

*June 14, 2020 ~ 10:30 a.m.
Second Sunday After Pentecost*

*“As you go,
proclaim
the good news,
The kingdom
of heaven
has come near.”*

Matthew 10:7. NRSV



Trinity Lutheran Church & School

*Our Mission:
To Make More and Better Disciples of Jesus Christ.*

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AS WE GATHER

Teaching. Healing. Proclaiming the Good News. Like a compassionate Shepherd longing to gather His scattered sheep, Jesus came to reconcile people to His Father. When Jesus sent His disciples as laborers into His harvest field, He guaranteed that His reconciling work would continue even after He physically departed the earth. Wherever Jesus' Word is proclaimed and His sacraments are administered, He continues to gather souls into His kingdom. He does that for us in worship today! Having gathered us in His name, taught us with His Word, and healed us by His Supper, He will then send us out into His harvest field. Wherever we go, Jesus will continue His work, and His kingdom will be made known.

PRESERVICE MUSIC (Drive-In Service Only)

RINGING OF THE BELLS

CALL TO WORSHIP (Drive-In Service Only)

"Come, Now is the Time to Worship"

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Come, now is the time to worship.
Come, now is the time to give your heart.
Come, just as you are to worship.
Come, just as you are before your God. Come.
One day, ev'ry tongue will confess You are God.
One day, ev'ry knee will bow.
Still, the greatest treasure remains for
those who gladly choose you now.
Come, now is the time to worship.
Come, now is the time to give your heart.
Come, just as you are to worship.
Come, just as you are before your God. Come.

WELCOME

INVOCATION AND OPENING SENTENCES *Psalm 67:3-7*

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

Pastor: May the peoples praise you, God;

People: may all the peoples praise you.

Pastor: May the nations be glad and sing for joy,

People: for you rule the peoples with equity and guide the nations of the earth.

Pastor: May the peoples praise you, God;

People: may all the peoples praise you.

Pastor: The land yields its harvest;

People: God, our God, blesses us.

All: May God bless us still, so that all the ends of the earth will fear him.

OPENING HYMN

"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

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Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and salvation!

Let all who hear

Now to his temple draw near,

Joining in glad adoration!

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is wondrously reigning
And as on wings of an eagle, uplifting, sustaining.

Have you not seen

All that is needful has been

Sent by his gracious ordaining?

Praise to the Lord, who will prosper your work and defend you;
Surely his goodness and mercy shall daily attend you.

Ponder anew

What the Almighty can do

As with his love he befriends you.

Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is in me adore him!
All that has life and breath, come now with praises before him!

Let the amen

Sound from his people again.

Gladly forever adore him!

CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION

Pastor: Holy and gracious God,

People: I confess that I have sinned against You. Some of my sin I know-the thoughts and words and deeds of which I am ashamed-but some is known only to You. In my shame I turn to You alone to pardon my sin and restore me, Your fallen creature. In the name of Jesus I ask You to forgive me all my sins, to deliver me from the bonds of death, and to restore me for the sake of Jesus Christ, my Lord and my Savior.

Pastor: Upon this your confession, I by virtue of my office as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God to 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 + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray.

Eternal Father, You sent Your Son to be the Shepherd and Savior who has reconciled us to You. Send us forth as laborers in Your harvest that the message of Your kingdom may be made known in all the world; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

EPISTLE: **Romans 5:6–15** (Reconciled through Christ.)

⁶You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. ⁷Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous person, though for a good person someone might possibly dare to die. ⁸But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

⁹Since we have now been justified by his blood, how much more shall we be saved from God's wrath through him! ¹⁰For if, while we were God's enemies, we were reconciled to him through the death of his Son, how much more, having been reconciled, shall we be saved through his life!

¹¹ Not only is this so, but we also boast in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

¹² Therefore, just as sin entered the world through one man, and death through sin, and in this way death came to all people, because all sinned—

¹³ To be sure, sin was in the world before the law was given, but sin is not charged against anyone's account where there is no law. ¹⁴ Nevertheless, death reigned from the time of Adam to the time of Moses, even over those who did not sin by breaking a command, as did Adam, who is a pattern of the one to come.

¹⁵ But the gift is not like the trespass. For if the many died by the trespass of the one man, how much more did God's grace and the gift that came by the grace of the one man, Jesus Christ, overflow to the many!

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

HOLY GOSPEL: *Matthew 9:35–10:8 (9–20)* (Jesus sends out the Twelve.)

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the ninth and tenth chapters.

People: Glory to You, O Lord.

³⁵ Jesus went through all the towns and villages, teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and healing every disease and sickness. ³⁶ When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. ³⁷ Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. ³⁸ Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field."

Jesus called his twelve disciples to him and gave them authority to drive out impure spirits and to heal every disease and sickness.

² These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon (who is called Peter) and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; ³ Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; ⁴ Simon the Zealot and Judas Iscariot, who betrayed him.

⁵ These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: "Do not go among the Gentiles or enter any town of the Samaritans. ⁶ Go rather to the lost sheep of Israel. ⁷ As you go, proclaim this message: 'The kingdom of heaven has come near.' ⁸ Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse those who have leprosy, drive out demons. Freely you have received; freely give.

