

We are thankful to God that you are here to worship with us this morning. Your presence with us is a gift from the Lord! May He bless our worship.

CHURCH FOR THE YOUNG CHILD

We rejoice in Christ's invitation: "Let the little children come to me and forbid them not." Our goal is to help parents teach their children how to sit and worship with their family. Infants and young children are always welcome in our worship service, and their occasional unexpected voices simply add "happy sounds" to our praise of God. If a child is making enough noise to interfere with other people's worship, we ask that you walk them out of the main sanctuary, wait for them to quiet down and then return to the sanctuary with them. It is important to show kids that making noise doesn't get them out of church. You may feel awkward leaving a couple of times during the service, but we understand. You may find it helpful to sit in the back, near the doors to make the process a little easier.

Announcements



Invocation

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

- C Amen.
- **P** If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
- **G** But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

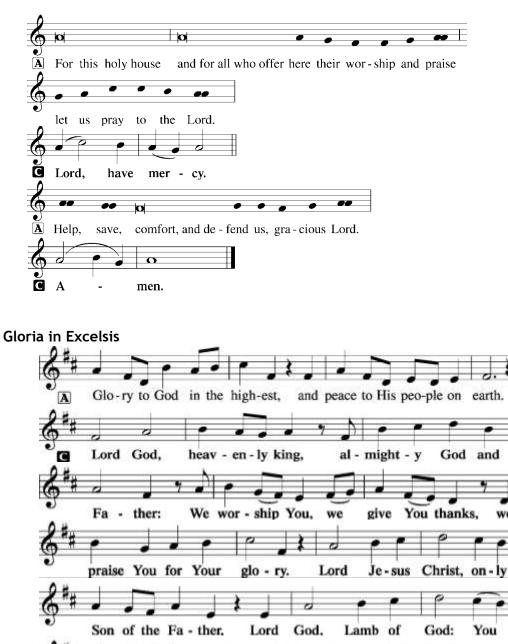
Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

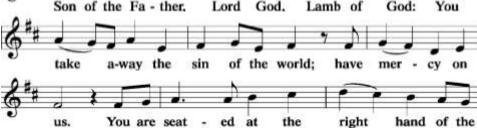
Confession and Absolution

- Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.
- 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.
- 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 declare unto you the forgiveness of all of your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

Service of the Word









Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

- **C** And also with you.
- Let us pray, Almighty and most merciful God, the protector of all who trust in You, strengthen our faith and give us courage to believe that in Your love You will rescue us from all adversities; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Sit Old Testament Reading

²²As they were making their hearts merry, behold, the men of the city, worthless fellows, surrounded the house, beating on the door. And they said to the old man, the master of the house, "Bring out the man who came into your house, that we may know him." ²³And the man, the master of the house, went out to them and said to them, "No, my brothers, do not act so wickedly; since this man has come into my house, do not do this vile thing. ²⁴Behold, here are my virgin daughter and his concubine. Let me bring them out now. Violate them and do with them what seems good to you, but against this man do not do this outrageous thing." ²⁵But the men would not listen to him. So the man seized his concubine and made her go out to them. And they knew her and abused her all night until the morning. And as the dawn began to break, they let her go. ²⁶And as morning appeared, the woman came and fell down at the door of the man's house where her master was, until it was light.

²⁷And her master rose up in the morning, and when he opened the doors of the house and went out to go on his way, behold, there was his concubine lying at the door of the house, with her hands on the threshold. ²⁸He said to her, "Get up, let us be going." But there was no answer. Then he put her on the donkey, and the man rose up and went away to his home. ²⁹And when he entered his house, he took a knife, and taking hold of his concubine he divided her, limb by limb, into twelve pieces, and sent her throughout all the territory of Israel.

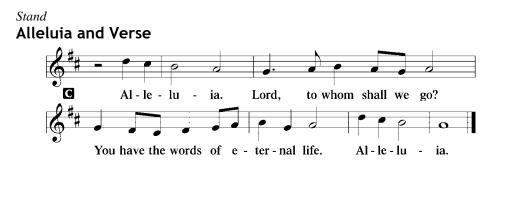
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- Thanks be to God.

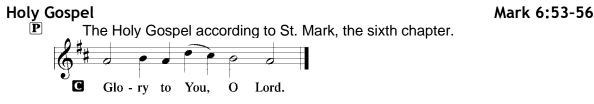
Second Old Testament Reading

1 Samuel 9:1-2

¹There was a man of Benjamin whose name was Kish, the son of Abiel, son of Zeror, son of Becorath, son of Aphiah, a Benjaminite, a man of wealth. ²And he had a son whose name was Saul, a handsome young man. There was not a man among the people of Israel more handsome than he. From his shoulders upward he was taller than any of the people.

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.





⁵³When they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennesaret and moored to the shore. ⁵⁴And when they got out of the boat, the people immediately recognized him ⁵⁵and ran about the whole region and began to bring the sick people on their beds to wherever they heard he was. ⁵⁶And wherever he came, in villages, cities, or countryside, they laid the sick in the marketplaces and implored him that they might touch even the fringe of his garment. And as many as touched it were made well.

