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What sort of man is this, that even the winds and the sea obey him?

SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

10 PENTECOST

AUGUST 2, 2026 ✂ 9:30 AM

**PREACHING TODAY:
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MUSIC FOR GATHERING

Fugue in D major from Well-Tempered Clavier

J.S. Bach

You Satisfy the Hungry Heart - Daniel Kane

Barbara Hoffman, piano

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Open Our Eyes, Lord - Bob Cull

Patti Faux, piano Laura Faux, flute

*** CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

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

C **Amen.**

P Let us confess our sin to God.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P God of love,

C **you have chosen us as your beloved children. Yet we confess that we do not always wear the love you have given us. We choose impatience over kindness. We seek our own way instead of humility. We allow fear to replace peace. We struggle to forgive ourselves and one another. Forgive us. Clothe us again with your grace, that we may reflect Christ's love in the world. Amen.**

P Hear the good news! God has chosen you. In Jesus Christ your sins are forgiven. You are clothed in compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, patience, and above all, love. Go in peace to wear the love God has first given you.

C **Amen.**

*** GATHERING HYMN**

Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness - ELW # 843

* GREETING

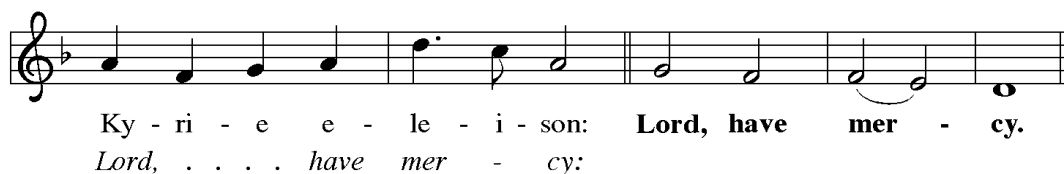
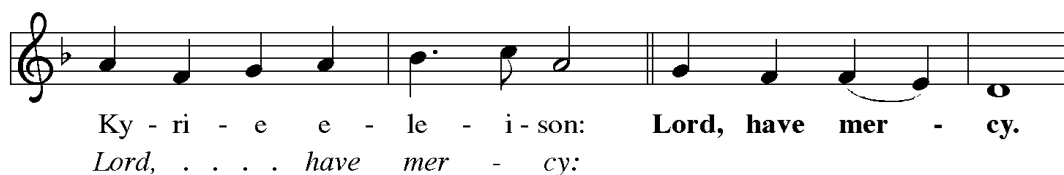
P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C **And also with you.**

