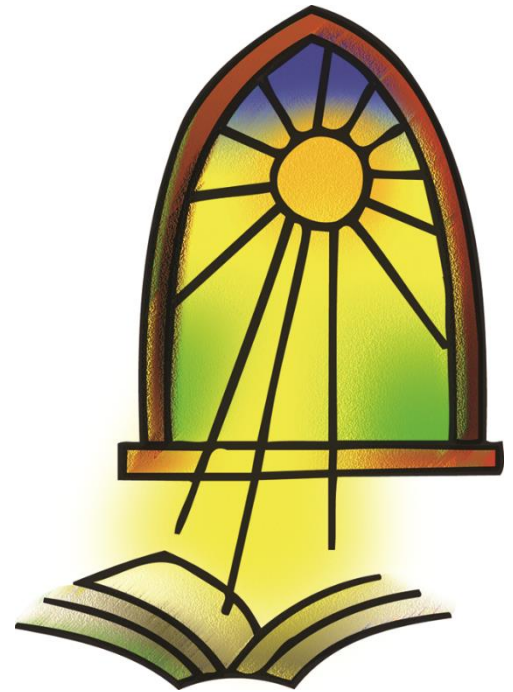


Sunday, October 31, 2021

Reformation Sunday

LITURGY OF HOLY COMMUNION WORSHIP WHERE YOU ARE



P En el nombre del Padre, y del † Hijo, y del Espíritu Santo.

C **Amén**

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 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.

C **Amen.**

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

Silence is kept for reflection.

P **Most merciful God,**

C **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.**

C **Amen.**

P 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.

C **Amen.**

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Music Director:	Tim Ditch
Lay Assistant:	Jane Hershberger
Cantor:	Paul Gonzales
Tech Assistant:	Jonathan Stolling
Altar Care:	Lauri Stollberg

GATHERING HYMN

The Church's One Foundation



1. The Church - 's one foun - da - tion is Je - sus Christ, her Lord;
2. Through toil and trib - u - la - tion and tu - mult of her war,
3. Yet she on earth has u - nion with God, the Three - in - One,



she is his new cre - a - tion by wa - ter and the word.
she waits the con - sum - ma - tion of peace for - ev - er - more;
and mys - tic sweet com - mu - nion with those whose rest is won.



From heav'n he came and sought her to be his ho - ly bride;
till with the vi - sion glo - rious her long - ing eyes are blest,
Oh, bless - ed heav'n - ly cho - rus! Lord, save us by your grace,



with his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.
and the great church vic - to - rious shall be the church at rest.
that we, like saints be - fore us, may see you face to face.

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.**

This Is the Feast



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia.



Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us



free to be peo-ple of God. Pow-er and rich-es and wis-dom and



strength, and hon - or and bless-ing and glo-ry are his.



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia.



Sing with all the peo - ple of God and join in the



hymn of all cre - a - tion: Bless-ing and hon-or and glo-ry and



might be to God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God, for the Lamb who was slain



has be-gun his reign. Al - le - lu-ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P Let us pray

A brief silence is kept before the prayer.

P Almighty God, gracious Lord, we thank you that your Holy Spirit renews the church in every age. Pour out your Holy Spirit on your faithful people. Keep them steadfast in your word, protect and comfort them in times of trial, defend them against all enemies of the gospel, and bestow on the church your saving peace, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

A READING FROM JEREMIAH, THE 31st CHAPTER

Jeremiah 31:31-34

³¹The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. ³²It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the Lord. ³³But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the Lord: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. ³⁴No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, “Know the Lord,” for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the Lord; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more.

A Word of God. Word of Life.

C Thanks be to God.

PSALM 46

¹God is our refuge and strength,

a very present help in trouble.

²**Therefore we will not fear, though the earth be moved,
and though the mountains shake in the depths of the sea;**

³though its waters rage and foam,

and though the mountains tremble with its tumult.

⁴**There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God,
the holy habitation of the Most High.**

⁵God is in the midst of the city; it shall not be shaken;

God shall help it at the break of day.

⁶**The nations rage, and the kingdoms shake;
God speaks, and the earth melts away.**

⁷The Lord of hosts is with us;

the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

⁸**Come now, regard the works of the Lord,
what desolations God has brought upon the earth;**

⁹behold the one who makes war to cease in all the world;

who breaks the bow, and shatters the spear, and burns the shields with fire.

