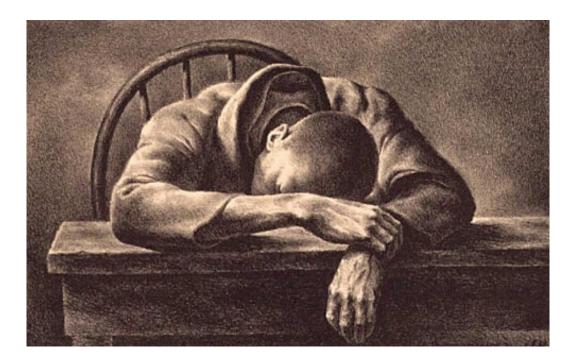
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FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH STATEMENT OF WELCOME

We, the community of First Lutheran Church of Bothell, proclaim the message that the grace of our Lord is infinitely inclusive and that everyone is welcome. We believe that Christ calls us to reconciliation and wholeness in a world of alienation and brokenness.

As a Reconciling in Christ congregation and as disciples of Christ seeking justice and reconciliation among all peoples, we at First Lutheran Church welcome all into the fullness of God's love. We welcome everyone, without exception and regardless of sex, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, physical and mental ability, age, or station in life. We recognize that each person is a unique creation of God, and through grace, a child of God.

All are welcome at First Lutheran.

All are welcome to worship, to hear the Good News, to receive the sacraments, and to share in fellowship and service. As members of First Lutheran Church, we pledge ourselves and our congregation to exercise our faith in Christ, treasuring one another's similarities while embracing our God-given differences. We pledge that we will strive to live as a reconciling people, in our life together and in our outreach to the world.

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WORSHIP NOTES

- + Please sign the white card in the pew rack and hand it to an usher on your way forward for Holy Communion.
- + The service is printed in this bulletin. Some hymns are located in the red hymn book.
- + Hearing enhancement receivers, large print bulletins are available. Feel free to ask an usher for assistance.
- + Our expectation is that children will be in worship. We understand, though, that there are times when your wiggly ones need a distraction. There is a "Pray Space" under the stairs in the inner narthex with soft toys and books. If you desire the nursery ask an usher for directions.
- + Public Wi-Fi password: MartyLuther.
- + If you would like to have a digital copy of the bulletin, go to our website and download the PDF. www.flcbothell.org

Assisting With Today's Service: Presiding Minister: Rev. Chris Ode				
Music Director	Lucy Kay Osborne	Ushers	Dan Bormann & Chris Burns	
Ensemble Leader	Richard Edmonds	Lector	Stephanie Almeida	
Guitar	Connie Wolter	Greeter	Marilyn Iverson	
Percussion	Eric Daane	Sound Tech	Ann Bormann	
Ensemble	Doug Peterson & Randall Wampler	Communion Assistants	Marilyn Iverson, Kathy Konieczka & Tom Payne	
Flute	Patty Weston	Pew Angel	Coni Holmes	

GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

PRELUDE: I Call to You, J.S. Bach

WELCOME

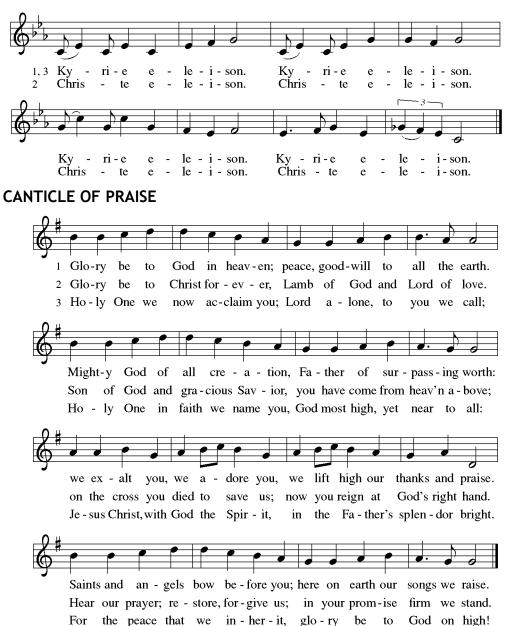
GATHERING SONG: Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (ELW 858)



GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. And also with you.

