Lamb Of God Lutheran Church

June 20, 2021



4th Sunday after Pentecost

Father's Day



Communion Statement <u>We will be celebrating Holy Communion at this service</u>

We consider this to be a family meal partaken in and with the Real Presence of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. The term "Communion" describes the relationship between the participants, certainly between each person and our Savior whose meal it is, but also with all who come together to consume Christ's body and blood in and with the bread and wine. To properly celebrate Communion all participants should be in communion; sharing the same confession of faith as is taught by the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod (LCMS). We welcome all those who regularly confess this faith as members or regular attenders of Lamb of God. Those who belong to another LCMS congregation and wish to join with us as fellow family members are asked to speak to an Elder prior to the beginning of service. Those who are visiting but not members of an LCMS congregation may approach the communion rail and receive a blessing with their arms folded in front of their chest, or remain seated.

This has been the practice of the Church from the beginning, which according to earliest records would dismiss all those not baptized and confirmed before the Lord's Supper was celebrated. We are celebrating this Sacrament in keeping with this tradition. If you are from outside the LCMS confession, please know that we are not judging you or your faith. We are not implying that you are not a Christian or worthy of the gifts Christ won for you on the cross. We are simply acknowledging that since you do not have the same confession as we do you are not "in communion" with us. If you still desire to participate in Holy Communion in the future at Lamb of God please speak with Pastor Mark after the service. Thank you for honoring our celebration of Holy Communion.

** Note: For those concerned about consuming alcohol-the individual cups in the center of each tray contain diluted wine. (1 drop of wine in water) There is gluten free wafers.

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Empowered by Christ's Sacraments to be His witness in Friendship/Fellowship/and Faith.

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Divine Service III

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Pre-Service Music

Father's Day Video Tribute

Welcome and Announcements

Salutation

- **P** The Peace of the Lord be with you always
- **C** And also with you.

Please share the Peace of Christ with your fellow worshippers

715 Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me Sav 1 Je sus, ior, pi lot me 0 ver life's 2 As moth stills her child, Thou canst hush а er 3 When at last Ι the And near shore the fear 0 Θ tem - pes - tuous sea; Un - known waves be - fore me roll, o - bey Thy o - cean wild; Bois - t'rous waves will the Twixt me ful break - ers roar and the peace-ful rest, ο Hid - ing treach-'rous shoal. Chart and com rock and When Thou say'st to them. "Be still!" Won - drous Sov Then, while lean - ing Thy breast, Ι hear on May θ Je come from Thee. sus, Sav ior, pi - lot pass me. reign of the Je sus, Sav pi - lot sea, _ ior, me. "Fear Ι Thee say to me, not, will pi - lot thee." Tune and text: Public domain

Confession and Absolution

Please stand as you are able

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

Invocation

- C Amen.

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Exhortation

- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- **P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- **G** who made heaven and earth.
- **P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- **G** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

Confession of Sins

- **P** O almighty God, merciful Father,
- I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

Absolution

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto 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.

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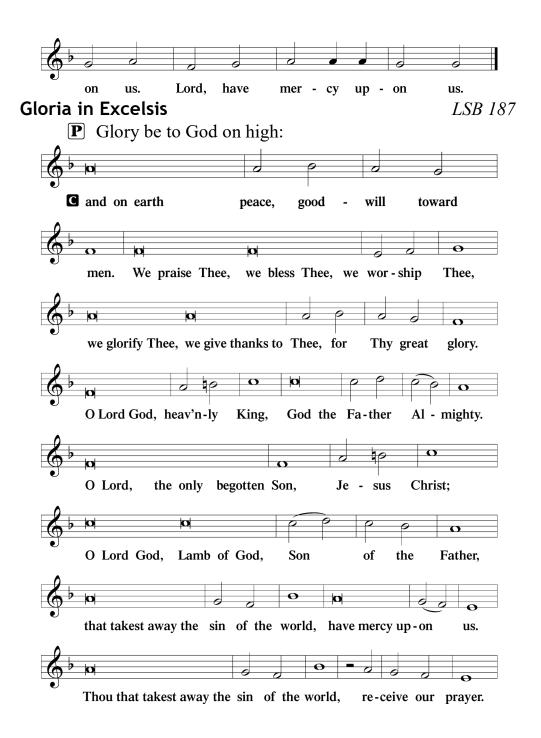
C Amen.

