



# Christ the King Lutheran Church

Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity ~ September 15, 2024

Divine Service Setting 1, p. 151 ~ Pastor Rob Morris

**Welcome & Prelude**

*Meditation*

*Battison Haynes*

*Stand*

## Hymn of Invocation

### Entrust Your Days and Burdens

*LSB 754*



1 En - trust your days and bur - dens To God's most lov - ing  
2 Re - ly on God your Sav - ior And find your life se -  
3 Take heart, have hope, my spir - it, And do not be dis -  
4 Leave all to His di - rec - tion; His wis - dom rules for



hand; He cares for you while rul - ing The  
cure. Make His work your foun - da - tion That  
mayed; God helps in ev - 'ry tri - al And  
you In ways to rouse your won - der At



sky, the sea, the land. For He who guides the  
your work may en - dure. No anx - ious thought, no  
makes you un - a - fraid. A - wait His time with  
all His love can do. Soon He, His prom - ise



tem - pests A - long their thun - d'rous ways Will  
wor - ry, No self - tor - ment - ing care Can  
pa - tience Through dark - est hours of night Un -  
keep - ing, With won - der - work - ing pow'rs Will



find for you a path - way And guide you all your days.  
win your Fa - ther's fa - vor; His heart is moved by prayer.  
til the sun you hoped for De - lights your ea - ger sight.  
ban - ish from your spir - it What gave you trou - bled hours.

- 5 O blessèd heir of heaven,  
You'll hear the song resound  
Of endless jubilation  
When you with life are crowned.  
In your right hand your maker  
Will place the victor's palm,  
And you will thank Him gladly  
With heaven's joyful psalm.
- 6 Our hands and feet, Lord, strengthen;  
With joy our spirits bless  
Until we see the ending  
Of all our life's distress.  
And so throughout our lifetime  
Keep us within Your care  
And at our end then bring us  
To heav'n to praise You there.

Text: Paul Gerhardt, 1607-76; (sts. 1-5): tr. F. Samuel Janzow, 1913-2001, alt.; (st. 6): tr. Lutheran Service Book, 2006

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## Confession and Absolution

The sign of the cross ✠ may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

**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.

**C** **But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

*Kneel/Sit*

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

**P** Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

**C** Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. 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. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. 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** Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the  $\text{†}$  Son and of the Holy Spirit.

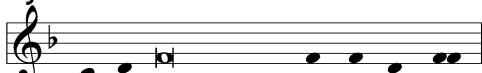
**C** Amen.

*Stand*

## Service of the Word

### Kyrie

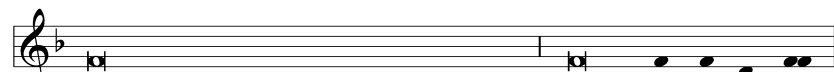
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**A** In peace let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.



**A** For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.



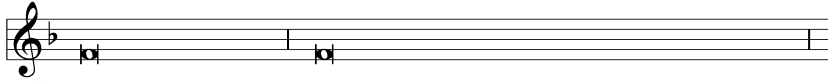
**A** For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,



and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.



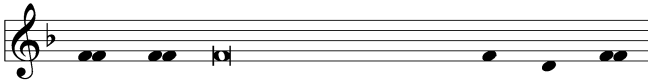
**A** For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise



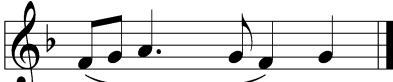
let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.



**A** Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord.



**C** A - men.

## Gloria in Excelsis

*Luke 2:14; John 1:29*



**A** Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His peo - ple on earth.



**C** Lord God, heav-en-ly king, al-might-y God and Fa - ther:



We wor-ship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glo-ry.



Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God:



You take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.



You are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther; re-ceive our prayer.



For You a-lone are the Ho-ly One, You a-lone are the Lord,



You a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it,



in the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A - men.

### Salutation and Collect of the Day



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And al - so with you.