KYRIE



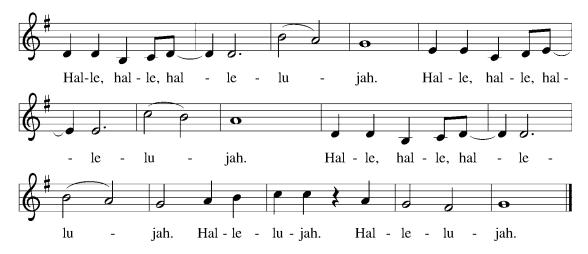
PRAYER OF THE DAY Let us pray. PRAYER OF THE DAY

Save us, O God, from our destructive ways. Lift us up to see how we might be part of healing this world. You alone are the creator; we your creation. Remind us of our place in your world and the love you pour down on us. Amen.

ANTHEM: Sarabande, Sonata in A Minor (J.S. Bach) Patty Weston, Flute

> **WORD** God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

WELCOMING THE WORD: Halle, Halle, Hallelujah



THE WORD: Psalm 69:1-16

¹Save me, O God,

for the waters have risen up to my neck.

²I am sinking in deep mire, and there is no foothold.

I have come into deep waters, and the torrent washes over me.

³I have grown weary with my crying; my throat is parched;

my eyes are worn out from looking for my God.

⁴Those who hate me without a cause are more than the hairs of my head; my lying foes who would destroy me are mighty.

Must I then give back what I never stole?

⁵O God, you know my foolishness,

and my faults are not hidden from you.

⁶Let not those who hope in you be put to shame through me, Lord GOD of hosts;

let not those who seek you be disgraced because of me, O God of Israel. ⁷Surely, for your sake I have suffered reproach,

and shame has covered my face.

⁸I have become a stranger to my own kindred,

an alien to my mother's children.

⁹Zeal for your house has eaten me up;

the scorn of those who scorn you has fallen upon me.

¹⁰I humbled myself with fasting,

but that was turned to my reproach.

¹¹I put on sackcloth also,

and became a by-word among them.

¹²Those who sit at the gate murmur against me,

and the drunkards make songs about me.

¹³But as for me, this is my prayer to you, at the time you have set, O LORD: "In your great mercy, O God, answer me with your unfailing help.

¹⁴Save me from the mire; do not let me sink;

let me be rescued from those who hate me and out of the deep waters.

¹⁵Let not the torrent of waters wash over me, neither let the deep swallow me up;

do not let the pit shut its mouth upon me.

¹⁶Answer me, O LORD, for your love is kind;

in your great compassion, turn to me.

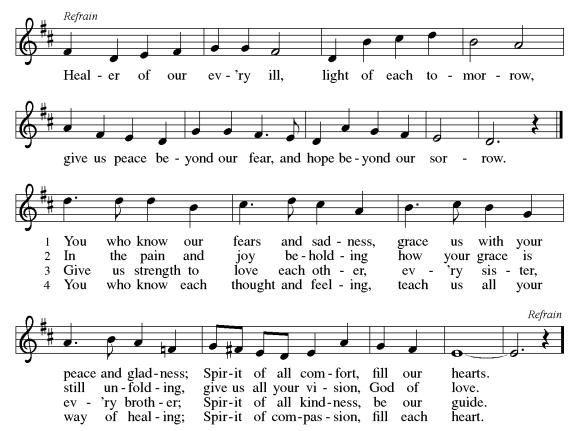
Word of God.

Word of life.

CHILDREN'S SERMON: Roger Steinke, Director of REACH Ministries

SERMON: Rev. Chris Ode, Pastor, Living Stones

HYMN OF THE DAY: Healer of Our Every Ill (ELW 612)



AN AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

We are not alone, we live in God's world.

