

TODAY WORSHIP

Matins LSB pages 219-228

L = Liturgist * = Stand C = Congregation

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING HYMNCreator Spirit, By Whose Aid*

LSB 500

1. **Creator Spirit, by whose aid The world's foundations first were laid,
Come, visit ev'ry humble mind; Come, pour Your joys on humankind;
From sin and sorrow set us free; May we Your living temples be.**
2. **O Source of uncreated light, The bearer of God's gracious might,
Thrice holy Fount, thrice holy fire, Our hearts with heav'nly love inspire;
Your sacred, healing message bring To sanctify us as we sing.**
3. **Giver of grace, descend from high; Your sev'n-fold gifts to us supply;
Help us eternal truths receive And practice all that we believe;
Give us Yourself that we may see The glory of the Trinity.**
4. **Immortal honor, endless fame, Attend the almighty Father's name;
The Savior Son be glorified, Who for all humankind has died,
To You, O Paraclete, we raise Unending songs of thanks and praise.**

L: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **✠ Amen.**

L: O Lord, open my lips,

C: **✠ And my mouth will declare your praise.**

L: Make haste, O God, to deliver me;

C: **✠ Make haste to help me, O Lord. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen. Praise to you, O Christ. Alleluia.*****THE INVITATORY**

L: Blessed be God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

C: **✠ Oh come, let us worship Him.*****THE VENITE** LSB pages 220-221

✠ Oh, come, let us sing to the Lord, let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation. Let us come unto His presence with thanksgiving, let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise. For the Lord is a great God and a great king above all gods. The deep places of the earth are in His hand; the strength of the hills is His also. The sea is His, for He made it, and His hand formed the dry land. Oh, come, let us worship and bow down, let us kneel before the Lord our maker. For He is our God, and we are the people of His pasture and the sheep of His hand. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

L: Blessed be God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

C: **✠ Oh come, let us worship Him.**

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING for the fifth Sunday after Pentecost is from Leviticus 19:9-18, page 97-98:

⁹ "When you reap the harvest of your land, you shall not reap your field right up to its edge, neither shall you gather the gleanings after your harvest. ¹⁰ And you shall not strip your vineyard bare, neither shall you gather the fallen grapes of your vineyard. You shall leave them for the poor and for the sojourner: I am the LORD your God. ¹¹ "You shall not steal; you shall not deal falsely; you shall not lie to one another. ¹² You shall not swear by my name falsely,

and so profane the name of your God: I am the LORD. ¹³ "You shall not oppress your neighbor or rob him. The wages of a hired servant shall not remain with you all night until the morning. ¹⁴ You shall not curse the deaf or put a stumbling block before the blind, but you shall fear your God: I am the LORD. ¹⁵ "You shall do no injustice in court. You shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great, but in righteousness shall you judge your neighbor. ¹⁶ You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not stand up against the life of your neighbor: I am the LORD. ¹⁷ "You shall not hate your brother in your heart, but you shall reason frankly with your neighbor, lest you incur sin because of him. ¹⁸ You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against the sons of your own people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the LORD.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: ♪ Thanks be to God.

THE EPISTLE is from Colossians 1:9-14, page 983:

⁹And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, ¹⁰so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God. ¹¹May you be strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy, ¹²giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light. ¹³He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, ¹⁴in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

***THE ALLELUIA VERSE**

C: ♪ Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

*THE HOLY GOSPEL is according to St. Luke the tenth chapter, verses 25-37, page 869:

C: ♪ Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

²⁵And behold, a lawyer stood up to put him to the test, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" ²⁶He said to him, "What is written in the Law? How do you read it?" ²⁷And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself." ²⁸And he said to him, "You have answered correctly; do this, and you will live." ²⁹But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" ³⁰Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him and departed, leaving him half dead. ³¹Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. ³²So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. ³³But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was, and when he saw him, he had compassion. ³⁴He went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he set him on his own animal and brought him to an inn and took care of him. ³⁵And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, 'Take care of him, and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.'" ³⁶Which of these three, do you think, proved to be a neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?" ³⁷He said, "The one who showed him mercy." And Jesus said to him, "You go, and do likewise."

