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4th Sunday of Pentecost

Guess Who Got Appointed?

July 6, 2025

Divine Service 1

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#### Pre-Service Announcements Servant Processional

#### AS WE GATHER

God has put us in this country that is flowing with milk and honey. We ought to thank and praise Him for His grace to us and our country. Sometimes, however, our Christian allegiance is not obvious to us or the people around us. Daily living and our frustrations get in the way. The Readings today move us to contrast our human society and God's Word. Each set is followed by a confession and absolution. As citizens of His kingdom, we give all thanks to God for His divine providence and Christ's sacrifice.

#### Confession and Absolution Hymn of Invocation: 966 Before You,

Lord, We Bow

Before You, Lord, we bow, Our God who reigns above And rules the world below, Boundless in pow'r and love. Our thanks we bring In joy and praise, Our hearts we raise To You, our King!

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2 The nation You have blest May well Your love declare, From foes and fears at rest, Protected by Your care.
For this bright day, For this fair land— Gifts of Your hand— Our thanks we pay.

3 May ev'ry mountain height, Each vale and forest green, Shine in Your Word's pure light, And its rich fruits be seen! May ev'ry tongue Be tuned to praise And join to raise A grateful song.

4 Earth, hear your Maker's voice; Your great Redeemer own; Believe, obey, rejoice, And worship Him alone.
Cast down your pride, Your sin deplore, And bow before
The Crucified.

5 And when in pow'r He comes, Oh, may our native land From all its rending tombs Send forth a glorious band, A countless throng, With joy to sing To heav'n's high King Salvation's song!
Text: Francis Scott Key, 1779–1843, alt. Text: Public domain The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

#### Invocation

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

C Amen.

#### Exhortation

#### LSB 151

- If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
- But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Kneel / Stand

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for selfexamination.

**Confession of Sins** 

LSB 151

- Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.
- C Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

### Absolution

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Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

Stand

#### Service of the Word

#### Introit

- The heavens declare the glory of God, and the sky above proclaims his handiwork.
- Day to day pours out speech, and night to night reveals knowledge.
- Their measuring line goes out through all the earth, and their words to the end of the world.

In them he has set a tent for the sun, which comes out like a bridegroom leaving his chamber,

and, like a strong man, runs its course with joy.

Its rising is from the end of the heavens, and its circuit to the end of them, and there is nothing hidden from its heat.

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. The heavens declare the glory of God, and the sky above proclaims his handiwork.

#### Kyrie

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- In peace let us pray to the Lord.
- C Lord, have mercy.
- For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.
- C 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.
- **G** Lord, have mercy.
- For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.

#### **G** Lord, have mercy.

- P Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.
- C Amen.

#### Gloria in Excelsis

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P Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His people on earth.

#### HYMN OF PRAISE

LSB 155

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God.

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. Power, riches, wisdom, and strength, and honor, blessing, and glory are His.

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This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Sing with all the people of God, and join in the hymn of all creation: Blessing, honor, glory, and might be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen.

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

For the Lamb who was slain has begun His reign. Alleluia.

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

#### Salutation and Collect of the Day

- P The Lord be with you.
- And also with you.
- Let us pray. Almighty God, You have built Your Church on the foundation of the apostles and prophets with Christ Jesus Himself as the cornerstone. Continue to send Your messengers to preserve Your people in true peace that, by the preaching of Your Word, Your Church may be kept free from all harm and danger; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

#### C Amen.

**Old Testament Reading** Isaiah 66:10–14

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<sup>10</sup>"Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her,

all you who love her;

rejoice with her in joy,

all you who mourn over her;

<sup>11</sup>that you may nurse and be satisfied from her consoling breast;

that you may drink deeply with delight from her glorious abundance."

<sup>12</sup>For thus says the LORD:

"Behold, I will extend peace to her like a river,

and the glory of the nations like an overflowing stream;

and you shall nurse, you shall be carried upon her hip,

and bounced upon her knees.

<sup>13</sup>As one whom his mother comforts, so I will comfort you;

you shall be comforted in Jerusalem. <sup>14</sup>You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice;

your bones shall flourish like the grass; and the hand of the LORD shall be known to his servants,

and he shall show his indignation against his enemies."