We believe in God:

who has created and is creating,

who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh,

to reconcile and make new,

who works in us and others by the Spirit.

We trust in God.

We are called to be the Church:

to celebrate God's presence,

to live with respect in Creation,

to love and serve others,

to seek justice and resist evil,

to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope. In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us.

We are not alone. Thanks be to God. 8

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Joining our voices with God's people around the world, let us offer our prayers for those in need.

For all servants of the gospel, for the church throughout the world, and for all who sing the praise and glory of God, that through the gift of faith, all declare the wonderful name of Christ, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

For the well-being of creation, for mountains and lakes, for fields and forests, and for plants and animals, that God lift up good stewards to care for the entire earth, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

For the nations and their rulers, for aid workers, and for people in war-torn areas, that God raise up leaders and advocates to work for the equality of all, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

For all who cry out in need: the hungry and poor, the downtrodden and outcast, the grieving and the sick, especially Mul, that all know that God is near and hears their cries, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

For teachers preparing for the upcoming school year, for those who are traveling and absent from worship, and for those who visit our congregation, that God's love lead them in their daily vocations, let us pray. **Have mercy, O God.**

For whom do the people pray?

For all baptized into Christ's death and resurrection, including those who have died, especially Gary. Confident that we belong to you in life and in death, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

Merciful God, you hear the prayers of your people even before they are spoken. We commend these and all our prayers to you, trusting in your abundant mercy; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Seeking reconciliation with God and neighbor, let us remember the gift of baptism and confess our sin.

Silence for self-reflection.

God of mercy,

we confess that we have sinned against you, against one another, and against the earth entrusted to our care. We are worried and distracted by many things,

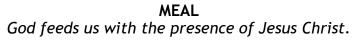
and we fail to love you above all else. We store up treasures for ourselves

and turn away from our neighbors in need. Forgive us, that we may live in the freedom of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

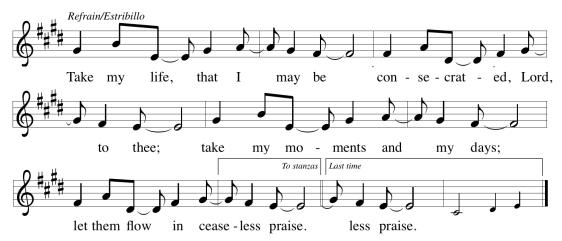
When we were laid low by sin and guilt, God made us alive together with Christ, forgiving us all our trespasses by taking our sins to the cross. For freedom Christ has set us free: Rejoice in this good news! **Amen.**

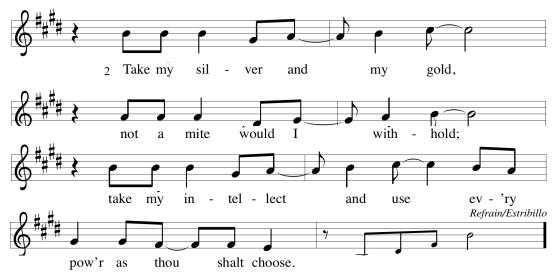
PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always. And also with you.



OFFERING: Take My Life, That I May Be





OFFERING PRAYER

Let us pray.

Blessed are you, O God, for the greening earth given for all, for the talents we are given to share, and for this bread and wine. Transform us to be the body of Christ, that, feasting on this food and drink, our lives may reflect your generosity; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

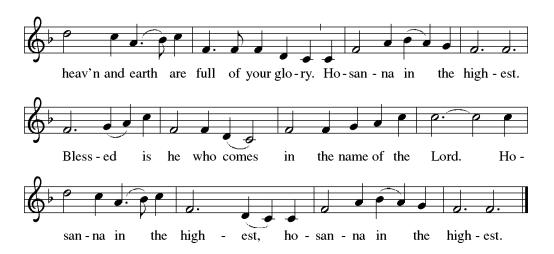
The Lord be with you. And also with you. Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

PREFACE

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ; who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY





THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

Holy God, our Maker, Redeemer, and Healer, in the harmonious world of your creation, the plants and animals, the seas and stars were whole and well in your praise.