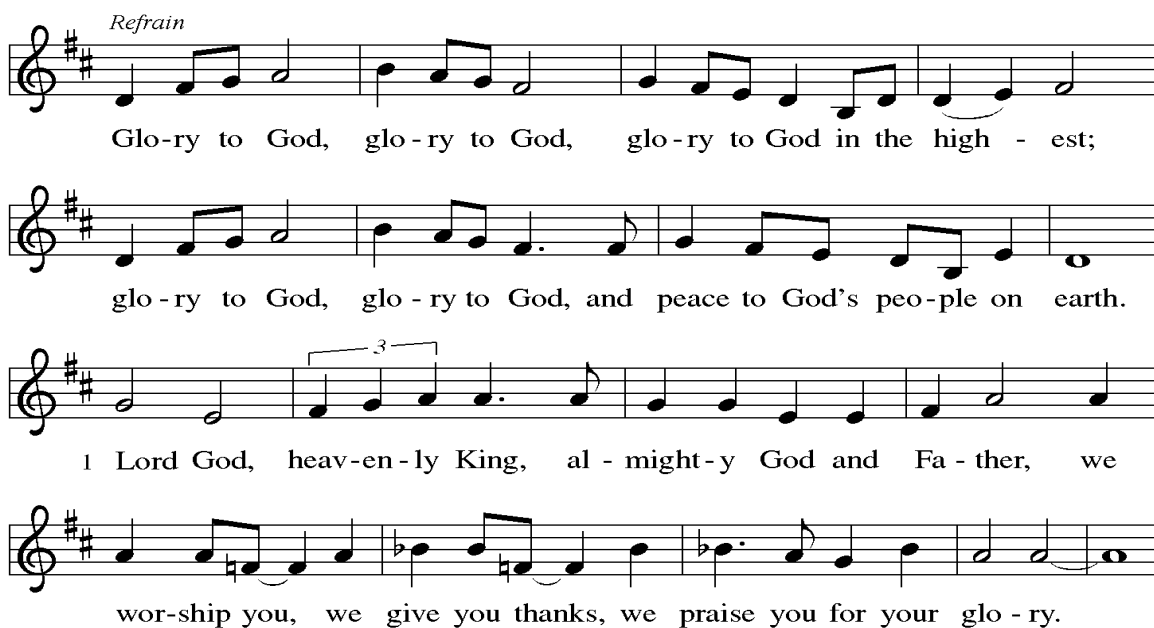
* KYRIE

Lord, Have Mercy

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* HYMN OF PRAISE



Refrain

Glo-ry to God, glo-ry to God, glo-ry to God in the high - est;
 glo-ry to God, glo - ry to God, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth.
 2 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.

Refrain

Glo-ry to God, glo-ry to God, glo-ry to God in the high - est;
 glo-ry to God, glo - ry to God, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth.
 3 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.



* PRAYER OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Loving God, you have clothed us with your grace and called us your own. Teach us to wear compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience. Above all, help us wear love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. Strengthen us through your Spirit so that your love may be seen in our words, our actions, and our lives; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C **Amen.**

FIRST READING: Genesis 45:1-10

¹Then Joseph could no longer control himself before all those who stood by him, and he cried out, “Send everyone away from me.” So no one stayed with him when Joseph made himself known to his brothers. ² And he wept so loudly that the Egyptians heard it, and the household of Pharaoh heard it. ³ Joseph said to his brothers, “I am Joseph. Is my father still alive?” But his brothers could not answer him, so dismayed were they at his presence.

⁴ Then Joseph said to his brothers, “Come closer to me.” And they came closer. He said, “I am your brother, Joseph, whom you sold into Egypt. ⁵ And now do not be distressed or angry with yourselves because you sold me here, for God sent me before you to preserve life. ⁶ For the famine has been in the land these two years, and there are five more years in which there will be neither plowing nor harvest. ⁷ God sent me before you to preserve for you a remnant on earth and to keep alive for you many survivors. ⁸ So it was not you who sent me here but God; he has made me a father to Pharaoh and lord of all his house and ruler over all the land of Egypt. ⁹ Hurry and go up to my father and say to him, ‘Thus says your son Joseph, God has made me lord of all Egypt; come down to me; do not delay.

¹⁰ You shall settle in the land of Goshen, and you shall be near me, you and your children and your children's children, as well as your flocks, your herds, and all that you have.

L The Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

SECOND READING: Colossians 3:12-14

¹² Therefore, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. ¹³ Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. ¹⁴ Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony.

L The Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

* GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia

WOV p. 31

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? Al - le -

lu - ia. You have the words of e - ter - nal life.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

*** THE HOLY GOSPEL: Matthew 8:23-27**

P The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, the eight chapter:

C **Glory to you, O Lord.**

²³ And when he got into the boat, his disciples followed him. ²⁴ A windstorm suddenly arose on the sea, so great that the boat was being swamped by the waves, but he was asleep. ²⁵ And they went and woke him up, saying, "Lord, save us! We are perishing!" ²⁶ And he said to them, "Why are you afraid, you of little faith?" Then he got up and rebuked the winds and the sea, and there was a dead calm. ²⁷ They were amazed, saying, "What sort of man is this, that even the winds and the sea obey him?"

P The Gospel of our Lord.

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

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Charlene Rineer

SERMON

The Rev. Katy Moran

*** HYMN OF THE DAY**

Break Now the Bread of Life - ELW # 515

*** THE APOSTLE'S CREED**

P Living together in trust and hope with believers around the world, we confess our common faith:

C **I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*** PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

A In Christ Jesus we meet the God who knows our weakness and bears the wounds of the world. Therefore, let us be bold as we pray, trusting that God draws near to those in any kind of need.

A brief silence.

P God of kindness, through Elijah and the widow, we learn about your love. Show us how to wear love through kindness today and always. Lord in your mercy,

C Hear our prayer.