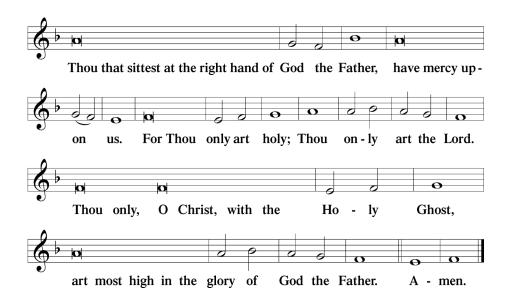
Service of the Word

Introit

- **P** Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble,
- **C** and he delivered them from their distress.
- **P** He made the storm be still,
- **C** and the waves of the sea were hushed.
- **P** Then they were glad that the waters were quiet,
- **G** and he brought them to their desired haven.
- **P** Let them thank the LORD for his steadfast love,
- G for his wondrous works to the children of men!
- **P** Let them extol him in the congregation of the people,
- and praise him in the assembly of the elders. 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.
- ▶ Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble, and he delivered them from their distress.







Salutation and Collect of the Day

- **P** The Lord be with you.
- **C** And with thy spirit.
- **P** Let us pray.

Almighty God, in Your mercy guide the course of this world so that Your Church may joyfully serve You in godly peace and quietness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Please be seated.

Old Testament Lesson:

Job 38:1-11

¹Then the LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind and said:

²"Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? ³Dress for action like a man;

I will question you, and you make it known to me. ⁴"Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding. ⁵Who determined its measurements—surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? ⁶On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone, ⁷when the morning stars sang together and all the sons of God shouted for joy? ⁸"Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb, ⁹when I made clouds its garment and thick darkness its swaddling band, ¹⁰and prescribed limits for it and set bars and doors, ¹¹and said, 'Thus far shall you come, and no farther,

and here shall your proud waves be stayed'?"

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Epistle Lesson:

2 Corinthians 6:1-13

¹Working together with him, then, we appeal to you not to receive the grace of God in vain. ²For he says,

"In a favorable time I listened to you, and in a day of salvation I have helped you."

Behold, now is the favorable time; behold, now is the day of salvation. ³We put no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, ⁴but as servants of God we commend ourselves in every way: by great endurance, in afflictions,

hardships, calamities, ⁵beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; ⁶by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, the Holy Spirit, genuine love; ⁷by truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; ⁸through honor and dishonor, through slander and praise.

We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; ⁹as unknown, and yet well known; as dying, and behold, we live; as punished, and yet not killed; ¹⁰as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, yet possessing everything.

¹¹We have spoken freely to you, Corinthians; our heart is wide open. ¹²You are not restricted by us, but you are restricted in your own affections. ¹³In return (I speak as to children) widen your hearts also.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Please stand as you are able



Holy Gospel:

Mark 4:35-41

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the fourth chapter.

Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

³⁵On that day, when evening had come, [Jesus] said to them, "Let us go across to the other side." ³⁶And leaving the crowd, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. And

other boats were with him. ³⁷And a great windstorm arose, and the waves were breaking into the boat, so that the boat was already filling. ³⁸But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion. And they woke him and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" ³⁹And he awoke and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. ⁴⁰He said to them, "Why are you so afraid? Have you still no faith?" ⁴¹And they were filled with great fear and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even wind and sea obey him?"

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

G Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His 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 into hell.

The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven

and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.