**L** This is the Word of the Lord. **C** Thanks be to God.

#### Psalm

#### How Awesome Are Your Deeds

I Shout for joy to God, all the earth; <sup>2</sup>sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise!

# • 3Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds!

## So great is your power that your enemies come cringing to you.

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I <sup>4</sup>All the earth worships you and sings praises to you; they sing praises to your name."

#### Come and see what God has done: he is awesome in his deeds toward the children of man.

L <sup>6</sup>He turned the sea into dry land; they passed through the river on foot.

#### C There did we rejoice in him, <sup>7</sup>who rules by his might forever, whose eyes keep watch on the nations let not the rebellious exalt themselves.

#### **Epistle** Galatians 6:1–10, 14–18

#### Bear One Another's Burdens

<sup>1</sup>Brothers, if anyone is caught in any transgression, you who are spiritual should restore him in a spirit of gentleness. Keep watch on yourself, lest you too be tempted. <sup>2</sup>Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ. <sup>3</sup>For if anyone thinks he is something, when he is nothing, he deceives himself. <sup>4</sup>But let each one test his own work, and then his reason to boast will be in himself alone and not in his neighbor. <sup>5</sup>For each will have to bear his own load.

<sup>6</sup>One who is taught the word must share all good things with the one who teaches. <sup>7</sup>Do not be deceived: God is not mocked, for whatever one sows, that will he also reap. <sup>8</sup>For the one who sows to his own flesh will from the flesh reap corruption, but the one who sows to the Spirit will from the Spirit reap eternal life. <sup>9</sup>And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up. <sup>10</sup>So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith....

<sup>14</sup>But far be it from me to boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. <sup>15</sup>For neither circumcision counts for anything, nor uncircumcision, but a new creation. <sup>16</sup>And as for all who walk by this rule, peace and mercy be upon them, and upon the Israel of God.

<sup>17</sup>From now on let no one cause me trouble, for I bear on my body the marks of Jesus.

<sup>18</sup>The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, brothers. Amen.

I This is the Word of the Lord.
 C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Alleluia and Verse

LSB 156

**G** Alleluia.

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

Holy Gospel

Luke 10:1–20

- The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the tenth chapter.
- Glory to You, O Lord.

<sup>1</sup>After this the Lord appointed seventytwo others and sent them on ahead of him, two by two, into every town and place where he himself was about to go. <sup>2</sup>And he said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. <sup>3</sup>Go your way; behold, I am sending you out as lambs in the midst of wolves. <sup>4</sup>Carry no moneybag, no knapsack, no sandals, and greet no one on the road. 5Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace be to this house!' 6And if a son of peace is there, your peace will rest upon him. But if not, it will return to you. <sup>7</sup>And remain in the same house, eating and drinking what they provide, for the laborer deserves his wages. Do not go from house to house. <sup>8</sup>Whenever you enter a town and they receive you, eat what is set before you. <sup>9</sup>Heal the sick in it and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' <sup>10</sup>But whenever you enter a town and they do not receive you, go into its streets and say, 11'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet we wipe off against you. Nevertheless know this, that the kingdom of God has come near.' <sup>12</sup>I tell you, it will be more bearable on that day for Sodom than for that town.

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<sup>13</sup>"Woe to you, Chorazin! Woe to you, Bethsaida! For if the mighty works done in you had been done in Tyre and Sidon, they would have repented long ago, sitting in sackcloth and ashes. <sup>14</sup>But it will be more bearable in the judgment for Tyre and Sidon than for you. <sup>15</sup>And you, Capernaum, will you be exalted to heaven? You shall be brought down to Hades.

<sup>16</sup>"The one who hears you hears me, and the one who rejects you rejects me, and the one who rejects me rejects him who sent me."

<sup>17</sup>The seventy-two returned with joy, saying, "Lord, even the demons are subject to us in your name!" <sup>18</sup>And he 11

said to them, "I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. <sup>19</sup>Behold, I have given you authority to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall hurt you. <sup>20</sup>Nevertheless, do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

- **P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- C Praise to You, O Christ.

Sit

# Hymn of the Day: 827 Hark the Voice of Jesus Calling

 Hark, the voice of Jesus calling, "Who will go and work today?
 Fields are white and harvests waiting— Who will bear the sheaves away?" Loud and long the Master calleth;

Rich reward He offers thee. Who will answer, gladly saying, "Here am I, send me, send me"?

