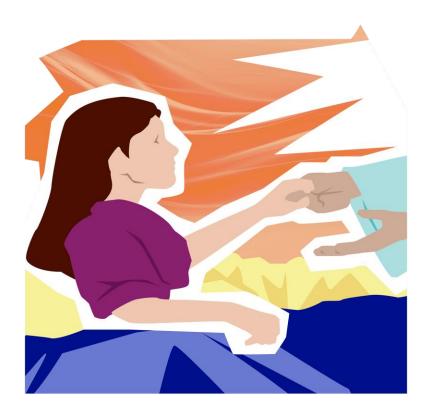
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FIFTH SATURDAY AND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Saturday, June 26, 2021, 6:00 pm and Sunday, June 27, 2021, 8:30 a.m.

As We Gather

Do you forget to pray now and then? This is fallen human nature. God never forgets to listen. The Lord's steadfast love never ceases. When Jesus walked this earth, this was evident as He raised Jairus's daughter, who had died between the request and Jesus' arrival at his home. And He cured a hemorrhaging woman whose only prayer was touching His robe. But God does more than restore us to physical life and health. Jesus left the riches of heaven, becoming a poor and despised human being so that we might become rich with everlasting life. How can we ever thank Him? Paul encourages us to share generously and joyfully whatever God has so graciously given us.

PREPARATION

Opening Hymn Beautiful Savior LSB #537

Invocation

- P In the name of the Father and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

Psalm 30:1–5

- P I will extol You, O LORD, for You have drawn me up and have not let my foes rejoice over me.
- O LORD my God, I cried to You for help, and You have healed me.
- O LORD, You have brought up my soul from Sheol;
- You restored me to life from among those who go down to the pit.
- Sing praises to the LORD, O you His saints, and give thanks to His holy name. For His anger is but for a moment,
- and His favor is for a lifetime.
- P Weeping may tarry for the night,
- **b**ut joy comes with the morning.

Confession

P Confident that God's favor is for a lifetime and that joy comes with the morning, let us confess our sins to our heavenly Father.

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, I admit and confess my sinfulness. I have turned away from others in my thinking, speaking, and doing. I have done the evil You forbid and have not done the good You demand. I do repent and am truly sorry for these, my sins. Have mercy on me because of the obedience of Your Son. Forgive all my sins, and by the Holy Spirit, move me to serve You faithfully; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Psalm 30:6–10

- As for me, I said in my prosperity,
 "I shall never be moved."

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- By Your favor, O LORD,You made my mountain stand strong;
- P You hid Your face:
- **C** I was dismayed.
- P To You, O LORD, I cry,
- and to the LORD I plead for mercy:
- "What profit is there in my death, if I go down to the pit?
- Will the dust praise You?
 Will it tell of Your faithfulness?
- P Hear, O LORD, and be merciful to me!
- O LORD, be my helper!"

Absolution

- In today's Gospel, Jesus answered the prayers of a synagogue leader, Jairus, and a sick woman because they trusted in Him. Our Lord left His heavenly riches and became poor so that He could not only cure illness and physical death, but by His death and resurrection offer us the riches of heaven. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the
 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- Thanks be to God! Amen!

Psalm 30:11–12

P You have turned for me my mourning into dancing;

- You have loosed my sackcloth and clothed me with gladness,
- P that my glory may sing Your praise and not be silent.
- O LORD my God, I will give thanks to You forever!

WORD

Prayer of the Day

- **P** The Lord be with you.
- **C** And also with you.
- P Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, during His earthly ministry, Your Son, Jesus, healed the sick and raised the dead. By the healing medicine of the Word and Sacraments pour into our hearts such love toward You that we may live eternally; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Old Testament Reading

Lamentations 3:22–33 (ESV)

Because the Lord's steadfast love never ceases, we can hope for an end to current grief

²² The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; his mercies never come to an end; ²³ they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. ²⁴ "The LORD is my portion," says my soul, "therefore I will hope in him." ²⁵ The LORD is good to those who wait for him, to the soul who seeks him. ²⁶ It is good that one should wait quietly for the salvation of the LORD. ²⁷ It is good for a man that he bear the yoke in his youth. ²⁸ Let him sit alone in silence when it is laid on him; ²⁹ let him put his mouth in the dust— there may yet be hope; ³⁰ let him give his cheek to the one who strikes, and let him be filled with insults. ³¹ For the Lord will not cast off forever, ³² but, though he cause grief, he will have compassion according to the abundance of his steadfast love; ³³ for he does not afflict from his heart or grieve the children of men.

