash a way our sin.
- 3 Have mer-cy on us, Lord; make sin and shame de part.



We come to hear your liv-ing word; it saves us from de-spair.

Pour out your grace and make us whole that new life may be - gin.

Re - new us with your sav-ing pow'r; cre - ate in us new hearts!

CANTICLE OF PRAISE

Glory to God

ELW Setting 10



- 1 Glo-ry be to God in heav-en; peace, good-will to all the earth.
- 2 Glo-ry be to Christ for ev er, Lamb of God and Lord of love.
- 3 Ho-ly One we now ac-claim you; Lord a lone, to you we call;



Might-y God of all cre - a - tion, Fa - ther of sur - pass - ing worth: Son of God and gra-cious Sav - ior, you have come from heav'n a - bove; Ho - ly One in faith we name you, God most high, yet near to all:



we ex - alt you, we a - dore you, we lift high our thanks and praise. on the cross you died to save us; now you reign at God's right hand. Je-sus Christ, with God the Spir - it, in the Fa-ther's splen-dor bright.



Saints and an - gels bow be - fore you; here on earth our songs we raise. Hear our prayer; re - store, for - give us; in your prom - ise firm we stand. For the peace that we in - her - it, glo - ry be to God on high!

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty and merciful God, we implore you to hear the prayers of your people. Be our strong defense against all harm and danger, that we may live and grow in faith and hope, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Please be seated

WORD

FIRST READING: Lamentations 3:22-33

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

PSALM: Psalm 92:30

Read responsively

¹I will exalt you, O LORD, because you have lift- ed me up and have not let my enemies triumph over me.

²O LORD my God, I cried out to you,

and you restored | me to health.

³You brought me up, O LORD, ¹ from the dead; you restored my life as I was going down ¹ to the grave.

⁴Sing praise to the LORD, | all you faithful;

give thanks in ho- | ly remembrance.

⁵God's wrath is short; God's favor lasts a lifetime.

Weeping spends the night, but joy comes in the morning.

⁶While I felt se- cure, I said,

"I shall never | be disturbed.

⁷You, LORD, with your favor, made me as strong | as the mountains." Then you hid your face, and I was | filled with fear.

⁸I cried to you, O LORD;

I pleaded with my Lord, saying,

⁹"What profit is there in my blood, if I go down to the pit?
Will the dust praise you or de- clare your faithfulness?

¹⁰Hear, O LORD, and have mer- cy upon me;

O LORD, be my helper."

¹¹You have turned my wailing into dancing;

you have put off my sackcloth and clothed me with joy.

12Therefore my heart sings to you without ceasing;

O LORD my God, I will give you thanks forever.

SECOND READING: 2 Corinthians 8:7-15

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Please stand if you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Lord and Sav-ior: o - pen now your sav-ing word. Al - le-lu - ia!



it burn like fire with-in speak un - til our hearts are stirred. us;



Lord, we sing Al - le - lu - ia! the good news that you bring. for

The Holy gospel according to Mark, the 5th Chapter.

Glory to you O Lord.

GOSPEL: Mark 5:21-43

The gospel of the Lord

Praise to you O Christ.

Please be seated.

SERMON

Pastor Paula Stecker

A brief silence for reflection.

Please stand if you are able.

Great Is Thy Faithfulness



Please be seated.

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 into hell.

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

One in the communion of saints and in the power of the Holy Spirit, we join our voices in prayer.

A brief silence

Each petition ends:

In your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

Prayers conclude with:

Holy God, holy and merciful: into your outstretched arms we commend ourselves and all for whom we pray, trusting in the one who is the way, the truth, and the life, Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

MEAL

PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace, and may say: Peace be with you.

Please be seated.

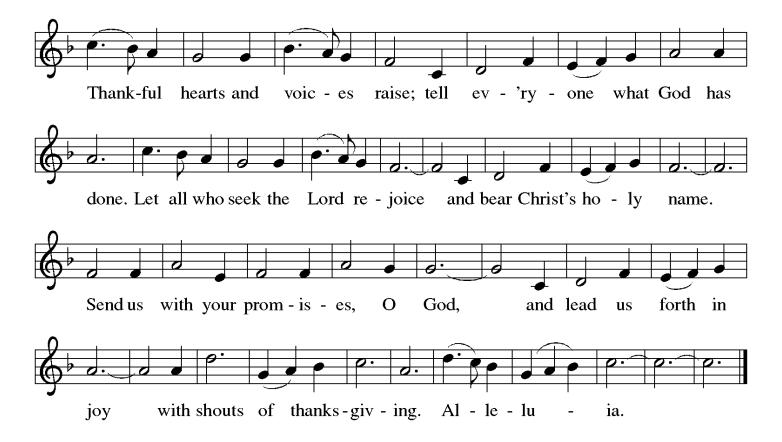
OFFERING OF GIFTS, TITHES AND MUSIC

Special Piano Music

Please stand if you are able.

OFFERTORY ELW 206

Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise



Text: John W. Arthur, 1922-1980

Music: Bread of Life, Jeremy Young, b. 1948 Text © 1978, 1995 Augsburg Fortress and music © 1995 Augsburg Fortress.