When sin had scarred the world, you sent your Son to heal our ills and to form us again into one.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus 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.

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.

Remembering, therefore, his acts of healing, his body given up, and his victory over death, we await that day when all the peoples of the earth will come to the river to enjoy the tree of life.

Send your Spirit upon us and this meal: as grains scattered on the hillside become one bread, so let your Church be gathered from the ends of the earth, that all may be fed with the Bread of life, your Son.

Through him all glory and honor is yours, Almighty Father, with the Holy Spirit, in your holy Church, both now and forever. Amen LORD'S PRAYER (HAAS)



INVITATION TO COMMUNION

God invites you to this table of bounty. Come, the banquet is ready.

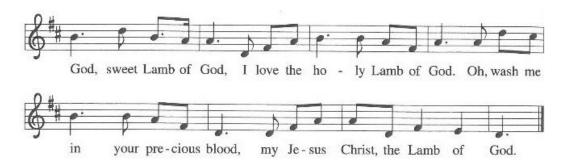
COMMUNION: We will receive the body of Christ as gluten-free bread with these or similar words: The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ will be received as either red wine or white grape juice with these or similar words: The blood of Christ, shed for you.

WHO MAY COMMUNE? All are welcome at the Lord's Table. It is a free gift given to all for the forgiveness of sins. The words "for you" really mean FOR YOU! Children may commune at the discretion of their parents. If you wish to receive a blessing: cross your arms over your chest as a sign for the communion assistants.

DIRECTIONS FOR COMMUNION: Please come forward by the center aisle at the direction of the ushers to receive the sacrament and return to your seat down the side aisle. Please register each person taking communion on a pew card.

AGNUS DEI: Lamb of God: Your Only Son (ELW 336)





COMMUNION HYMNS: Just a Closer Walk with Thee (ELW 697) Day by Day (ELW 790)

Let us pray.

O God, in this holy communion you have welcomed us into your presence, nourished us with words of mercy, and fed us at your table. Amid the cares of this life, strengthen us to love you with all our heart, serve our neighbors with a willing spirit, and honor the earth you have made; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLESSING

Live your lives in Christ, rooted and built up in him, and abound in thanksgiving; and the blessing of the holy Trinity, one God, be upon you and remain with you forever. Amen.

SENDING SONG: On Our Way Rejoicing (ELW 537)



DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Christ is sending you. Thanks be to God. POSTLUDE

IN OUR PRAYERS

Prayers of sympathy for Alice Werner and family in the death of their husband, father and grandfather, Gary.

Our Ministry Partners:

Lutheran Disaster Response, Lutheran Immigration & Refugee Services, Lutheran Counseling Network, Lutheran World Relief, Northwest Washington Synod

Those living with cancer:

Juanita (Bonnie & Bob Ahlstedt's sister-in-law), Barbara (Clint Bastin's mother), Richard (Sherrill Baker's uncle), Barb (Stacy Souriall's friend), Donna (Del Benson's friend), Joyce (David Osborne's aunt), Cynthia (Ginny & Jim Conricode's sister-in-law), Patricia (Stephanie Almeida's aunt), Linda (Paul Ehe's mother), Russel (Karey Coble's cousin), Edith Holbrook (member), Susan (Cathy Tanner's friend), Richard (Ruth Neitzel's brother), Aly (David Osborne's niece), Pam (Marlis Pehling's niece), Don (Doug Peterson's brother), Mary Beth (Cathy Tanner's friend), Rita (Ruth Neitzel's sister), Teresa (Michelle Tuck's friend), Roger (Michelle Tuck's brother-in-law), Tim (Neil McGee's friend), Ted (Sue Toyoda's friend), Kip (Paul Desilet's uncle), Joanne (Carolyn Becker's sister-in-law) & Clara (Pat Daane's cousin).

