

*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

COMMUNION

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*Word's of Institution, *Lord's Prayer, Distribution

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.

COMMUNION HYMN

"What A Beautiful Name"

*COMMUNION BLESSING

Now may the body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. **Amen.**

*PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

We give You thanks, gracious God, that You have once again fed us with food beyond compare, the body and blood of Christ. Lead us from this place, nourished and forgiven, into Your beloved vineyard to wipe away the tears of all who hunger and thirst, guided by the example of the same Jesus Christ and led by the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.

*BLESSING

The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord's face shine upon you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace. **Amen.**

*DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

*SENDING HYMN

WOV # 780

"What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine"



**"GIVE...
TO GOD** **THE THINGS
THAT ARE
GOD'S."**

MATTHEW 22:21, NRSV

*Welcome to
Worship at Bethel*

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Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost*

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*"A Family in Christ;
Moved by His Spirit;
Sharing His Love."*

*: Please stand if you are able.
LBW: Lutheran Book of Worship (green)
WOV: With One Voice (blue)

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*INVOCATION

*GATHERING HYMN LBW # 543
"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS LBW p.77

*HYMN OF PRAISE
"I'd Rather Have Jesus"

*PRAYER OF THE DAY
Sovereign God, raise Your throne in our hearts. Created by You, let us live in Your image; created for You, let us act for Your glory; redeemed by You, let us give You what is Yours, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

FIRST LESSON Pew Bible page 661
Isaiah 45:1-7

PSALM Pew Bible page 539
Psalm 96:1-13

O sing to the LORD a new song;
sing to the LORD, all the earth.

Sing to the LORD, bless his name;
tell of his salvation from day to day.

Declare his glory among the nations,
his marvelous works among all the peoples.

For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised;
he is to be revered above all gods.

For all the gods of the peoples are idols,
but the LORD made the heavens.

Honor and majesty are before him;
strength and beauty are in his sanctuary.

Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples,
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name;
bring an offering, and come into his courts.

Worship the LORD in holy splendor;
tremble before him, all the earth.

Say among the nations, "The LORD is king! The world is firmly established;
it shall never be moved. He will judge the peoples with equity."

Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice;
let the sea roar, and all that fills it;

let the field exult, and everything in it.
Then shall all the trees of the forest sing for joy

before the LORD; for he is coming, for he is coming to judge the earth.

He will judge the world with righteousness, and the peoples with his truth.

SECOND LESSON Pew Bible page 1075
1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

*GOSPEL VERSE WOV # 612
"Halle, Halle, Hallelujah"

*GOSPEL Pew Bible page 900
Matthew 22:15-22

SERMON HYMN
"It Is Well With My Soul"

SERMON
Rev. Mark Kindem

*APOSTLES' CREED LBW p. 85
I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.