

10:00 WORSHIP
SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
OCTOBER 2, 2022

Prelude

Announcements

Please stand

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness

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

C: Amen

P: 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.

P: Most merciful God,

C: we confess that we are in bondage 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 you, and for his sake God forgives you all your sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ he gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

Opening Hymn

“Blessed Assurance”

BOB 24

Greeting and Response—Psalm 95:1-7

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

C: And also with you.

P: Oh come, let us sing to the LORD;

C: let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

P: Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;

C: let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!

P: For the LORD is a great God,

C: and a great King above all gods.

P: In his hand are the depths of the earth;

C: the heights of the mountains are his also.

P: The sea is his, for he made it,

C: and his hands formed the dry land.

P: Oh come, let us worship and bow down;

C: let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!

P: For he is our God,

C: and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

Prayer of the Day *“O God, you declare your almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity. Grant us the fullness of your grace, that, pursuing what you have promised, we may share your heavenly glory; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.” Amen.*

Praise Song

“Blessed Be Your Name”

Children’s message

First Reading: Habakkuk 1:1-4,2:1-4

The oracle that Habakkuk the prophet saw. O LORD, how long shall I cry for help, and you will not hear? Or cry to you “Violence!” and you will not save? Why do you make me see iniquity, and why do you idly look at wrong? Destruction and violence are before me; strife and contention arise. So the law is paralyzed, and justice never goes forth. For the wicked surround the righteous; so justice goes forth perverted. I will take my stand at my watchpost and station myself on the tower, and look out to see what he will say to me, and what I will answer concerning my complaint. And the LORD answered me: “Write the vision; make it plain on tablets, so he may run who reads it. For still the vision awaits its appointed time; it hastens to the end—it will not lie. If it seems slow, wait for it; it will surely come; it will not delay. “Behold, his soul is puffed up; it is not upright within him, but the righteous shall live by his faith.

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1:1-14

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God according to the promise of the life that is in Christ Jesus, To Timothy, my beloved child: Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord. I thank God whom I serve, as did my ancestors, with a clear conscience, as I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. As I remember your tears, I long to see you, that I may be filled with joy. I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that dwelt first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, dwells in you as well. For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands, for God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control. Therefore do not be ashamed of the testimony about our Lord, nor of me his prisoner, but share in suffering for the gospel by the power of God, who saved us and called us to a holy calling, not because of our works but because of his own purpose and grace, which he gave us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, and which now has been manifested through the appearing of our Savior Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel, for which I was appointed a preacher and apostle and teacher, which is why I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know whom I have believed, and I am convinced that he is able to guard until that day what has been entrusted to me. Follow the pattern of the sound words that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. By the Holy Spirit who dwells within us, guard the good deposit entrusted to you.

Please stand

Verse

“Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!”

WOV 612

The **Holy Gospel** according to Luke, the 17th chapter

C: Glory to you, O Lord

And he said to his disciples, “Temptations to sin are sure to come, but woe to the one through whom they come! It would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck and he were cast into the sea than that he should cause one of these little ones to sin. Pay attention to yourselves! If your brother sins, rebuke him, and if he repents, forgive him, and if he sins against you seven times in the day, and turns to you seven times, saying, ‘I repent,’ you must forgive him.” The apostles said to the Lord, “Increase our faith!” And the Lord said, “If you had faith like a grain of mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, ‘Be uprooted and planted in the sea,’ and it would obey you. “Will any one of you who has a servant plowing or keeping sheep say to him when he has come in from the field, ‘Come at once and recline at table’? Will he not rather say to him, ‘Prepare supper for me, and dress properly, and serve me while I eat and drink, and afterward you will eat and drink’? Does he thank the servant because he did what was commanded? So you also, when you have done all that you were commanded, say, ‘We are unworthy servants; we have only done what was our duty.’”

P: The Gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to you, O Christ

Sermon

Sermon Hymn

Please Stand

Apostle’s Creed

Offering Song

Prayers of the Church

Great Thanksgiving

Words of Institution

Lord’s Prayer

Agnus Dei

“Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive”

LBW 307

p. 65

“Create in me a Clean Heart”

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Distribution of Communion

Communion Hymns

“We Remember You”

BOB 236

“Feed Us Now”

BOB 53

“Someone Else Living in You”

BOB 199

Please Stand

Benediction

Closing Hymn

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

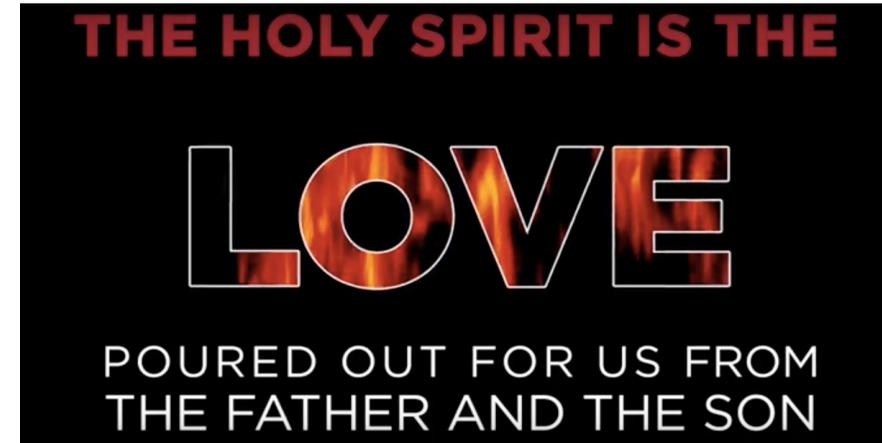
BOB 73

P: Grow in faith!

C: Impact the world!

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Lector: Brian Sandvig



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9:00 Coffee Fellowship
10:00 Worship/Communion

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Kasuske, Greg & Lori
Larson, Bruce & Linda
McCrea, Orgene & Karen

Nelson, Robert & Pam
Pekelder, Jamie & Hope
Redepenning, Jackie
Schmidt, Marlin & Shirley
Strege, Steve & Vicki
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Darcie’s Home Care: 1405 Highview Dr—Ann Sandbakken



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As of **September 30, 2022**, LWLC's financial information was as follows:

General Fund YTD Income: \$

General Fund YTD Expenses: \$

General Fund Income for September: \$

General Fund Expenses for September: \$

General Fund Checking Account Balance: \$

Dedicated Checking Account Balance: \$

Building Fund Balance: \$

Last week's **noisy change** was \$ and will go to Michael Sanchez.



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