From thence He will come 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,



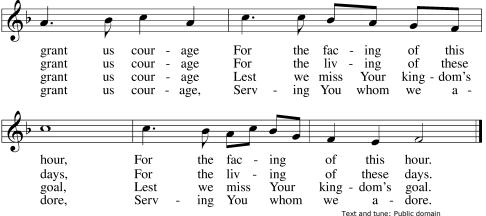
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Children's Message

Children-with their parent's permission, may depart for Children's Church

850 God of Grace and God of Glory





Sermon: Mark 4:35-41

Votum

- P The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.
- C Amen.

Offering and Prayers

Offering Statement

Please fulfill your obligation as a member to support the ministry that we have been given by the Good Shepherd, Jesus Christ. Please mail in your offering, give on-line at our website, or drop your offering envelope off in the lobby in the offering box across from the Church Office Monday – Friday 9 am-1 PM

Offering Verse

2 Corinthians 5:15

¹⁵and he died for all, that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for him who for their sake died and was raised.

Please stand as you are able



Please be seated

Honoring Graduates

At this time I would like to introduce those among us who are graduating this year from Kindergarten, 8th Grade, High School, and College.

P Let us pray:

Lord God, You have told us in Your word that reverential fear of You is the beginning of wisdom,. We thank you for the wisdom you have imparted to these students, and to all of us who are gathered here today. Your Holy Scriptures are our guide as to how life in this world is best lived. Thank you for Your gift of teachers, textbooks, parents, and coaches.

Thank you for the gift of fellow classmates and the friendships that have grown and flourished in this past year. Thank you for the gift of physical, mental, and spiritual health you have given us throughout this past year. Forgive us for those opportunities where we failed to do our best. May we rest in the grace continually poured out as the free gift of faith in Christ Jesus. Move us to strive to improve our knowledge and abilities, not just concerning things of this world, but even more so in our knowledge of You and Your Word. Move us to improve in our ability to share our faith with others. Help us to continue to grow in our love and faith toward you. Keep these graduates in steadfast faith toward you wherever they may be headed. May they remain connected to You and Your means of grace through Word and Sacrament Worship. Move us as their fellow brothers and sisters in Christ to reach out and stay connected with them. May all of us use our lives to give honor and glory to You, our Heavenly Father, who lives and reigns with the Son and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and forever.

C Amen

Prayer of the Church

- P We thank You, Lord, for Your steadfast love and Your wondrous works to the children of men. You hold power over wind and wave, sin and death. Deliver us from every trouble and distress, and bring us at last to our eternal haven. Lord, in Your mercy,
- C hear our prayer.

P ... Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

P These and whatever else You would have us ask of You, O God, grant us for the sake of Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Please stand as you are able

Service of the Sacrament

Preface

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- **P** The Lord be with you.
- **G** And with thy spirit.
- **P** Lift up your hearts.
- **G** We lift them up unto the Lord.

P Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.

G It is meet and right so to do.

Proper Preface (Full)

 P It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who, out of love for His fallen creation, humbled Himself by taking on the form of a servant, becoming obedient unto death, even death upon a cross. Risen from the dead, He has freed us from eternal death and given us life everlasting. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:



Lord's Prayer

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- 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.

The Words of Our Lord

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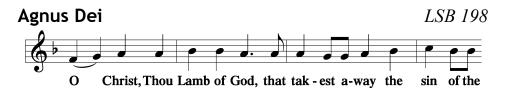
P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

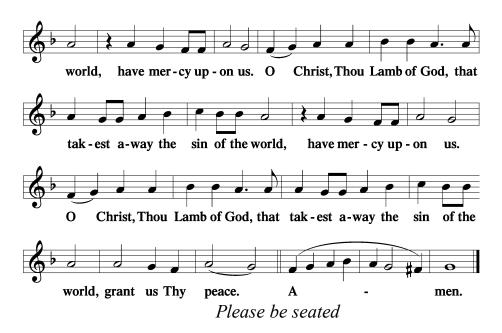
In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

