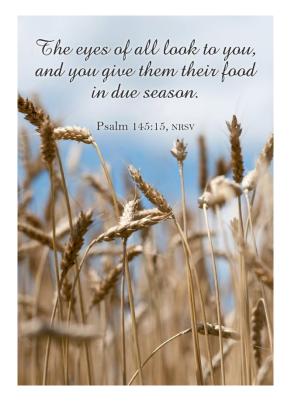
# REDEMPTION LUTCHERAN CHURCH

# Seventh Sunday After Trinity



<u>WELCOME</u> To all of you who are visiting our service this morning, we extend a most cordial welcome in Jesus' name. It is our hope that you will feel at home in our midst and will be blessed by our message of Christ crucified and risen for the sins of the world.

If you are looking for a church home or would like to know more about our beliefs and practices, please see the pastor. He will be glad to visit with you at your convenience. Be sure to join us again.



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### **Pre-Service Meditation:**

**Mark 9:2** <sup>2</sup> "I have compassion on the crowd, because they have been with me now three days and have nothing to eat.

**Prayer:** Dear Lord Jesus, How great is Your compassion for those who abide in You. Your heart went out to those who desired to hear Your Word and You gave them the food for their body and soul. Let Your deep compassion be where we make our dwelling place. Without Your compassion, we are starved, weak, and helpless. But because of Your grace and love, we are fed daily with the forgiveness of our sins and promise of eternal life. Help us to reflect Your compassion and bring others into this peaceful rest. Through Your saving name, even as You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, One God now and forever, world without end. Amen.

## Service of the Word

### Opening Hymn

### **TLH 24 Lord of My Life**

### **Invocation**

- In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

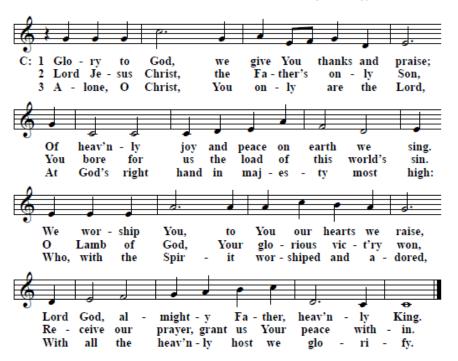
### **Confession and Absolution**

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- P We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve Him as His dear children. But we have disobeyed Him and deserve only His wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to Him and plead for His mercy.
- Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against You and do not deserve to be called Your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray: Have mercy on me according to Your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.
- P God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, He has removed your guilt forever. You are His own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to His will.
- C Amen.

LORD, HAVE MERCY Kyrie





### Salutation and Collect of the Day

- **P** The Lord be with you.
- And also with you.
- Let us pray. . . Lord of all power and might, Who is the Author and Giver of all good things, graft in our hearts the love of Your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of Your great mercy keep us in the same. Through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C Amen.

### Old Testament Lesson:

### Genesis 2:7-17 NKJV

<sup>7</sup>And the LORD God formed man *of* the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living being. <sup>8</sup> The LORD God planted a garden eastward in Eden,

and there He put the man whom He had formed. 9 And out of the ground the LORD God made every tree grow that is pleasant to the sight and good for food. The tree of life was also in the midst of the garden, and the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. 10 Now a river went out of Eden to water the garden, and from there it parted and became four riverheads. 11 The name of the first is Pishon; it is the one which skirts the whole land of Havilah, where there is gold. 12 And the gold of that land is good. Bdellium and the onyx stone are there. 13 The name of the second river is Gihon; it is the one which goes around the whole land of Cush. 14 The name of the third river is Hiddekel; it is the one which goes toward the east of Assyria. The fourth river is the Euphrates. 15 Then the LORD God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to tend and keep it. <sup>16</sup> And the LORD God commanded the man, saying, "Of every tree of the garden you may freely eat; <sup>17</sup> "but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall surely die."

### Psalm of the Day

Psalm 145 [Selected Verses]

- P I will extol you, my God and King, and bless Your name forever and ever.
- Every day I will bless You and praise Your name forever and ever.
- The LORD is good to all, and His mercy is over all that He has made.
- The LORD is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
- All Your works shall give thanks to You, O LORD, and all Your saints shall bless You!
- They shall speak of the glory of Your kingdom and tell of Your power,
- P The eyes of all look to You, and You give them their food in due season.
- You open your hand; You satisfy the desire of every living thing.

<sup>19</sup> I am speaking in human terms, because of your natural limitations. For just as you once presented your members as slaves to impurity and to lawlessness leading to more lawlessness, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness leading to sanctification. <sup>20</sup> For when you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. <sup>21</sup> But what fruit were you getting at that time from the things of which you are now ashamed? For the end of those things is death. <sup>22</sup> But now that you have been set free from sin and have become slaves of God, the fruit you get leads to sanctification and its end, eternal life. <sup>23</sup> For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

### Confession of Faith:

**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 is seated at the right
hand of God the Father Almighty. From there 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.

### Reception of New Members into Fellowship

Hymn: WS 779 Redeemed, Restored, Forgiven

Sermon Mark 8:1-9

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In those days, when again a great crowd had gathered, and they had nothing to eat, he called his disciples to him and said to them, <sup>2</sup> "I have compassion on the crowd, because they have been with me now three days and have nothing to eat. <sup>3</sup> And if I send them away hungry to their homes, they will faint on the way. And some of them

have come from far away." <sup>4</sup> And his disciples answered him, "How can one feed these people with bread here in this desolate place?" <sup>5</sup> And he asked them, "How many loaves do you have?" They said, "Seven." <sup>6</sup> And he directed the crowd to sit down on the ground. And he took the seven loaves, and having given thanks, he broke them and gave them to his disciples to set before the people; and they set them before the crowd. <sup>7</sup> And they had a few small fish. And having blessed them, he said that these also should be set before them. <sup>8</sup> And they ate and were satisfied. And they took up the broken pieces left over, seven baskets full. <sup>9</sup> And there were about four thousand people. And he sent them away.

# Only Jesus Can Fill Those Who Are Empty

## Offertory: Create in Me 🎝 🎝

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

Hymn: TLH 384 Oh, How Great is Thy Compassion

### Offering of Thankful Hearts

### Prayer & Lord's Prayer

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**

C Amen.

#### Hymn

### WS 785 Children of the Heavenly Father

### Silent Prayer

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# **Announcements**

### **Upcoming Events:**

• <u>Vacation Bible School</u>: It is not possible to thank those people enough who volunteered their time and resources to make our Vacation Bible School such a success. We averaged 30 kids The VBS theme was Tasty Treats Cooking Show where we learned about different foods in the Bible and how they relate to our Savior and gracious God. We also focused on the Lord's Prayer and the great blessing we have of being able to go to our Heavenly Father in prayer.

### Call News:

- Pastor David Ude of Living Hope Lutheran Church in Appleton,
   WI is considering the call to St Stephen Lutheran Church in
   Mt. View, CA
- Pastor Matthew Hanel of St. Matthew Ev. Lutheran Church in Dallas, TX, has received the call to Messiah Lutheran Church, Eau Claire, WI.
- Pastor Emeritus John Schierenbeck has accepted the call to serve as vacancy pastor at Peace Thru Christ Lutheran Church in Middleton, WI.

### **Upcoming Schedule:**

Sunday, August 10<sup>th</sup> Redemption Communion Service at 9 Sunday, August 17<sup>th</sup> Redemption Sunday Service at 9 Sunday, August 24<sup>th</sup> Redemption Sunday Service at 9