



REFORMATION
Sunday

The Divine Service

Reformation Sunday

October 30, 2022

AS WE GATHER

"Therefore GO and make disciples of all nations." Matthew 28:19a The great commission from Jesus is something we reference at the end of every worship service. As we gather for worship this week, we focus on being sent out into the world. This "being sent" doesn't necessarily mean that we are to be international missionaries...in fact, the first place we need to go might be our own homes as we live out the faith to our friends and families. As we are challenged this week by the red letters may you consider moving beyond the levels of your comfort and experience parts of God you would otherwise miss.

WORDS OF WELCOME/THEME OF THE DAY

REMEMBRANCE OF BAPTISM

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their baptism.

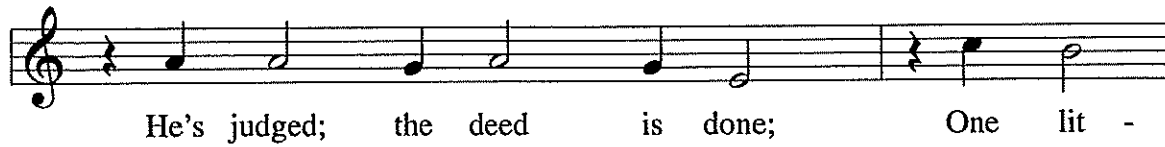
Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the ✝ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

OPENING HYMN "A Mighty Fortress is Our God"

LSB 656 verse 3

3 Though dev - ils all the world should fill,
All ea - ger to de - vour us,
We trem - ble not, we fear no ill;
They shall not o - ver - pow'r us.
This world's prince may still Scowl fierce



BRIEF ORDER OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Pastor: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People: Amen.

Pastor: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

Pastor: Most merciful God,

People: we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

Pastor: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" LSB 656, verse 1, 2 & 4



1 A might - y for - tress is our God,
 2 With might of ours can naught be done,
 4 The Word they still shall let re - main



A trust - y shield and weap - on;
 Soon were our loss ef - fect - ed;
 Nor an - y thanks have for it;



He helps us free from ev - 'ry need
 But for us fights the val - iant One,
 He's by our side up - on the plain



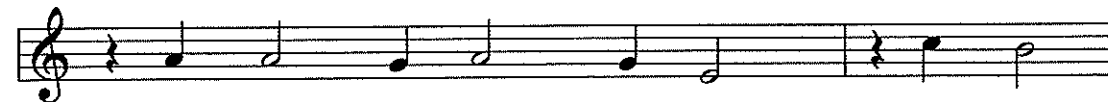
That hath us now o'er - tak - en.
 Whom God Him - self e - lect - ed.
 With His good gifts and Spir - it.



The old e - vil foe Now means
 Ask ye, Who is this? Je - sus
 And take they our life, Goods, fame,



dead - ly woe; Deep guile and great might
 Christ it is, Of Sab - a - oth Lord,
 child, and wife, Though these all be gone,



Are his dread arms in fight; On earth
 And there's none oth - er God; He holds
 Our vic - t'ry has been won; The King -

4



is not his e - qual.
 the field for - ev - er.
 dom ours re - main - eth.

GREETING

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

People: **And also with you.**

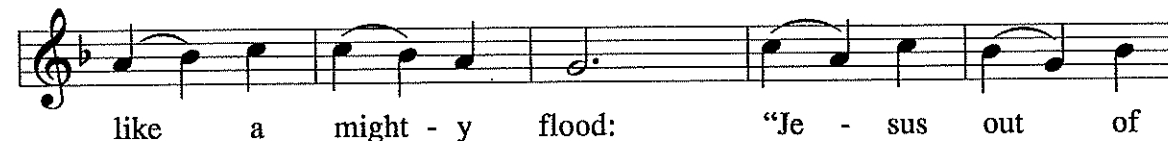
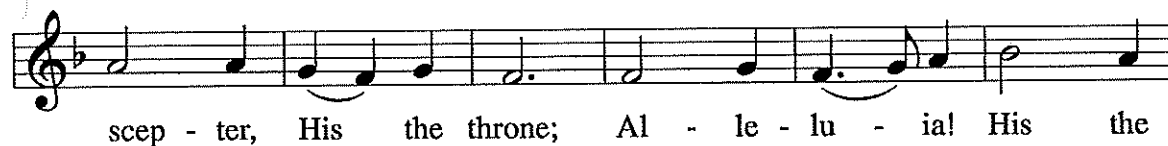
PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray. O Lord, stir up the hearts of Your faithful people to welcome and joyfully receive Your Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ, that He may find in us a fit dwelling place; who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: **Amen.**

HYMN OF PRAISE

"Alleluia! Sing to Jesus"



THE RITE OF HOLY BAPTISM

8:30 AM

"This is a Joyous, Happy Day"

This is a joyous, happy day; We celebrate Your gift of life.
Christ is with us, joy surrounds us. Christ takes our sin and sets us free.
He fills our lives with endless life. Christ is with us. Christ unites us.
Praise our maker, praise the Spirit. Praise Christ Jesus

THE FIRST READING

Acts 1:4-8 NIV

Reader: ⁴ On one occasion, while he was eating with them, he gave them this command: "Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. ⁵ For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit." ⁶ Then they gathered around him and asked him, "Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?" ⁷ He said to them: "It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. ⁸ But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

ALLELUIA AND VERSE



HOLY GOSPEL

Matthew 28:16-20 NIV

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew the twenty-eighth chapter.

