

Return
to your
home,
and

Luke 8:39

declare
how much
God
has done
for you.

Second Sunday after Pentecost

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Setting Ten

This Sunday's texts paint startling pictures
of the horrific nature of sin.

The church's repeated celebration of holy communion
counters that tragic reality in a continued showing forth
of the death of Jesus until he comes again.

It is a dramatic declaration of
"how much God has done for you."

Joys & Concerns

Prelude

Confession and Forgiveness

P. Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, whose steadfast love endures forever.

C. Amen

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

Silence for reflection and self-examination

P. Merciful God,

C. **we confess that we have not followed your path but have chosen our own way. Instead of putting others before ourselves, we long to take the best seats at the table. When met by those in need, we have too often passed by on the other side. Set us again on the path of life. Save us from ourselves and free us to love our neighbors. Amen**

P. Hear the good news! God does not deal with us according to our sins but delights in granting pardon and mercy. In the name of † Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. You are free to love as God loves.

C. Amen.

Gathering Hymn

Awake, My Soul, and with the Sun

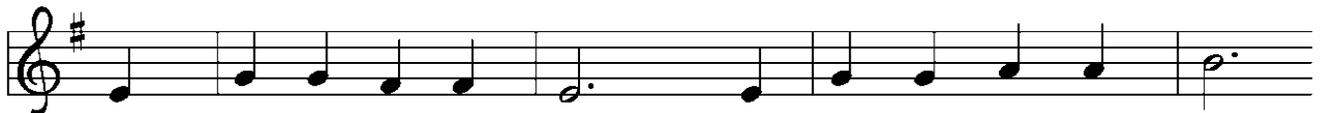
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The Greeting

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

C. And also with you.

Kyrie



1 Have mer - cy on us, Lord, and hear our sol - emn prayer.
2 Have mer - cy on us, Christ, and wash a - way our sin.
3 Have mer - cy on us, Lord; make sin and shame de - part.



We come to hear your liv - ing word; it saves us from de - spair.
Pour out your grace and make us whole that new life may be - gin.
Re - new us with your sav - ing pow'r; cre - ate in us new hearts!

Hymn of Praise



1 Glo-ry be to God in heav-en; peace, good-will to all the earth.
2 Glo-ry be to Christ for - ev - er, Lamb of God and Lord of love.
3 Ho - ly One we now ac-claim you; Lord a - lone, to you we call;



Might-y God of all cre - a - tion, Fa - ther of sur - pass - ing worth:
Son of God and gra - cious Sav - ior, you have come from heav'n a - bove;
Ho - ly One in faith we name you, God most high, yet near to all:



we ex - alt you, we a - dore you, we lift high our thanks and praise.
on the cross you died to save us; now you reign at God's right hand.
Je - sus Christ, with God the Spir - it, in the Fa - ther's splen - dor bright.



Saints and an - gels bow be - fore you; here on earth our songs we raise.
Hear our prayer; re - store, for - give us; in your prom - ise firm we stand.
For the peace that we in - her - it, glo - ry be to God on high!

Prayer of the Day

A. Let us pray

C. O Lord God, we bring before you the cries of a sorrowing world. In your mercy set us free from the chains that bind us, and defend us from everything that is evil, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.



Pastor Wayne Dubnansky

First Reading

Isaiah 65:1-9

I was ready to be sought out by those who did not ask, to be found by those who did not seek me. I said, "Here I am, here I am," to a nation that did not call on my name. I held out my hands all day long to a rebellious people,

who walk in a way that is not good, following their own devices;
 a people who provoke me to my face continually,
 sacrificing in gardens and offering incense on bricks;
 who sit inside tombs, and spend the night in secret places;
 who eat swine's flesh, with broth of abominable things in their vessels;
 who say, "Keep to yourself, do not come near me, for I am too holy for you."
 These are a smoke in my nostrils, a fire that burns all day long.
 See, it is written before me: I will not keep silent, but I will repay;
 I will indeed repay into their laps their iniquities and their ancestors' iniquities together, says the LORD;
 because they offered incense on the mountains and reviled me on the hills,
 I will measure into their laps full payment for their actions.
 Thus says the LORD:
 As the wine is found in the cluster, and they say, "Do not destroy it, for there is a blessing in it,"
 so I will do for my servants' sake, and not destroy them all.
 I will bring forth descendants from Jacob, and from Judah inheritors of my mountains;
 my chosen shall inherit it, and my servants shall settle there.

L. Word of God, word of life.

C. Thanks be to God.



Psalmody

Psalm 22:19-28

(ELW tone 1)

chanted responsively



But you, O LORD, be not ^l far away;
 O my help, hasten ^l to my aid.

**Deliver me ^l from the sword,
 my life from the power ^l of the dog.**

Save me from the ¹ lion's mouth!

From the horns of wild bulls you have ¹ rescued me.

**I will declare your name ¹ to my people;
in the midst of the assembly ¹ I will praise you.**

You who fear the LORD, give praise! All you of Jacob's ¹ line, give glory.

Stand in awe of the LORD, all you off- ¹ spring of Israel.

**For the LORD does not despise nor abhor the poor in their poverty;
neither is the LORD's face ¹ hidden from them;
but when they cry out, ¹ the LORD hears them.**

From you comes my praise in the ¹ great assembly;

I will perform my vows in the sight of those who ¹ fear the LORD.