**P** Let us pray

**C** O Lord, we pray that Your grace may always go before and follow after us, that we may continually be given to all good works; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

## Old Testament

*1 Kings 17:17–24*

<sup>17</sup>After this the son of the woman, the mistress of the house, became ill. And his illness was so severe that there was no breath left in him. <sup>18</sup>And she said to Elijah, “What have you against me, O man of God? You have come to me to bring my sin to remembrance and to cause the death of my son!” <sup>19</sup>And he said to her, “Give me your son.” And he took him from her arms and carried him up into the upper chamber where he lodged, and laid him on his own bed. <sup>20</sup>And he cried to the LORD, “O LORD my God, have you brought calamity even upon the widow with whom I sojourn, by killing her son?” <sup>21</sup>Then he stretched himself upon the child three times and cried to the LORD, “O LORD my God, let this child’s life come into him again.” <sup>22</sup>And the LORD listened to the voice of Elijah. And the life of the child came into him again, and he revived. <sup>23</sup>And Elijah took the child and brought him down from the upper chamber into the house and delivered him to his mother. And Elijah said, “See, your son lives.” <sup>24</sup>And the woman said to Elijah, “Now I know that you are a man of God, and that the word of the LORD in your mouth is truth.”

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

Choral Anthem

*Canticle of Hope*

*Hallquist*

Psalm

*Psalm 30*

**<sup>1</sup>I will extol you, O LORD, for you have drawn me up  
and have not let my foes rejoice over me.**

**<sup>2</sup>O LORD my God, I cried to you for help,  
and you have healed me.**

**<sup>3</sup>O LORD, you have brought up my soul from Sheol;  
you restored me to life from among those who go down to the pit.**

**<sup>4</sup>Sing praises to the LORD, O you his saints,  
and give thanks to his holy name.**

**<sup>5</sup>For his anger is but for a moment,  
and his favor is for a lifetime.**

**Weeping may tarry for the night,  
but joy comes with the morning.**

**<sup>6</sup>As for me, I said in my prosperity,  
“I shall never be moved.”**

**<sup>7</sup>By your favor, O LORD,  
you made my mountain stand strong;  
you hid your face;  
I was dismayed.**

<sup>8</sup>To you, O LORD, I cry,  
and to the Lord I plead for mercy:

<sup>9</sup>“What profit is there in my death,  
if I go down to the pit?

Will the dust praise you?

Will it tell of your faithfulness?

<sup>10</sup>Hear, O LORD, and be merciful to me!

O LORD, be my helper!”

<sup>11</sup>You have turned for me my mourning into dancing;

you have loosed my sackcloth

and clothed me with gladness,

<sup>12</sup>that my glory may sing your praise and not be silent.

O LORD my God, I will give thanks to you forever!

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit as it was  
in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

## Epistle

*Ephesians 3:13–21*

<sup>13</sup>So I ask you not to lose heart over what I am suffering for you, which  
is your glory.

<sup>14</sup>For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, <sup>15</sup>from whom every  
family in heaven and on earth is named, <sup>16</sup>that according to the riches of  
his glory he may grant you to be strengthened with power through his  
Spirit in your inner being, <sup>17</sup>so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through  
faith—that you, being rooted and grounded in love, <sup>18</sup>may have strength to  
comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height  
and depth, <sup>19</sup>and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that  
you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

<sup>20</sup>Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask  
or think, according to the power at work within us, <sup>21</sup>to him be glory in the  
church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever.  
Amen.


**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

*Stand*

## Alleluia and Verse

John 6:68



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.

## Holy Gospel

Luke 7:11–17

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the seventh chapter.



**C** Glo - ry to You, O Lord.

<sup>11</sup>Soon afterward [Jesus] went to a town called Nain, and his disciples and a great crowd went with him. <sup>12</sup>As he drew near to the gate of the town, behold, a man who had died was being carried out, the only son of his mother, and she was a widow, and a considerable crowd from the town was with her. <sup>13</sup>And when the Lord saw her, he had compassion on her and said to her, “Do not weep.” <sup>14</sup>Then he came up and touched the bier, and the bearers stood still. And he said, “Young man, I say to you, arise.” <sup>15</sup>And the dead man sat up and began to speak, and Jesus gave him to his mother. <sup>16</sup>Fear seized them all, and they glorified God, saying, “A great prophet has arisen among us!” and “God has visited his people!” <sup>17</sup>And this report about him spread through the whole of Judea and all the surrounding country.