2 Some take up His task in morning, To their Lord responding soon;
Some are called in heat of midday, Others late in afternoon;
Even as the sun is setting, Some are sent into the fields,
There to gather in the bounty That God's Word so richly yields.

 For as rain and snow from heaven Water seeds in dusty soil,
 Causing them to bud and flower, Giving bread to those who toil;
 So the Lord sends forth His promise, Words of life and joy and peaceNever void to Him returning, Bearing fruit with great increase.

4 Hearken to the Lord whose coming Marks the time when grace shall end,

When with His angelic reapers He in glory shall descend.

Soon the night, the final harvest; Soon the time for work shall cease. Then the souls His grace has garnered Shall enjoy His Sabbath peace. Text (st. 1): Daniel March, 1816–1909, alt.; (sts. 2–4): Stephen P.

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#### Sermon "Guess Who Got Appointed?" Luke 10:1-12

Stand

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** 

**P** Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

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Offering

Stand

14 Offertory

LSB 159

What shall I render to the Lord for all His benefits to me? I will offer the sacrifice of thanksgiving and will call on the name of the Lord. I will take the cup of salvation and will call on the name of the Lord. I will pay my vows to the Lord now in the presence of all His people, in the courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Jerusalem.

#### Service of the Sacrament

Preface

LSB 160

- P The Lord be with you.
- And also with you.
- **P** Lift up your hearts.
- **G** We lift them to the Lord.
- Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

#### **Proper Preface (Full)**

It is truly good, 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. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying: 15 Sanctus

LSB 161

Holy, holy, holy Lord God of pow'r and might: Heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna. Hosanna. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

#### **Prayer of Thanksgiving** LSB 161

P Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross.

Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

## <sup>16</sup> The Words of Our Lord

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."

#### **Proclamation of Christ**

- As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.
- Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.
- O Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, in giving us Your body and blood to eat and to drink, You lead us to remember and confess Your holy cross and passion, Your blessed death, Your rest in the tomb, Your resurrection from the dead, Your ascension into heaven, and Your coming for the final judgment. So remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray: 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.

#### Pax Domini

LSB 163

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
C Amen.

Agnus Dei

LSB 163

Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; grant us peace.

Sit

#### Distribution

#### Distribution Hymn: 617 O Lord We Praise Thee

O Lord, we praise Thee, bless Thee, 1 and adore Thee, In thanksgiving bow before Thee. Thou with Thy body and Thy blood didst nourish Our weak souls that they may flourish: O Lord, have mercy! May Thy body, Lord, born of Mary, That our sins and sorrows did carry, And Thy blood for us plead In all trial, fear, and need: O Lord, have mercy! Thy holy body into death was given, 2 Life to win for us in heaven. No greater love than this to Thee could bind us;

May this feast thereof remind us! O Lord, have mercy! Lord, Thy kindness did so constrain Thee That Thy blood should bless and sustain me. All our debt Thou hast paid; Peace with God once more is made: O Lord, have mercy! May God bestow on us His grace and 3 favor That we follow Christ our Savior And live together here in love and union Nor despise this blest Communion! O Lord, have mercy! Let not Thy good Spirit forsake us; Grant that heav'nly-minded He make US; Give Thy Church, Lord, to see Days of peace and unity: O Lord, have mercy! Text: tr. The Lutheran Hymnal, 1941, alt.; (st. 1): German, 14th cent.; (sts. 2–3): Martin Luther, 1483–1546

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#### Distribution Hymn: 528 Oh, for a **Thousand Tongues to Sing**

Oh, for a thousand tongues to sing 1 My great Redeemer's praise, The glories of my God and King, The triumphs of His grace!

My gracious Master and my God, 2 Assist me to proclaim, To spread through all the earth abroad. The honors of Thy name.

3 Jesus! The name that charms our fears.

That bids our sorrows cease; 'Tis music in the sinner's ears, 'Tis life and health and peace.

- 4 He breaks the pow'r of canceled sin;He sets the pris'ner free.
  - His blood can make the foulest clean; His blood avails for me.
- Look unto Him, ye nations; own Your God, ye fallen race.
   Look and be saved through faith alone,

Be justified by grace.

