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4th Sunday after Pentecost

June 28, 2020

Prelude: "All Glory Be to God Alone" arr. George T. Miles and

"Come Unto Me Ye Weary" arr. Victor Hildner

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.**

The Gathering Song:

Baptized in Water

WOV #693

1. Baptized in water, sealed by the Spirit, cleansed by the blood of Christ our king:
heirs of salvation, trusting his promise, faithfully now God's praise we sing.

2. Baptized in water, sealed by the Spirit, dead in the tomb with Christ our king:
one with his rising, freed and forgiven, thankfully now God's praise we sing.

3. Baptized in water, sealed by the Spirit, marked with the sign of Christ our king:
born of the Spirit, we are God's children; joyfully now God's praise we sing

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism (see Insert)

Opening Dialogue:

P: Holy is the Lord, the Almighty. **C: He was, he is, and he is to come.**

P: He is worthy of glory and honor and power.

C: He created all things. By his will they came to be.

P: Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain;

C: worthy to take the scroll and break its seals.

P: By his blood he purchased for God

C: people of every race and tongue, of every folk and nation.

P: Christ made of them a kingdom **C: and priests to serve our God.**

P: And they shall reign on earth forever. **C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

Old Testament Canticle #14:

Listen! You Nations

Listen! You nations of the world: listen to the Word of the Lord.

Announce it from coast to coast; declare it to distant islands

1. *The Lord who scattered Israel will gather his people again;
and he will keep watch over them as a shepherd watches his flocks.*

Listen! You nations of the world: listen to the Word of the Lord.

Announce it from coast to coast; declare it to distant islands.

2. *With shouts of joy they will come, their faces radiantly happy,
for the Lord is so gen'rous to them; he showers his people with gifts*

Listen! You nations of the world: listen to the Word of the Lord.

Announce it from coast to coast; declare it to distant islands.

3. *Young women will dance for joy, and men young and old will make merry.
Like a garden refreshed by the rain, they will never be in want again.*

Break into shouts of great joy: Jacob is free again!

Teach nations to sing the song: "The Lord has saved his people!"

P: The Lord be with you. **C: And also with you**

Prayer of the Day: **O God, you have prepared for those who love you joys beyond understanding. Pour into our hearts such love for you that, loving you above all things, we may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The First Lesson: Jeremiah 28:5-9

Psalm 89:1-4,15-18 (read by Pastor Z)

The Second Lesson: Romans 6:12-23

The Gospel Acclamation: **Halle, Halle, Hallelujah**

WOV #612

Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah!

Halle, halle, hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

The Holy Gospel: Matthew 10:40-42

The Sermon

Sermon Hymn:

Word of God, Come Down on Earth

WOV #716

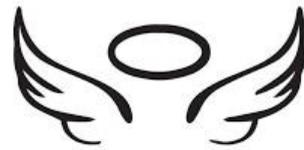
1. *Word of God, come down on earth, living rain from heav'n descending;
touch our hearts and bring to birth faith and hope and love unending.
Word almighty, we revere you; Word made flesh, we long to hear you.*

2. *Word eternal, throned on high, Word that brought to life creation,
Word that came from heav'n to die, crucified for our salvation,
saving Word, the world restoring, speak to us, your love outpouring.*

3. *Word that caused blind eyes to see, speak and heal our mortal blindness;
deaf we are: our healer be; loose our tongues to tell your kindness.
Be our Word in pity spoken, heal the world, by our sin broken.*

4. *Word that speaks God's tender love, one with God beyond all telling.
Word that sends us from above, God the Spirit, with us dwelling,
Word of truth, to all truth lead us; Word of life, with one bread feed us.*

The Prayer of the Church
The Lord's Prayer
The Blessing
Announcements



The Closing Hymn:
WOV #741

Thy

Holy Wings

1. *Thy holy wings O Savior, spread gently over me
and let me rest securely through good and ill in thee.
Oh, be my strength and portion, my rock and hiding place,
and let my ev'ry moment be lived within thy grace.*

2. *Oh, let me nestle near thee, within thy downy breast
where I will find sweet comfort and peace within thy nest.
Oh, close thy wings around me and keep me safely there,
for I am but a newborn and need thy tender care.*

3. *Oh, wash me in the waters of Noah's cleansing flood.
Give me a willing spirit, a heart both clean and good.
Oh, take into thy keeping thy children great and small,
and while we sweetly slumber, enfold us one and all.*

Chimes and Postlude: "Oh Blessed Holy Trinity" arr. Jan Bender

Welcome... in the name of Jesus. May our time together be blessed and may we become blessings to one other.

We welcome into the family of believers and Emmanuel Lutheran Church...Weston Lee Dalluge, son of Jacob and Jacqueline Dalluge. His sponsors are Cierra Dalluge and Marcus Paulus. Weston was born March 15th. May Weston grow into the faith God bestows upon him today and be a blessing to the world. Congratulations!

A Memorial Service... was held for Lenore (Ellen) Glassel at Emmanuel yesterday, Saturday, June 27th. Ellen passed away on April 3rd and was buried in the Grafton Cemetery on April 11th. We rejoice in her life of service and ask that you keep her family in your prayers.

The July/August Epistle... will be coming out the week of July 6th. Watch for the upcoming newsletter and information contained. If you have anything to put into the newsletter, please e-mail the office by July 1st.

Ed Jordan... formerly of Grafton and Emmanuel Lutheran, will turn 90 years old on Thursday, July 2nd. His family is planning a card shower for him. His address is Edwin Jordan, Northwood Pines, 700 – 10th Street North, Northwood, IA 50459. If you have a story about 'the good old times', feel free to include that. Thank you for brightening Ed's special day.

Have a safe... and blessed 4th of July. The church building will be locked and the office closed on that day.

PZ will be on vacation... July 10-17th, Sharon will be in the office her normal hours (Mon-Wed 8-12, Th 9-3) and Pastor Weeg will be on call for Pastoral care and for Sunday service on July 12th

The Weaver

My life is but a weaving
between the Lord and me;
I cannot choose the colors
He worketh steadily.
Oftimes He weaveth sorrow
and I in foolish pride forget He sees
The upper and I, the underside.
Not til the loom is silent and
The shuttles cease to fly shall
God unroll the canvas and explain
the reason why.
The dark threads are as needful
In the Weaver's skillfull hand as
The threads of gold and silver in the
pattern He has planned.

