

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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IN OUR PRAYERS we remember: Beverly Baker, Robert Wulf, Mildred Peters

ORDER OF WORSHIP: Order of Service Hymns Peace – Blue 41A Blue 66 Insert
English – Gray 50 752 718

THIS WEEK AT PEACE AND ENGLISH:

Aug. 28 8:30 a.m. Worship at English

Aug. 28 10:15 a.m. Worship at Peace

Aug. 30 10:00 a.m. Bible Study Class

Aug. 30 6:30 p.m. Bible Study at English

Aug. 31 Noon Bible Study Class

Sept. 3 9:00 a.m. Women's Prayer Group

Sept. 7 9:30 a.m. Quilting begins

Sept. 11 9:00 a.m. Sunday School Begins

REMINDER FOR ENGLISH: Services will move to 8:15 a.m. beginning September 11th.

HYMN OF THE DAY: All of us need a walk with Jesus, but we often think that our walk with Jesus only benefits us. But in our hymn of the day, *O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee*, we ask to walk with Jesus in lowly paths of service. Like Ruth caring for Naomi, our walk with Christ is not only a blessing to ourselves. It is also a blessing to others as Jesus sends us into the world as his hands and feet.

A WORD: God blesses those who cling to him in faith. That is our theme for this Sunday. In our Old Testament reading, Jacob wrestles with God and receives his blessing. A woman is healed as she touches Christ's robe in Luke eight. Ruth is richly blessed as she leaves her home and goes with Naomi, trusting only in God. These people are examples to us of true faith, faith that clings to God and won't let go. May we have that same faith, knowing that all of God's promises will be fulfilled for those who clings to him in faith.

PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH would like to congratulate our most recent confirmands, Mecinze Sittig, Amber Langholdt, and Kari Huygens. We pray that God would continue to bless you in your faith.

SUNDAY SCHOOL will be kicking off on Sunday, September 11 with Rally Sunday. We are still in need of helpers and teachers. If you would be willing to volunteer, please speak to Keri Davis or Pastor Alex.

BIBLE READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY: Daniel 6:1-10 Acts 12:1-11
Matthew 10:16-22

ABOUT THE BULLETIN COVER: Exalting oneself to the best seat in the house, to receive undue honor, is contrary to life in Christ. It will end with humiliation. When Christ came, He did not take the seat that everyone expected. Rather, He humbled Himself, taking on the form of a servant, and took the place of humility, even death on a cross (Philippians 2). In His humility, He has been exalted! His cross is the power of salvation for all who believe (Romans 1:16).

CHURCH PICTORIAL DIRECTORY: If you are submitting a photo for the directory, please call Yvette by September 1st. Her phone number is 712-400-9509

SEPTEMBER ALTAR COMMITTEES: Altar Committee for Peace is Lois Baatz and Donita Stubbe and at English it is Wanda Wulf.

ALTAR FLOWERS: Aug. 28-Pamela Young, Sept. 4-Lois Baatz, Sept. 11-Kathleen Dieren, Sept. 18-Bev Doorenbos, Sept. 25-Diane Drenth.

THIS MONTH Daughters of Peace will collect condiments-olives, pickles, relish, mustard, ketchup, barbecue sauce, Heinz 57 etc. for Atlas. Thank you all for your support in our monthly projects.

USHERING TODAY is Team 3: Paul Davis, Lowell Drenth, Paul Sindt, Warren Arends, Jerry Baatz, Eugene Johnson **Next Sunday is Team 4:** Wayne Ranschau, Brad Vogel, Gary Delfs, Marv Flier, Wayne Jepsen, John Schulte

+ CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION +

HYMN: O MASTER, LET ME WALK WITH THEE

Blue Hymnal 41A

P In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen.

P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
C who made heaven and earth.

P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
C and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

(Brief Silence for Inward Confession)

P O almighty God, merciful Father,
C I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen.

+ SERVICE OF THE WORD +

INTROIT

Psalm 75:1–2, 6, 9; antiphon: v. 7

It is God who executes judgment,
putting down one and lifting up another.
We give thanks to you, O God; we give thanks, for your name is near.
We recount your wondrous deeds.

At the set time that I appoint
I will judge with equity.
For not from the east or from the west
and not from the wilderness comes lifting up.
But I will declare it forever;
I will sing praises to the God of Jacob.
Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and will be forever. Amen.
It is God who executes judgment,
putting down one and lifting up another.

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.
C And with thy spirit.

P Let us pray.
C O Lord of grace and mercy, teach us by Your Holy Spirit to follow the example of Your saints before us, who having completed their course in faith, now rest in your presence; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

FIRST READING

Genesis 32:22–31

P This is the Word of the Lord.
C Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL

Psalm 34:9, 19, alt.

Fear the LORD, you his saints,
for those who fear him lack nothing!
Many are the afflictions of the righteous,
but the LORD delivers him out of them all.

SECOND READING

Ruth 1:1–16

P This is the Word of the Lord.
C Thanks be to God.

VERSE

John 6:68

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

HOLY GOSPEL

- P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the eighth chapter.
C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

Luke 8:42b–48

After the Reading

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

APOSTLES' CREED

- C** **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

HYMN: I HAVE DECIDED TO FOLLOW JESUS

Blue Hymnal 66

SERMON

OFFERTORY

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- C** **Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.**

**Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit.
Amen.**

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

RITE OF CONFIRMATION

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- P** The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and † give you peace.
C **Amen.**

HYMN: BORNING CRY

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