



**2nd Sunday after Pentecost  
June 18, 2017**

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In keeping with our Mission Statement of "Uniting in Christ, Growing in Faith, Serving in love, and Sharing the Good News, WE welcome you to Christus Victor and we are blessed that you are spending time with us in worship.

We, here at Christus Victor, practice an open table of Holy Communion. Jesus Christ invites us **all** to the table of healing and forgiveness through his sacrifice on the cross. Instructions will be given at the time and it is Jesus that bids you welcome to His table.

### **Worship Tips:**

- Children's Worship Activity Bags are available from the ushers for children ages 3-12.
- If you are uncomfortable using the altar steps, the Pastor will commune you from the center aisle of the sanctuary.
- If this is your first time worshipping with us, please sign the guest book in the Narthex or fill out a communion card and place it in the offering plate.
- If there is an \* preceding the hymn or prayer, please stand.
- Words in **Bold** are recited together aloud as a congregation.
- Please note the emergency exits located at the right front of the Sanctuary

**\* Please silence your cell phone \***

### **PARTICIPANTS**

**LAY ASSISTANTS:** Miriam Keyser, Jane Bowie

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**ACOLYTES:** Julia Petersen, Madison Hieber

**USHERS:** Phil Biedronski, Sherry Simpkins

Tom McCurdy, Herb Crum

**ALTAR GUILD:** Faye Lari, Mary Lari, Ellen Marsheck

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PRELUDE:**

**GATHERING**

**P.** God call us to:

**Unite in Christ, Grow in Faith, Serve in Love, and Share the Good news.**

**\*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

**P.** In the name of the Father, and of the ✝ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

**P.** Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

**A.** Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

**A.** Most merciful God,  
**we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. 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.**

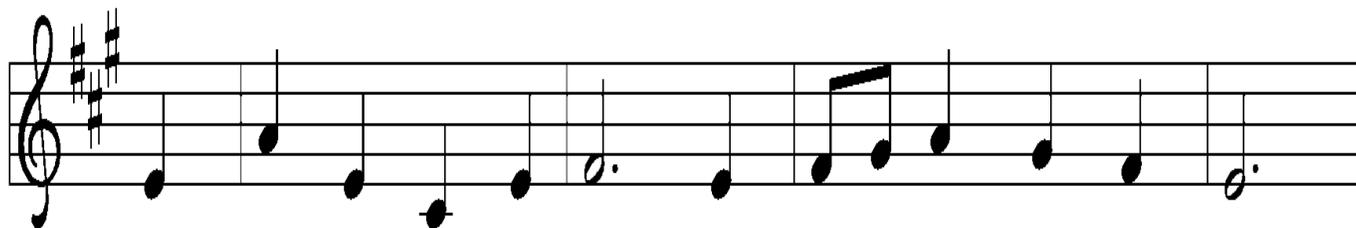
**Amen.**

**P.** In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ✝ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

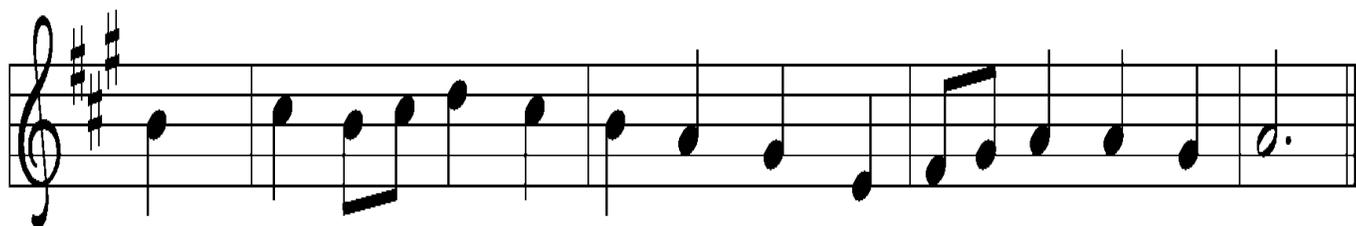
**Amen.**

## \*GATHERING SONG (ELW 669)

### Rise Up, O Saints of God!



- 1 Rise up, O saints of God! From vain am - bi - tions turn;
- 2 Speak out, O saints of God! De - spair en - gulf's earth's frame;
- 3 Rise up, O saints of God! The king - dom's task em - brace;
- 4 Give heed, O saints of God! Cre - a - tion cries in pain;
- 5 Com - mit your hearts to seek the paths which Christ has trod;



