Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost November 13, 2022



St. Luke Evangelical Lutheran Church 2695 Luther Drive | Chambersburg, Pennsylvania | 17202

"SHARING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST"

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE O That I Had a Thousand Voices Johann B. Konig/Roger C. Wilson

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

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

God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Gracious God,

have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. 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.

As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen

APOSTOLIC GREETING

KYRIE

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord. **Amen, amen.**

OPENING HYMN Come, Ye Thankful People Come

ELW 693

PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Let us pray. A brief silence is kept before the prayer.

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without you nothing is strong, nothing is holy. Embrace us with your mercy, that with you as our ruler and guide, we may live through what is temporary without losing what is eternal, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen**

FIRST READING Malachi 4:1-2a

Spoken responsively by whole verse

- Sing a new song to the LORD, who has done marvelous things, whose right hand and holy arm have won the victory.
- ²O LORD, you have made known your victory, you have revealed your righteousness in the sight of the nations.
- ³You remember your steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel; all the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.
- Shout with joy to the LORD, all you lands; lift up your voice, rejoice, and sing.
- ⁵Sing to the LORD with the harp, with the harp and the voice of song.
- ⁶With trumpets and the sound of the horn shout with joy before the king, the LORD.
- ⁷Let the sea roar, and all that fills it, the world and those who dwell therein.
- ⁸Let the rivers clap their hands, and let the hills ring out with joy before the LORD, who comes to judge the earth.
- ⁹The LORD will judge the world with righteousness and the peoples with equity.

SECOND READING

Response after the reading:

Thanks be to God.

2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Lord, to whom shall we go?

You have the words of e-ter-nal life.

GOSPEL Luke 21:5-19

The Holy Gospel according to Luke: Glory to you, O Lord. The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY On Jordan's Stormy Bank I Stand

ELW 437

APOSTLES' CREED

With the whole church, let us confess our faith.

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

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.

On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

After each petition: Lord, in your mercy, receive our prayer.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always. And also with you.

ANTHEM: James & Sherry

The King of Love, My Shepherd Is

Charles Gounod@1961 Carl Fischer

OFFERING AND OFFERTORY

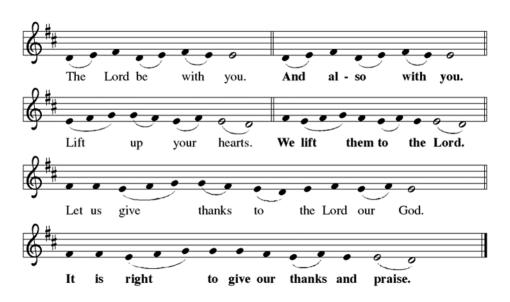
My Faith Is Firmly Found

JS Bach/Dorothy Wells

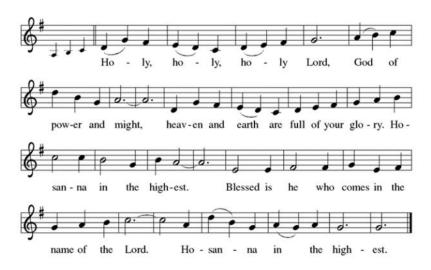
"THE DOXOLOGY"

OFFERING PRAYER

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING



The presiding minister continues: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise . . . we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom, and teach us to pray:

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

We celebrate the Lord's Supper, the Eucharist, every Sunday. All people are welcome. Grape juice is available for anyone who cannot drink wine.

DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

COMMUNION HYMNS

ELW 785, 782, 787, 773, 755

COMMUNION BLESSING

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

BENEDICTION

SENDING HYMN How Firm A Foundation

ELW 796

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Love your neighbor. Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE Give Thanks Unto God

Emma Louise Ashford/Michael Ryan



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Ellen Kroepil

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10:00 am Worship with Holy Communion Wednesdays - 11:00 am Healing with Holy

Communion

Faith Formation/Christian Education - Sundays, 8:45 am