# The Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost "Stuff My Church Does - Discipleship"



# August 24, 2025 - 10:00am Lakeside Community Lutheran Church Webster, Wisconsin

#### **GATHERING**

\* Please Stand if you are able

PRELUDE Morning Has Broken

Fred Bock

**WELCOME** 

#### CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the ♣ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Baptized into Christ, let us confess our sin.

# Silence is kept for reflection.

Merciful God,
you free us to love others,
but we neglect our neighbors and follow our own way.
You lead us by the Spirit of joy and peace,
but we turn away from the abundant life you offer.
You surround us with patience, kindness, and generosity,
but we grow weary in doing what is right.
In your mercy, forgive us. Do not give up on us.
Heal us, break our bonds, and show us the path of life.
Amen.

You belong to Christ Jesus and you are God's children through faith. In the cross of + Christ, and through the power of the Holy Spirit, your sins are forgiven.
Clothed with Christ, you are a new creation.

Amen.

\*GATHERING HYMN

**Morning Has Broken** 

**ELW 556** 

#### **GREETING**

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.** 

## HYMN OF PRAISE Glory to God



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#### \*PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you

# And also with you.

Let us pray,

O God, mighty and immortal, you know that as fragile creatures surrounded by great dangers, we cannot by ourselves stand upright. Give us strength of mind and body, so that even when we suffer because of human sin, we may rise victorious through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

prayer.

# CHOIR ANTHEM Healing River

#### **WORD**

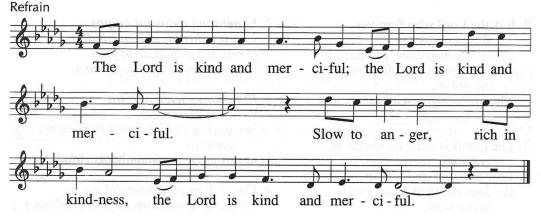
#### FIRST READING: Isaiah 58:9b-14

If you remove the yoke from among you, the pointing of the finger, the speaking of evil, if you offer your food to the hungry and satisfy the needs of the afflicted, then your light shall rise in the darkness and your gloom be like the noonday. The LORD will guide you continually, and satisfy your needs in parched places, and make your bones strong; and you shall be like a watered garden, like a spring of water, whose waters never fail. Your ancient ruins shall be rebuilt; you shall raise up the foundations of many generations; you shall be called the repairer of the breach, the restorer of streets to live in. If you refrain from trampling the sabbath, from pursuing your own interests on my holy day; if you call the sabbath a delight and the holy day of the LORD honorable; if you honor it, not going your own ways, serving your own interests, or pursuing your own affairs; then you shall take delight in the LORD, and I will make you ride upon the heights of the earth; I will feed you with the heritage of your ancestor Jacob, for the mouth of the LORD has spoken.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

#### PSALM 103: The Lord Is Kind and Merciful



#### Verses

- 1. Bless the Lord, O my soul; all my being bless God's name. Bless the Lord, O my soul; forget not all God's blessings.
- 2. The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, full of kindness. God is good to all creation, full of compassion.
- 3. The goodness of God is from age to age, blessing those who choose to love.

  And justice toward God's children; on all who keep the covenant.

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#### SECOND READING: Hebrews 12:18-29

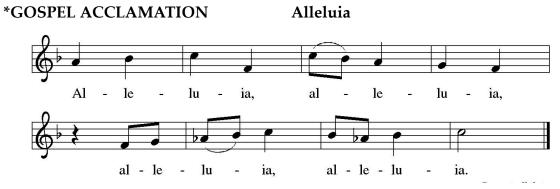
You have not come to something that can be touched, a blazing fire, and darkness, and gloom, and a tempest, and the sound of a trumpet, and a voice whose words made the hearers beg that not another word be spoken to them. (For they could not endure the order that was given, "If even an animal touches the mountain, it shall be stoned to death." Indeed, so terrifying was the sight that Moses said, "I tremble with fear.") But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made

perfect, and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.

See that you do not refuse the one who is speaking; for if they did not escape when they refused the one who warned them on earth, how much less will we escape if we reject the one who warns from heaven! At that time his voice shook the earth; but now he has promised, "Yet once more I will shake not only the earth but also the heaven." This phrase, "Yet once more," indicates the removal of what is shaken—that is, created things—so that what cannot be shaken may remain. Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us give thanks, by which we offer to God an acceptable worship with reverence and awe; for indeed our God is a consuming fire.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.