Christ rose tri - um - phant that your hearts with no - bler zeal might burn.  
as heirs of God's bap - tis - mal grace, the word of hope pro - claim.  
re - dress sin's cru - el con - se - quence; give jus - tice larg - er place.  
stretch forth your hand of heal - ing now, with love the weak sus - tain.  
and, quick - ened by the Spir - it's pow'r, rise up, O saints of God!

Text: Norman O. Furness, b. 1936

Music: FESTAL SONG, William H. Walter, 1825-1893

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## \*GREETING

**P.** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,  
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**And also with you.**

## **\*PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**P.** Let us pray.

God of compassion, you have opened the way for us and brought us to yourself. Pour your love into our hearts, that, overflowing with joy, we may freely share the blessings of your realm and faithfully proclaim the good news of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Amen.**

## **WORD**

### **FIRST READING: Exodus 19:2-8a**

A reading from Exodus.

*At Sinai God assured Israel, “You shall be my treasured possession,” and commissioned them to serve as mediating priests for the nations. The people commit themselves completely to God’s will.*

<sup>2</sup>[The Israelites] had journeyed from Rephidim, entered the wilderness of Sinai, and camped in the wilderness; Israel camped there in front of the mountain.<sup>3</sup>Then Moses went up to God; the LORD called to him from the mountain, saying, “Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the Israelites: <sup>4</sup>You have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles’ wings and brought you to myself. <sup>5</sup>Now therefore, if you obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples. Indeed, the whole earth is mine, <sup>6</sup>but you shall be for me a priestly kingdom and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the Israelites.”

<sup>7</sup>So Moses came, summoned the elders of the people, and set before them all these words that the LORD had commanded him.

<sup>8a</sup>The people all answered as one: “Everything that the LORD has spoken we will do.”

Word of God, word of life.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **PSALM: Psalm 100**

<sup>1</sup>Make a joyful noise to the LORD, | all you lands!

<sup>2</sup>Serve the LORD with gladness; come into God's presence | with a song.

<sup>3</sup>**Know that the LORD is God, our maker to whom | we belong;**

**we are God's people and the sheep | of God's pasture.**

<sup>4</sup>Enter the gates of the LORD with thanksgiving and the | courts with praise;

give thanks and bless God's | holy name.

<sup>5</sup>**Good indeed is the LORD, whose steadfast love is | everlasting,**

**whose faithfulness endures from | age to age.**

## **SECOND READING: Romans 5:1-8**

A reading from Romans.

*We are no longer God's enemies but have peace with God, because we were brought into a right relationship with God through Christ's death. A tested character has been forged for us which empowers endurance in the midst of suffering and hope for final salvation.*

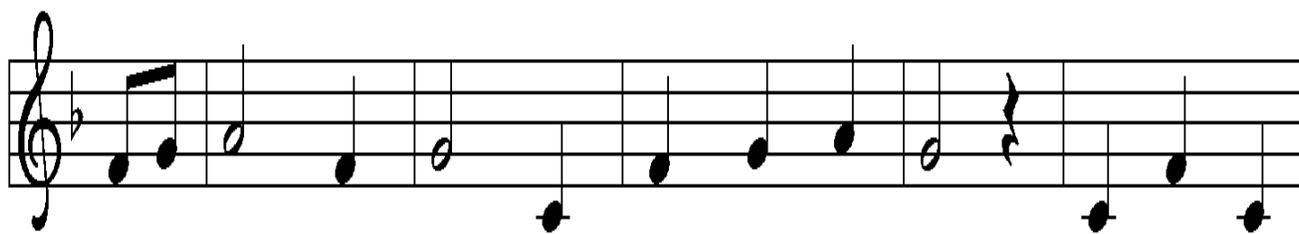
<sup>1</sup>Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>2</sup>through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. <sup>3</sup>And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, <sup>4</sup>and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, <sup>5</sup>and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

