



# Sunday, July 4, 2021

## Sixth 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,  
the God of manna,  
the God of miracles,  
the God of mercy.

C **Amen.**

P Drawn to Christ and seeking God's abundance,  
let us confess our sin.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

P God, our provider,  
C **help us.**

**It is hard to believe there is enough to share.  
We question your ways when they differ from the ways  
of the world in which we live.  
We turn to our own understanding  
rather than trusting in you.  
We take offense at your teachings and your ways.  
Turn us again to you.  
Where else can we turn?  
Share with us the words of eternal life  
and feed us for life in the world.  
Amen.**

P Beloved people of God:  
in Jesus, the manna from heaven,  
you are fed and nourished.  
By Jesus, the worker of miracles,  
there is always more than enough.  
Through Jesus, ☩ the bread of life,  
you are shown God's mercy:  
you are forgiven and loved into abundant life.

C **Amen.**

Presiding:	Pastor Dorothy
Music Director:	Tim Ditch
Lay Assistant:	Doug Birkeland
Tech Assistant:	Jonathan Stolting
Altar Care:	Lorna Kautzky

## GATHERING HYMN

### God, We Love This Congregation!



1. God, we love this con - gre - ga - tion! On this day, we're  
2. In this year with all its tri - als, there are things that



glad to see friends and neigh - bors, gath - ered, pray - ing,  
we have missed. Still, in Christ, you've walked be - side us;



as a church com - mu - ni - ty. Young and old, we  
by your Spir - it we've been blessed. Love's our his - tory,



join in wor - ship— some in per - son, some on - line.  
love's our vi - sion, love's the work we're called to do.



We are drawn by faith and friend-ship to this bless-ed place and time.  
Bless us as our con - gre - ga - tion moves to - geth - er, serv - ing you.

## 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** God of the covenant, in our baptism you call us to proclaim the coming of your kingdom. Give us the courage you gave the apostles, that we may faithfully witness to your love and peace in every circumstance of life, in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C** **Amen.**

## A READING FROM EZEKIEL THE 2nd CHAPTER

Ezekiel 2:1-5

<sup>1</sup>[A voice] said to me: O mortal, stand up on your feet, and I will speak with you.<sup>2</sup>And when he spoke to me, a spirit entered into me and set me on my feet; and I heard him speaking to me. <sup>3</sup>He said to me, Mortal, I am sending you to the people of Israel, to a nation of rebels who have rebelled against me; they and their ancestors have transgressed against me to this very day. <sup>4</sup>The descendants are impudent and stubborn. I am sending you to them, and you shall say to them, "Thus says the Lord God." <sup>5</sup>Whether they hear or refuse to hear (for they are a rebellious house), they shall know that there has been a prophet among them.

A Word of God. Word of Life.

C **Thanks be to God.**

## PSALM 123

<sup>1</sup>To you I lift up my eyes,

to you enthroned in the heavens.

<sup>2</sup>As the eyes of servants look to the hand of their masters, and the eyes of a maid to the hand of her mistress, so our eyes look to you, O LORD our God, until you show us your mercy.

<sup>3</sup>**Have mercy upon us, O LORD, have mercy,  
for we have had more than enough of contempt,**

<sup>4</sup>**too much of the scorn of the indolent rich,  
and of the derision of the proud.**

## HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 6:1-13

P The Holy Gospel according to Mark, the 6<sup>th</sup> chapter.

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

<sup>1</sup>[Jesus] came to his hometown, and his disciples followed him.<sup>2</sup>On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, "Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! <sup>3</sup>Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?" And they took offense at him. <sup>4</sup>Then Jesus said to them, "Prophets are not without honor, except in their hometown, and among their own kin, and in their own house." <sup>5</sup>And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. <sup>6</sup>And he was amazed at their unbelief.

Then he went about among the villages teaching. <sup>7</sup>He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. <sup>8</sup>He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; <sup>9</sup>but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. <sup>10</sup>He said to them, "Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. <sup>11</sup>If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them." <sup>12</sup>So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. <sup>13</sup>They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

P The Gospel of the Savior.