OFFERING PRAYER

Jesus, Bread of life, you have set this table with your very self, and called us to the feast of plenty. Gather what has been sown among us, and strengthen us in this meal. Make us to be what we receive here, your body for the life of the world. **Amen.**

DIALOGUE

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

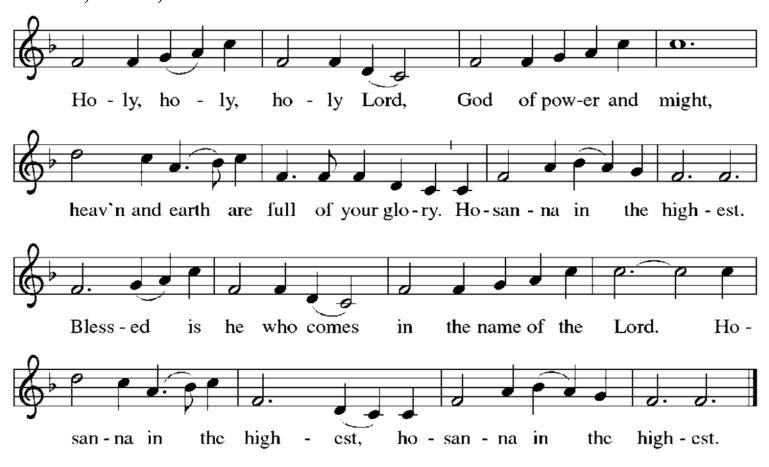
We lift them to the Lord.

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 to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ; who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

Holy God, mighty Lord, gracious Father...

- O God, you are Breath: send your Spirit on this meal.
- O God, you are Bread: feed us with yourself.
- O God, you are wine: warm our hearts and make us one.

Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy spirit, all honor and glory is yours almighty Father, now and forever.

Amen

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.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Christ has set the table with more than enough for all. Come!

Thanks be to God!

COMMUNION

When giving the bread and cup, the communion ministers say
The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ, shed for you.

and each person may respond

Amen.

The Lord's table is open to all worshipers from all denominations who wish to share in God's blessing of the sacrament of Holy Communion. The real presence of Christ is in the bread and wine. Please follow the directions of the ushers. Gluten free wafers and grape juice are available if you prefer.

Please let the usher know if you need assistance.

Please be seated.

COMMUNION SONG



- 1 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a way;
- 2 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a way;
- 3 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a way;



you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer-cy now, we pray.
you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer-cy now, we pray.
e - ter-nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

COMMUNION HYMN

One Bread, One Body

ELW 496

Please repeat until Communion is complete

One Bread, One Body



Text: John Foley, sJ, b. 1939

Music: ONE BREAD, ONE BODY, John Foley, sJ

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Please stand if you are able.

COMMUNION BLESSING

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

Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Jesus, Bread of life, we have received from your table more than we could ever ask.
As you have nourished us in this meal, now strengthen us to love the world with your own life. In your name we pray.

Amen.

SENDING

BLESSING

The blessing of God, who provides for us, feeds us, and journeys with us, + be upon you now and forever.

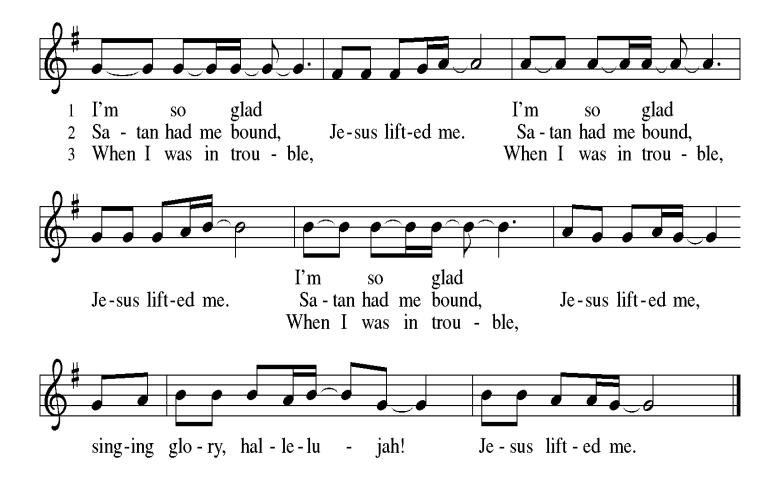
Amen.

SENDING HYMN

I'm So Glad Jesus Lifted Me

ELW 860

I'm So Glad Jesus Lifted Me



Text: African American spiritual

Music: JESUS LIFTED ME, African American spiritual

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. You are the body of Christ.

Thanks be to God!

Disciples Serving:	Today	Next Sunday
Assisting Minister:	Riley Dunton	Cyrisse Cooley
Presider:	Pastor Paula Stecker	Pastor Bob Kippley
Pianist:	Dr. J. Michael Beck	Dr. J. Michael Beck
Altar Guild:	Connie Wisthoff/Cassie Walgren	Kathy Lambert/Linda Johnson
Ushers/Greeters:	Jackie Cooley/Tony Martinet	Marvin Wisthoff/Jeff Jesmain
Counters:	Kathy Lambert/Leanne Neu	Karen Dunton/Cassie Walgren
JAM:		Children's Sermon

PRAYERS

Members, Friends and Relatives	Added by Members
Doris Ask	People of Tabor
Shirley Bass	People of Tabor
Robert Bogusch	Nephew of Kathy Lambert
Brooklyn Clasby	Vargues/Truxell Family
Shirley DeRungs	People of Tabor
Virgie Giannetto	Lynn Truxell
Ruth Guideri	The Bowens Family
Nina Jesmain	People of Tabor
Clay Kashner	People of Tabor
Audrey and Andrea Pitre	Friends of Emily Briggs
Pam Salas	People of Tabor
Jeremy Skaggs	Friend of the Wisthoff Family
Starcher Family	Friends of Emily Briggs
Marvin Truxell	Truxell & Vargues Families
Charlotte Vargues	People of Tabor
Linda Wagner	Lynn Truxell

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- We are planning an outdoor worship followed by a picnic and games with King of Kings on August 18. This will be held at City Park Rotary 43 Pavilion near the rides. If you would like to help plan, please reach out ASAP. Both churches are sharing planning and resources.
- † There will be a Lay Minister meeting with Pastor Bill on July 24 at 6:30pm at Tabor.