 6 See all your sins on Jesus laid; The Lamb of God was slain.
 His soul was once an off'ring made For ev'ry soul of man.

 7 To God all glory, praise, and love Be now and ever giv'n
 By saints below and saints above, The Church in earth and heav'n.
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Stand

Thank the Lord

LSB 164

C Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev'ryone what He has done. Let all who seek the Lord rejoice and proudly bear His name. He recalls His promises and leads His people forth in joy with shouts of thanksgiving. Alleluia, alleluia.

## <sup>20</sup> **Post-Communion Collect**

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.

Benediction

LSB 166

- 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.
- C Amen.

#### Hymn to Depart: 832 Jesus Shall Reign

- Jesus shall reign where'er the sun Does its successive journeys run; His kingdom stretch from shore to shore Till moons shall wax and wane no more.
- 2 To Him shall endless prayer be made, And endless praises crown His head; His name like sweet perfume shall rise With ev'ry morning sacrifice.
- 3 People and realms of ev'ry tongue Dwell on His love with sweetest song; And infant voices shall proclaim Their early blessings on His name.
- 4 Blessings abound where'er He reigns: The pris'ners leap, unloose their chains,

The weary find eternal rest, And all who suffer want are blest.

5 Let ev'ry creature rise and bring Honors peculiar to our King; Angels descend with songs again, And earth repeat the loud amen. Text: Isaac Watts, 1674–1748, alt. Text: Bublic domain

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**OFFICE HOURS**: Pastor Ken normally will be at the Church Office on Tuesdays from 9:00 a.m. until around 3:00 p.m. If you would like to meet with him please feel free to give him a call (Cell 734-395-4945) to set up a time.

If there are board meetings on Thursday night, he will be available at the church office from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at which point he will be attending a board or Council meeting. Again, call his cell to set up a time.

Other times will be made available by giving him a call.

**THE LORD'S SUPPER** will be celebrated during our worship service this morning. The Bible is clear about who is welcomed and prepared to receive Holy Communion. St. Paul writes in 1 Corinthians 11:28 – "Everyone ought to examine themselves before they eat of 22

the bread and drink from the

cup." Therefore, those Christians who are prepared and "worthy";

communicants have been led by the Holy Spirit to ...

1) Feel contrition and confess all sins to the LORD

2) Trust in Christ for the forgiveness of sins3) Strive to turn away from unrepented sin and

4) Discern and believe in the real presence of Christ's true body and blood in, with and under the outward forms of bread and wine. Therefore, we welcome all confirmed adults to join us at the Table of the Lord. We do invite those adults and children who are not prepared to receive the Lord's Supper to come to the communion table, cross your arms across your heart, and receive a blessing from the pastor. Thank you!

#### WORSHIP SERVANTS July 6, 2025

Acolyte: Kyptin Gray Elders: Bill Hertel Rob Brumm Pastor: Pastor Kenneth Huner Organist: Linda Freeman Special Music: Altar: Barb Yek and Lois Brumm Counting: Barb Yek and Kristin Myher Ushers: Lynda and Mitch Minger Greeters: Lynda Minger

#### MINISTRY CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

#### Sun, July 6

9 am – Adult Bible Study -- Ephesians:
Grace-Filled messages
9 am – Children's Sunday School
10 am – Pentecost 4, Divine Worship
w/Communion

#### Mon, July 7

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#### Tues, Jul 8

10 am – Bible Study-- Finding Comfort In The Psalms 11 am - Prayer Warriors 7 pm –Bible Study @ Myhers

#### Wed, Jul 9

#### Thur, Jul 10

10:30 am – Christian Art class with Pam 6 pm – Godly Men at Bliss and Fish in Pinckney

#### Fri Jul 11

Sat, Jul 12

#### Sun, Jul 13

9 am – Adult Bible Study -- Ephesians:
Grace-Filled messages
9 am – Children's Sunday School
10 am – Pentecost 5, Divine Worship

#### CHARTING OUR COURSE

Attendance week of June 29, 2025 10:00 am Worship in Person: 51/Online plays: 194 Communion: N/A 9:00 am Kids Sunday school In Person: 9:00 am Adult Bible Class in Person:18/Online plays: 241

## Sermon Notes:

"Guess Who Got Appointed?" Luke 10:1-12

1. His appointment is for Disciples only

#### His appointment is both Permanent & Temporary.

#### 3. His appointment produces much Joy