

Almighty God, You will call Your people together again, to Your glory. It is through the Holy Spirit that You have called us to faith in Jesus Christ Your Son, that we may be Your people. Through Jesus Christ we have been grafted into the vine and given the promise of eternal life in Your presence. We have sinned against You in thought, word and deed, by what we have done and left undone. Forgive us. It is through faith in Jesus Christ that your sins are forgiven. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore declare to those who do truly repent and believe in Jesus Christ, the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you always. **And also with you.**

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.**

Prayer of the Day

Heavenly Father, at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan, You proclaimed Him Your beloved Son and anointed Him with the Holy Spirit. Make all who are baptized into Christ faithful in their calling to be Your children, that we may witness to what You have done to Your glory; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

PASTOR'S WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE WORD

FIRST READING **Isaiah 43:1-7** OT p. 658
(When Reading is concluded, the congregation responds, "Thanks be to God.")

SECOND READING **Acts 8:14-17** NT p. 1001
(When Reading is concluded, the congregation responds, "Thanks be to God.")

SPECIAL MUSIC **"Nearer My God To Thee"** **Saving Grace Choir**

Gospel Acclamation: **"Alleluia!"** **p. 83**

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

GOSPEL **Luke 3:15-17, 21-22** NT p. 937
(Before the Gospel is announced, the congregation says "Glory to you, O Lord!")
(After the Gospel is concluded, the congregation says, "Praise to you, O Christ!")

SERMON **"Called by Name"** **Pastor David Irgens**

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

Hymn of the Day **"God, Whose Almighty Word"** **Hymn #400**

**God, your almighty word Chaos and darkness heard, And took their flight:
Hear us, we humbly pray, And where the gospel-day Sheds not its glorious ray,
Let there be light!**

Lord, who one came to bring, on your redeeming wing, Healing and sight,
Health to the sick in mind, sight to the inly blind: Oh, now to human-kind,
Let there be Light!

Spirit of truth and love, Life giving, holy dove, Speed forth your flight!
Move on the water's face Bearing the lamp of grace And, in earth's darkest place,
Let there be light!

Holy and blessed Three, Glorious Trinity, Wisdom, Love, Might!
Boundless as ocean's tide, Rolling in fullest pride, Through the world, far and wide,
Let there be light!

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the
virgin, Mary.

He 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 and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again 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

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION *Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.*

Holy Communion, (Saturday)

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

BLESSING AND PRAYER, (Saturday)

SENDING

SENDING HYMN

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

Hymn #315

Love divine, all loves excelling, Joy of Heav'n to Earth come down,
Fix in us thy humble dwelling, All thy faithful mercies crown;
Jesus, thou art all compassion, Pure, unbounded love thou art;
Visit us with thy salvation, Enter ev'ry trembling heart.

Breathe, O breathe thy loving Spirit Into ev'ry troubled breast;
Let us all in thee inherit, Let us find thy promised rest;
Take away the love of sinning; Alpha and Omega be;
End of faith as its beginning, Set our hearts at liberty.

Come, Almighty to deliver; Let us all thy life receive;
Suddenly return, and never, Never more thy temples leave.

Thee we would be always blessing, Serve thee as thy hosts above,
Pray, and praise thee without ceasing, Glory in thy perfect love.

Finish, then, thy new creation; Pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see thy great salvation Perfectly restored in thee;
Changed from glory into glory Till in Heav'n we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before thee, Lost in wonder, love, and praise!

BENEDICTION

Go in peace and serve the Lord. Thanks be to God!

Psalm 29

Ascribe to the Lord, O heavenly beings, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

² Ascribe to the Lord the glory of his name; worship the Lord in holy splendour.

³ The voice of the Lord is over the waters; the God of glory thunders,
the Lord, over mighty waters.

⁴ The voice of the Lord is powerful; the voice of the Lord is full of majesty.

⁵ The voice of the Lord breaks the cedars; the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon.

⁶ He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, and Sirion like a young wild ox.

⁷ The voice of the Lord flashes forth flames of fire.

⁸ The voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness; the Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.

⁹ The voice of the Lord causes the oaks to whirl, and strips the forest bare;
and in his temple all say, 'Glory!'

¹⁰ The Lord sits enthroned over the flood; the Lord sits enthroned as king for ever.

¹¹ May the Lord give strength to his people! May the Lord bless his people with peace!

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