# Pentecost 19

October 13 & 16, 2022



# **OUR SAVIOR EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL**

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VERSE OF THE DAY: Alleluia. Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you. Alleluia.

HOLY COMMUNION Gathering together at God's altar to receive our Lord's body and blood testifies to our unity as members of the Lutheran Church. We ask guests who are not members of our WELS or ELS to speak to our pastor before coming forward for the sacrament. Our hope is that all who join us at the altar will have a thorough understanding of the faith we profess.

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**God, our refuge and strength, have mercy on your church as we come in prayer before you. Answer us not in judgment on our sins but in peace and forgiveness; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

#### **GUESTS** Welcome to our visitors!

**Restrooms:** At the far (south) side of the entry area.

**Parents' Room:** Also at the far (south) side of the entry area.

Hearing Help: Enhanced hearing units are available. Contact an usher.

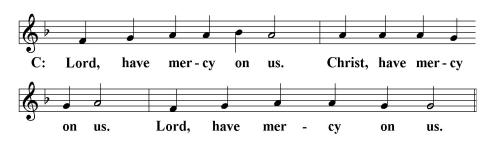
**Large Print Hymnal:** Contact an usher.



P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.



- P: Beloved in the Lord: let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins to God our Father, asking him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- C: Holy and merciful Father, I confess that I am by nature sinful and that I have disobeyed you in my thoughts, words, and actions. I have done what is evil and failed to do what is good. For this I deserve your punishment both now and in eternity. But I am truly sorry for my sins, and trusting in my Savior Jesus Christ, I pray: Lord have mercy on me, a sinner.



P: God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given his only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by his authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.



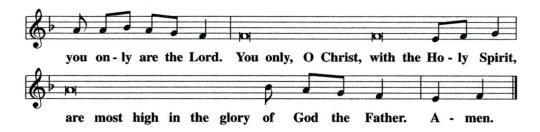
God the Father;

P: In the peace of forgiveness let us praise the Lord. C: Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will toward men. We praise you, we bless you, we wor-ship you, we glorify you, we give thanks to you, for your great glory, O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther al - mighty. O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je-sus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. You take away the sin of the world; re-ceive our prayer. You sit at the right hand of

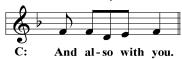
us.

For you on-ly are holy:

have mercy on



P: The Lord be with you.



#### P: Let us pray.

Ruler of heaven and earth and all things, as we prepare our hearts for Your coming, strengthen us for the tasks that You have laid before us. Be with us in this world and keep our hearts focused on the glories above that have been earned and set aside for us by Jesus, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: (sung) Amen

**SONG** OSLS 3-8 SING 10:30 am Service

#### FIRST LESSON Genesis 32:22–30

<sup>22</sup>That night Jacob got up and took his two wives, his two female servants and his eleven sons and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. <sup>23</sup>After he had sent them across the stream, he sent over all his possessions. <sup>24</sup>So Jacob was left alone, and a man wrestled with him till daybreak. <sup>25</sup>When the man saw that he could not overpower him, he touched the socket of Jacob's hip so that his hip was wrenched as he wrestled with the man. <sup>26</sup>Then the man said, "Let me go, for it is daybreak."

But Jacob replied, "I will not let you go unless you bless me."

But he replied, "Why do you ask my name?" Then he blessed him there.

**RESPONSE** Psalm 91 *CW*, p.100

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup>The man asked him, "What is your name?"

<sup>&</sup>quot;Jacob," he answered.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup>Then the man said, "Your name will no longer be Jacob, but Israel, because you have struggled with God and with humans and have overcome."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>29</sup>Jacob said, "Please tell me your name."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup>So Jacob called the place Peniel, saying, "It is because I saw God face to face, and yet my life was spared."

#### SECOND LESSON 1 John 5:13–15

<sup>13</sup>I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God so that you may know that you have eternal life. <sup>14</sup>This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. <sup>15</sup>And if we know that he hears us—whatever we ask—we know that we have what we asked of him.

#### GOSPEL Luke 18:1–8



<sup>1</sup>Then Jesus told his disciples a parable to show them that they should always pray and not give up. <sup>2</sup>He said: "In a certain town there was a judge who neither feared God nor cared what people thought. <sup>3</sup>And there was a widow in that town who kept coming to him with the plea, 'Grant me justice against my adversary.'

<sup>4</sup>"For some time he refused. But finally he said to himself, 'Even though I don't fear God or care what people think, <sup>5</sup>yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will see that she gets justice, so that she won't eventually come and attack me!'"

<sup>6</sup>And the Lord said, "Listen to what the unjust judge says. <sup>7</sup>And will not God bring about justice for his chosen ones, who cry out to him day and night? Will he keep putting them off? <sup>8</sup>I tell you, he will see that they get justice, and quickly. However, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on the earth?"