<sup>6</sup>For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. <sup>7</sup>Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. <sup>8</sup>But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

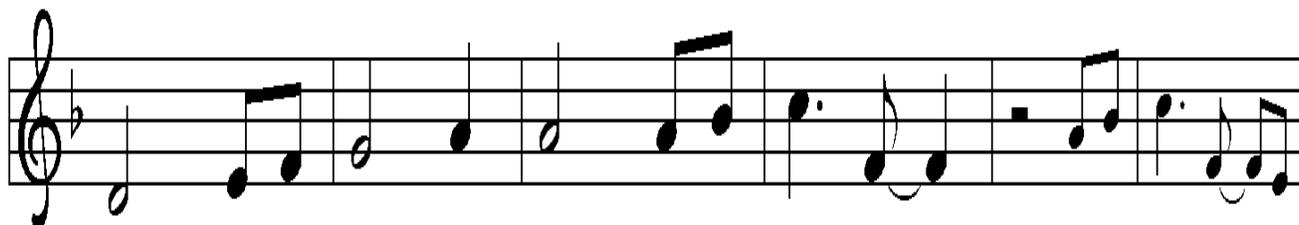
Word of God, word of life.

**Thanks be to God.**

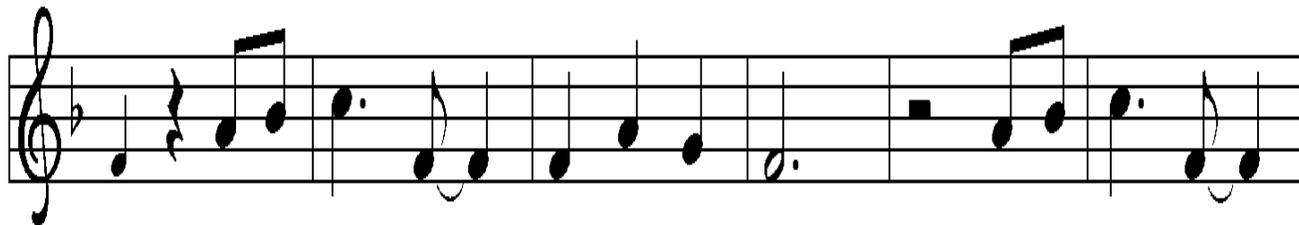
**\*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (ELW p. 188)**



Al-le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the



words of e - ter - nal life. Al-le - lu - ia.



Al-le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.



Al-le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

**\*GOSPEL: Matthew 9:35--10:8 [9-23]**

The holy gospel according to Matthew.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

*The mission of Jesus' followers is to continue the mission of Jesus himself. Here, he instructs his first disciples how they might proclaim the gospel through their words and deeds.*

<sup>35</sup>Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. <sup>36</sup>When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed

and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. <sup>37</sup>Then he said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; <sup>38</sup>therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.”

<sup>10:1</sup>Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. <sup>2</sup>These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; <sup>3</sup>Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; <sup>4</sup>Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him.

<sup>5</sup>These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: “Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, <sup>6</sup>but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. <sup>7</sup>As you go, proclaim the good news, ‘The kingdom of heaven has come near.’ <sup>8</sup>Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment.”

The gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

## **YOUNG PEOPLE'S MESSAGE**

## **SERMON**

**\*HYMN OF THE DAY (ELW 579)**

**Lord, You Give the Great Commission**

1 Lord, you give the great com - mis - sion: "Heal the sick and  
 2 Lord, you call us to your ser - vice: "In my name bap -  
 3 Lord, you make the com - mon ho - ly: "This my bod - y,  
 4 Lord, you show us love's true mea - sure: "Fa - ther, what they  
 5 Lord, you bless with words as - sur - ing: "I am with you

preach the word." Lest the church ne - glect its mis - sion,  
 tize and teach." That the world may trust your prom - ise,  
 this my blood." Let us all, for earth's true glo - ry,  
 do, for - give." Yet we hoard as pri - vate trea - sure  
 to the end." Faith and hope and love re - stor - ing,

and the gos - pel go un - heard, help us wit - ness  
 life a - bun - dant meant for each, give us all new  
 dai - ly lift life heav - en - ward, ask - ing that the  
 all that you so free - ly give. May your care and  
 may we serve as you in - tend and, a - mid the

to your pur - pose with re - newed in - teg - ri - ty:  
 fer - vor, draw us clos - er in com - mu - ni - ty:  
 world a - round us share your chil - dren's lib - er - ty:  
 mer - cy lead us to a just so - ci - e - ty:  
 cares that claim us, hold in mind e - ter - ni - ty:

*Refrain*

With the Spir-it's gifts em-pow'r us for the work of min - is - try.

The image shows a musical score for a refrain. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff on top and a bass clef staff on the bottom. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 4/4. The melody is written in the treble staff, and the bass line is in the bass staff. The lyrics are written below the treble staff, aligned with the notes. The lyrics are: "With the Spir-it's gifts em-pow'r us for the work of min - is - try." The music ends with a double bar line.

Text: Jeffery Rowthorn, b. 1934

Music: ABBOT'S LEIGH, Cyril V. Taylor, 1907–1991

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## **Affirmation New Members Erin McCartin and Steve Byrne**

- P.** Dear friends, we give thanks for the gift of baptism as we come before God to make public affirmation of baptism into Christ.
- P.** Let us pray.  
Merciful God, we thank you that you have made us your own by water and the Word in baptism. You have called us to yourself, enlightened us with the gifts of your Spirit, and nourished us in the community of faith. Uphold us and all your servants in the gifts and promises of baptism, and unite the hearts of all whom you have brought to new birth. We ask this in the name of Christ.  
**Amen.**

## PROFESSION OF FAITH

**P. Erin and Steve,** Do you renounce the devil and all the forces that defy God,

the powers of this world that rebel against God,  
and the ways of sin that draw you from God?

If so, answer, "I renounce them."

I renounce them.

*The presiding minister addresses the candidates and the assembly.*

Do you believe in God the Father?

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again;**

**he ascended into heaven,**

**he is seated at the right hand of the Father,**

**and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,**

**the holy catholic church,**

**the communion of saints,**

**the forgiveness of sins,**

**the resurrection of the body,**

**and the life everlasting.**

**P.** You have made public profession of your faith. Do you intend to continue in the covenant God made with you in holy baptism: to live among God's faithful people, to hear the word of God and share in the Lord's supper,

to proclaim the good news of God in Christ through word and deed,

to serve all people, following the example of Jesus,  
and to strive for justice and peace in all the earth?

If so, answer, “I do and I ask God to help and guide me.”

**I do, and I ask God to help and guide me.**

**P.** People of God, do you promise to support *these sisters and brothers* and pray for *them* in their life in Christ?

**We do, and we ask God to help and guide us.**

**P.** Let us pray.

We give you thanks, O God, that through water and the Holy Spirit you give us new birth, cleanse us from sin, and raise us to eternal life.

Stir up in **Erin and Steve** the gift of your Holy Spirit: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in your presence, both now and forever.

**Amen.**

**P.** Let us rejoice with these sisters and brothers in Christ.

**We rejoice with you in the life of baptism.**

**Together we will give thanks and praise to God  
and proclaim the good news to all the world.**

### **\*PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

**A.** Called together in the Spirit’s embrace, let us pray for the mending of God’s world.

**A.** Steadfast God, you send your church as laborers into your harvest. Heal our divisions and unite us in mission. Make us one at your table. Hear us, O God.