L: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: ♪ Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

CHILDREN'S SONG (as children come forward)

(8:00 & 10:30)

Behold What Manner of Love

Behold what manner of love the Father has given unto us?

Behold what manner of love the Father has given unto us?

That we should be called the children of God.

That we should be called the children of God.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (8:00 & 10:30)

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HYMN OF THE DAY

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

LSB 803

1. Joyful, joyful we adore Thee, God of glory, Lord of love!
Hearts unfold like flow'rs before Thee, Praising Thee, their sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness, Drive the gloom of doubt away.
Giver of immortal gladness, Fill us with the light of day.
2. All Thy works with joy surround Thee, Earth and heav'n reflect Thy rays,
Stars and angels sing around Thee, Center of unbroken praise.
Field and forest, vale and mountain, Flow'ry meadow, flashing sea,
Chanting bird, and flowing fountain Call us to rejoice in Thee.
3. Thou art giving and forgiving, Ever blessing, ever blest.
Wellspring of the joy of living, Ocean depth of happy rest!
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Fountainhead of love divine:
Joyful, we Thy heav'n inherit! Joyful, we by grace are Thine!

THE SERMON

“Out from the Darkness”

(Colossians 1:1-14)

THE OFFERING - *During the offering all worshipers are asked to fill out the blue or ivory cards found in the pew rack. Please pass cards down to center aisle. They will be collected immediately after the offering.*

***THE TE DEUM** LSB pages 223-225

(8:00)

1. We praise You, O God; we acknowledge You to be the Lord.
All the earth now worships You, the Father everlasting.
To You all angels cry aloud, the heav'ns and all the pow'rs there-in.
To You cherubim and seraphim continually do cry.
2. Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sabaoth;
Heav'n and earth are full of the majesty of Your glory,
The glorious company of the apostles praise You.
The goodly fellowship of the prophets praise You.
3. The noble army of martyrs praise You.
The holy Church throughout all the world does acknowledge You:
The Father of an infinite majesty; Your adorable, true, and only Son
Also the Holy Ghost, the Comforter.
4. You are the King of Glory, O Christ;
You are the everlasting Son of the Father.
5. When You took upon Yourself to deliver man,
You humbled Yourself to be born of a virgin.
When You had overcome the sharpness of death,
You opened the kingdom of heav'n to all believers.
6. You sit at the right hand of God in the glory of the Father.
We believe that You will come to be our judge.
7. We therefore pray You to help Your servants,
Whom You have redeemed with Your precious blood.
Make them to be numbered with Your saints In glory everlasting.

***THE KYRIE**

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

THE COLLECT

L: Let us pray to the Lord.

C: **♩ Amen.**

***PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

***LORD'S PRAYER** (Found on the inside back cover of the hymnal.)

L: The Lord be with you.

C: **♩ And with your spirit.**

L: Let us bless the Lord.

C: **♩ Thanks be to God.**

***THE BENEDICTION**

L: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: **♩ Amen, amen, amen.**

***RECESSIONAL HYMN**

Awake, O Sleeper, Rise from Death

LSB 697

**1. Awake, O sleeper, rise from death, And Christ shall give you light;
So learn His love, its length and breadth, Its fullness, depth and height.**

**2. For us Christ lived, for us He died, And conquered in the strife;
Awake, arise, go forth in faith, And Christ shall give you life.**

***SILENT PRAYER/POSTLUDE + + + + +**

SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY:

Preacher: Pastor Jon C. Furgeson

Liturgist: Pastor Dennis A. Kastens

Organist: 5:00 & 9:20: Burnell Hackman, DMM; 8:00 & 10:30: Alice Kastens

Sat. AM 850 KFUE Broadcaster/Engineer: Bob Uthoff/Rick Goodman

NEWS AND NOTES:

THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 14, 2019

TODAY'S EDUCATION HOUR: 9:15 - 10:15 a.m.