People: **Glory be to Thee, O Lord.**

¹⁶ Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. ¹⁷ When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. ¹⁸ Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹ Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

⁶ People: **Praise be to Thee, O Christ.**

HYMN OF THE DAY

"I Will Follow"

INTRO

Where You go I'll go
Where You stay I'll stay
When You move I'll move
I will follow

VERSE 1

All Your ways are good
All Your ways are sure
I will trust in You alone
Higher than my sight
High above my life
I will trust in You alone

CHORUS

Where You go I'll go
Where You stay I'll stay
When You move I'll move
I will follow You
Whom You love I'll love
How You serve I'll serve
If this life I lose
I will follow (You)

VERSE 2

Light into the world
Light into my life
I will live for You alone
You're the One I seek

Light into the world
Light into my life
I will live for You alone
You're the One I seek
Knowing I will find
All I need in You alone
In You alone

BRIDGE

In You there's life everlasting
In You there's freedom for my soul
In You there's joy unending joy
And I will follow

ENDING

Yeah I will follow You yeah
I will follow You yeah
I will follow You yeah

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SERMON

"Going"

Pastor Scott Henze

APOSTLES' CREED

11:00 Only

People: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come 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.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Petitions end, "Lord in your mercy" Congregation responds, "Hear Our Prayer"

OFFERING

"Go Into the World"

Adult Choir, 8:30 AM

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Pastor: Let us pray: Merciful God,

People: 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.

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

Stand as you are able.

PREFACE

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.



A word about Holy Communion: We welcome to the Lord's Table all baptized Christians who believe in the Real Presence of Christ in this sacrament and believe that in this eating and drinking, we receive the forgiveness of sins and the power to amend our sinful lives. Children who have not yet been instructed may come forward for a blessing, crossing their arms over the chest thus indicating they will not receive the elements. For those who prefer a non-alcoholic option please know that the center of the communion tray is white grape juice. A gluten free wafer is available upon request.

PROPER PREFACE

SANCTUS

Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9



☐ Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth a - dored;



Heav'n and earth with full ac-claim shout the glo-ry of Your name.



Sing ho - san-na in the high-est, sing ho-san - na to the Lord;



Tru - ly blest is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Pastor: Taught by our Lord and trusting His promises, we are bold to pray:

People: **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.**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PEACE OF THE LORD

John 20:19

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Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People: **And also with you.**

The minister and congregation may greet one another with the peace of the Lord.

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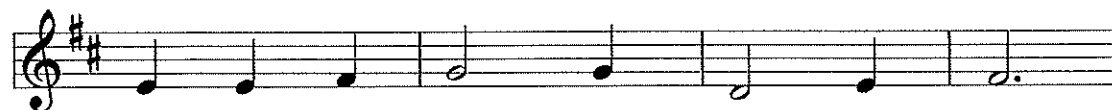
John 1:29



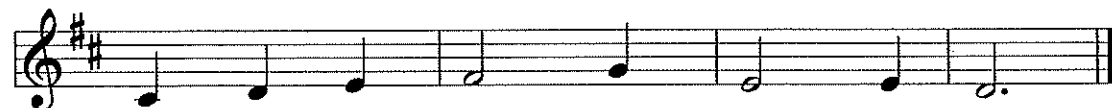
1 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
2 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,



You take the sin of the world a - way;
You take the sin of the world a - way;



O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus Christ,



Have mer - cy on us, Lord, we pray.
And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.

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DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

LSB 686



1 Come, Thou Fount of ev - 'ry bless - ing, Tune my heart to
2 Here I raise my Eb - en - e - zer, Hith - er by Thy
3 Oh, to grace how great a debt - or Dai - ly I'm con -
4 Oh, that day when freed from sin - ning, I shall see Thy



sing Thy grace; Streams of mer - cy, nev - er ceas - ing,
help I've come; And I hope, by Thy good plea - sure,
strained to be; Let that grace now like a fet - ter
love - ly face; Clothed then in the blood - washed lin - en,



Call for songs of loud - est praise. While the hope of end - less
 Safe - ly to ar - rive at home. Je - sus sought me when a
 Bind my wan - d'ring heart to Thee: Prone to wan - der, Lord, I
 How I'll sing Thy won - drous grace! Come, my Lord, no long - er



glo - ry Fills my heart with joy and love, Teach me
 strang - er, Wan - d'ring from the fold of God; He, to
 feel it; Prone to leave the God I love. Here's my
 tar - ry; Take my ran - som'd soul a - way; Send Thine



ev - er to a - dore Thee; May I still Thy good - ness prove.
 res - cue me from dan - ger, In - ter - posed His pre - cious blood.
 heart, O take and seal it, Seal it for Thy courts a - bove.
 an - gels soon to car - ry Me to realms of end - less day.