**Your mercy is great.**

**A.** Faithful Creator, protect your earth and breathe life into its future. Stir our hearts to compassion, that we become healers for the sake of your whole creation as it is made new. Hear us, O God.  
**Your mercy is great.**

**A.** Holy One, you desire peace for all nations. Give rulers and citizens wisdom in the use of power, that wars may cease and all who suffer exile, hunger, and terror find safe haven. Hear us, O God.  
**Your mercy is great.**

**A.** Compassionate One, you have brought us to yourself. Stay near to all who suffer broken hearts, fearful spirits, and disruptive illness (*especially*). Bring healing and hope to your people. Hear us, O God.  
**Your mercy is great.**

**A.** Abba, Father, your love for your children is boundless. Bless all who father among us and all who yearn for a protective father. Grant wisdom, patience, and good humor. Thank you for those who have shown us fatherly care. Hear us, O God.  
**Your mercy is great.**

**A.** Living Lord, all who live and all who die belong to you. Thank you for all whose lives have witnessed to your glory (*especially*). Comfort all who mourn. Hear us, O God.  
**Your mercy is great.**

**P.** All these things, and whatever else you see that we need, we entrust to your care through Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

**\*PEACE**

The peace of Christ be with you always.  
**And also with you.**

**MEAL**

**OFFERING**

# OFFERTORY

## \*PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

### Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful *Offering Song*



Let the vine-yards be fruit-ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of



bless-ing. Gath-er a har-vest from the seeds that were sown, that



we may be fed with the bread of life. Gath-er the hopes and dreams of



all; u-nite them with the prayers we of-fer. Grace our ta-ble



with your pres-ence, and give us a fore-taste of the feast to come.

Text: John W. Arthur, 1922-1980

Music: Ronald A. Nelson, b. 1927

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## **\*OFFERING PRAYER**

A. Let us pray.

A. Blessed are you, O God, ruler of heaven and earth. Day by day you shower us with blessings. As you have raised us to new life in Christ, give us glad and generous hearts, ready to praise you and to respond to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Amen.**

## **\*GREAT THANKSGIVING**

### **\*DIALOGUE**

P. The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

P. Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

P. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

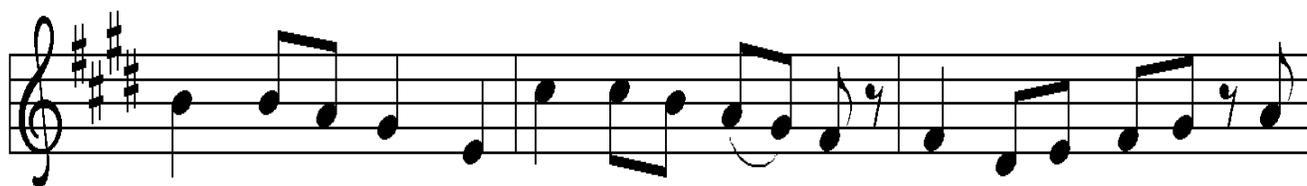
### **\*PREFACE**

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

## \*HOLY, HOLY, HOLY (ELW p. 190)



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,



heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry, full of your glo-ry. Ho-



san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high -



est. Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-



san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

## \*THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

In the night in which he was betrayed,  
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;  
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:  
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.  
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,  
and gave it for all to drink, saying:  
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,  
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.  
Do this for the remembrance of me.

## \*LORD'S PRAYER

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.**

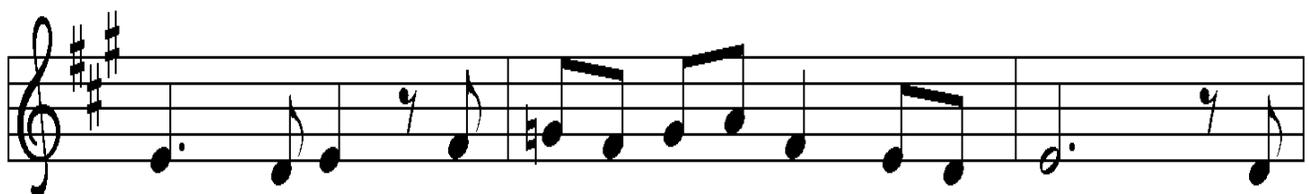
**For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