Those who are ill, have an injury or who are recovering from surgery:

Jeff Almeida (Stephanie Almeida's husband), Cameron Anderson (former member), Marilyn Anderson (member), Paul Anderson (member), Ashley (Chris Martin & Tom Agnew's friend), Iris (Nancy Funsinn's granddaughter), Janice (frequent visitor), Lou (Cathy Edwards' friend), Katie (Darlene Robare's granddaughter), Nancy Davis (member), Henry (Beth Bowers' firend), Jay (Pat Daane's cousin), Judy (Judy Richards' friend), Marcie (Dan Hendricks' friend), Karen (Darlene Robare's daughter), Sherri Gordon (member), Jackie (Stacy & Mike Souriall's friend), Ryan (Cathy Edwards' grandson), Dorothy (Johannes Skjonsby's mother), Lorretta Rapp (member), Terry Straka (member), Lola (Bob Berg's aunt), Sadako (Sue Toyoda's mother-in-law), Darlene (Andrea Faubion's mother), Zoe (Ian Anderson's sister), & Harriet (Eleanor Walters' mother)

Those who are homebound or in extended care facilities:

Margie Bannister (member), Phyllis Enger (member), Lillian & Lawrence (Leon Romaniuk's parents), Fran Tazuma (member), Sigrid (Carsten Thode's mother) & Phyllis Watters (member).

Please remember to pray for peace in these war torn areas:

Israel/Palestine, Syria, Afghanistan, North Korea, Somalia and Iraq.

Those Serving Our Country:

AIR FORCE: Tyler Ripley (Jeanne Koruga's nephew) and Erin Siebert (Linda & Joe Siebert's daughter)

ARMY: Shaun Cunningham (Cris Sherman's son-in-law), Lucas Peters (Jim & Vernita Steege's grandson), Asis Montalvo (Adjorlolo family friend), Ben Souriall (Stacy & Mike Souriall's son)

MARINES: James Bacon (Jeanne Koruga's friend) and Olav Wampler (Elizabeth & Randall Wampler's son)

NAVY: Karl Krueger (Karin Ulvin's husband), Kelsey Schunk (Jack Schunk's granddaughter), Kyle Warner (Karen and Paul Gabrielsen's grandson) & Christopher Whipple (Carolyn & Richard Whipple's son)

We are honored to be able to pray for your family members and close friends in need. Our policy is to publish immediate concerns for 2 weeks, unless we hear from you that an illness or situation is ongoing.

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INFORMATION For the Week!				
<u>Sunday, June 23 Second Sunday after Pentecost</u> Welcome Rev. Chris Ode!				
9:30 Am	Worship			
Monday, June 24 12:00	Friends Supporting Friends—Picnic at Paula's			
<u>Tuesday, June 25</u> 9:30 am 11:00 am 7:00 pm	Lectionary Staff Meeting Brass Ensemble Rehearsal			
Wednesday, June 26 11:00 am	Worship Team Meeting			
Thursday, June 27 9:00 am	Quilters			
<u>Friday, June 28</u> Church Office Closed				
<u>Saturday, June 2</u>				
Sunday, June 30 Third Sunday after Pentecost				
9:30 Am	Worship			
10:45 am	Lutheran World Relief School Kits Work Party & Brunch—All are welcome to help with this summer project! Contact Lucy Kay			
11:00 am	Osborne for more info! Pride Parade—all are invited to walk with the First Lutheran Church group! Contact Tom Payne for more info.			

Sermon Notes

What one word stuck out for me?

What phrase or sentence was especially memorable?

What did I hear that I am eager to share with another person?

I think the title of the sermon is:

June 30, 2019 Third Sunday after Pentecost Psalm 69:1-16 Weekly Financial Report June 16, 2019 Attendance: 175 General Offerings:\$11,416 Mortgage Fund:\$855 <u>Amount needed per Sunday:</u> General Offerings: \$9,907 Mortgage Fund: \$1,098