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



**C** Praise to You, O Christ.

*Sit*

## Conversation with the Children



# Hymn of the Day

## Be Still, My Soul

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1 Be still, my soul; the Lord is on your side; Bear pa-tient-  
2 Be still, my soul; your God will un-der-take To guide the  
3 Be still, my soul; though dear-est friends de-part And all is  
4 Be still, my soul; the hour is has-t'ning on When we shall



ly the cross of grief or pain; Leave to your God to or-der  
fu-ture as He has the past. Your hope, your con-fi-dence let  
dark-ened in this vale of tears; Then you will bet-ter know His  
be-for-ev-er with the Lord, When dis-ap-point-ment, grief, and



and pro-vide; In ev-'ry change He faith-ful will re-  
noth-ing shake; All now mys-te-rious shall be bright at  
love, His heart, Who comes to soothe your sor-rows and your  
fear are gone, Sor-row for-got, love's pur-est joys re-



main. Be still, my soul; your best, your heav'n-ly Friend  
last. Be still, my soul; the waves and winds still know  
fears. Be still, my soul; your Je-sus can re-pay  
stored. Be still, my soul; when change and tears are past,



Through thorn-y ways leads to a joy-ful end.  
His voice who ruled them while He dwelt be-low.  
From His own full-ness all He takes a-way.  
All safe and bless-ed we shall meet at last.

Text: Catharina Amalia Dorothea von Schlegel, 1697-1752; tr. Jane L. Borthwick, 1813-97, alt.

Tune: Jean Sibelius, 1865-1957, adapt.

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## Sermon

*Stand*

## Nicene Creed

**☩** I believe in one God,  
the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth  
and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the only-begotten Son of God,  
begotten of His Father before all worlds,  
God of God, Light of Light,  
very God of very God,  
begotten, not made,  
being of one substance with the Father,  
by whom all things were made;  
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven  
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary  
and was made man;  
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.  
He suffered and was buried.  
And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures  
and ascended into heaven  
and sits at the right hand of the Father.  
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and  
the dead,  
whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord and giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and  
glorified,  
who spoke by the prophets.  
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,  
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,  
and I look for the resurrection of the dead  
and the life  $\text{✝}$  of the world to come. Amen.

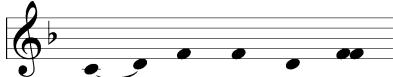
## Prayer of the Church

*Following the prayers, the people may greet one another in the name of the Lord, saying, "Peace be with you," as a sign of reconciliation and of the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace (Matt. 5:22–24; Eph. 4:1–3).*

# Service of the Sacrament

## Preface


*2 Timothy 4:22; LSB 160*



**P** The Lord be with you.



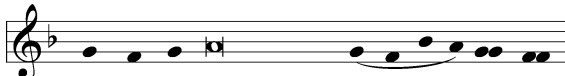
**C** And al - so with you.



**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 Him thanks and praise.

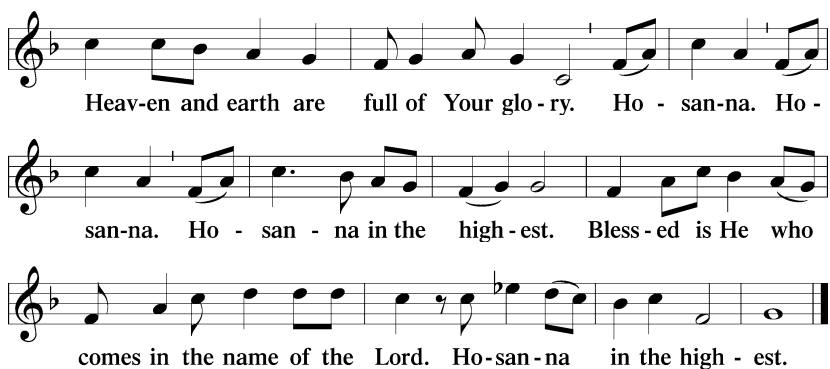
**P** It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who, out of love for His fallen creation, humbled Himself by taking on the form of a servant, becoming obedient unto death, even death upon a cross. Risen from the dead, He has freed us from eternal death and given us life everlasting. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

## Sanctus

*Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9*



**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might:



Heav-en and earth are full of Your glo-ry. Ho - san-na. Ho -  
 san-na. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He who  
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

## Prayer of Thanksgiving

**P** Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross.

Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

## Lord's Prayer

*Matthew 6:9-13*

**P** Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

**C** **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.**

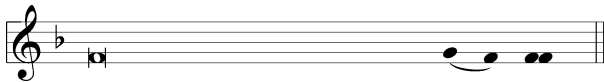
### The Words of Our Lord

**P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My  $\text{✠}$  body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My  $\text{✠}$  blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

### Pax Domini

*John 20:19*



**P** The peace of the Lord be with you al - ways.



**C** A - men.

### Agnus Dei

*John 1:29*



**C** Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the world; have



mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the



world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the



sin of the world; grant us peace.