## \*INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Come to the banquet, for all is now ready.

## COMMUNION

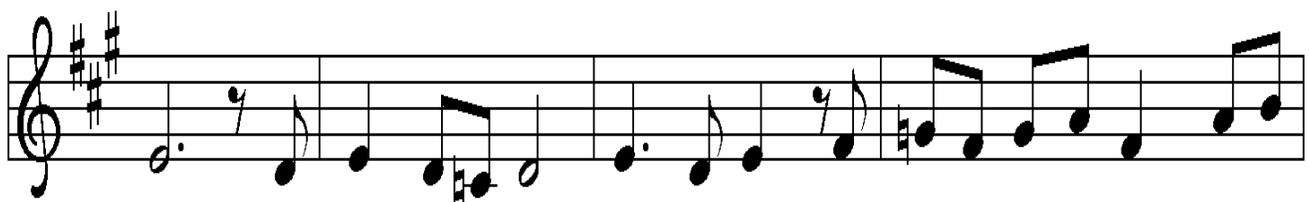
### COMMUNION SONG (ELW p. 191)



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have



mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the



world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the



world; grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.

# COMMUNION HYMN (ELW 824)

## This Is My Father's World

1 This is my Fa-ther's world, and to my lis-t'ning ears all  
2 This is my Fa-ther's world; the birds their car-ols raise; the  
3 This is my Fa-ther's world; oh, let me not for-get that,

na - ture sings, and round me rings the mu - sic of the spheres.  
morn - ing light, the lil - y white, de - clare their mak - er's praise.  
though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the rul - er yet.

This is my Fa-ther's world; I rest me in the thought of  
This is my Fa-ther's world; he shines in all that's fair. In the  
This is my Fa-ther's world; why should my heart be sad? The

rocks and trees, of skies and seas; his hand the won - ders wrought.  
rus - tling grass I hear him pass; he speaks to me ev-'ry-where.  
Lord is king, let heav - en ring; God reigns, let earth be glad!

Text: Maltbie D. Babcock, 1858–1901  
Music: TERRA PATRIS, Franklin L. Sheppard, 1852–1930, adapt.

**\*P.** The body and the blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in His Grace.

**Amen.**

**\*PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

**A.** Let us pray.

**A.** Life-giving God, in the mystery of Christ's resurrection you send light to conquer darkness, water to give new life, and the bread of life to nourish your people. Send us forth as witnesses to your Son's resurrection, that we may show your glory to all the world, through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.

**Amen.**

**\*SENDING**

**\*BLESSING**

Almighty God, Father, **+** Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.