The crowd was rejoicing at the wonderful things that Jesus was doing

#### **HOLY GOSPEL:** Luke 13:10-17

The holy gospel according to Luke.

Glory to you, O Lord.

Now [Jesus] was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath. And just then there appeared a woman with a spirit that had crippled her for eighteen years. She was bent over and was quite unable to stand up straight. When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, "Woman, you are set free from your ailment." When he laid his hands on her, immediately she stood up straight and

began praising God. But the leader of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had cured on the sabbath, kept saying to the crowd, "There are six days on which work ought to be done; come on those days and be cured, and not on the sabbath day." But the Lord answered him and said, "You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger, and lead it away to give it water? And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen long years, be set free from this bondage on the sabbath day?" When he said this, all his opponents were put to shame; and the entire crowd was rejoicing at all the wonderful things that he was doing.

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

#### SERMON ON THE STEPS

SERMON Pastor Peter Johnson

HYMN OF THE DAY O Christ, the Healer, We Have Come ELW 610

\*APOSTLE'S CREED

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

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.
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. Amen

#### \*THE PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Let us pray for the church, the creation, and the whole people of God, for God is near.

#### A brief silence.

#### Response

Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

Confident in God's presence and promise, we entrust our prayers to the one who always receives them; through Jesus Christ, our wisdom and companion. **Amen.** 

#### **SHARING OF THE PEACE**

The peace of the Lord be with you all.

And also with you.

We share Christ's peace with each other.

#### **MEAL**

#### THANKSGIVING FOR OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

**OFFERTORY** 

Look Who Gathers At Christ's Table

#### \*OFFERTORY RESPONSE

#### Let The Vineyards

# Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful Offering Song



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#### **OFFERING PRAYER**

Creator God,
in your wisdom you bring forth all that is good
and the harvest is plentiful.
Strengthen us at your table with these gifts of the earth
and our labor,
that we may work for the good of all;
through Jesus Christ, our Savior.
Amen.

#### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** 

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

#### 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

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

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.

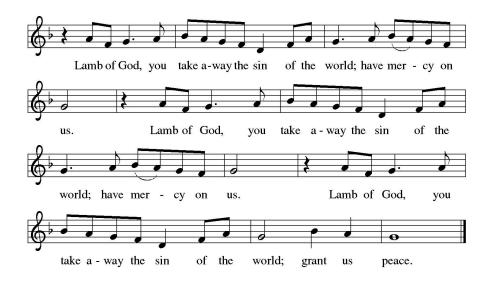
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

#### INVITATION TO COMMUNION

The kingdom of God is set before you. Eat and rejoice. All are welcome at God's Table

#### **COMMUNION**

#### Lamb of God



#### **COMMUNION SONG**

#### Look Who Gathers At Christ's Table

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#### TABLE BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you until everlasting life.

Amen.

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Mothering God, you gathered us to your table and we drank deeply of your grace. Send us out by your Spirit to love our neighbors as ourselves and proclaim your love in Jesus' name. Amen.

## **SENDING**

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

SENDING SONG

**Bless His Holy Name** 

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#### BLESSING

The love of God abound in you; the grace of our Savior Jesus Christ fill your hearts; and the life of the Spirit + bless you and give you peace.

Amen.





#### Dismissal

Go in peace. Live by the Spirit.

Thanks be to God.

**POSTLUDE** 

**Trumpet Tune** 

Jerry McRory

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<u>Welcome to Lakeside!</u> We extend a warm welcome to those who have come to share our worship service. Visitors, please fill out the blue Guest Connection Card and leave it in the offering plate. Let this be your gift to us! We invite you to join us for coffee and fellowship following the service.

<u>Prayer Concerns</u>: Elaine Davis, Anne Gelein, Hitomi Henderson, Diane Roberts, Faith Snyder, Mark Snyder, Barb Umholtz, Dorothy VanPykeren and Danny Wheeler. Those fighting addictions; people in crisis; deployed military and families; leaders, children, and areas of conflict throughout the world.

**Flowers** on the altar today are given by Joe Connor in memory of Mable.

# **Bless His Holy Name**



Thank you to today's participants: Pastor Peter Johnson; Music Director Pat Barnett; Lakeside Community Lutheran Church Choir; Producer Marshall Hoff; Counters Wayne & Laurie Lundeen; Shepherding Conveners Dave & Julie Swan; August Shepherds: Ron & Pat Lilligard, Evie & Net Moore, Sandy Swanson, Danny & Brenda Wheeler, and all those who help us out throughout August.

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