A God of humbleness, Jesus washed the feet of his friends. Show us how to wear love through humbleness today and always. Lord in your mercy,

C Hear our prayer.

P God of calmness, through the story of Jesus in the boat during the storm, we learn that you bring calmness. Show us how to wear love through calmness today and always. Lord in your mercy,

C Hear our prayer.

A God of forgiveness, through the story of Joseph forgiving his brothers, we learn about your forgiveness. Show us how to wear love through forgiveness today and always. Lord in your mercy,

C Hear our prayer.

P God, you created us to be one with your creation. We pray for everyone who attended day camp this year, all who volunteered to make it a great week, and our counselors who taught us about your love. We pray that we may all show the world that we are clothed with your love and grace. Lord in your mercy,

C Hear our prayer.

P God, you create us to be so many different things. Most of all, you created us to be loved. May we know your love every moment of every day, and may we show your love to the world.

C Amen.

* SHARING OF THE PEACE

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

(Worshippers are encouraged to share the greeting "Peace be with you" with one another.)

OFFERTORY INTERLUDE

Barbara Hoffman, piano

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* DOXOLOGY

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A musical score for a doxology, consisting of six staves of music in G major (one sharp). The lyrics are written below the notes. The music is in a simple, hymn-like style with a clear melody and accompaniment.

Let the vine-yards be fruit - ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of
bless - ing. Gath - er a har - vest from the seeds that were sown,
that we may be fed with the bread of life.
Gath-er the hopes and dreams of all; u - nite them with the prayers we
of - fer now. Grace our ta - ble with your pres - ence, Lord,
and give us a fore - taste of the feast to come.

* OFFERTORY PRAYER

- A Loving God,
we offer at your table the gifts of our hearts. Help us take heart in you and share freely of your love, so that all creation can taste your abundance. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit abiding with us now and forever.
- 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, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ; who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

* SANCTUS

Holy, Holy, Holy

WOV p. 36

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and
might, heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry.
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. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

- P Jesus was always the guest. In the homes of Peter and Jairus, Martha and Mary, Joanna and Susanna, he was always the guest. At the meal tables of the wealthy where he pled the case of the poor, he was always the guest. Upsetting polite company, befriending isolated people, welcoming the stranger, he was always the guest.
- P But here, at this table, he is the host. Those who wish to serve him must first be served by him. Those who want to follow him must first be fed by him. For this is the table where God intends us to be nourished. This is the table where we who are broken are made whole. So, come, you who hunger and thirst for a deeper faith, for a better life, for a fairer world. Jesus Christ, who has sat at our tables, now invites us to be guests at his.
- P 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.
- P 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.
- P So now we do as Jesus did. We take this bread and wine, the produce of the earth and fruit of human labor. In these, Jesus has promised to be present; through these, Christ can make us whole. We ask, merciful God, that you send, in kindness, your Holy Spirit to settle on this bread and wine and fill them with the fullness of Jesus. Let that same Spirit rest on us, call us from the folly of this world, until in wisdom, we conform to the shape of him whose food we now share.
- P All this we ask through your son, Jesus Christ. By him, with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, All honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever.
- C **Amen.**

* THE LORD'S PRAYER

P Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us saying:

