

# Sunday, October 24, 2021

## Twenty-Second Sunday After Pentecost

### LITURGY OF HOLY COMMUNION WORSHIP WHERE YOU ARE



P In the name of the Father, and of the ☩ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.  
C Amen.

#### BRIEF ORDER OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God,  
whose teaching is life,  
whose presence is sure,  
and whose love is endless.

C Amen.

P Let us confess our sins to the one who welcomes us with an open heart.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

P God our comforter:

C Like lost sheep, we have gone astray.  
We gaze upon abundance and see scarcity.  
We turn our faces away from injustice and oppression.  
We exploit the earth with our apathy and greed.  
Free us from our sin, gracious God.  
Listen when we call out to you for help.  
Lead us by your love to love our neighbors as ourselves.  
Amen.

P All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.  
By the gift of grace in ☩ Christ Jesus, God makes you righteous.  
Receive with glad hearts the forgiveness of all your sins.

C Amen.

Presiding:	Pastor Tom Struck
Music Director:	Tim Ditch
Lay Assistant:	Doug Birkeland
Cantor:	Paul Gonzales
Tech Assistant:	Jonathan Stolling

## GATHERING HYMN

### God Has Chosen Me



1. God has cho - sen me,      God has cho - sen me      to  
2. God has cho - sen me,      God has cho - sen me      to  
3. God is call - ing me,      God is call - ing me      in



bring good news to the poor.      God has cho - sen me,      God has  
set a - light a new fire.      God has cho - sen me,      God has  
all whose cry is un - heard.      God is call - ing me,      God is



cho-sen me to bring new sight to those search-ing for light;  
cho-sen me to bring to birth a new king-dom on earth:  
call-ing me to raise up the voice with no pow - er or choice:



God has cho-sen me,      cho-sen me:  
God has cho-sen me,      cho-sen me:      And to tell the world that God's  
God is call-ing me,      call-ing me:



king-dom is near, to re-move op-pres-sion and break down fear, yes God's



time is near, God's time is near, God's time is near, God's time is near.

## APOSTOLIC 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.**

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

**P** Let us pray

*A brief silence is kept before the prayer.*

**P** Eternal light, shine in our hearts. Eternal wisdom, scatter the darkness of our ignorance. Eternal compassion, have mercy on us. Turn us to seek your face, and enable us to reflect your goodness, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C** **Amen.**

## A READING FROM JEREMIAH, THE 31st CHAPTER

Jeremiah 31:7-9

<sup>7</sup>Thus says the Lord:

Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob,  
and raise shouts for the chief of the nations;  
proclaim, give praise, and say,  
“Save, O Lord, your people,  
the remnant of Israel.”

<sup>8</sup>See, I am going to bring them from the land of the north,  
and gather them from the farthest parts of the earth,  
among them the blind and the lame,  
those with child and those in labor, together;  
a great company, they shall return here.

<sup>9</sup>With weeping they shall come,  
and with consolations I will lead them back,  
I will let them walk by brooks of water,  
in a straight path in which they shall not stumble;  
for I have become a father to Israel,  
and Ephraim is my firstborn.

A Word of God. Word of Life.

C **Thanks be to God.**

## PSALM 126

<sup>1</sup>When the Lord restored the fortunes of Zion,  
then were we like those who dream.

<sup>2</sup>**Then was our mouth filled with laughter, and our tongue with shouts of joy.  
Then they said among the nations, “The Lord has done great things for them.”**

<sup>3</sup>The Lord has done great things for us,  
and we are glad indeed.

<sup>4</sup>**Restore our fortunes, O Lord,  
like the watercourses of the Negeb.**

<sup>5</sup>Those who sowed with tears  
will reap with songs of joy.

<sup>6</sup>**Those who go out weeping, carrying the seed,  
will come again with joy, shouldering their sheaves.**

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Cantor Praise the God of all creation, God of mercy and compassion.

All   
Al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia, praise the Word of truth and life.

Cantor You are light, Lord, for our darkness, break upon our waiting spirits.

All **Refrain**

**HOLY GOSPEL**

**Mark 10:46-52**

**P** The Holy Gospel according to Mark, the 10<sup>th</sup> chapter.

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

<sup>46</sup>As Jesus and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaeus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside. <sup>47</sup>When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" <sup>48</sup>Many sternly ordered him to be quiet, but he cried out even more loudly, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" <sup>49</sup>Jesus stood still and said, "Call him here." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart; get up, he is calling you." <sup>50</sup>So throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. <sup>51</sup>Then Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man said to him, "My teacher, let me see again." <sup>52</sup>Jesus said to him, "Go; your faith has made you well." Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.

