

# REDEEMER

## LUTHERAN CHURCH



***14th Sunday after Pentecost***  
*September 6, 2020 | First Sunday of the Month Parked Car Worship*

9:15 a.m. **Prelude**/Pre Worship Music for Distributing Holy Communion and Receiving Offerings

9:30 a.m. **Welcome** including instructions on where to set your dial to tune to hear the worship in your car

### **Prayer of the Day**

We pray: **O Lord God, enliven and preserve your church with your perpetual mercy. Without your help, we mortals will fail; remove far from us everything that is harmful, and lead us toward all that gives life and salvation, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

**Hymn:** *TFF 65 This Little Light Of Mine*

### **Readings of the Day**

**First Reading:** *Ezekiel 33:7-11*

7 So you, mortal, I have made a sentinel for the house of Israel; whenever you hear a word from my mouth, you shall give them warning from me. 8 If I say to the wicked, "O wicked ones, you shall surely die," and you do not speak to warn the wicked to turn from their ways, the wicked shall die in their iniquity, but their blood I will require at your hand. 9 But if you warn the wicked to turn from their ways, and they do not turn from their ways, the wicked shall die in their iniquity, but you will have saved your life.

10 Now you, mortal, say to the house of Israel, Thus you have said: "Our transgressions and our sins weigh upon us, and we waste away because of them; how then can we live?" 11 Say to them, As I live, says the Lord God, I have no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but that the wicked turn from their ways and live; turn back, turn back from your evil ways; for why will you die, O house of Israel.

**Psalm 119:33-40** (Speak in unison)

33 Teach me, O LORD, the way of your statutes, & I will observe it to the end.

34 Give me understanding, that I may keep your law and observe it with my whole heart.

35 Lead me in the path of your commandments, for I delight in it.

36 Turn my heart to your decrees, and not to selfish gain.

37 Turn my eyes from looking at vanities; give me life in your ways.

38 Confirm to your servant your promise, which is for those who fear you.

39 Turn away the disgrace that I dread, for your ordinances are good.

40 See, I have longed for your precepts; in your righteousness give me life.

**Second Reading:** *Romans 13:8-14*

8 O we no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. 9 The commandments, "You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet"; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, "Love your neighbor as yourself." 10 Love does no wrong to a neighbor; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law.

11 Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; 12 the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armor of light; 13 let us live honorably as in the day, not in revealing and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarreling and jealousy. 14 Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

**Gospel Acclamation** *TFF 158 Hallelujah! We Sing Your Praises*

Hallelujah! We Sing Your Praises ; All our hearts are filled with gladness.

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**The Holy Gospel According to Matthew Chapter 18 verses 15-20**

**Glory to you, O Lord**

Jesus said to the disciples: 15 "If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. 16 But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. 17 If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. 18 Truly I tell you, whatever

you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. 19 Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. 20 For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.”

P: The Gospel of the Lord

**Praise to you, O Christ**

**Sermon** Pastor Kelly

**Hymn:** *TFF 153 Guide My Feet (v 1-3, 5)*

**Sharing of the Peace:** (*Distanced! Wave, air-hugs, bow with folded hands, blow kisses*) The Peace of Christ be with you always! **And also with you.**

**Offering Prayer**

We pray: **Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things. You have set before us these gifts of your good creation. Prepare us for your heavenly banquet, nourish us with this rich food and drink, and send us forth to set tables in the midst of a suffering world, through the bread of life, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

**Words on Institution for Thanksgiving of the Sacrament of Holy Communion**

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.

**The Lord's Prayer** (traditional)

**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.**

**Receiving the promise:** The body and blood of Christ given and shed for you. Eat the bread and wine. (Discard the package at your homes).

**Prayer After Holy Communion**

We pray: **We give you thanks, gracious God, that you have once again fed us with food beyond compare, the body and blood of Christ. Lead us from this place, nourished and forgiven, into your beloved vineyard to wipe away the tears of all who hunger and thirst, guided by the example of the same Jesus Christ and led by the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen**

**Blessing**

Mothering God, Father, ☩ Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you and lead you into the way of truth and life. **Amen.**

**Sending Song**

May God's peace be with you 'til we meet again (2x)

'Til we reach that distant shore, and we shed a tear no more,

May God give you strength to endure

'Til we meet again (2x)

**Dismissal:** L: Go in peace. Remember the poor. **Thanks be to God**