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

## MESSAGE

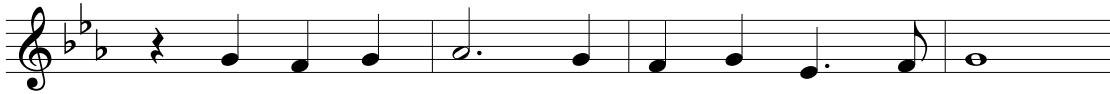
Pastor Dorothy

## HYMN OF THE DAY

### This Is My Song



1. This is my song, O God of all the na - tions,  
2. My coun - try's skies are blu - er than the o - cean,  
3. This is my prayer, O God of all earth's king - doms,



a song of peace for lands a - far and mine.  
and sun - light beams on clo - ver - leaf and pine.  
your king - dom come; on earth your will be done.



This is my home, the coun - try where my heart is;  
But oth - er lands have sun - light too, and clo - ver,  
O God, be lift - ed up till all shall serve you,



here are my hopes, my dreams, my ho - ly shrine;  
and skies are ev - 'ry - where as blue as mine.  
and hearts u - nit - ed learn to live as one.



but oth - er hearts in oth - er lands are beat - ing  
So hear my song, O God of all the na - tions,  
So hear my prayer, O God of all the na - tions;



with hopes and dreams as true and high as mine.  
a song of peace for their land and for mine.  
my - self I give you; let your will be done.

## 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** Let us come before the triune God in prayer.

*A brief silence.*

**A** God of all, through the waters of baptism you claim people of all races, ethnicities, and languages as your beloved children. Sustain the baptized and increase their faith, that your gospel may be proclaimed throughout the earth. Lord, in your mercy,

**C** **hear our prayer.**

**A** God of the heavens, your creating Spirit animates the universe. We give you thanks for the moon and stars, for the planets and the Milky Way Galaxy, and for all of the mysteries of the cosmos that remain unknown to us. Lord, in your mercy,

**C** **hear our prayer.**

**A** God of freedom, you have liberated us from sin and death and rescue us from all forms of spiritual, social, and political oppression. Defend us from tyrants in our midst and deliver us from all forms of slavery or corruption. Direct our freedom for works of liberation and wholeness. Lord, in your mercy,

**C** **hear our prayer.**

**A** God of compassion, you became vulnerable in the person of Jesus Christ in solidarity with the disempowered. Strengthen those who feel faint, give courage to those who fear, and bring wholeness to those in need especially: *Sharon Ray & family, Elisabeth & Mitch, the Birkeland family, Joe, Lori, Bob C., Carolyn T., Myrna & Jerry, Sandy, Tammy, Bob B., Brittney, Preston, Bill K., Lois, Jeff, Cindy, Bev, Dale, Peter A., Suzanne, Wayne B, Carl, Ned & Carolyn, Hal, John, Jean, Jason, Anson, Dawn, and Humphrey.* Lord, in your mercy,

**C** **hear our prayer.**

**A** God of holiness, you send us out into the world to proclaim your love. We pray for our outreach ministries. Equip us as we leave this place to witness and serve our neighbors. Lord, in your mercy,

**C** **hear our prayer.**

*For what else do the people of God pray...*

**A** We give you thanks that in every time and place you call forth prophets who move us towards freedom. Thank you for those who work for human rights, community organizers, and all who strive for liberty for all. Lord, in your mercy,

**C** **hear our prayer.**

**P** We lift our prayers to you, O God, trusting in your abiding grace.

**C** **Amen.**

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C** **And also with you.**

*There is no physical sharing of the peace.*

## **WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## OFFERING

### OFFERING PRAYER

A Let us pray.