¹⁰**Be still, then, and know that I am God;**

I will be exalted among the nations; I will be exalted in the earth.”

¹¹The Lord of hosts is with us;

the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

A READING FROM ROMANS, CHAPTER 3

Romans 3:19-28

¹⁹Now we know that whatever the law says, it speaks to those who are under the law, so that every mouth may be silenced, and the whole world may be held accountable to God. ²⁰For “no human being will be justified in his sight” by deeds prescribed by the law, for through the law comes the knowledge of sin.

²¹But now, apart from law, the righteousness of God has been disclosed, and is attested by the law and the prophets, ²²the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction, ²³since all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God; ²⁴they are now justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, ²⁵whom God put forward as a sacrifice of atonement by his blood, effective through faith. He did this to show his righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over the sins previously committed; ²⁶it was to prove at the present time that he himself is righteous and that he justifies the one who has faith in Jesus.

²⁷Then what becomes of boasting? It is excluded. By what law? By that of works? No, but by the law of faith. ²⁸For we hold that a person is justified by faith apart from works prescribed by the law.

A Word of God, Word of Life.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation

The musical notation consists of four staves, each with a treble clef and a 7/8 time signature. The first two staves are marked 'Cantor:' and the last two are marked 'All:'. Each staff contains a melodic line with lyrics underneath. The lyrics are: 'Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!' followed by 'All: Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!'.

HOLY GOSPEL

John 8:31-36

P El Santo Evangelio según Juan, capítulo ocho.

P The Holy Gospel according to John, the 8th chapter.

C **Glory to you, O Lord.** (*¡Gloria a ti, oh Señor!*)

³¹Jesus said to the Jews who had believed in him, “If you continue in my word, you are truly my disciples; ³²and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free.” ³³They answered him, “We are descendants of Abraham and have never been slaves to anyone. What do you mean by saying, ‘You will be made free’?”

³⁴Jesus answered them, “Very truly, I tell you, everyone who commits sin is a slave to sin. ³⁵The slave does not have a permanent place in the household; the son has a place there forever. ³⁶So if the Son makes you free, you will be free indeed.”

- P El Evangelio del Salvador.
 P The Gospel of the Savior.
 C **Praise to you, O Christ.** (*¡Alabanza a ti, oh Cristo!*)

MESSAGE

Pastor Dorothy

HYMN OF THE DAY

Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word

1. Lord, keep us stead - fast in your word; curb those who
 2. Lord Je - sus Christ, your power make known, for you are
 3. O Com - fort - er of price - less worth, send peace and

by de - ceit or sword would wrest the king - dom from your Son
 Lord of lords a - lone; de - fend your ho - ly church, that we
 u - ni - ty on earth; sup - port us in our fi - nal strife

and bring to naught all he has done.
 may sing your praise e - ter - nal - ly.
 and lead us out of death to life.

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 We pray for all who long for a word of truth and for the radical grace that flows from the cross. Inspire congregations to freely and boldly proclaim your love for all people with persistence and hope. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A We pray for your creation, for mountains, rivers, streams, cities, homesteads, and neighborhoods. Write in our hearts a new love and care for creation. Give us the will to curb wasteful habits and to hold accountable those who neglect the vulnerable. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A We pray for all who aspire to public office and for all who will vote on Tuesday at local polling places. Pour wisdom and understanding upon all who govern so that communities of justice and peace may thrive. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A We pray for all who long for healing in mind, body, or spirit, especially: *Nancy, Peggy, Lori, Bev, Gaynelle, Hilde, Vasile, Phil, Jo, Sonja, 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.* Strengthen hospitals, clinics, counseling centers, nursing homes, and recovery centers to be holy spaces of renewal that all might live the abundant life you intend. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A We pray for the military personnel who are assisting the overwhelmed and exhausted staff in our nation's hospitals. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A We pray for all who seek to grow in faith and love of you. Guide teaching and learning in confirmation, small groups, Sunday school, youth groups, schools, seminaries, and universities. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

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

A We give thanks for all the saints and reformers who have gone before us who dwell in your holy habitation, especially Martin Luther, Reformer of the church. Give us courage through their example to challenge unjust systems and work toward life-giving reformation. 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 La paz del Señor sea siempre con ustedes.

