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Communion Statement:

In our congregation we follow the historic Lutheran practice of closed communion. This is nothing new, nor a novel innovation of the Lutheran Church -Missouri Synod. Rather, for many centuries, this was the universal practice of all of Christendom, and to this day, is still practiced by the majority of the Christian Church.

We observe closed communion because the Lord's Supper is a public profession of our unity of faith. (1 Corinthians 10:16-17)

We believe Christ's body and blood are truly present in the bread and the wine for forgiveness of our sins. (1 Corinthians 11:23-25)

We observe closed communion to protect people in body and soul from taking the Lord's Supper to their judgment and harm.

(1 Corinthians 11:27-32)

Our practice is prompted by our love, care, and concern for all people. If you are not a communicant member of a congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, please do not commune today.

However, please know that we look forward to having you at the Lord's Table soon. We sincerely invite you to visit with Pastors Poppe or Moline about the joys of Holy Communion. They will offer you instruction about our Lutheran faith and this sacrament of the Lord's Supper, so you will be ready to stand with us and partake of this wonderful meal. If you are not yet prepared to receive communion, please come forward and cross your arms over your chest and the pastor will give you a baptismal blessing.

Tenth Sunday after Trinity

August 13, 2023

Introit (Ps. 55:1, 4-5, 16; Ps. 55:16a, 17b, 18a, 22a)



I call to God, and he | hears my voice;*
he redeems my soul in | safety.

Cast your burden | on the LORD,*
and he will sus- | tain you.

Give ear to my prayer, | O God,*
and hide not yourself from my plea for | mercy!

My heart is in anguish with- | in me;*
the terrors of death have fallen up- | on me.

Fear and trembling come up- | on me,*

Fear and trembling come up- | on me, and horror over- | whelms me.

But I | call to God,*
and the LORD will | save me.

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son* and to the Holy | Spirit; as it was in the be- | ginning,* is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

I call to God, and he | hears my voice;*
he redeems my soul in | safety.

Cast your burden | on the LORD,*
and he will sus- | tain you.

Collect of the Day

O God, You declare Your almighty power above all in showing mercy and pity. Mercifully grant us such a measure of Your grace that we may obtain Your gracious promises and be made partakers of Your heavenly treasures; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gradual (*Ps. 17:8, 2*)

Keep me as the apple | of your eye;*
hide me in the shadow | of your wings.
From your presence let my vindi- | cation come!*
Let your eyes be- | hold the right!

Verse (*Ps. 88:1*)
O Lord, God of my sal- | vation;*
I cry out day and night be- | fore you.

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*Please Stand

Hymns for today—

OPENING HYMN

LSB 607......From Depths of Woe I Cry to Thee

SERMON HYMN

LSB 644 ... The Church's One Foundation

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

LSB 623..... Lord Jesus Christ We Humbly Pray

LSB 941 .. We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God

LSB 563.....Jesus Thy **Blood and Righteousness**

LSB 566 By Grace I'm Saved

CLOSING HYMN

LSB 909 Christ is Made the Sure Foundation

Old Testament: Jeremiah 8:4-12

4"You shall say to them, Thus says the LORD: When men fall, do they not rise again? If one turns away, does he not return? 5Why then has this people turned away in perpetual backsliding? They hold fast to deceit; they refuse to return. 61 have paid attention and listened, but they have not spoken rightly; no man relents of his evil, saying, 'What have I done?' Everyone turns to his own course, like a horse plunging headlong into battle. 7Even the stork in the heavens knows her times, and the turtledove, swallow, and crane keep the time of their coming, but my people know not the just decrees of the LORD. 8"How can you say, 'We are wise, and the law of the LORD is with us'? But behold, the lying pen of the scribes has made it into a lie. 9The wise men shall be put to shame; they shall be dismayed and taken; behold, they have rejected the word of the LORD, so what wisdom is in them? 10Therefore I will give their wives to others and their fields to conquerors, because from the least to the greatest everyone is greedy for unjust gain; from prophet to priest, everyone deals falsely. 11They have healed the wound of my people lightly, saying, 'Peace, peace,' when there is no peace. 12Were they ashamed when they committed abomination? No, they were not at all ashamed; they did not know how to blush. Therefore they shall fall among the fallen; when I punish them, they shall be overthrown, says the LORD."

Epistle: Romans 9:30—10:4

30What shall we say, then? That Gentiles who did not pursue righteousness have attained it, that is, a righteousness that is by faith; 31but that Israel who pursued a law that would lead to righteousness did not succeed in reaching that law. 32Why? Because they did not pursue it by faith, but as if it were based on works. They have stumbled over the stumbling stone, ззаs it is written, "Behold, I am laying in Zion a stone of stumbling, and a rock of offense: and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame." 10:1Brothers, my heart's desire and prayer to God for them is that they may be saved. 2I bear them

witness that they have a zeal for God, but not according to knowledge. 3For, being ignorant of the righteousness that comes from God, and seeking to establish their own, they did not submit to God's righteousness. 4For Christ is the end of the law for righteousness to everyone who believes.

Holy Gospel: Luke 19:41-48

⁴¹When [Jesus] drew near and saw the city, he wept over it, 42 saying, "Would that you, even you, had known on this day the things that make for peace! But now they are hidden from your eyes. ⁴³For the days will come upon you, when your enemies will set up a barricade around you and surround you and hem you in on every side 44 and tear you down to the ground, you and your children within you. And they will not leave one stone upon another in you, because you did not know the time of your visitation." ⁴⁵And he entered the temple and began to drive out those who sold. ⁴⁶saying to them, "It is written, 'My house shall be a house of prayer,' but you have made it a den of robbers." ¹⁷And he was teaching daily in the temple. The chief priests and the scribes and the principal men of the people were seeking to destroy him, 48 but they did not find anything they could do, for all the people were hanging on his

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