# Septuagesima

Sunday 5 February A&D 2023



OUR SAVIOR

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

THE LUTHERAN CHURCH—Missouri Synod

4000 Wallings Road & North Royalton, Ohio 44133 (216) 381-2873 & oursaviornorthroyalton.org Rev. Jonathan C. McCall, Pastor

₩ Hymns	$\mathbf{H}$
608	
555	
563	
566	
536	

**Visitors, welcome to Our Savior!** Please take a moment to sign our guestbook on the stand in the narthex before you leave. We follow a traditional Lutheran order of service, which is based on Holy Scripture and historical practice. The order of service in this bulletin is taken from *Lutheran Service Book* (LSB) Divine Service Setting Three. Please feel free to ask any member of the congregation for help if this is new to you.

# This morning we will celebrate Holy Communion

Visitors who have not before received communion from Pastor McCall are kindly asked to speak with him before Divine Service begins and before approaching the altar for the first time. Because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar and because those who eat and drink our Lord's Body and Blood unworthily do so to their great harm, it is very important to speak with pastor before service if you desire the Blessed Sacrament. Also, those who receive the Lord's Supper at Our Savior Evangelical Lutheran Church are baptized Christians who have been instructed in and publicly confess the Evangelical Lutheran faith. For these reasons, *only members of this congregation or sister congregations of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod* receive Holy Communion at this altar. If you have any questions regarding the doctrine and practice of Closed Communion, please talk to the pastor before or after the Divine Service.

Individuals needing pastoral care can contact Pastor Jonathan McCall at (216) 618-1811 or rev.mccall@pm.me



# + THE DIVINE SERVICE + 10:30am

# THE PRELUDE

The bell tolls three times to signify the beginning of service in reverence of the Holy Trinity. After the tolls, the Processional Hymn will begin.

Please STAND and face the Procession (beginning at the rear of the nave).

**THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN** 608 Lord, to You I Make Confession

# $\bigstar$ The Preparation $\bigstar$

In the name of the Father and of the H Son and of the Holy Spirit. St. MATTHEW 28:19B; [18:20]

#### Amen.

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.

[HEBREWS 10:22]

KNEEL IF YOU DESIRE AND ARE ABLE

Our help is in the name of the Lord,<br/>who made heaven and earth.PSALM 124:8

I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the LORD, and You forgave the iniquity of my sin. PSALM 32:5

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination. The pastor will resume...

O almighty God, merciful Father, I a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

[St. John 20:19–23]

# ♣ The Service of the Word ♣

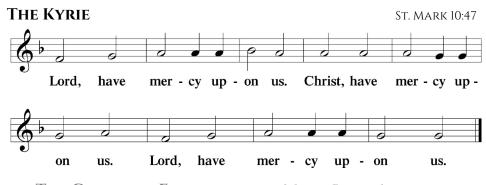
THE INTROIT

PSALM 18:5-6A, 49; PSALM 18:1-2A, 27, 32



The sor- rows of hell compassed / me <u>about</u>: the snares of / death prevented me. In my distress I called upon the LORD, and cried unto my / Gôd: he heard my voice out / of his temple. Therefore will I give thanks unto thee, O LORD, among the / heathen, and sing praises un- / to thy name.-I will love thee, O / LORD, my strength. The LORD is my rock, and my fortress, and / my deliverer; For thou wilt save the afflicted / people; but / wilt bring down high looks. It is God that girdeth / me with strength, and maketh / my way perfect. Glory be to the Father and / to the Son and to the / Holy Spirit; as it was in the be- / ginning, is now and will be for- / ever. Amen. |The sor-| rows of hell compassed / me about: the snares of / death prevented me. In my distress I called upon the LORD, and cried unto my / Gôd: he heard my voice out / of his temple. Therefore will I give thanks unto thee, O LORD, among the / heathen, and sing praises un- / to thy name.-

Stand



THE GLORIA IN EXCELSIS is omitted during Gesimatide

#### THE SALUTATION

2 TIMOTHY 4:22

The Lord be with you.



THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Let us pray. O Lord, graciously hear the prayers of Your people that we who justly suffer the consequence of our sin may be mercifully delivered by Your goodness to the glory of Your name; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



SIT

### THE OLD TESTAMENT

Daniel 9:2–10

In those days: I, Daniel, understood by the books the number of the years specified by the word of the LORD through Jeremiah the prophet, that He would accomplish seventy years in the desolations of Jerusalem. Then I set my face toward the Lord God to make request by prayer and supplications, with fasting, sackcloth, and ashes. And I prayed to the LORD my God, and made confession, and said, "O Lord, great and awesome God, who keeps His covenant and mercy with those who love Him, and with those who keep His commandments, we have sinned and committed iniquity, we have done wickedly and rebelled, even by departing from Your precepts and Your judgments. Neither have we heeded Your servants the prophets, who spoke in Your name to our kings and our princes, to our fathers and all the people of the land. O Lord, righteousness belongs to You, but to us shame of face, as it is this day-to the men of Judah, to the inhabitants of Jerusalem and all Israel, those near and those far off in all the countries to which You have driven them, because of the unfaithfulness which they have committed against You. O Lord, to us belongs shame of face, to our kings, our princes, and our fathers, because we have sinned against You. To the Lord our God belong mercy and forgiveness, though we have rebelled against Him. We have not obeyed the voice of the LORD our God, to walk in His laws, which He set before us by His servants the prophets."

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

THE GRADUAL

PSALM 9:9–10, 18–19A



The LORD also will be a refuge for the op- / prêssed, a refuge in / times of trouble.

And they that know thy name

will put their / trust <u>in thee</u>:

for thou, LORD, hast not forsaken / them that seek thee. For the needy shall not alway be for- / gotten: the expectation of the poor shall not per- / ish for ever.

Arise, O LORD; let not / man <u>prevail</u>: let the heathen be judged / in thy sight.-

# **THE EPISTLE**

#### 1 CORINTHIANS 9:24-10:4

Brethren: Do you not know that those who run in a race all run, but one receives the prize? Run in such a way that you may obtain it. And everyone who competes for the prize is temperate in all things. Now they do it to obtain a perishable crown, but we for an imperishable crown. Therefore I run thus: not with uncertainty. Thus I fight: not as one who beats the air. But I discipline my body and bring it into subjection, lest, when I have preached to others, I myself should become disqualified. Moreover, brethren, I do not want you to be unaware that all our fathers were under the cloud, all passed through the sea, all were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea, all ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same spiritual drink. For they drank of that spiritual Rock that followed them, and that Rock was Christ.

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

STAND

THE TRACT

PSALM 130:1-4



Out of the depths have I cried unto / thee, O LORD. LORD, hear my voice:

let thine ears be attentive to the voice of my / supplications. If thou, LORD, shouldest mark in- / iquities, O LORD, / who shall stand?-

But there is forgiveness with / thêe, that thou may- / est be feared.-



# **THE HOLY GOSPEL**

The Lord be with you.



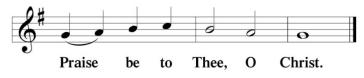
The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twentieth chapter.



+ At that time Jesus spoke this parable to His disciples: "The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out early in the morning to hire laborers for his vineyard. Now when he had agreed with the laborers for a denarius a day, he sent them into his vineyard. And he went out about the third hour and saw others standing idle in the marketplace, and said to them, You also go into the vineyard, and whatever is right I will give you.' So they went. Again he went out about the sixth and the ninth hour, and did likewise. And about the eleventh hour he went out and found others standing idle, and said to them, 'Why have you been standing here idle all day?' They said to him, 'Because no one hired us.' He said to them, 'You also go into the vineyard, and whatever is right you will receive.' So when evening had come, the owner of the vineyard said to his steward, 'Call the laborers and give them their wages, beginning with the last to the first.' And when those came who were hired about the eleventh hour, they each received a denarius. But when the first came, they supposed that they would receive more; and they likewise received each a denarius. And when they had received it, they complained against the landowner, saying, These last men have worked only one hour, and you made them equal to us who have borne the burden and the heat of the day.' But he answered one of them and said, 'Friend, I am doing you no wrong. Did you

not agree with me for a denarius? Take what is yours and go your way. I wish to give to this last man the same as to you. Is it not lawful for me to do what I wish with my own things? Or is your eve evil because I am good?' So the last will be first, and the first last. For many are called, but few chosen."

This is the Gospel of the Lord.



**THE NICENE CREED** 

SIT

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the 4 life of the world to come. Amen.

STAND THE OFFERTORY PSALM 51:10-12 me a clean heart, O Cre-ate in God. and new a right spir-it with - in me. Cast me not way from Thy pres-ence, and take not Thy Ho-ly from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir-it. A - men.