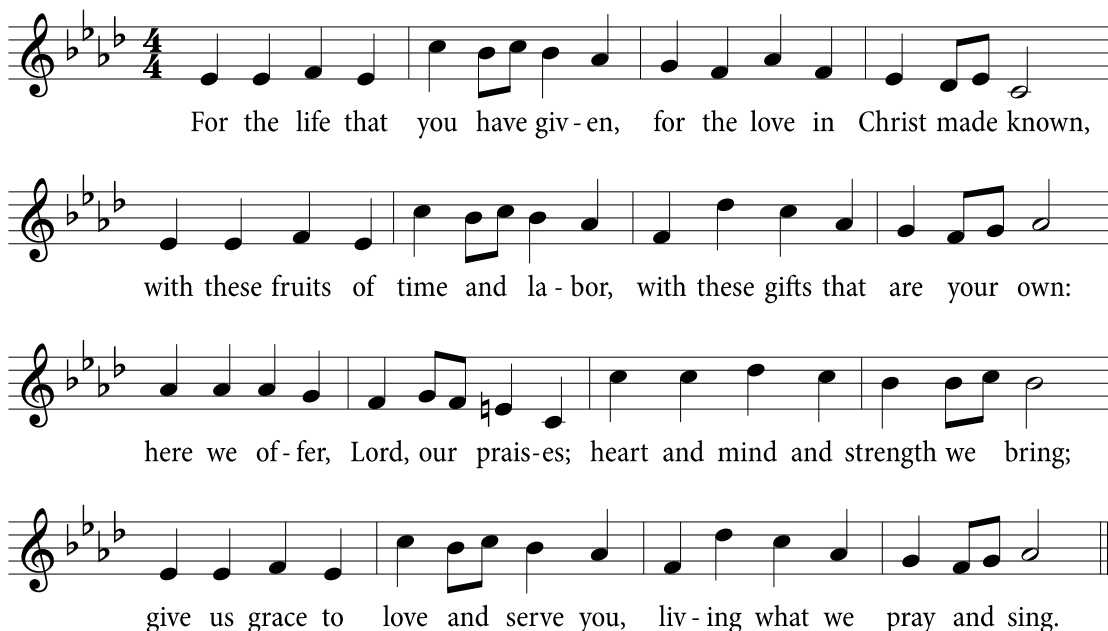
P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you. (Y también contigo.)

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING

For the Life That You Have Given



For the life that you have giv-en, for the love in Christ made known,
with these fruits of time and la-bor, with these gifts that are your own:
here we of-fer, Lord, our prais-es; heart and mind and strength we bring;
give us grace to love and serve you, liv-ing what we pray and sing.

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.

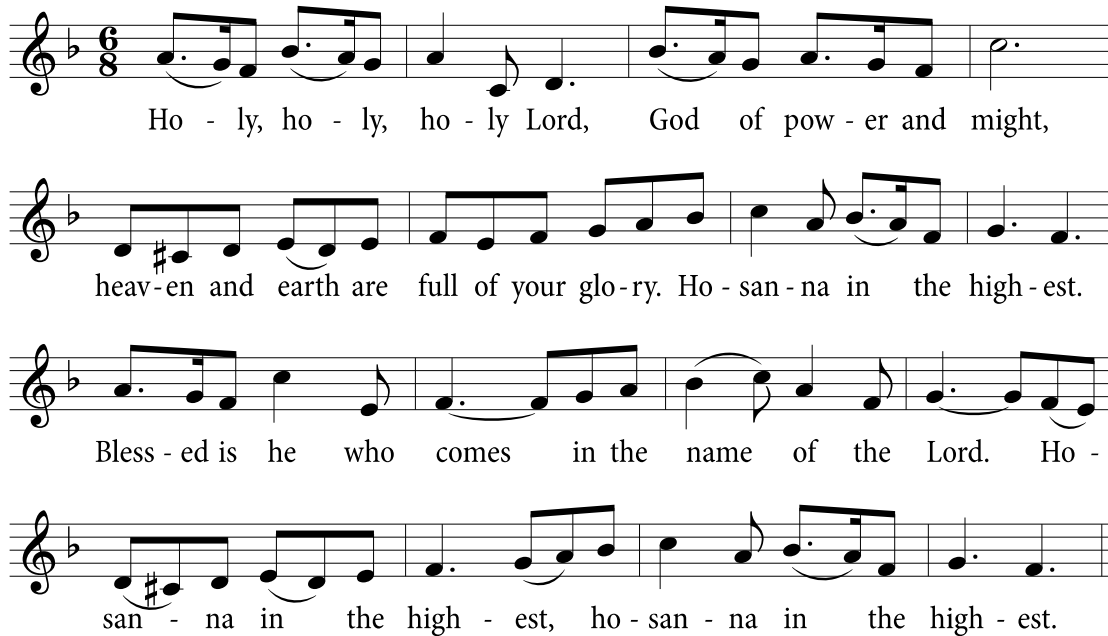
P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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



