
Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

October 4, 2020

The Preparation Rite

Prelude/Silent Prayer	Arla Kintigh
Welcome & Announcements	Pastor Jensen
(* Indicates Standing)	
* Brief Order for Confession & Forgiveness	p. 77

The Entrance Rite

Lutheran Book of Worship – Setting 2

* Opening Hymn:	LBW #540
“Praise the Lord! O Heavens”	
* Apostolic Greeting	p. 78
* Prayer of the Day	(The Word of God Insert – Responses Spoken)

The Liturgy of The Word

First Reading:	Isaiah 5:1-7
Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.	
All: Thanks be to God.	

Responsive Reading of Psalm (The Word of God Insert) **80:7-18**

Second Reading:	Philippians 3:4b-14
Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.	
All: Thanks be to God.	

* Gospel Acclamation	
(sung: Alleluia. Lord to whom shall we go?	
You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.)	
	p. 83

* Holy Gospel is Announced:	Matthew 21:33-46
* Glory to you , O Lord. (sung)	
* After the Gospel Reading:	Praise to you, O Christ. (sung)
Sermon	Pastor John Jensen

Silent Meditation

Hymn	“Children of the Heavenly Father” (v. 1,2)	LBW #474
<i>The Liturgy of the Sacrament of Holy Baptism</i>		Insert
Hymn	“Children of the Heavenly Father” (v. 3,4)	LBW #474

* Prayers of Intercession	p. 85
Response: P: “Lord in Your Mercy” All: Hear our prayer	

The Eucharistic Liturgy

* Presentation of the Eucharistic Elements	p. 86
<i>(“Let the Vineyards be Fruitful, Lord...”)</i>	
* Offertory Prayer	p. 87
All: We offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us – ourselves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.	

* Great Thanksgiving & Sanctus	p. 88-89
* Eucharistic Prayer	p. 89
* Lord’s Prayer (<i>Traditional</i>)	p. 91
* Lamb of God & Distribution of Communion	p. 92
- “Lord of All Hopefulness”	LBW #469
- “All Who Believe and Are Baptized”	LBW #194

Holy Communion - *We come to the table this morning at the invitation of the Lord, receiving the body and blood of Christ for the forgiveness of our sins. Baptized Christians who share this faith and wish to join us at the table are welcome. Those who do not yet commune are invited to come forward for a blessing. See Insert for Tips on Intinction method.*

The Concluding Rite

* Post-Communion Canticle (<i>“Thank the Lord...”</i>)	p. 92
* Post-Communion Prayer	
* Benediction	
* Recessional Hymn:	LBW #501
“He Leadeth Me: Oh, Blessed Thought!”	
* Dismissal	
Postlude	Arla Kintigh

Welcome to our Visitors

We welcome you in the Name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. If you are a visitor, please sign our Guest Book in the Narthex.

God's Servants at the Liturgy

Presider	Pastor John Jensen
Server	Emma White
Lector	Tami Kroll
Communion Assistant	Molly Vander Linden
Gift Bearers	Lynn & Nancy Heideman
Altar Guild	Becky Caswell, Kim Grell
Ushers	John Kelley, Scott Nolte
Offering Counters	Lynn & Nancy Heideman

Congregational Announcements

Holy Baptism

Today *Eden Marie Long*, the daughter of Josh & Stacie Long, will be baptized into Christ, and will be made a member of His one, holy, catholic and apostolic church, through the Sacrament of Holy Baptism. We want to extend a warm welcome to family members and friends who are present for this special occasion.

St. Luke Auxiliary – Deadline is Today

The Ruth Circle is collecting donations for St. Luke Auxiliary Bazaar Gifting. Candice Getting, our local agent at Modern Woodmen, has notified us that they will be providing matching funds to the Auxiliary up to \$1,000. We are helping St. Luke to purchase the following items: Vegetable steamer, 2 wide wheelchairs, a mixer, a blender, and a Tablet. *You may drop your donation off at the church office or mail to our treasurer – Sonna Winther.*

Confirmation Enrollment – Next Sunday

During the Eucharist next Sunday, all Confirmation students will be enrolled in our Confirmation program. Following the Eucharist Pastor John will meet with the parents and students to go over materials.

Quarterly Giving Statements

The end of September marked the end of the third quarter of 2020. Quarterly giving statements are being prepared and will be placed in your mailbox in the narthex. Please watch for your giving statement.

Special Music

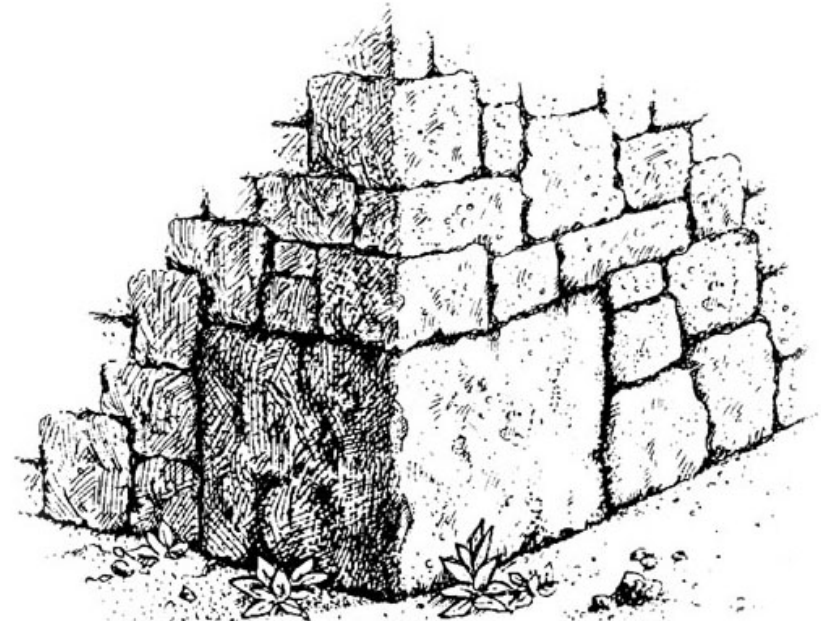
We are still looking for individuals and families who would be willing to provide special music, vocal or instrumental, on an upcoming Sunday. If you would be willing to share your talents, please contact Arla Kintigh at 712-363-1856.

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“... ‘The stone the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; the Lord has done this, and it is marvelous in our eyes,...”