A This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Sit Children's Message Hymn of Day

Amazing Grace

LSB 744



Sermon

Stand

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His 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 hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

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



Prayer of the Church Battling Cancer

Ted Paulet (friend of Barbara Manske) Sara Gschwendtner (niece of Gale Paul) Lee DeLeary (brother of Eric Peters) Tiara Bland (friend of Pak Family) Kathy Durocher (friend of Marilyn Schubert) Lisa Ciampa (friend of Tom and Helga Butz) Claire Fu (preschool family) Fred Martinez (friend of Julie Giron) Al Nelson John Otten (student of Renee Ortiz) Betty Bordeaux (former preschool director) Pat Unger (sister-in-law of Leigh Ann Unger) Tracy Bremmer (friend of Anderson family)

Strength and Healing

Arlene Tom (mother of J Tom) Noel Hill (preschool family) Ted Pawloski (preschool family) Jane Kum (gr-mother of Jeremy Tom) Simon Rosenau (gr-nephew of G Rosenau) Alma Rich (mother of Leigh Ann Unger) Shirley Vogel Marilyn Schubert Eva Albes (preschool family) Shadman Shaker (son of Niloo Rad) Deborah Floor (sister of Pastor Rosenau) Judy Rainey (sister of Nancy Shurtleff) Monique Giron (sister-in-law of the Giron Family) Barbara Manske **Rita Schaus** Renate Kuntz Matt Dixson (cousin of Michele Olson) Alana Sambhwani (preschool family) Jordyn Said (preschooler) Rex Klopfer (friend of Girons)

Military

Mateo Casas (cousin of Steve Giron) Michael Lamb (cousin of Eric Peters) Alexandra Crosswait (family of Rosenaus) Anthony Munoz (family of Andra Butz)

First Responders

For all first responders

Marla Lichtsinn (friend of Tom Butz) Paul Massmann Ken Howe (neighbor of Sciarani's) Brandon Gekeian (relative of Irene Iverson) Bart Jessen (uncle of Barb Pak) Helen Edler (mother of Lauren Couch) David Ambler (brother of Jan Massmann) Lindsey Schubert Joe Casey (friend of Paul family) Lorrie Blain (friend of Michèle Jensen) Bob Woolford (friend of Rob and Jo Bella) Kate Barnes (mother of Nathan Barnes) Susan O'Hare (friend of the Voelz)

Kris Cosain (cousin of Marco Adame) Janet Brewer (friend of Paul Massmann) Dan Armstrong (friend of Marlene Eich) Nancy Nash (mother of Julie Giron) Dorothy Schmidt (mother of Debbie Wienert) Ed Wathen (family friend of Girons) Ellen Waterstadt (family of Paul Massmann) Jerry Wednt (friend of Tom Butz) Pastor Graeme Rosenau Mark Shurtleff Michael Beltran (family friend of Adames) Melissa Thomure (sister of Andria Butz) Jane Johnson (sister of Ruth Rosenau) Jeff Pierini (cousin of Kandie Schmehr) Laura Malone (friend of Julie Giron) Courtney Hensman (gr-daughter of Marilyn Byrne) Rohry Mangan (friend of Michèle Jensen) Samantha Baron (friend of Michèle Jensen) Liam Brutocao (great nephew of Renee Ortiz)

Matt Grobelch (cousin of Michael Grobelch) Rob Bryant (Preschool Family) Gregory Spaulding (nephew of Stellings) Tyler Olson

Pregnancy

Kellie Puls Jenn Karges Kanae Wilson *(niece of the Girons)*

Blessings

Birth of Ingrid Elizabeth Schubert (daughter of Clay and Sarah Schubert)

Grieving

Friends and family of Robert Lingenfelter

Persecuted Church

All those suffering persecutions for their faith in Jesus Christ

Mental Health

All those struggling with mental health issues

Mission Field

Light of Christ Preschool Ministry and Missionary-Teachers

Relief and Mission Organizations We Support

Lutheran World Relief; O.C. Rescue Mission; Jesus Love Lutheran Church; Pacific Southwest District; Kobon Ministry; Lutheran Social Services, Salvation Army

Stand

Pastor: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people, according to their needs.

After each portion of the prayers:

Pastor: Lord, in your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

The prayers conclude:

- Pastor: Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.
- People: Amen.

Lord's Prayer

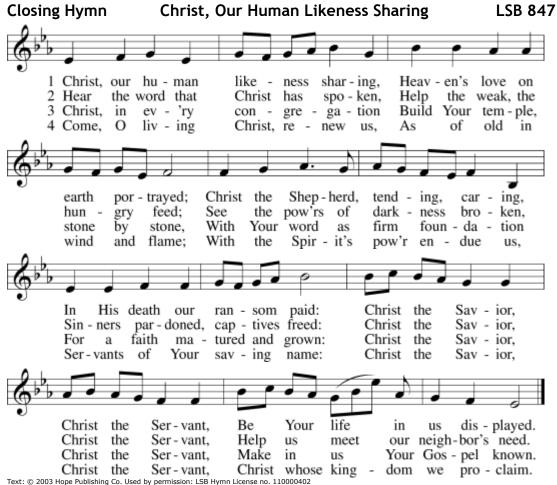
C Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen

Benediction

Pastor: 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 give you peace.

People: Amen



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The Sending

Pastor: Go in peace. Serve the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

Participants in Today's Service

Acolyte: Jonah Anderson Lector: Kirk Butz Children's Message: Katie Gwaltney

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