"Here I Am Lord"

I, the Lord of sea and sky
 I have heard my people cry
 All who dwell in dark and sin
 My hand will save

Chorus

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
 I have heard you calling in the night
 I will go, Lord, if you lead me
 I will hold your people in my heart

Verse 2

I, who made the stars of night
 I will make their darkness bright
 Who will bear my light to them?
 Whom shall I send? (Chorus)

Verse 3

I, the Lord of snow and rain
 I have borne my people's pain
 I have wept for love of them
 They turn away (Chorus)

"O God of Mercy, God of Might"

LSB 852



1 O God of mer - cy, God of might, In love and
2 And Thou, who cam'st on earth to die That our lost
3 Teach us the les - son Thou hast taught: To feel for
4 All are re - deemed, both far and wide, Since Thou, O



pit - y in - fi - nite, Teach us, as ev - er
world might live there - by, O hear us; for to
those Thy blood hath bought, That ev - 'ry word and
Lord, for all hast died. Grant us the will and



in Thy sight, To live our lives in Thee.
Thee we cry, In hope, O Lord, to Thee.
deed and thought May work a work for Thee.
grace pro - vide To love them all in Thee!

Lord
have
mercy

NUNC DIMITTIS



2 All glo - ry to the Fa - ther, All
glo - ry to the Son, All glo - ry to the
Spir - it, For - ev - er Three in One;
For as in the be - gin - ning, Is
now, shall ev - er be, God's tri - une name re -
sound - ing Through all e - ter - ni - ty.

POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

Let us pray. We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BENEDICTION

RECESSIONAL HYMN

"Go My Children, with My Blessing"

LSB 922, Verses 1 – 3



1 Go, My chil-dren, with My bless - ing, Nev - er a - lone.
2 Go, My chil-dren, sins for - giv - en, At peace and pure.
3 Go, My chil-dren, fed and nour - ished, Clos - er to Me;



Wak - ing, sleep - ing, I am with you; You are My own. In My
Here you learned how much I love you, What I can cure. Here you
Grow in love and love by serv - ing, Joy - ful and free. Here My



love's bap - tis - mal riv - er I have made you Mine for - ev - er.
heard My dear Son's sto - ry; Here you touched Him, saw His glo - ry.
Spir - it's pow - er filled you; Here His ten - der com - fort stilled you.



Go, My chil-dren, with My bless - ing— You are My own.
Go, My chil-dren, sins for - giv - en, At peace and pure.
Go, My chil-dren, fed and nour - ished, Joy - ful and free.

DISMISSAL

Pastor: Lord Jesus you lead us! Now we go as....

People: **Disciples making disciples.**

Pastor: Go in peace and serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

If you have a prayer request we invite you to come up to the altar following the worship service to pray with a member of our prayer team.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND SERVICES

Trivia Night Youth Fundraiser

Friday, November 18 at 6:15 PM; Play and online. Gather a team to play!

Thanksgiving Eve Service

Wednesday, November 23, 7:30 PM - Gather together to give thanks.

Midweek Advent Evening Worship Services

Wednesdays, November 30, December 7 & 14 at 7:30 PM

Drive Thru Live Nativity

Sunday, December 4; 5:30 PM –8:30 PM

Mark your calendars for this special presentation of the Christmas story.
Live animals, music and more. Invite your friends and neighbors!

Owls - Older Wiser Lutherans

Friday, December 9 at 7:00 PM- Monthly Social Gathering for 55+

Middle School Youth Group Christmas Party

Friday, December 9 at 7:00 PM- All Middle School students are invited!

Kids Choir Christmas Musical

Sunday, December 11 at both services. The children will lead us in worship.

A Quiet Christmas Service

Sunday, December 11, 7:00 PM ; All are invited for an evening of inspirational readings and music in preparation of the Birth of Christ.

A holiday reception will follow service.

Senior Youth Group Christmas Party

Wednesday, December 21; 6:30 PM ; All High School Students & friends
9th through 12th grade are invited.

Amen!

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Sunday Worship Services: 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Sunday School for children and Youth at 9:45 AM

Adult Bible Study at 10:00 AM