The poor shall eat ¹ and be satisfied,

Let those who seek the LORD give praise! May your hearts ¹ live forever!

All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn ¹ to the LORD;

all the families of nations shall bow ¹ before God.

**For dominion belongs ¹ to the LORD,
who rules o- ¹ ver the nations.**



**“Just One”
Galatians 3:23-29**

Second Reading

Galatians 3:23-29

Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed. Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith. But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian, for in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith. As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise.

L. Word of God, word of life.

C. Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

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.

P. The holy gospel according to Luke, chapter Eight.

Luke 8:26-39

Jesus and his disciples arrived at the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. As he stepped out on land, a man of the city who had demons met him. For a long time he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me" -- for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.) Jesus then asked him, "What is your name?" He said, "Legion"; for many demons had entered him. They begged him not to order them to go back into the abyss.

Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding; and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So he gave them permission. Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned.

When the swineherds saw what had happened, they ran off and told it in the city and in the country. Then people came out to see what had happened, and when they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they were afraid. Those who had seen it told them how the one who had been possessed by demons had been healed. Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them; for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned. The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but Jesus sent him away, saying, "Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you." So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

C. Glory to you, O Lord.

P. The gospel of the Lord.

C. Praise to you O Christ.

Sermon

"Putting On Christ"

Pastor Wayne Dubnansky

Hymn of the Day

Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness

ELW 843

The Nicene Creed

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 truly 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 with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic 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.



Prayers of Intercession

A. United in Christ and guided by the Spirit, we pray for the church, the creation, and all in need.

A brief silence

Holy God, you hear the cries of those who seek you. Equip your church with evangelists who reveal the continuous call of your outstretched hands and your promises of a home in you. God of grace,

C. hear our prayer.

P. God of every time and place, in Jesus' name and filled with your Holy Spirit, we entrust these spoken prayers and those in our hearts into your holy keeping.

C. Amen

The Peace

P. Jesus said:

Peace I leave with you;
my peace I give to you.
Do not let your hearts be troubled.
May His peace be with you always.

C. And also with you.



The Offering

Offertory Prayer

A. God of abundance: you have set before us a plentiful harvest. As we feast on your goodness, strengthen us to labor in your field, and equip us to bear fruit for the good of all, in the name of Jesus.

C. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

P. The Lord be with you.

C. And also with you.

P. Lift up your hearts.

C. We lift them to the Lord.

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

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

P. It is indeed right . . .

The Sanctus

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

ELW 190

Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

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

P. In Christ's presence there is fullness of joy. Come to the banquet.
C. Amen.

Lamb of God



1 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
2 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
3 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;



you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer-cy now, we pray.
you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer-cy now, we pray.
e - ter-nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

Communion Hymns

<i>Thy Holy Wings</i>	ELW 613
<i>Let Us Break Bread Together</i>	ELW 471
<i>O Master, Let Me Walk with You</i>	ELW 818

Post Communion Blessing

P. Life-giving God, through this meal you have bandaged our wounds and fed us with your mercy. Now send us forth to live for others, both friend and stranger, that all may come to know your love. This we pray in the name of Jesus.
C. Amen.

Post Communion Prayer

A. O God, in this holy communion you have welcomed us into your presence, nourished us with words of mercy, and fed us at your table. Amid the cares of this life, strengthen us to love you with all our heart, serve our neighbors with a willing spirit, and honor the earth you have made; through Christ our Lord.

C. Amen

Blessing

P. The God of peace, Father, † Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you, comfort you, and show you the path of life this day and always.

C. Amen.

Sending Hymn

Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Dismissal

A. Go in peace. Love your neighbor.

C. Thanks be to God.

Postlude

After Worship Food & Fellowship this week provided by your Church Council

Servers for Sunday, June 19th

- Guest Pianist Donna Hanna
- Assisting Minister..... Shannon Thomsen
- Reader Gale Isaacs
- Altar Guild Sarah Watkins
- Greeters/Counters Terry Barnes / Steve Brantley
- Acolyte Antonio Smith



Sign-up sheets for the various worship assistant slots are on the board in the hallway. Please consider spending time giving glory to God by filling one of these positions on a Sunday.

Honor a loved one by making a donation for the candles in the sanctuary for the month or the flowers that beautify the church each Sunday. Sign-up sheet is on the board in the hallway.

Flowers this week are provided by the King Family in thankfulness for all Fathers.



June 19	9:00 am 10:00 am	Adult Bible Study in the Fellowship Hall Worship Service – Time After Pentecost
June 22	7:00 am 7:00 pm	Rotary Breakfast NO Choir Practice Tonight
June 26	9:00 am 10:00 am	Adult Bible Study in the Fellowship Hall Worship Service – Time After Pentecost
June 29	7:00 am 7:00 pm	Rotary Breakfast NO Choir Practice Tonight
July 3	4:30 pm	Independence Day Celebration

Come celebrate America’s Birthday on Sunday, July 3rd. There will be a shared Pot Luck Dinner at 6 pm with our friends at Able to Serve! Hot Dogs will be provided, but please bring a side dish or dessert to share and join in the fun!

As is tradition, we will be parking cars in our field again this year as a fundraiser. We need people – Men AND Women – to help direct the cars and efficiently place them.

Social concerns will again be handing out promotional items to the children.

Please arrive before 4:30 pm to avoid any issues with road closures!!!