**C Jesus, Bread of life, you have set this table with your very self, and called us to the feast of plenty. Gather what has been sown among us, and strengthen us in this meal. Make us to be what we receive here, your body for the life of the world. Amen.**

*(Those at home may prepare their table. Those in the sanctuary follow the direction of the usher)*

### 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.**

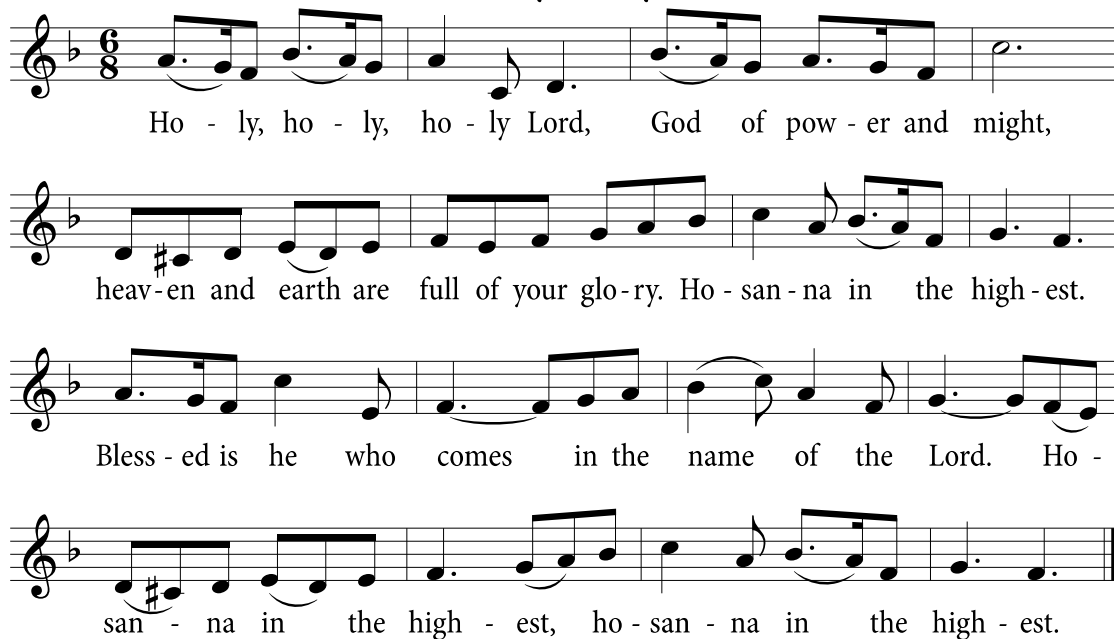
P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**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

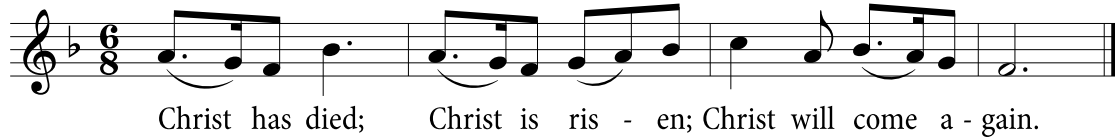


Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,  
heav-en and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.  
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -  
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

## 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



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

### Great Amen



## THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 HOLY COMMUNION

P Christ has set the table with more than enough for all. Come!

## COMMUNION BLESSING

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

C Amen.

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

A Let us pray.

C Jesus, Bread of life, we have received from your table more than we could ever ask. As you have nourished us in this meal, now strengthen us to love the world with your own life. In your name we pray. Amen.

## SENDING BLESSING

P The blessing of God, who provides for us, feeds us, and journeys with us, ☩ be upon you now and forever.

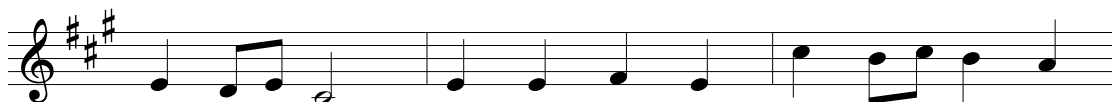
C Amen.