NICENE CREED CW, p. 18

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary, and became fully human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit,

the Lord, the giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son,

who in unity with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

HYMN OF THE DAY

"When in the Hour of the Utmost Need"

CW, # 413

**SERMON** 

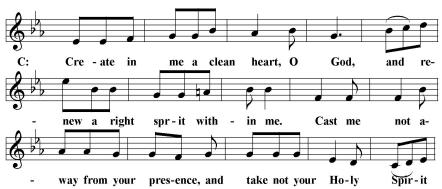
#### Genesis 32:22-30

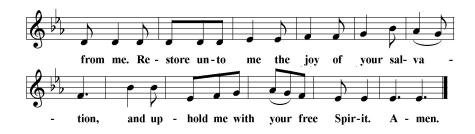
The Struggle is Real:

- 1. When we do it our way
- 2. When we pray just like Jacob

#### RESPONSE TO THE WORD

CW, p. 20





#### **OFFERING**

Members and guests alike are also asked to fill out the Friendship Register, pass the entire pad to the next person, and return it to the center aisle. Please include email and phone.

#### **PRAYER OF THE CHURCH & SPECIAL PRAYERS**

LORD'S PRAYER CW, p. 20

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 SACRAMENT CW, p. 21

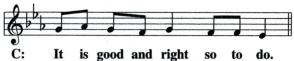
P: The Lord be with you.



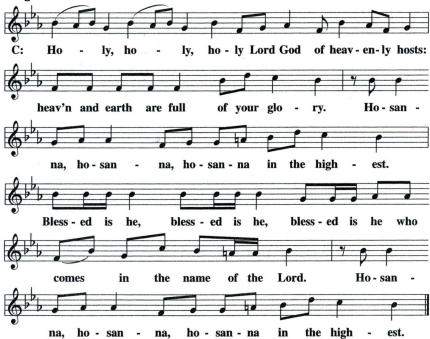
P: Lift up your hearts.



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



P: It is truly good and right that we should at all times and in all places give you thanks, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day promised that wherever two or three come together in his name, there he is with them to shepherd his flock till he comes again in glory. Therefore, with all the saints on earth and hosts of heaven, we praise your holy name and join their glorious song:

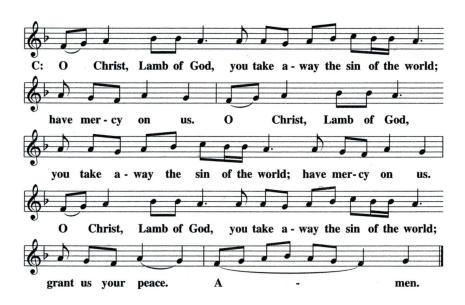


P: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night he was betrayed, took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it and give it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Then He took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.





**DISTRIBUTION HYMN** 

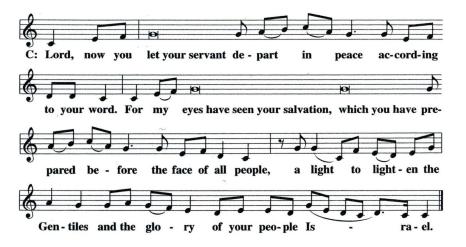
"Rise, My Soul, to Watch and Pray"

CW, # 472

THANKSGIVING HYMN

"Song of Simeon"

CW, p. 24



**P:** O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good.



C: And his mercy endures for - ev - er.

P: We give thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us with this holy supper. We pray that through it you will strengthen our faith in you and increase our love for one another. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace.



HYMN

"Rise! To Arms! With Prayer Employ You"

CW, # 455



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# Day by Day



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# THIS WEEK AT OUR SAVIOR

Sunday (10/16) 8:00 AM Worship Service w/Communion

9:15 AM Adult & Teen Bible Study

9:15 AM Sunday School

10:30 AM Worship Service w/Communion
11:45 AM Teen packer Party – Church Office

Wednesday 4:00 PM Public School Confirmation

Thursday 7:00 PM Worship Service Sunday (10/23) 8:00 AM Worship Service

9:15 AM Adult Bible Study

10:30 AM Worship Service

#### NEXT WEEK'S BIBLE READINGS

1st Lesson2 Samuel 12:1-132nd Lesson1 Corinthians 5:1-13GospelMark 9:42-50

Psalm Psalm 130

LiveStream on Youtube Channel at 10:30am every Sunday This service is also recorded for review after livestream. Link on our website (see below).

# THIS WEEK'S WORSHIP SERVICE

PREACHER:

Peter Christie

ORGANIST: Bob Klug

**HYMNS**: 413, 472, 455

FIRST LESSON:

Genesis 32:22-30

SECOND LESSON:

1 John 5:13-15

GOSPEL LESSON:

SERMON:

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"The Struggle is Real"

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