SIT

#### **THE OFFERING**

STAND

# THE ANNOUNCEMENTS AND THE PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

[1 TIMOTHY 2:1-4]

You Are God; We Praise You

- please read the announcements and prayer list details on bulletin insert

After each bid: Let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

At the conclusion: O Lord, ... one God, now and forever. Amen.

555 Salvation unto Us Has Come

re

а

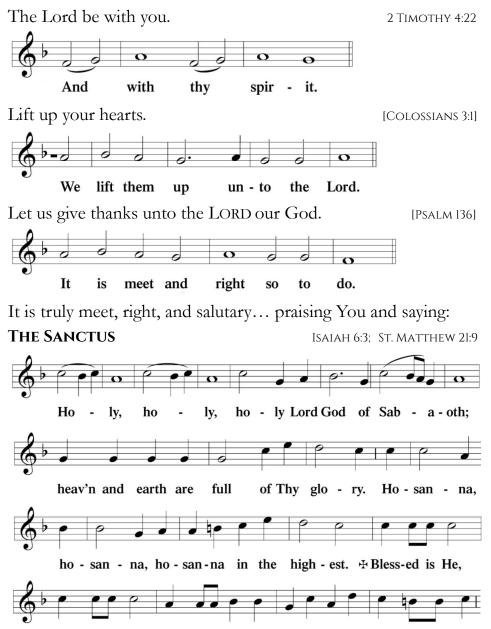
Spir - it

#### THE HYMN OF THE DAY

# **THE SERMON**

# The Service of + The Sacrament of the Altar +

# THE PREFACE



bless-ed is He, bless-ed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord.



Ho-san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

KNEEL IF YOU DESIRE AND ARE ABLE

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

St. Matthew 6:9–13

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.

 THE WORDS OF CHRIST'S TESTAMENT
 ST. MATTHEW 26:26–28;

 ST. MARK 14:22–24;
 ST. LUKE 22:19–20;
 1 CORINTHIANS 11:23–25

Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: TAKE, EAT, THIS IS MY  $\pm$  BODY, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.

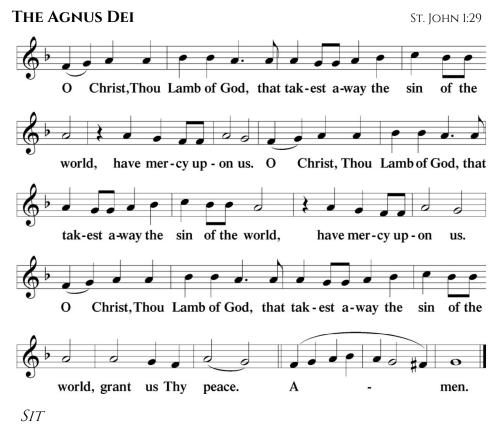
In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying, DRINK OF IT, ALL OF YOU; THIS CUP IS THE NEW TESTAMENT IN MY + BLOOD, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.

#### THE PAX DOMINI

St. John 20:19

The  $\mathbf{\Phi}$  peace of the Lord be with you always.





#### THE COMMUNION HYMNS

563 Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness566 By Grace I'm Saved536 One Thing's Needful

STAND

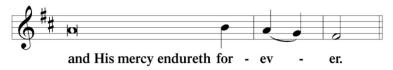
#### THE NUNC DIMITTIS

St. Luke 2:29–32





Oh, give thanks unto the LORD for He is good.

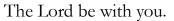


Let us pray. We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift; and we beseech You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



## THE SALUTATION

2 TIMOTHY 4:22



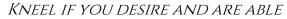


# THE BENEDICAMUS

[PSALM 103:1]

Bless we the LORD.





THE BENEDICTION

NUMBERS 6:24–26

The LORD bless you and keep you.

The LORD make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto

you.

The LORD lift up His countenance upon you and  $\clubsuit$  give you peace.



STAND

# THE RETIRING PROCESSION WITH POSTLUDE

**Please face the Procession** as it passes your pew. Once the Retiring Procession reaches the narthex, depart in + peace.

This publication is produced by Our Savior Evangelical Lutheran Church, North Royalton, Ohio. Liturgy from *Lutheran Service Book* ©2006 Concordia Publishing House. Used by permission. Scripture pericope: ©1982 *New King James Version*. Nashville: Thomas Nelson, Inc. Front cover: DOMINICA SEPTVAGESIMAE, (1595) by Jerome Nadal