



Sunday, September 6, 2020

Fourteenth Sunday After Pentecost

LITURGY OF HOLY COMMUNION – REMOTE WORSHIP

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

Amen.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. 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.

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ☩ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Presiding:	Pastor Paul Teyler
Music Director:	Tim Ditch
Lay Assistant:	Ruth Rusnak
Tech Assistant:	Jonathan Stolting

GATHERING SONG

We Are Your People



1. We are your peo - ple: Spir - it of grace,
2. Joined in com - mu - ni - ty, trea - sured and fed,
3. Rich in di - ver - si - ty, help us to live
4. Spir - it, u - unite us, make us, by grace,



you dare to make us Christ to our neigh - bors
may we dis - cov - er gifts in each oth - er,
clos - er than neigh - bors, o - pen to strang - ers,
will - ing and read - y, Christ's liv - ing bod - y,



of ev - ery cul - ture and place.
will - ing to lead and be led.
a - ble to clash and for - give.
lov - ing the whole hu - man race.

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 O Lord God, enliven and preserve your church with your perpetual mercy. Without your help, we mortals will fail; remove far from us everything that is harmful, and lead us toward all that gives life and salvation, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C **Amen.**

A READING FROM ROMANS, CHAPTER 13

Romans 13:8-14

⁸Owe no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. ⁹The commandments, "You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet"; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, "Love your neighbor as yourself." ¹⁰Love does no wrong to a neighbor; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law.

¹¹Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; ¹²the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armor of light; ¹³let us live honorably as in the day, not in reveling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarreling and jealousy. ¹⁴Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

A Word of God, Word of Life.

C **Thanks be to God.**

HOLY GOSPEL

P The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, the 18th chapter.

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

Matthew 18:15-20

[Jesus said to the disciples:] ¹⁵"If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. ¹⁶But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. ¹⁷If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. ¹⁸Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. ¹⁹Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. ²⁰For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them."

P The Gospel of the Savior.

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

HOMILY

Pastor Paul Teyler

(Silence for reflection)

HYMN OF THE DAY

Jesus Calls Us Here to Meet Him



1. Je - sus calls us here to meet him as through word and song and prayer
2. Je - sus calls us to each oth - er: found in him are no di - vides.
3. Je - sus calls us to his ta - ble root - ed firm in time and space,



we af - firm God's prom - ised pres - ence where his peo - ple live and care.
Race and gen - der, class and lan - guage—such are bar - riers he de - rides.
where the church in earth and heav - en finds a com - mon meet - ing place.



Praise the God who keeps his prom - ise; praise the Son who calls us friends;
Join the hand of friend and stran - ger; join the hands of age and youth;
Share the bread and wine, his bod - y; share the love of which we sing;



praise the Spir - it who, a - mong us, to our hopes and fears at - tends.
join the faith - ful and the doubt - er in their com - mon search for truth.
share the feast for saints and sin - ners host - ed by our Lord and King.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

A Drawn together in the compassion of God, we pray for the church, the world, and all those in need.

A brief silence.

A Unite your church, O God. Grant us the gifts of repentance and reconciliation. Bless the cooperative work of churches in this community. Strengthen ecumenical partnerships; guide the work of the Lutheran World Federation and the World Council of Churches. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

A Protect your creation, O God. Teach us ways that do not harm what you have entrusted to our care. Renew and enliven places suffering from drought, flood, storms, or pollution. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

A Turn nations and leaders from ways that lead to death. Shape new paths toward peace and cooperation, teaching us to recognize one another as neighbors. Guide legislators, civil servants, judges, and police toward laws that protect the well-being of all. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

A Tend to all in need of your compassion. Hear the cries of those awaiting justice and those yearning for forgiveness. Give community to the lonely and neighbors to the outcast. Shelter all who are vulnerable in body, mind, or spirit (*especially: Pastor Dorothy, Chris, Wayne B, Mark, Nancy, Carl, Danielle, Ned & Carolyn, Sandy, Larry, Jerry, Hal, John, Duane, Jean, Jason, Anson, Dawn, Bob, and Humphrey*). Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

A Sustain us in our work, O God, and give work to those who need it. Shape societies to ensure fair treatment for all who labor. Help us to love our neighbors in and through our work. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

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

- A We remember with thanksgiving those who have died in faith. As you equipped them, equip us with your protection and power, until with them we see your salvation. Lord, in your mercy,
C hear our prayer.
P All these things and whatever else you see that we need, we entrust to your mercy; through Christ our Lord.
C Amen.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

- P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
C And also with you.

Tim will randomly assign you to small groups that will automatically send you to breakout rooms.

When you see a box on your screen, click on the "go to room #". You will join a couple of other people there.

Have fun. Please unmute yourself.

When the time is over, you will automatically return to the worship space where we will continue with announcements.

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND OFFERING

OFFERING PRAYER

- A Let us pray.
**God of goodness and growth, all creation is yours, and your faithfulness is as firm as the heavens.
Water and word, wine and bread: these are signs of your abundant grace. Nourish us through these gifts,
that we might proclaim your steadfast love in our communities and in the world, through Jesus Christ, our
strength and our song. Amen.**

(If you have not already done so, you may remove the veil from your communion elements)

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, Holy

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er,
God of might, heav - en and earth are filled with 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

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

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

Thank you to Pastor Paul Teyler for presiding at the Zoom worship services each Sunday until Pastor Dorothy returns. Pastor Dorothy will be on a medical leave until the end of September. Please keep her in your prayers for healing. If you have an emergency need, call the church office and Linda will get a message to Pastor Teyler.

LOOKING AHEAD TO THE BIBLICAL TEXTS:

15th Sunday After Pentecost – Sept. 13 Genesis 50:15-21 Psalm 103:1-13 Romans 14:1-12 Matthew 18:21-35

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 and click on the “donate” button to make single contributions through Vanco.

AUGUST 30, 2020	
WEEKLY GIVING	JULY GIVING
\$2,160	\$13,050
online \$20	

FOOD PANTRY BARREL

Cascade Vineyard Church, our partners in ministry, continue to serve the needs of the food insecure in our community with their **King’s Pantry** food bank. As you are able, we invite you to share non-perishable food as you have so generously done in the past. You may drop by the church and the “food barrel” is outside the door to the church office, under the porch roof. If you would like to donate and are not able to bring your donations by, members of Christ the King have volunteered to come to your house and pick up your donations, just call the church office and let us know. CVC will collect the donations and stock the pantry. Bless you.

ADDITIONAL NOTES: For your information this worship service is being recorded and will be uploaded to Facebook, YouTube and the church Website www.tigardlutherans.com .

SYNOD DAY OF LEARNING

You are invited to the first ever Synod Learning Day! This one-day virtual event is for ALL of us, not just rostered leaders. This event will be a day of rest, learning and delighting in what God can do in us when we come together to take seriously Christ’s call to love our neighbor as ourselves. The all-day event is Saturday, Sept. 19, 9am – 5:30pm. Cost is \$25 per person. Go to oregonsynod.org and under Upcoming Virtual Events find more information and a link to register.

PRAYER REQUESTS

In this time of distance, 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 and Jeanne will activate the prayer chain. Three, go to the church’s website www.tigardlutherans.com and click on the “How May We Pray For You” button.

CHRIST IN OUR HOME

There are copies of the daily devotional Christ In Our Home sitting all alone in the narthex, waiting for someone to request them. If you would like to have one, please contact Linda in the office at ctkoffice@tigardlutherans.com or call 503.639.2789. There are regular and large print copies.

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