**P** The Gospel of the Savior.

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

**MESSAGE**

**Pastor Tom**

**HYMN OF THE DAY**

**O Christ, Your Heart, Compassionate**



1. O Christ, your heart, com - pas - sion - ate, bore ev - ery hu - man  
2. As once you wel - comed those cast down and healed the sick, the  
3. O Christ, cre - ate new hearts in us that beat in time with  
4. O Love that made the dis - tant stars, yet marks the spar - row's



pain. Its beat - ing was the pulse of God; its  
blind, so may all bruised and bro - ken lives through  
yours, that, joined by faith with your great heart, be -  
fall, whose arms stretched wide up - on a cross em -



breadth, God's vast do - main. The heart of God, the  
us your help still find. Lord, join our hearts with  
come love's o - pen doors. We are your bod - y,  
brace and bear us all: come, make your church a



heart of Christ com - bined in per - fect rhyme to  
those who weep that none may weep a - lone, and  
ris - en Christ; our hearts, our hands we yield that  
ser - vant church that walks your ser - vant ways, whose



write God's love in hu - man deeds, e - ter - ni - ty in time.  
help us bear an - oth - er's pain as though it were our own.  
through our life and min - is - try your love may be re - vealed.  
deeds of love rise up to you, a sac - ri - fice of praise!

## APOSTLES' CREED

With the whole church, let us confess our faith.

**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 to 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 INTERCESSION

A Set free from sin and death and nourished by the word of truth, we join in prayer for all of God's creation.

*A brief silence.*

A Risen One, we give you thanks for congregations and ministries throughout the world that serve as centers of prayer and action. Empower missionaries, teachers, healers, evangelists, and all who are sent to share your song of joy. Hear us, O God.

**C Your mercy is great.**

A Holy One, we give you thanks for generous land that produces abundant harvests. Strengthen and protect all soils, from rooftop gardens to prairie farmlands, to patio planters to fertile valleys, and bless all who lovingly tend them. Hear us, O God.

**C Your mercy is great.**

A Ruling One, we give you thanks for leaders of nations who work to build up the common good. Strengthen efforts of reconciliation among all nations, that peace extends in every direction. Hear us, O God.

**C Your mercy is great.**

A Healing One, we give you thanks for all who labor for the health of others. Comfort and strengthen all who struggle with chronic pain. Send healing and relief to all who are sick, especially: *Peggy, Lori, Bev, Dave, Gaynelle, Hilde, Vasile, Phil, Jo, Sonja, the Gray family, Greg, Joe, Lori, Myrna & Jerry, Sandy, Tammy, Bob B., Del, Cindy, Dale, Peter A., Suzanne, Chris, Wayne B, Ned & Carolyn, Hal, Jean B., Jason, Anson, Dawn, and Humphrey.* Hear us, O God.

**C Your mercy is great.**

A Providing One, we give you thanks for all who provide for others. Inspire generosity in your people, so that we carry out the work of making disciples of all nations. Hear us, O God.

**C Your mercy is great.**

A For what else do the people of God pray?

A Living One, we give you thanks for the saints who have increased our faith. Give us courage to follow in hope until you gather us all around your table of abundance. Hear us, O God.

**C Your mercy is great.**

P Confident that you hear us, O God, we boldly place our prayers into your hands; through Jesus Christ, our truth and life.

**C Amen.**

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C **And also with you.**

## WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS

### OFFERING

#### OFFERING PRAYER

A Let us pray.

C **God of abundance, you cause streams to break forth in the desert and manna to rain from the heavens. Accept the gifts you have first given us. Unite them with the offering of our lives to nourish the world you love so dearly; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

*(Those at home may prepare their table.)*

#### 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.**

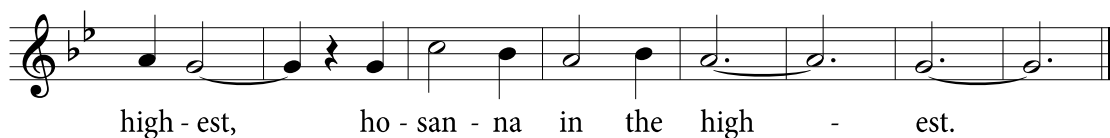
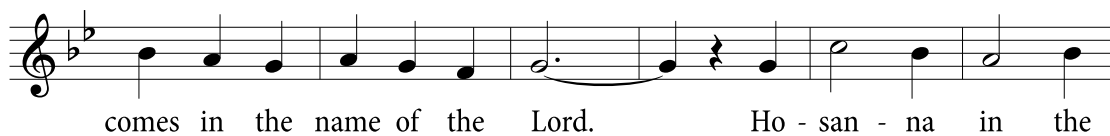
P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

#### PROPER PREFACE

P It is indeed right, our duty and our joy... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

### Holy, Holy



## EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

P Holy, Mighty and Merciful Lord...

With this bread and cup, we remember our Lord's Passover from death to life as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

### Memorial Acclamation



Christ has died, Christ is ris-en, Christ will come a - gain.



Christ has died, Christ is ris-en, Christ will come a - gain!

P Pour out upon us...be all honor and glory, now and forever...

### Great Amen



A - men, A - men, A - men!



A - men, A - men, A - men!

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those  
who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial  
and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours,  
now and forever. Amen.

## INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

P All who hunger and thirst, come. The table is ready.

