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Worship:

Sunday: 10:00am

Bible studies:

Sunday: 8:45am every Sunday – The Gospel of John.

Noon on selected Sundays - Ezra & Nehemiah.

Wednesday: 11:00am – the Psalms.

Sunday school

Sunday: During 10:00am Divine Service.





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Confession for a clean heart and a right spirit:

Almighty and merciful God, I confess I am by nature sinful and unclean and cannot free myself from my sinful condition. I have sinned against you in thought, word and deed; by what I have done and left undone; I have not loved You with my whole heart or loved my neighbor as myself. I deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on me, forgive me and lead me that I may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways. Amen.

For the One, Holy, True Church of Christ Jesus:

Merciful God, I humbly implore You to cast the bright beams of Your light upon Your Church that I, being instructed by the doctrine of the blessed apostles, may walk in the light of Your truth and finally attain to the light of everlasting life. Through Jesus Christ, my LORD. Amen

Your suffering:

Almighty and most merciful God, in this earthly life I'll endure sufferings and death before I enter into eternal glory. Grant me grace at all times to subject myself to Your holy will and to continue steadfast in the true faith to the end of my life that I may know the peace and joy of the blessed hope of the resurrection of the dead and of the glory of the world to come. Through Jesus Christ, my LORD. Amen.

Answer to your prayer:

Almighty God, You have promised to hear the petitions of those who ask in Your Son's name. Mercifully incline Your ear to me as I now make my prayers and supplications to You, and grant that those things that I have faithfully asked according to Your will I may receive to meet my need and bring glory to You, through Jesus Christ my LORD, Amen





Fourth Sunday After Pentecost

7 July 2019

Introit: Psalms 19: 2, 4 - 6 antiphon: verse 1 The Law of the Lord is Perfect

Old Testament: Isaiah 66: 10 - 14 The Humble and Contrite Spirit

Gradual: Romans 10: 15b, 18b; Isaiah 52: 7b

Verse: Luke 10: 5b, 9b

Psalms 66: 1 – 7 antiphon: verses 8 – 9 How Awesome Are Your Deeds

Epistle: Galatians 6: 1 – 10, 14 – 18 Bear One Another's Burdens

Verse: Luke 10: 5b, 10b.

Gospel: Luke 10: 1 - 20 Jesus sends out the Seventy-Two.

The LORD Grants Peace and Life to His Church

The LORD restores Jerusalem, His Church, because she is the mother of His children, whom He comforts "as one whom his mother comforts" (Is. 66:13). We are "satisfied from her consoling breast" with the pure milk of the Word, and we "drink deeply with delight from her glorious abundance" (Is. 66:11). The messengers of Christ bestow such gifts upon His Church. For He sends them out "as lambs in the midst of wolves" (Luke 10:3), bearing in their bodies the sacrifice of His cross, by which "the kingdom of God has come near" (Luke 10:9, 11). Wherever He enters in with this Gospel, Satan is cast out and falls "like lightning from heaven" (Luke 10:18). Thus, we do not "boast except in the cross of our LORD Jesus Christ" (Gal. 6:14). Rejoicing in this Gospel, we "bear one another's burdens" in love, according to "the law of Christ" (Gal. 6:2).

Opening Hymn: 793 / Praise, My Soul, The King Of Heaven Sermon Hymn: 533 / Jesus Has Come And Brings Pleasure

Distribution Hymns: 717 / Eternal Father Strong To Save

966 / Before You, LORD, We Bow

426 / When I Survey The Wondrous Cross

861 / Christ Be My Leader

699 / I Heard The Voice Of Jesus Say

Closing Hymn: 830 / Spread The Reign Of God The LORD





Your Daily Prayers

Your Morning Prayer Luther's Morning Prayer :

I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray the You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, That all my doings and life may please You. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

My hope of eternal life in Christ;

Almighty, everlasting God, Your Son has assured forgiveness of sins and deliverance from eternal life. Strengthen us by Your Holy Spirit that our faith in Christ may increase daily and that we may hold fast to the hope that on the Last Day we shall be raised in glory to eternal life; through Jesus Christ, our LORD. Amen.

Faith, hope and love:

Almighty God, grant us a steadfast faith in Jesus Christ, a cheerful hope in Your mercy, and a sincere love for You and one another; through Jesus Christ, our LORD. Amen

Your Evening Prayer Luther's Evening Prayer:

I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this day; and I pray that You would forgive me all my sins where I have done wrong, and graciously keep me this night. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

Your Petitions and Supplications: