# THE TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Sunday 13 October A&D 2024



## OUR SAVIOR

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

THE LUTHERAN CHURCH—Missouri Synod

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Wooden kneeling stools are available to all for use during the Preparation, Consecration, and Benediction. If you would like one, please take it from underneath the last row of chairs on the pulpit side of the nave before service. You may tuck it under the pew in front of you while not in use and may leave it there after the service.

#### 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.



### **4 THE DIVINE SERVICE 4**

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 as it passes.

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN 940 Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

#### # THE PREPARATION #

In the name of the Father and of the \(\mathbf{Y}\) 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, 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  $\maltese$  Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

[ST. JOHN 20:19-23]

STAND

## \*THE SERVICE OF THE WORD \*

THE INTROIT

Daniel 9:14b; 3:43b, 42b; Psalm 48:1



|The LORD| our God is righteous in all his works which he / doeth:

for we obeyed / not his voice.—

But give glory / to <u>Thy name</u> and deal with us

according to the multitude / of Thy mercies.

Great is the LORD, and greatly / to be praised in the city of our God, in the mountain / of his holiness.

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 LORD| our God is righteous in all his works which he / doeth:

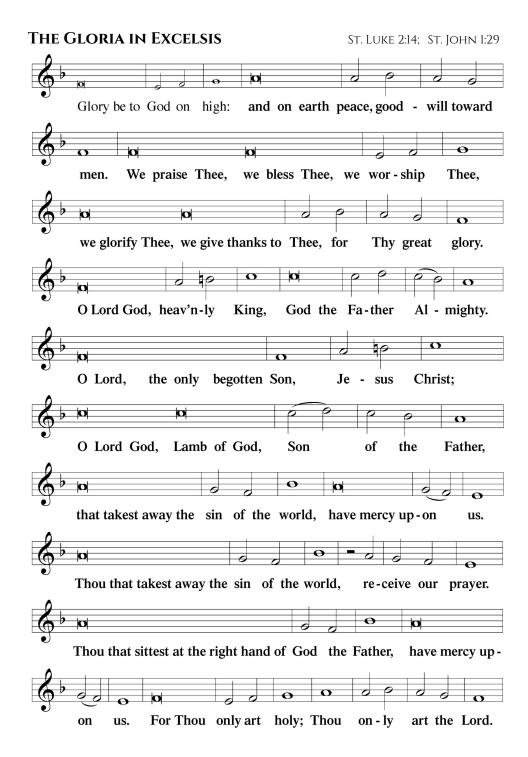
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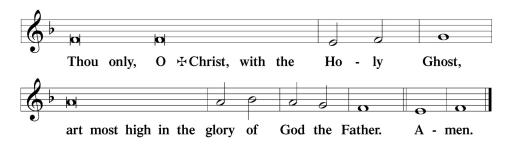
But give glory / to <u>Thy name</u> and deal with us according to the multitude / of Thy mercies.











#### THE SALUTATION

2 TIMOTHY 4:22

The Lord be with you.



#### THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Let us pray. O Lord, grant to Your faithful people pardon and peace that they may be cleansed from all their sins and serve You with a quiet mind; 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

ISAIAH 54:17B—55:11

"This is the heritage of the servants of the LORD, and their righteousness is from Me," says the LORD. "Ho! Everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and you who have no money, come, buy and eat. Yes, come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. Why do you spend money for what is not bread, and your wages for what does not satisfy? Listen carefully to Me, and eat what is good, and let your soul delight itself in abundance. Incline your ear, and come to Me. Hear, and your

soul shall live; and I will make an everlasting covenant with you—the sure mercies of David. Indeed I have given him as a witness to the people, a leader and commander for the people. Surely you shall call a nation you do not know, and nations who do not know you shall run to you, because of the LORD your God, and the Holy One of Israel; for He has glorified you." Seek the LORD while He may be found, call upon Him while He is near. Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the LORD, and He will have mercy on him; and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon. "For My thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways My ways," says the LORD. "For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are My ways higher than your ways, and My thoughts than your thoughts. For as the rain comes down, and the snow from heaven, and do not return there, but water the earth, and make it bring forth and bud, that it may give seed to the sower and bread to the eater, so shall My word be that goes forth from My mouth; it shall not return to Me void, but it shall accomplish what I please, and it shall prosper in the thing for which I sent it," says the LORD Almighty.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

#### THE GRADUAL

PSALM 145:15-16



The eyes of all wait upon / thee, <u>O LORD</u>; and thou givest them their meat / in due season.

Thou openest thine / hând, and satisfiest the desire of / ev'ry living thing.