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.**

* INVITATION TO COMMUNION

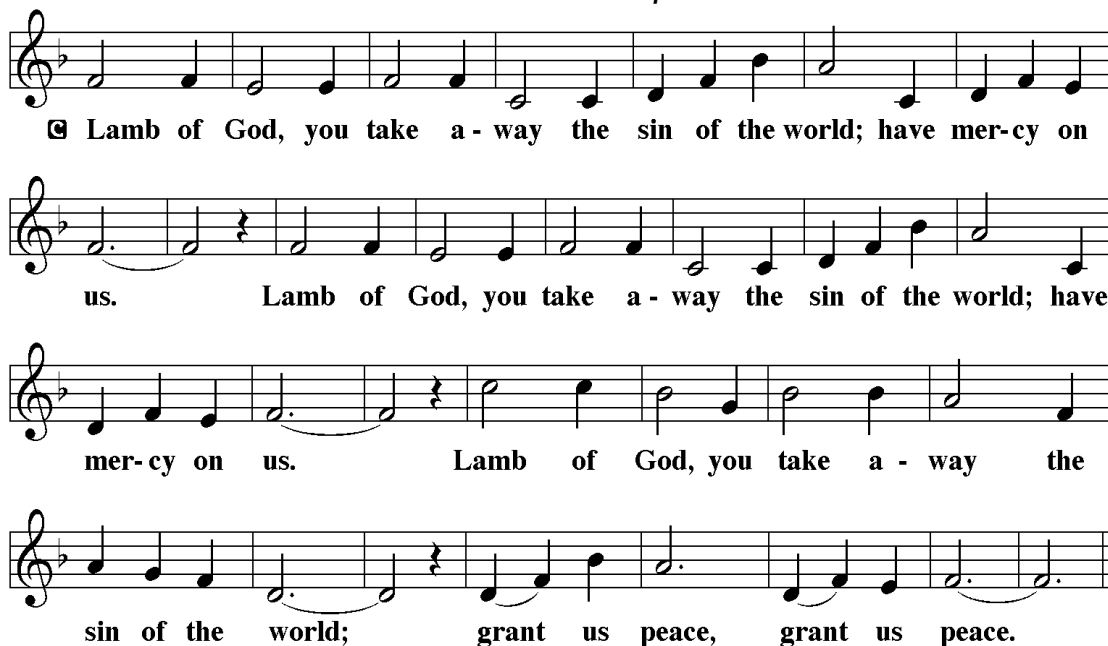
P Heaven has come near. Come, share in the feast!

C **Thanks be to God.**

AGNUS DEI

Lamb of God

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☞ 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, grant us peace.

COMMUNION ANTHEM

Eat This Bread, Drink This Cup - Jeremy Young
Patti Faux, piano Laura Faux, flute

COMMUNION HYMN

You Satisfy the Hungry Heart - ELW # 484

*** POST COMMUNION BLESSING**

P May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C **Amen.**

*** SENDING OF COMMUNION**

P Gracious God, you took the form of a servant, offering yourself as food, comfort, and strength to a sick and hurting world. Anoint with a servant heart those who take your word and sacrament to our siblings in their homes and in hospitals. Grant grace, mercy, healing, and hope to those who feast on your body and blood and receive your words of new life. May we all recognize that we have a place and a home in the body of our Lord Jesus Christ.

C **Amen.**

*** POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

A Compassionate God,
through the gifts of bread and wine our hearts are filled with the abundance of your love. Strengthen us that we, through this holy meal, may share your love freely, as you have shared with us. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit nourishing us now and forever.

C **Amen.**

*** BENEDICTION**

P As God draws us together, let us celebrate the wardrobe God gives us.

C **God has given us hands to be kind. And feet to walk humbly.**

P When life is not what we expected...

C **God invites us to pause and breathe.**

P When we make mistakes and hurt one another...

C **God releases us and embraces us in forgiveness and love. Let love be our all-purpose garment! AMEN!**

*** SENDING HYMN**

Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ - ELW # 674

*** DISMISSAL**

P Go in peace. Wear God's love!

C **Thanks be to God!**

*** POSTLUDE**

Toccata in F major - Dietrich Buxtehude

Barbara Hoffman, piano

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THANKS to Barbara Hoffman for serving as today's worship pianist.

August 2 - 9, 2026

Sunday, Aug. 2 10 Pentecost Pastor Katy preaching	9:30am Holy Communion Kunkel Scholarships awarded
Monday, Aug. 3	7:00pm –8:00pm Al-Anon-YR
Tuesday, Aug. 4	2:00pm –4:00pm Transitions - LCH
Wednesday, Aug. 5	9:00am Holy Sew 'N' Sews-LCH 6:00pm Spiritual Growth 6:00pm Theology on Tap - Rusty Rail
Thursday, Aug. 6	6:30pm Worship & Music Committee
Friday, Aug. 7	2:00pm –5:00pm CELC helps at summer youth lunch program - United Pentecostal Church
Saturday, Aug. 8	
Sunday, Aug. 9 11 Pentecost Tom Booth preaching WC Maynard Roush	9:30am Holy Communion Kunkel Scholarships awarded 1:00pm –4:00pm SVSWG - LCH/Room 202

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