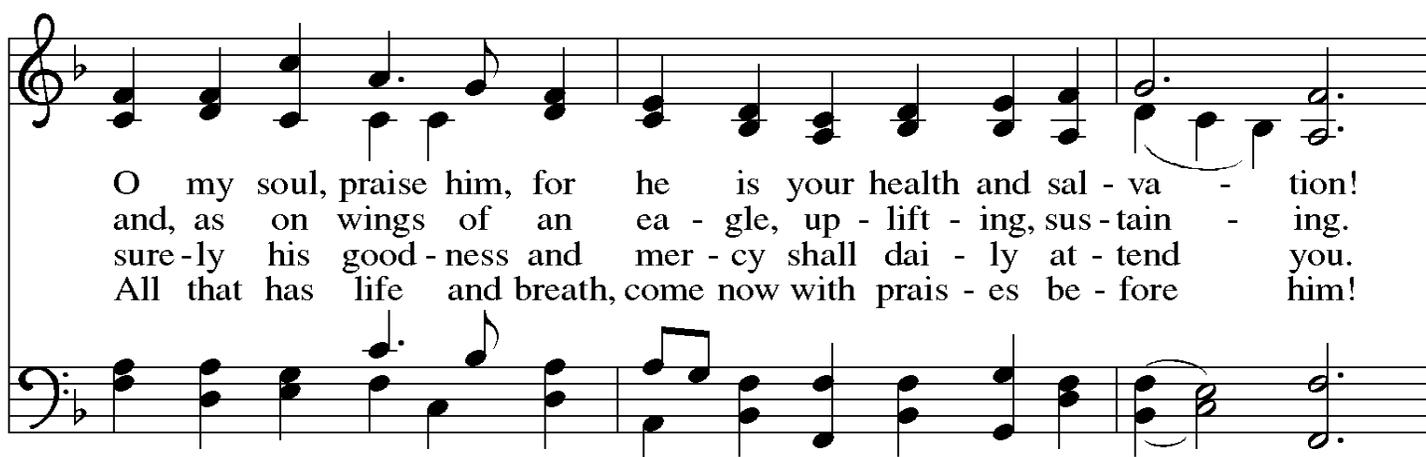
**Amen.**

**\*SENDING SONG (ELW 858)**

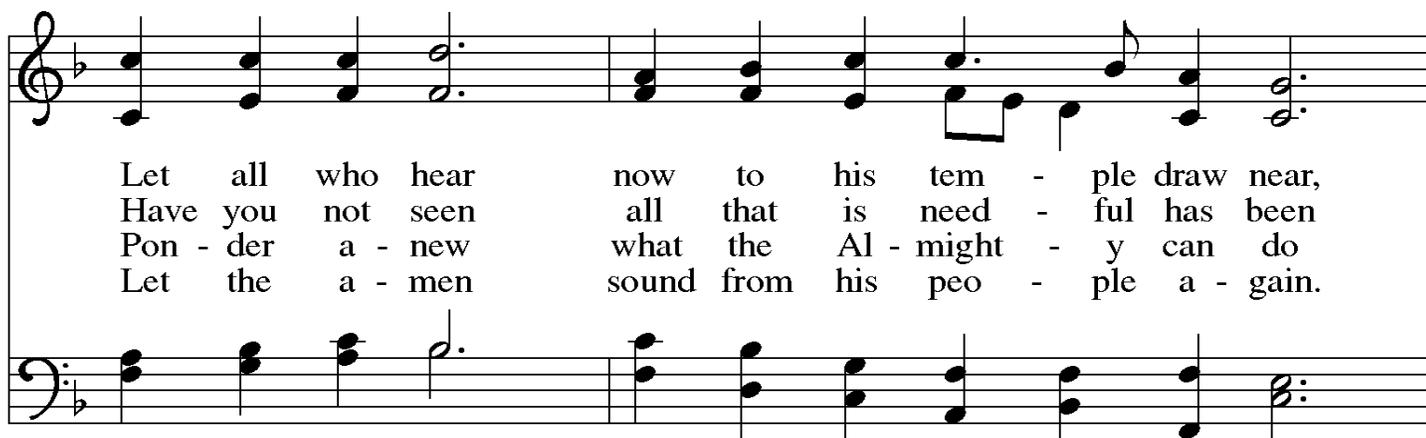
**Praise to the Lord, the Almighty**



1 Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre - a - tion!  
 2 Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is won-drous-ly reign - ing  
 3 Praise to the Lord, who will pros - per your work and de - fend you;  
 4 Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is in me a - dore him!



O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and sal - va - tion!  
 and, as on wings of an ea - gle, up - lift - ing, sus - tain - ing.  
 sure - ly his good - ness and mer - cy shall dai - ly at - tend you.  
 All that has life and breath, come now with prais - es be - fore him!



Let all who hear now to his tem - ple draw near,  
 Have you not seen all that is need - ful has been  
 Pon - der a - new what the Al - might - y can do  
 Let the a - men sound from his peo - ple a - gain.



join - ing in glad ad - o - ra - tion!  
 sent by his gra - cious or - dain - ing?  
 if with his love he be - friend you.  
 Glad - ly for - ev - er a - dore him!