## SENDING HYMN

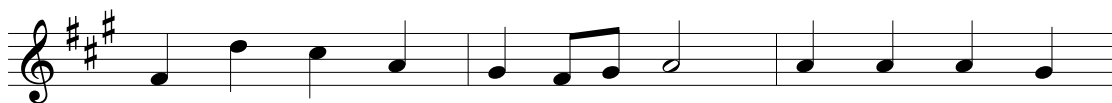
### Called as Partners in Christ's Service



1. Called as part - ners in Christ's ser - vice, called to min - is -  
2. Christ's ex - am - ple, Christ's in - spir - ing, Christ's clear call to  
3. Thus new pat - terns for Christ's mis - sion, in a small or  
4. So God grant us for to - mor - row ways to or - der



tries of grace, we re - spond with deep com - mit - ment  
work and worth, let us fol - low, nev - er fal - tering,  
glob - al sense, help us bear each oth - er's bur - dens,  
hu - man life that sur - round each per - son's sor - row



fresh new lines of faith to trace. May we learn the  
rec - on - cil - ing folk on earth. Men and wom - en,  
break - ing down each wall or fence. Words of com - fort,  
with a calm that con - quers strife. Make us part - ners



art of shar - ing, side by side and friend with friend,  
rich - er, poor - er, all God's peo - ple, young and old,  
words of vi - sion, words of chal - lenge, said with care,  
in our liv - ing, our com - pas - sion to in - crease,



e - qual part - ners in our car - ing to ful - fill God's cho - sen end.  
blend - ing hu - man skills to - geth - er gra - cious gifts from God un - fold.  
bring new pow'r and strength for ac - tion, make us col - leagues, free and fair.  
mes - sen - gers of faith, thus giv - ing hope and con - fi - dence and peace.

## DISMISSAL

A Go in peace. You are the body of Christ.

C Thanks be to God.



# CHRIST THE KING ANNOUNCEMENTS

**MONTHLY GIVING**

June 2021

\$16,400

## COMMUNION

For communion distribution please follow the direction of the Pastor and Lay Assistant.

## LOOKING AHEAD TO THE BIBLICAL TEXTS:

**The seventh Sunday after Pentecost – July 11**

Amos 7:7-15 Psalm 85:8-13 Ephesians 1:3-14 Mark 6:14-29

**BOOK OF FAITH – Wednesdays, 7pm, Zoom link on website. (No Bible study on July 7)**

**ANTI-RACISM – Thursdays, 7pm, Zoom link on website.**

## OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

Longtime CTK member, Duane Birkeland died June 25<sup>th</sup>. He joins Dora in the Church Triumphant. Memorial service tentatively scheduled for Saturday, August 28<sup>th</sup>.

Congregation Vice President, Sharon Ray's younger sister died suddenly last week.

Keep these families and all those who grieve in your prayers.

## LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

The Wider Welcome team (formerly Reconciling in Christ team) would like to share some learning opportunities on YouTube, to learn and hear about people in the LBGTQIA+ community. This week we are sharing this learning opportunity:

**LGBT 101:** An introduction to the queer community <https://youtu.be/DE7bKmOXY3w> The narrator makes diagrams which are visually helpful in explaining a lot of variations in the LBGTQ spectrum. It is only seven minutes long, and can be watched several times giving a lot of information in a short period of time.

## HOW CAN YOU HELP?

Continue to set aside non-perishable food for the Cascade Vineyard Church food bank. You can stop by the church and drop it in the barrel outside the office doors. Bless you!

**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

There are at least four ways to share your tithes and offerings. First, you can mail a check to the church office. Second, you could use your online banking bill pay. Third, 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). Fourth, 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: Sharon Ray & family, Elizabeth & Mitch, the Birkeland family, Joe Scalia, Lori Tacker, Bob Carn, Pastor Paul, Elin, & Christopher Teyler, Carolyn Terry, Myrna & Jerry Gleason, Sandy Clifton, Tammy Brink, Bob Brink, Brittney Brink, Preston, Bill Klein, Lois DeLong, Del Metcalf, Jeff Taylor, Cindy Finnegan, Keith Griswold, Gery, Bev Ashenfelter, Dale Conley, Peter, Suzanne Metcalf, Chris Rovog, Wayne B, Carl Cottingham, Ned & Carolyn Snow, Hal Schmidt, John Maher, Jean Baker, Jason Carroll, Anson Holt Steele, Dawn Stell, and Humphrey Chai.*

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