



Third Sunday After Pentecost

June 1, 2008

8:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m. Holy Communion

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SERVICE OF THE WORD
Evangelical Lutheran Worship

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PRELUDE “Sometimes I Feel Like a Motherless Child” – Spiritual, arr. By Teresa Wilhelmi

GATHERING

***CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS** page 211

***GATHERING SONG #513 “Listen, God Is Calling”**

***GREETING**

Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.
Let the heavens rejoice and the earth be glad.
The God who created the world and fills it with life
be with you all.
And also with you.

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***HYMN OF PRAISE “Glory to God”** page 213

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Let us pray.
O God our rock,
you offer us a covenant of mercy,
and you provide the foundation of our lives.
Ground us in your word,
and strengthen our resolve to be your disciples,
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
Amen

ANTHEM 8:30 “When the Poor Ones”
10:00 “Room at the Cross for You”

Joyce Harding
Senior Choir

WORD

READING: Romans 1:16–17; 3:22b–28 [29–31] Pew Bible, N.T. pg.184

The heart of Romans is set forth in these verses. The gospel is God's power at work for the salvation of people who come to faith. It restores us to righteousness and right relationships. Humans were united in sin but are now united in divine liberation from sin accomplished in the faithful death of Jesus Christ, to which we respond with faith.

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION “Alleluia”** page 216

**Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? Alleluia.
You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

The holy gospel according to Matthew the seventh chapter.
Glory to you, O Lord. (spoken)

***GOSPEL Matthew 7:21–29** Pew Bible, N.T. pg.8.

Jesus concludes the Sermon on the Mount with harsh words for those who call him Lord but do not do the will of his Father. The wise person hears his words and acts on them.

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ. (spoken)

SERMON

Michelle Robinette

HYMN OF THE DAY #781 “Children of the Heavenly Father”

***APOSTLES’ CREED** page 217

***PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

With the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, let us pray for the church, those in need, and all of God's creation.

A brief silence.

Each petition ends. Hear us. O God;
Congregation responds.**your mercy is great.**

Into your hands, gracious God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through Jesus Christ, our Savior.
Amen.

***PEACE**

The peace of Christ be with your always,
And also with you. *(All are invited to share God's peace.)*

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Robin's Nest Mission Project Update

Sue Johnson

THANKSGIVING

OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC

"Rock of Ages" – arr. By Lorie Line

***CANTICLE OF THANKSGIVING** "Salvation belong to our God" page 219

***OFFERING PRAYER**

God of all creation,
**all you have made is good,
and your love endures forever.**
**You bring forth bread from the earth
and fruit from the vine.**
**Nourish us with these gifts,
that we might be for the world signs of your gracious presence
in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.**
Amen.

MEAL

***WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

***LORD'S PRAYER** page 221

COMMUNION

(Holy Communion will be received at stations. Please come forward, as directed by the ushers, using the side aisle to receive bread and poured wine. Grape juice, if preferred, is located in the inner circle of the tray. Place your empty glass in the basket on the table. All please return via center aisle.)

**COMMUNION HYMNS #772 "Oh, That the Lord Would Guide My Ways"
#581 "You Are Mine"**

***POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

O God, our provider,
you nourish us with holy food and drink,
and you open our hearts to the needs of others.
Refresh us with your Spirit,
that our words and deeds may proclaim
your creative and life-giving Word,
Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

SENDING

***BLESSING**

The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.
Amen.

***SENDING SONG #674 "Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ"**

***DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Share the good news.
Thanks be to God.

***POSTLUDE**

"Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ" -arr. By John Carter

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