## COMMUNION BLESSING

P May the body and blood of our Lord and Savior, Jesus the Christ, strengthen you and keep you to life everlasting.

C Amen.

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

A Let us pray.

C Lord of life, in the gift of your body and blood you turn the crumbs of our faith into a feast of salvation. Send us forth into the world with shouts of joy, bearing witness to the abundance of your love in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

## SENDING BLESSING

P People of God, you are Christ's body, bringing new life to a suffering world.

P Almighty God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.

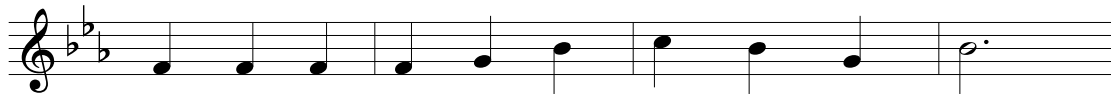
C Amen.

## SENDING HYMN

### Be Thou My Vision



1. Be thou my vi - sion, O Lord of my heart;  
2. Be thou my wis - dom, and thou my true word;  
3. Rich - es I heed not, nor vain, emp - ty praise,  
4. Light of my soul, af - ter vic - to - ry won,



naught be all else to me save that thou art—  
I ev - er with thee and thou with me, Lord;  
thou mine in - her - i - tance, now and al - ways;  
may I reach heav - en's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!



Thou my best thought, by day or by night,  
Thou my soul's shel - ter, and thou my high tow'r,  
Thou and thou on - ly, the first in my heart,  
Heart of my own heart, what - ev - er be - fall,



wak - ing or sleep - ing, thy pres - ence my light.  
raise thou me heav'n - ward, O Pow'r of my pow'r.  
great God of heav - en, my trea - sure thou art.  
still be my vi - sion, O Rul - er of all.

## DISMISSAL

A Go in peace. The living Word dwells in you.

C Thanks be to God.



# CHRIST THE KING ANNOUNCEMENTS

## LOOKING AHEAD TO THE BIBLICAL TEXTS:

**Reformation Day – October 31 (wear red)**

Jeremiah 31:31-34

Psalms 46

Romans 3:19-28

John 8:31-36

## **WORSHIP SERVICE, OCTOBER 24, 10:30AM, by ZOOM ONLY.**

Pastor Tom Struck will lead worship on Zoom this Sunday as Pastor Dorothy is away on vacation.

**BOOK OF FAITH – Wednesdays, 7pm, Zoom link on website. Study of 1 Peter, materials will be available in the office.**

**ANTI-RACISM – Thursdays, 7pm, Zoom link on website. Book Study: Two books studied side by side. *I'm Still Here* by Austin Channing Brown and *Baptized in Tear Gas* by Elle Dowd.**

### MONTHLY GIVING

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**ADDITIONAL NOTES:** This worship service is being recorded and will be uploaded to Facebook, YouTube, and the church website [www.tigardlutherans.com](http://www.tigardlutherans.com).

## PRAYER REQUESTS

We continue to pray for one another. When you have a prayer request there are several ways you can communicate that with us. One, call the church office, 503.639.2789. Two, send an email to [jeannedurbetaki@gmail.com](mailto:jeannedurbetaki@gmail.com) and Jeanne will activate the prayer chain. Three, go to the church's website [www.tigardlutherans.com](http://www.tigardlutherans.com) and click on the "How May We Pray For You" button.

## GIVING

Four ways to share your tithes and offerings. One, you can mail a check to the church office. Two, you could use your online banking bill pay. Three, you can set up an automatic payment through our third-party giving platform, Vanco (if you need help setting this up, give a call to the church office). Four, you can go to the website [www.tigardlutherans.com](http://www.tigardlutherans.com) and click on the "donate" button to make single contributions through Vanco.

**Those in our Prayers:** Peggy Piers VanderPloeg, Lori, Bev Ashenfelter, Dave Wesolowski, Gaynelle Dressel, Hilde Konarzewski, Vasile Scheckmann, Phil Cornutt, Jo Wilson, Sonja Apple, the Gray family, Greg Powers, Joe Scalia, Lori Tacker, Myrna & Jerry Gleason, Sandy Clifton, Tammy Brink, Bob Brink, Del Metcalf, Cindy Finnegan, Dale Conley, Peter, Suzanne Metcalf, Chris Rovog, Wayne B, Ned & Carolyn Snow, Hal Schmidt, Jean Baker, Jason Carroll, Anson Holt Steele, Dawn Stell, and Humphrey Chai.

**Prayers for the Christian faith communities of Tigard:** Tigard Covenant Church, Pr. David Greenidge

**For Lutheran Faith Communities & Leaders of Oregon:** St Matthew, Beaverton, Pr. Deacon Sue Best, Pr Ray Venghaus; Mt Tabor/PLUM, Pr. Amando Zentz-Alo.

**For the Latino Faith Communities & Leaders:** San Miguel, Newberg, Pr. Wilson Ferriera

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