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# October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022 Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost



Luke 17:6
<sup>6</sup>The Lord replied, "If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey

To listen to the service, please turn your radio to <u>FM 88.9</u>
Thank you for joining our service today.

This service will use the liturgy Setting 3 of ELW (cranberry hymnal). You may stand during worship with asterisk (\*) in this bulletin

### **Gathering**

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

Prelude Karen Neimeier

Welcome

## **Confession and Forgiveness**

- P: In the name of the Father, and of the \(\psi\) Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **C:** Amen.
- P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: 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. **C: Amen.**
- P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another. *Silence is kept for reflection.*

P: Most merciful God,

- C: Father eternal, giver of light and grace, we have sinned against you and against our neighbor, in what we have thought, in what we have said and done, through ignorance, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault.

  We are sorry and ashamed and repent of all our sins. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past and lead us out from darkness to walk as children of light. Amen.
- P: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with repentance and faith turn to him, have mercy on you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life, through \(\psi\) Jesus Christ, our Lord.

\*Gathering Hymn "When in Our Music God is Glorified"

ELW #850

\*Greeting page 138

\*Kyrie page 138

### **Prayer of the Day**

Benevolent, merciful God: When we are empty, fill us. When we are weak in faith, strengthen us. When we are cold in love, warm us, that with fervor we may love our neighbors and serve them for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.** 

#### Word

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

1st Reading: Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

2nd Reading: 2 Timothy 1:1-14

\*Gospel Acclamation

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**Gospel: Luke 17:5-10** 

The Holy Gospel according to Luke. C: Glory to you, O Lord. See insert

Sermon

Hymn of the Day

"Faith of Our Fathers"

ELW # 812

**Apostle's Creed** you will find the Apostle's Creed on

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Prayer

L: The Lord be with you. **C: And also with you.** *Leader will lead the prayer.* 

Congregation may respond each petition with the following word:
L: God of Grace, C: hear our prayer.

# We lift our prayers for

Lynn Lyvers, Jerry, Sheridan Brinker, Fern Harnish, Lois Paulsen, Taylor B., Denny Bergmann, Willie Kayser, Rene', Darlene Aurand, Tana Herman, Sharon, Connor Stadermann, Brooke, Jon Forsythe, Diane, Randy, Brian, Deb Lindeman Harder, Paul Heller, Janet, Ryse Stone, Nicole, Meghan, John, Chuck, Joyce, Terri, Tina, Julie, Jamie, Crystal, Katie, Christian, Anna, Abby, Karla, Jacob and his family, Richard Gordon, Kay, Shanna, Kathy, Charlie, Brad, Cindy, Amber, Chris, Ron, Vicki, Sophia, Abby and her triplets, Brenda, Abby Schick, Brenda, Jack, Gretchen, Tina, Joe, Dan Kempel, Bruce Miller, Ron Heckman, Justin Yeager, Phil, Sue, Emma, Cindy, Spencer Fransen, Lamar Hail, Connie, Pete and Rachel Collins.

## Meal

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ

### **Great Thanksgiving**

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P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C:We lift them to the Lord.

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

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed.....and join their unending hymn.

## **Holy Holy Holy**

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Thanksgiving at the Table

Lord's Prayer

Lamb of God

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#### Communion

P: The body of Christ given for you. *(eat the body of Christ)*The blood of Christ shed for you. *(drink the blood of Christ)* 

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. **Amen.** 

### **Sending**

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

#### Announcements

### **Blessing**

P: The God of peace, Father,  $\oplus$  Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you, comfort you and show you the path of life this day and always.

Amen.

\*Sending Hymn "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" ELW #759

\*Dismissal

Go in peace. Christ beside you. Thanks be to God.

**Postlude** 

Karen Niemeier

Attendance September 18th In-person - 29 Online – 0

On-line attendance includes Facebook and YouTube video views from the last 7 days.

# Announcements

Today at 10:45am-11:15am, Chime practice. Today at 11:15am -11:45am Choir practice.

Monday, October 3, Property Committee Meeting, 6:00pm.

Tuesday, October 4, Bible Study Group, 11:00am

Tuesday, October 4, Northern Illinois Food Banks Mobile Pantry will be at Jane Addams Trail Parking lot, West High Street and Ewing Drive in Orangeville.

Wednesday, October 5th, 8:00am-11:30am Piece Corps Quilters

Sunday, October 9th, 9:00am, Sunday School

#### Bible Trivia

# What happened to Luke in the Bible?

Luke died at age 84 in Boeotia, according to a "fairly early and widespread tradition". According to Nikephoros Kallistos Xanthopoulos, Greek historian of the 14th century (and others), Luke's tomb was located in Thebes, whence his relics were transferred to Constantinople in the year 357.

Source: Luke the Evangelist - Wikipedia

**Gospel: Luke 17:5-10** 

The Holy Gospel according to Luke. C: Glory to you, O Lord.

<sup>5</sup>The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith!" <sup>6</sup>The Lord replied, "If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you. <sup>7</sup>"Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from plowing or tending sheep in the field, 'Come here at once and take your place at the table'? <sup>8</sup>Would you not rather say to him, 'Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink'? <sup>9</sup>Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? <sup>10</sup>So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, 'We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!'"

The gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.