Text: Joachim Neander, 1650–1680; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1827–1878, alt.  
 Music: LOBE DEN HERREN, *Ernewerten Gesangbuch*, Part II, Stralsund, 1665

**\*DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Share the good news.

**Thanks be to God.**

**A. God calls us to:**

**Unite in Christ, Grow in Faith, Serve in Love, and Share the Good News!**

**POSTLUDE:**

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**Care & Concern List**

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Names remain on the prayer list for **4 weeks**. Please contact the Church Office 410.668.8089, or [office@christusvictoronline.org](mailto:office@christusvictoronline.org) to **request a longer listing.**

Homebound Members:

Kay Diggs	Jean Doty	George Warren
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**Attendance:** 6/11/17: 8:30 – 30; 11:00 - 36

**Count Our Blessings:** 6/11/17 - \$

*Thank you for your generous support!*

**Christ Flowers (2):** Are given in Memory of my Dad, DeLeon Sheppard, on Father's Day and his Birthday by Irene Ruby

**2017 Flower Book** is available in the Narthex. Please consider signing up for a Sunday for Christ flowers. (\$15.00/arrangement).

**Congregation Council meeting minutes** for both April and May are available in the Narthex and on the Council bulletin board in the fellowship hall.

**Please remember Christus Victor Lutheran Church in your will.**

### **MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

**June 19-23** – Vacation Bible School 6:00-8:00 PM

**June 20** – Christus Comforters 9:30 AM

**June 21** – LMS Pick-up

**June 21** - Coffee, Cake & Commentary 10:30 AM

**June 24** – Victor's Vittles Meeting 12:00 Noon

**June 27** – Christus Comforters 9:30 AM

**June 27** - PCRC 7:00 PM

**June 28** - Coffee, Cake & Commentary 10:30 AM

### **VICTOR'S VITTLES:**

**June 24** Angela Myers, Ben Myers, Linda Meyer (C)

**Happy Birthday Wishes:** June 19 – Miley Collins; June 20 – Marti Mabry; June 21 – Miriam Keyser; June 23 – Nkem Obineme

**Happy Anniversary Wishes:** June 20 – Frank & Betty Hines; June 21 – Brad & Pam Lankford, June 22 – Mike & Betty Schumann; June 24 – Brian & Susanne Bruneau; Rich & Linda Duncan

On the third Wednesday of every month, the LMS comes to Christus Victor to pick up any donations from the congregation. Please leave any donations in the fellowship hall behind the coat rack and label your items **LMS**. The next pickup date is **June 21st**.

**ORIOLES BASEBALL** - Oriole baseball tickets will be on sale beginning today between services.

Orioles vs. Houston Astros

Friday- July 21, 2017

Cost \$20.00

Bus \$13.00

Game time 7:00 PM. Bus will leave church parking lot at 5:15 PM. Fireworks after the game.

### **Ministry Affirmation Review**

The Ministry Affirmation Review date has been changed to July 29th and 30th. This review is to look at the ministries that we are doing and lift up those ministries we do as well as suggesting where our ministries might lead us. This will be followed up with small group meetings over the course of the year. The end goal is to have a plan for the next 5-10 years for our ministries. This review is conducted by Lutheran leaders outside the church and we hope that all will attend worship on Sunday July 30th and be part of the discussion.

### **Christus Victor Scholarship Application: 2017 - 2018**

Scholarship applications for the school year 2017-18 are now available. Applications are available in the church office on the parish administrator's desk. If you have any questions, please contact Michael Schumann at 410-665-0702 or [mike82212@gmail.com](mailto:mike82212@gmail.com).

Please return completed applications to Michael Schumann's mailbox. The deadline for submitting the completed application is August 15<sup>th</sup>.



## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

MONDAY, JUNE 19TH - FRIDAY, JUNE 23RD

5:30PM LIGHT DINNER SERVED

6:00PM - 8:00PM VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Please join us for 5 evenings of inventions, imagination, creativity and celebrating our Creator! All ages welcome. Children not potty trained must have a parent on premise. Please register as soon as possible using the online registration tool to insure we have enough supplies for everyone. Children *entering* 6th grade and older, as well as parents, can register as helpers. There is no cost to attend.

On line registration link: <https://vbspro.events/p/ba159d>  
or visit our website: [www.christusvictoronline.org](http://www.christusvictoronline.org)

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