- This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

Epistle

2 Corinthians 8:1-9, 13-15 (ESV)

Encouragement to share monetary blessings

¹ We want you to know, brothers, about the grace of God that has been given among the churches of Macedonia, ² for in a severe test of affliction, their abundance of joy and their

extreme poverty have overflowed in a wealth of generosity on their part. ³ For they gave according to their means, as I can testify, and beyond their means, of their own accord, ⁴ begging us earnestly for the favor of taking part in the relief of the saints— ⁵ and this, not as we expected, but they gave themselves first to the Lord and then by the will of God to us. ⁶ Accordingly, we urged Titus that as he had started, so he should complete among you this act of grace. ⁷ But as you excel in everything—in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in all earnestness, and in our love for you—see that you excel in this act of grace also. ⁸ I say this not as a command, but to prove by the earnestness of others that your love also is genuine. ⁹ For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you by his poverty might become rich. ... ¹³ For I do not mean that others should be eased and you burdened, but that as a matter of fairness ¹⁴ your abundance at the present time should supply their need, so that their abundance may supply your need, that there may be fairness. ¹⁵ As it is written, "Whoever gathered much had nothing left over, and whoever gathered little had no lack."

- **I** This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel Mark 5:21–43 (ESV)

Jesus heals a woman and raises Jairus's daughter

- P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the fifth chapter.
- Glory to You, O Lord.

²¹ And when Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered about him, and he was beside the sea. ²² Then came one of the rulers of the synagogue, Jairus by name, and seeing him, he fell at his feet ²³ and implored him earnestly, saying, "My little daughter is at the point of death. Come and lay your hands on her, so that she may be made well and live." ²⁴ And he went with him. And a great crowd followed him and thronged about him. ²⁵ And there was a woman who had had a discharge of blood for twelve years, ²⁶ and who had suffered much under many physicians, and had spent all that she had, and was no better but rather grew worse. ²⁷ She had heard the reports about Jesus and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his garment. ²⁸ For she said, "If I touch even his garments, I will be made well." ²⁹ And immediately the flow of blood dried up, and she felt in her body that she was healed of her disease. 30 And Jesus, perceiving in himself that power had gone out from him, immediately turned about in the crowd and said, "Who touched my garments?" 31 And his disciples said to him, "You see the crowd pressing around you, and yet you say, 'Who touched me?' " 32 And he looked around to see who had done it. 33 But the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling and fell down before him and told him the whole truth. 34 And he said to her, "Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease." 35 While he was still speaking, there came from the ruler's house some who said, "Your daughter is dead. Why trouble the Teacher any further?" ³⁶ But overhearing what they said, Jesus said to the ruler of the

synagogue, "Do not fear, only believe." ³⁷ And he allowed no one to follow him except Peter and James and John the brother of James. ³⁸ They came to the house of the ruler of the synagogue, and Jesus saw a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. ³⁹ And when he had entered, he said to them, "Why are you making a commotion and weeping? The child is not dead but sleeping." ⁴⁰ And they laughed at him. But he put them all outside and took the child's father and mother and those who were with him and went in where the child was. ⁴¹ Taking her by the hand he said to her, "Talitha cumi," which means, "Little girl, I say to you, arise." ⁴² And immediately the girl got up and began walking (for she was twelve years of age), and they were immediately overcome with amazement. ⁴³ And he strictly charged them that no one should know this, and told them to give her something to eat.

- **P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- Praise to You, O Christ.

Apostles' Creed

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.

Children's Message

Sermon Hymn

When Peace, like a River

LSB #763

Sermon Where You Are Mark 5:21–43

Offering

Prayer

- P Your mercies "are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness."
- Heavenly Father, hear the cries of those who awaken to face another day of injustice, prejudice, and oppression. Give them hope in Your promises.
- P "The LORD is good to those who wait for Him, to the soul who seeks Him."
- **Give patience and guidance to clergy and lay leaders of the Church that through them the Gospel will move many to seek Christ and His salvation.**
- The Lord will not cast off forever, . . . He will have compassion according to the abundance of His steadfast love."
- In Your great love, O Lord, give strength and healing to all who are enduring long-term illnesses and difficult treatments. Help medical people and institutions find new ways of alleviating pain and reversing recurring symptoms.
- P "By Your favor, O LORD, You made my mountain stand strong."
- Give wisdom to the leaders of the nations, protection to armed forces deployed, and guidance to law enforcement, that peace may break out between nations and our neighborhoods may be places of calm and connected community.
- To You, O LORD, I cry, and to the Lord I plead for mercy." We pray especially for those near and dear to us, [especially . . .]. Heavenly Father,
- **g** grant them health, peace, and relief as fits Your gracious plans for them.
- The Macedonian Christians' "abundance of joy and their extreme poverty have overflowed in a wealth of generosity on their part."
- Open our eyes and hearts, our time and resources, gracious God, to see where we might share Your blessings and be part of Your answers to the prayers we bring before You.
- These and any other things You would have us ask of You, heavenly Father, grant to us for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, in whose name we pray.
- O Lord, our God, we will give thanks to You forever. Amen.

Lord's Prayer

Lamentations 3:22–23, 25, 31–32; Psalm 30:7–8, 12; 2 Corinthians 8:2

P Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

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.

Benediction

Closing Hymn I'm But a Stranger Here LSB #748

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