



Third Sunday after Pentecost
June 26, 2022
Peace Lutheran Church
Hutchinson, MN

INVOCATION AND CALL TO WORSHIP – Psalm 16

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

¹ Keep me safe, my God, for in you I take refuge.

² **I say to the LORD, “You are my Lord;
apart from you I have no good thing.”**

³ I say of the holy people who are in the land,
“They are the noble ones in whom is all my delight.”

⁴ Those who run after other gods will suffer more and more.
I will not pour out libations of blood to such gods
or take up their names on my lips.

⁵ **LORD, you alone are my portion and my cup;
you make my lot secure.**

⁶ The boundary lines have fallen for me in pleasant places;
surely I have a delightful inheritance.

⁷ **I will praise the LORD, who counsels me;
even at night my heart instructs me.**

⁸ **I keep my eyes always on the LORD.**

With him at my right hand, I will not be shaken.

⁹ Therefore my heart is glad and my tongue rejoices;
my body also will rest secure,

¹⁰ because you will not abandon me to the realm of the dead,
nor will you let your faithful one see decay.

¹¹ **You make known to me the path of life;
you will fill me with joy in your presence,
with eternal pleasures at your right hand. (NIV)**

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

6:30pm, 8:30am HYMN 728 (Maroon): How Firm a Foundation

10:00am HYMN 241 (AGPS): This Is the Day

CONFESSION

Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

Our help is in the name of the Lord,
Who made heaven and earth.

I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord.
And You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for His sake God forgives us all our sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ, He gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit. May the Lord, who has begun this good work in us, bring it to completion in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

HYMN G640 (Green) / 165 (AGPS): Lord, Be Glorified

- 1. In my life, Lord, be glorified, be glorified. In my life, Lord, be glorified today.**
- 2. In my song, Lord, be glorified, be glorified. In my song, Lord, be glorified today.**
- 3. In your Church, Lord, be glorified, be glorified. In Your Church, Lord, be glorified today.**



Readers: 6:30pm Joanne Keilen; 8:30am Gwen Wichman; 10:00am Lee Uldjberg (Gospel only)

OLD TESTAMENT READING: 1 Kings 19:9b-21

And the word of the LORD came to him: "What are you doing here, Elijah?"

¹⁰ He replied, "I have been very zealous for the LORD God Almighty. The Israelites have rejected your covenant, torn down your altars, and put your prophets to death with the sword. I am the only one left, and now they are trying to kill me too."

¹¹ The LORD said, "Go out and stand on the mountain in the presence of the LORD, for the LORD is about to pass by."

Then a great and powerful wind tore the mountains apart and shattered the rocks before the LORD, but the LORD was not in the wind. After the wind there was an earthquake, but the LORD was not in the earthquake.¹² After the earthquake came a fire, but the LORD was not in the fire. And after the fire came a gentle whisper. ¹³ When Elijah heard it, he pulled his cloak over his face and went out and stood at the mouth of the cave.

Then a voice said to him, “What are you doing here, Elijah?”

¹⁴ He replied, “I have been very zealous for the LORD God Almighty. The Israelites have rejected your covenant, torn down your altars, and put your prophets to death with the sword. I am the only one left, and now they are trying to kill me too.”

¹⁵ The LORD said to him, “Go back the way you came, and go to the Desert of Damascus. When you get there, anoint Hazael king over Aram.¹⁶ Also, anoint Jehu son of Nimshi king over Israel, and anoint Elisha son of Shaphat from Abel Meholah to succeed you as prophet. ¹⁷ Jehu will put to death any who escape the sword of Hazael, and Elisha will put to death any who escape the sword of Jehu. ¹⁸ Yet I reserve seven thousand in Israel—all whose knees have not bowed down to Baal and whose mouths have not kissed him.”

¹⁹ So Elijah went from there and found Elisha son of Shaphat. He was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen, and he himself was driving the twelfth pair. Elijah went up to him and threw his cloak around him. ²⁰ Elisha then left his oxen and ran after Elijah. “Let me kiss my father and mother goodbye,” he said, “and then I will come with you.”

“Go back,” Elijah replied. “What have I done to you?”

²¹ So Elisha left him and went back. He took his yoke of oxen and slaughtered them. He burned the plowing equipment to cook the meat and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he set out to follow Elijah and became his servant. (NIV)

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EPISTLE READING: Galatians 5:1, 13-25

It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery.