Sit

## Distribution Instructions

*\*Gluten-free and alcohol-free options available in the center of each serving tray: please indicate to pastor if you need one of these.*

Stand

## Nunc Dimittis

Luke 2:29–32



**C** Lord, now You let Your ser-vant go in peace; Your word has been ful-



filled. My own eyes have seen the sal - va - tion which You have pre -



pared in the sight of ev - 'ry peo - ple: A light to re -



veal You to the na - tions and the glo - ry of Your peo - ple Is - ra - el.



Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Spir - it;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and will be for - ev - er. A - men.

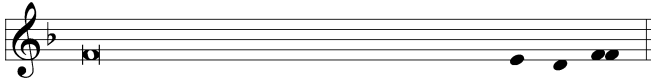
## Post-Communion Collect

**P** Let us pray.

**C** O God the Father, the fountain and source of all goodness, who in loving-kindness sent Your only-begotten Son into the flesh, we thank You that for His sake You have given us pardon and peace in this Sacrament, and we ask You not to forsake Your children but always to rule our hearts and minds by Your Holy Spirit that we may be enabled constantly to serve You; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

# Benediction

Numbers 6:24-26



**P** The Lord bless you and keep you.  
 The Lord make His face shine on you  
 and be gracious to you.  
 The Lord look upon you with favor and  $\text{✠}$  give you peace.



**C** A - men.

# Hymn to Depart

## If God Himself Be for Me

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1 If God Him - self be for me, I may a host de - fy;  
 2 I build on this foun - da - tion, That Je - sus and His blood  
 8 No dan - ger, thirst, or hun - ger, No pain or pov - er - ty,  
 9 No an - gel and no glad - ness, No throne, no pomp, no show,  
 10 My heart with joy is spring - ing; I am no long - er sad.



For when I pray, be - fore me My foes, con - found - ed, fly.  
 A - lone are my sal - va - tion, My true, e - ter - nal good.  
 No earth - ly ty - rant's an - ger Shall ev - er van - quish me.  
 No love, no hate, no sad - ness, No pain, no depth of woe,  
 My soul is filled with sing - ing; Your sun - shine makes me glad.



If Christ, my head and mas - ter, Be - friend me from a - bove,  
 With - out Him all that pleas - es Is val - ue - less on earth;  
 Though earth should break a - sun - der, My for - tress You shall be;  
 No schem - ing, no con - triv - ance, No sub - tle thing or great  
 The sun that cheers my spir - it Is Je - sus Christ, my King;



What foe or what dis - as - ter Can drive me from His love?  
 The gifts I have from Je - sus A - lone have price - less worth.  
 No fire or sword or thun - der Shall sev - er You from me.  
 Shall draw me from Your guid - ance Nor from You sep - a - rate.  
 The heav'n I shall in - her - it Makes me re - joice and sing.

Text: Paul Gerhardt, 1607-76; (sts. 1, 10); tr. Evangelical Lutheran Hymn-Book, 1907, Pittsburgh, alt.; (sts. 2, 8-9); tr. Richard Massie, 1800-87, alt. Tune: Vierundzwanzig geistliche Lieder, 1609, Augsburg Text and tune: Public domain

# Postlude

Verset

Boëllmann

## Welcome Card

*Please fill in the little bulletin insert with your name & up-to-date information and leave in the offering plate on your way out. Thank you.*

*- If you are a guest, welcome. We would be happy to follow-up with you if desired, simply indicate this on the card.*

## Flower Donations

*To sponsor altar flowers, please visit the sign-up board in the Narthex next to the doorway facing the Fellowship Hall.*

## Prayer Email

*To receive our weekly prayer email, members are invited to sign up via the church website or through the office. Thank you for being a church community that actively prays for one another!*

## Today's Volunteers & Worship Staff

September 15, 2024	
<b>Reader:</b>	Rob Balancia
<b>Communion Assistants:</b>	Jim Bradshaw, Jason Miller
<b>Acolyte:</b>	Abby Valigorsky
<b>Chancel:</b>	Christy Saffi
<b>Communion Preparation:</b>	Carolyn Mandarano, Sandy Wallace
<b>Coffee Hour Hosts:</b>	Tiffany Hope, Danielle Pollock
<b>Organist/Director of Music:</b>	Bev Thompson
<b>Guitar:</b>	Peter Obre
<b>Trumpet:</b>	Gary Gollenberg

## Today's Flowers

*Altar flowers are given today by Anita Harris to the glory of God and in celebration of the birthday of her sister, Michele Martin.*

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