⁹ "Do not get any gold or silver or copper to take with you in your belts— ¹⁰ no bag for the journey or extra shirt or sandals or a staff, for the worker is worth his keep. ¹¹ Whatever town or village you enter, search there for some worthy person and stay at their house until you leave. ¹² As you enter the home, give it your greeting. ¹³ If the home is deserving, let your peace rest on it; if it is not, let your peace return to you. ¹⁴ If anyone will not welcome you or listen to your words, leave that home or town and shake the dust off your feet. ¹⁵ Truly I tell you, it will be more bearable for Sodom and Gomorrah on the day of judgment than for that town.

¹⁶ "I am sending you out like sheep among wolves. Therefore be as shrewd as snakes and as innocent as doves. ¹⁷ Be on your guard; you will be handed over to the local councils and be flogged in the synagogues. ¹⁸ On my account you will be brought before governors and kings as witnesses to them and to the Gentiles.

¹⁹ But when they arrest you, do not worry about what to say or how to say it. At that time you will be given what to say, ²⁰ for it will not be you speaking, but the Spirit of your Father speaking through you.

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to You, O Christ.

HYMN OF THE DAY

"Shout to the Lord"

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My Jesus, my Savior, Lord, there is none like You.
All of my days I want to praise the wonders of your mighty love.
My Comfort, my Shelter, Tower of refuge and strength;
Let ev'ry breath, all that I am, never cease to worship You.

REFRAIN:

**Shout to the Lord, all the earth let us sing.
Power and majesty, praise to the King.
Mountains bow down and the seas will roar
At the sound of your Name.
I sing for joy at the work of Your hands.
Forever I'll love You, forever I'll stand.
Nothing compares to the promise I have in You.**

SERMON: "Sheep, Snakes and Doves" *Matthew 10:16-20*

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 life ✕ of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Pastor: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

Pastor: For the expansion of Christ's kingdom, that we may share the gifts of our Savior in the work we do in His harvest field, let us pray to the Lord.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Pastor: For the Christian Church, both here and scattered throughout the world, that we may find our wholeness and unity in Jesus, our compassionate Shepherd, let us pray to the Lord.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Pastor: For all pastors, teachers, missionaries, and other servants of the Church, that they may equip all the saints for works of service, let us pray to the Lord.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Pastor: For all public servants, including the members of the Armed Forces, that they would place their confidence in Christ, who is our help and shield, let us pray to the Lord.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Pastor: (Special petitions), let us pray to the Lord.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Pastor: For these and all other concerns we have that our gracious Father may answer us for the sake of Christ and for the glory of His eternal kingdom, let us pray to the Lord.

People: **Lord, hear our prayer. Amen.**

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.

PREFACE (Drive-In Service Only)

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD (Drive-In Service Only)

Pastor: 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."

DISTRIBUTION MUSIC (Drive-In Service Only)



"Lift Up Our Eyes"

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Lift up our eyes, Lord unto the fields
White unto harvest, ready to yield.
Lift up our hearts, Lord beyond our cares.
Lift up our eyes, Lord and lead us there.

Lift up our eyes, Lord unto the world.
And to the millions who've never heard.
Lift up our hands, Lord Jesus declare.
Lift up our eyes, Lord and lead us there.



"Send Me Out"

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Jesus Lord of my salvation
Savior of my soul
Send me out to the world to make You known
Jesus King of ev'ry nation
This world's only hope
Send me out to the world to make You known
Send me out to the world

CHORUS:

**I wanna be Your hands and feet
I wanna be Your voice ev'ry time I speak
I wanna run to the ones in need
In the name of Jesus
I wanna give my life away
All for Your kingdom's sake
Shine a light in the darkest place
In the name of Jesus
(In the name of Jesus)**

Carry to the broken-hearted
Mercy You have shown
Send me out to the world to make You known
To the ones in need of rescue
Lead me I will go
Send me out to the world to make You known
Send me out to the world **(Chorus)**

Here am I
I will go
Send me out to make You known
There is hope for ev'ry soul
Send me out send me out
Here am I
I will go
Send me out to make You known
There is hope for ev'ry soul
So send me out

[Repeat Chorus 2x]

THANKSGIVING (Drive-In Service Only)

Pastor: Let us pray. O God the Father, the fountain and source of all goodness, who in loving kindness sent Your only-begotten Son to reconcile us to You, we thank You that for His sake You have given us pardon and peace in this sacrament. As we have shared in the benefits of our Savior's death, may we now go forth to share His life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord.

People: Amen.

BENEDICTION *Matthew 9:37b*

Pastor: Jesus said, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few."

People: Lord, send us out to proclaim Your kingdom in Your harvest field. Amen!

Pastor: The Lord does just that as He sends us out with His blessing.
The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✕ give you peace.

People: Amen.

HYMN

"On What Has Now Been Sown"

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On what has now been sown
Your blessing, Lord, bestow;
The pow'r is yours alone
To make it sprout and grow.
O Lord, in grace the harvest raise,
And yours alone shall be the praise!

To you our wants are known,
From you are all our pow'rs;
Accept what is your own,
And pardon what is ours.
Our praises, Lord, and prayers receive,
And to you Word a blessing give.

Oh, grant that each of us,
Now met before you here,
May meet together thus
When you and yours appear,
And follow you to heav'n, our home.
E'en so, amen! Lord Jesus, come!

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