Brethren: See that you walk circumspectly, not as fools but as wise, redeeming the time, because the days are evil. Therefore do not be unwise, but understand what the will of the Lord is. And do not be drunk with wine, in which is dissipation; but be filled with the Spirit, speaking to one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord, giving thanks always for all things to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, submitting to one another in the fear of God.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

STAND

#### THE ALLELUIA VERSE

PSALM 130:1-2A



Alle- / luia!

- / Alleluia!

Out of the depths have I cried unto / Thee, O LORD; Lord, hear my voice. / Alleluia!

#### THE HOLY GOSPEL

ST. MATTHEW 22:1-14

The Lord be with you.



The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-second chapter.



# At that time: Jesus spoke to the chief priests and Pharisees by parables and said: "The kingdom of heaven is like a certain king who arranged a marriage for his son, and sent out his servants to call those who were invited to the wedding; and they were not willing to come. Again, he sent out other servants, saying, 'Tell those who are invited, "See, I have prepared my dinner; my oxen and fatted cattle are killed, and all things are ready. Come to the wedding." 'But they made light of it and went their ways, one to his own farm, another to his business. And the rest seized his servants, treated them spitefully, and killed them. But when the king heard about it, he was furious. And he sent out his armies, destroyed those murderers, and burned up their city. Then he said to his servants, 'The wedding is ready, but those who were invited were not worthy. Therefore go into the highways, and as many as you find, invite to the wedding.' So those servants went out into the highways and gathered together all whom they found, both bad and good. And the wedding hall was filled with guests. But when the king came in to see the guests, he saw a man there who did not have on a wedding garment. So he said to him, 'Friend, how did you come in here without a wedding garment?' And he was speechless. Then the king said to the servants, Bind him hand and foot, take him away, and cast him into outer darkness; there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.' For many are called, but few are chosen."

This is the Gospel of the Lord.





#### THE NICENE CREED

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  $\pm$  life of the world to come. Amen.

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THE HYMN OF THE DAY

**919** Abide, O Dearest Jesus

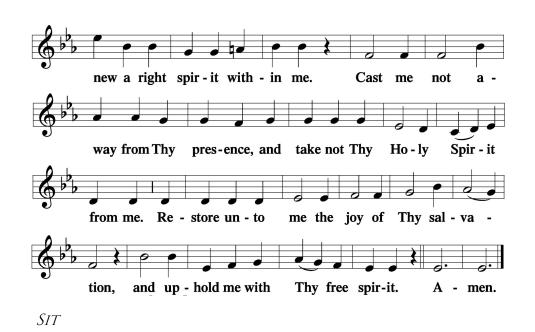
THE SERMON

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THE OFFERTORY

PSALM 51:10-12





THE OFFERING

Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful

STAND

#### THE ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

[1 TIMOTHY 2:1-4]

- 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.** 

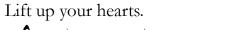
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#### THE PREFACE

The Lord be with you.

2 TIMOTHY 4:22





[Colossians 3:1]



Let us give thanks unto the LORD our God.

[PSALM 136]



It is truly meet, right, and salutary... praising You and saying:



ISAIAH 6:3; ST. MATTHEW 21:9



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;



heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,



ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. HBless-ed is He,



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 \(\frac{1}{2}\) 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 & 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.

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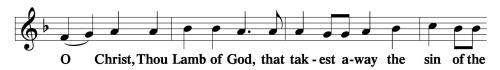
St. John 20:19

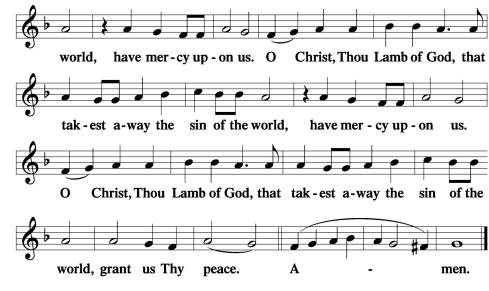
The # peace of the Lord be with you always.



#### THE AGNUS DEI

St. John 1:29





SIT

#### THE COMMUNION HYMNS

578 Thy Strong Word689 Let Me Be Thine Forever917 Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise

STAND

#### THE NUNC DIMITTIS

ST. LUKE 2:29-32





[PSALM 103:1]

Bless we the LORD.



KNEEL IF YOU DESIRE AND ARE ABLE

#### 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 # give you peace.



STAND

#### THE RETIRING PROCESSION WITH POSTLUDE

Please face the Procession as it passes.

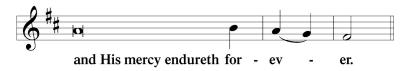
Once the Procession reaches the narthex, you may depart in # peace.



#### THE THANKSGIVING

PSALM 107:1

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.



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