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 Lord God, we praise you, bless you, and adore you.

In thanksgiving we bow before you.

O loving Father! You have created all,

and you care for your children day and night.

Hallelujah!

C Hallelujah!

P You sent your Son to bring us your salvation.

Christ is the source of every grace and blessing,

the true paschal lamb and bread of heaven,

the very joy of all, the sun that warms and lights us.

Hallelujah!

C Hallelujah!

P On the night in which he was betrayed,

he 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 We remember Jesus, your Word made flesh, our elder brother,
dying on the accursed tree,
crushing the power of hell,
and rising again victorious from the grave.
Hallelujah!

C Hallelujah!

P Send your Spirit on this holy feast.
Nourish and heal us with the body and blood of our Savior.
Bestow on your church your sweetest love,
your transcendent comfort, your unity and peace.
Hallelujah!

C Hallelujah!

P To you, the one true God,
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
we give our thanks and praise,
joining now and forever in loud songs of
Hallelujah!

C Hallelujah!

P Amen.

C Amen.

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 Dios todopoderoso, Padre, Hijo y Espíritu Santo, los bendiga ahora y siempre. **Amén.**

P The holy Trinity, ☩ one God, bless you now and forever.

C Amen.

SENDING HYMN

The Church of Christ, in Every Age



1. The church of Christ, in every age be - set by
2. A - cross the world, a - cross the street, the vic - tims
3. Then let the ser - vant church a - rise, a car - ing
4. For he a - lone, whose blood was shed, can cure the
5. We have no mis - sion but to serve in full o -



change, but Spir - it led, must claim and test its
of in - jus - tice cry for shel - ter and for
church that longs to be a part - ner in Christ's
fe - ver in our blood, and teach us how to
be - dience to our Lord; to care for all, with -



her - i - tage and keep on ris - ing from the dead.
bread to eat, and nev - er live be - fore they die.
sac - ri - fice, and clothed in Christ's hu - man - i - ty.
share our bread and feed the starv - ing mul - ti - tude.
out re - serve, and spread his lib - er - at - ing word.

DISMISSAL

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

C Thanks be to God.

CHRIST THE KING ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY, NOV. 7 – We will light a candle and strike a bell in memory of each dearly departed saint. Send the name of your loved one(s) to ctkoffice@tigardlutherans.com or call the office at 503.639.2789 to include them in our remembrance.

LOOKING AHEAD TO THE BIBLICAL TEXTS:

All Saints Sunday – November 7

Isaiah 25:6-9

Psalm 24

Revelations 21:1-6a

John 11:32-44

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.

ADDITIONAL NOTES: This worship service is being recorded and will be uploaded to Facebook, YouTube, and the church website 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 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.

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

Those in our Prayers: Nancy Doss, Peggy Piers VanderPloeg, Lori, Bev Ashenfelter, Gaynelle Dressel, Hilde Konarzewski, Vasile Scheckmann, Phil Cornutt, Jo Wilson, Sonja Apple, 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: Westside: A Jesus Church, Pr. Dave Hughes, Pr Trudi Sang

For Lutheran Faith Communities & Leaders of Oregon: St Andrew, Beaverton, Pr. Mark Brocker; Oregon Trail Cluster, Pr. John Reutter-Harrah, Dean

For the Other Faith Communities & Leaders: Taiwan Lutheran, Beaverton, Pr. Tai-Li Yang (Terry)

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