Adult Bible Class (Lower Commons): The Gospel of Luke

Women's Bible Class (Office Conf. Rm.): led by Janice McCreary

Youth Bible Class: led by Christina Stackle, DCE

8th Gr: Rick Goodman & Mike Renner

7th Gr: Greg Wirtel & Louise Oster

ALTAR FLOWERS are from John and Terry Rastorfer in loving celebration of their 45th wedding anniversary; and from John Hooss & Bill Ax families in honor of Robert Hooss' 97th birthday.

NATIONAL YOUTH GATHERING PARTICIPANTS (youth and adults) departed Wednesday, July 10th for Minneapolis: Jacob Baese, Kreighton Bluette, Gabe Cunningham, Lydia Dowell, Grayson Eggers, Seth Day, Jacob Hackett, Josh Hammon, Alex Hopfer, August Hummert, Jakob Krapf, Alyssa Kreidler, Paul Maschhoff, Lauren McElroy, Morgan Mieger, John R. Morse, Ryan Rainey, Jordan Saufnauer, Jesse Schryver, Adriana Spangler, Dylan Summerfield, Garrett Summerfield, Gavin Summerfield, Ryan Teegardin, Trent Teegardin, Michael Kreidler, Jacque McElroy, John T. Morse, Kelsey Spangler, Christina Stackle, Ed Stackle, and Ken Werkmeister. They return Tuesday, July 16th.

FACILITY ENHANCEMENT blueprints earlier were placed in your mail slot alongside prayer cards. If you have not already, you soon will be receiving a letter inviting your pledge toward the \$700,000 goal for a) electronic outdoor sign, b) former sanctuary use for Sunday Bible Study Class, c) larger Youth Room, d) Music Rehearsal Room, e) KFUE Broadcast Room, f) Facility Security Headquarters, and g) enhance other Peace ministries.

ADULT INQUIRY series begins Sunday, August 25, 6:00-7:30 p.m. in the Office Conference Room with sessions through September 22 for those desiring membership or auditors. Sign-up posted.

FOOD CONTAINERS Please check the rack located in the back corner of the kitchen for any food containers you may have left from luncheon donations. Any dishes remaining by July 28 will be donated to the Couples' Club Garage Sale. Thank you.

YOUTH NEWS: Thank you to the congregation for supporting our 27 youth and adults who are attending the National Youth Gathering in Minneapolis (7/11-7/15). Come hear about our experience in the Gym on July 21 at 9:15 a.m.

WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY resumes this Wednesday, July 17, at 7:00 p.m. with the study of Job, and will continue through August 7.

LCMS CONVENTION is accessed at lcms.org/convention/live. Included is the July 20 opening service 7:30 - 9:00 p.m. and the business sessions 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Sunday - Thursday. Location: Tampa, FL.

PATRICK HENRY, remembered for his words, "Give me liberty or give me death," also wrote "It cannot be emphasized too strongly or too often that this great Nation was founded not by religionists, but by Christians, not on religion, but on the Gospel of Jesus Christ. For that reason alone, people of other faiths have been afforded freedom of worship here."

SAVE THE DATE The 5th Annual Green Park Golf Scramble is Sunday, September 15. More information can be found in the June/July newsletter.

EARLY CHILDHOOD PRE-SCHOOL TEACHER JOB OPENING AVAILABLE - Call Sue Velten at 314-892-8844 for information.

GARAGE SALE ITEMS will be accepted up until Sunday, July 28, for the August 3 Couples' Club Garage Sale. (No electronic devices and no furniture.)

EDUCATORS TO BE ACKNOWLEDGED in the upcoming September newsletter. We anticipate that Peace has about 75 active educators (Preschool, K-12, University) and at least 35 retired educators. If you are an educator, please indicate your name, current position (including retired) and employer, on the back of your worship attendance card today, or as soon as possible. (We featured nearly 120 last year.)

CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF JULY 14, 2019:

Tue:	9:00	Quilters
	9:00	Plastic Mat Making
	6:00	Property Management
Wed:	9:00	TPL Assembly
	7:00	Wednesday Bible Study
	7:15	Orchestra of Peace Rehearsal
Thu:	6:00	Security Team Meeting
Sat:	1:00	Borcherding Wedding
	5:00	Worship Service w/Comm
Sun:	7:00	BSA Leadership Training