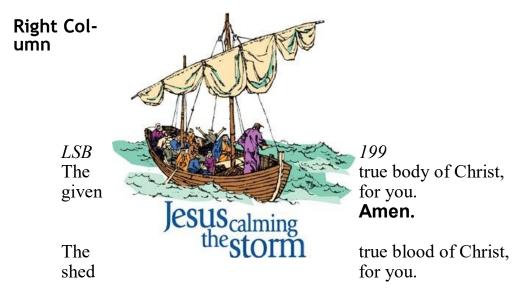
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Distribution

The pastor and those who assist him receive the body and blood of Christ first and then distribute them to those who come to receive, saying:

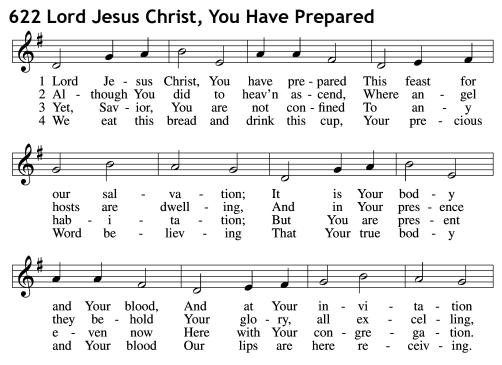


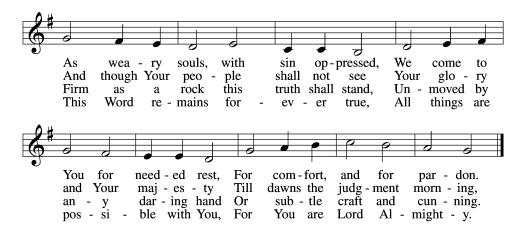
Amen.

In dismissing the communicants, the following is said:

Table Dismissal

Depart now in His joy and peace, knowing that all of your sins have been forgiven.





- 5 Though reason cannot understand, Yet faith this truth embraces: Your body, Lord, is even now At once in many places. I leave to You how this can be; Your Word alone suffices me; I trust its truth unfailing.
 6 Lord, I believe what You have said; Help me when doubts assail me.
 - Help me when doubts assail me. Remember that I am but dust, And let my faith not fail me.

Your supper in this vale of tears

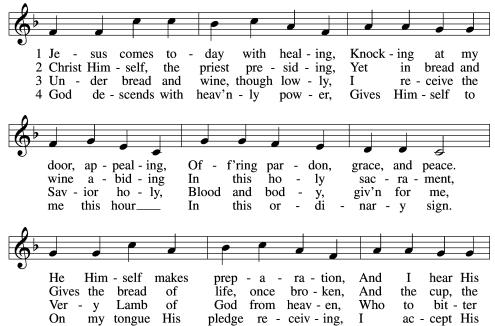
HAPPY FATHER'S DAY Refreshes me and stills my fears And is my priceless treasure.

- 7 Grant that we worthily receive Your supper, Lord, our Savior, And, truly grieving for our sins, May prove by our behavior That we are thankful for Your grace And day by day may run our race, In holiness increasing.
- 8 For Your consoling supper, Lord, Be praised throughout all ages! Preserve it, for in ev'ry place The world against it rages.
 Grant that this sacrament may be A blessèd comfort unto me When living and when dying.

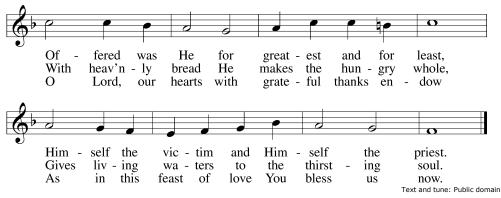
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The Dismissal

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- P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart + in peace.
- **C** Amen.

Please stand as you are able





Thanksgiving

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P O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,

G and His mercy endureth forever.

Post-Communion Collect

P Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

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	P The Lord be with you.	
	C And with thy spirit.	
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	P Bless we the Lord.C Thanks be to God.	

Benediction

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The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and + give you peace.

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C Amen.

722 Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me