¹³ You, my brothers and sisters, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the flesh; rather, serve one another humbly in love. ¹⁴ For the entire law is fulfilled in keeping this one command: “Love your neighbor as yourself.” ¹⁵ If you bite and devour each other, watch out or you will be destroyed by each other.

¹⁶ So I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. ¹⁷ For the flesh desires what is contrary to the Spirit, and the Spirit what is contrary to the flesh. They are in conflict with each other, so that you are not to do whatever you want. ¹⁸ But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law.

¹⁹ The acts of the flesh are obvious: sexual immorality, impurity and debauchery; ²⁰ idolatry and witchcraft; hatred, discord, jealousy, fits of rage, selfish ambition, dissensions, factions ²¹ and envy; drunkenness, orgies, and the like. I warn you, as I did before, that those who live like this will not inherit the kingdom of God.

²² But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³ gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law. ²⁴ Those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. ²⁵ Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit. (NIV)

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▲ GOSPEL ALLELUIA

Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia. (repeat)

Thy Word is a path to follow, a light to show the way.

Thy Word is a path to follow, a light to show the way.

Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia. (repeat)

GOSPEL READING: Luke 9:51-62

The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke the 9th chapter. **Glory to You, O Lord.**

⁵¹ As the time approached for him to be taken up to heaven, Jesus resolutely set out for Jerusalem. ⁵² And he sent messengers on ahead, who went into a Samaritan village to get things ready for him; ⁵³ but the people there did not welcome him, because he was heading for Jerusalem. ⁵⁴ When the disciples James and John saw this, they asked, "Lord, do you want us to call fire down from heaven to destroy them?" ⁵⁵ But Jesus turned and rebuked them. ⁵⁶ Then he and his disciples went to another village.

⁵⁷ As they were walking along the road, a man said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go."

⁵⁸ Jesus replied, "Foxes have dens and birds have nests, but the Son of Man has no place to lay his head."

⁵⁹ He said to another man, "Follow me."

But he replied, "Lord, first let me go and bury my father."

⁶⁰ Jesus said to him, "Let the dead bury their own dead, but you go and proclaim the kingdom of God."

⁶¹ Still another said, "I will follow you, Lord; but first let me go back and say goodbye to my family."

⁶² Jesus replied, "No one who puts a hand to the plow and looks back is fit for service in the kingdom of God." (NIV)

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to You, O Christ.**

HYMN: Will You Come and Follow Me? (The Summons) by John Bell

Will You Come And Follow Me If I But Call Your Name?

Will You Go Where You Don't Know And Never Be The Same?

Will You Let My Love Be Shown, Will You Let My Name Be Known,

Will You Let My Life Be Grown In You And You In Me?

Will You Leave Yourself Behind If I But Call Your Name?

Will You Care For Cruel And Kind And Never Be The Same?

Will You Risk The Hostile Stare Should Your Life Attract Or Scare?

Will You Let Me Answer Prayer In You And You In Me?

Will You Let The Blinded See If I But Call Your Name?

Will You Set The Prisoners Free And Never Be The Same?

Will You Kiss The Leper Clean, And Do Such As This Unseen,

And Admit To What I Mean In You And You In Me?

Hymn continues on the next page.

Will You Love The 'You' You Hide If I But Call Your Name?
Will You Quell The Fear Inside And Never Be The Same?
Will You Use The Faith You've Found To Reshape The World Around,
Through My Sight And Touch And Sound In You And You In Me?

Lord, Your Summons Echoes True When You But Call My Name.
Let Me Turn And Follow You And Never Be The Same.
In Your Company I'll Go Where Your Love And Footsteps Show.
Thus I'll Move And Live And Grow In You And You In Me.

MESSAGE The Cost of Following Jesus Pastor Asher

THE APOSTLES' CREED - I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, his 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. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS



6:30pm - Confirmation of Ian Thomas
Todd, son of Elizabeth and Thomas
Todd. Maroon Hymnal, page 272.

PRAYERS & THE LORD'S PRAYER

6:30pm / 10:00am SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

HYMN G643 (Green) / 107 (AGPS): God Is So Good

HYMN G707 (Green) / 237 (AGPS): They'll Know We are Christians by Our Love

BENEDICTION - 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. **Amen.**

8:30am HYMN 853 (Maroon): How Clear is Our Vocation, Lord

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