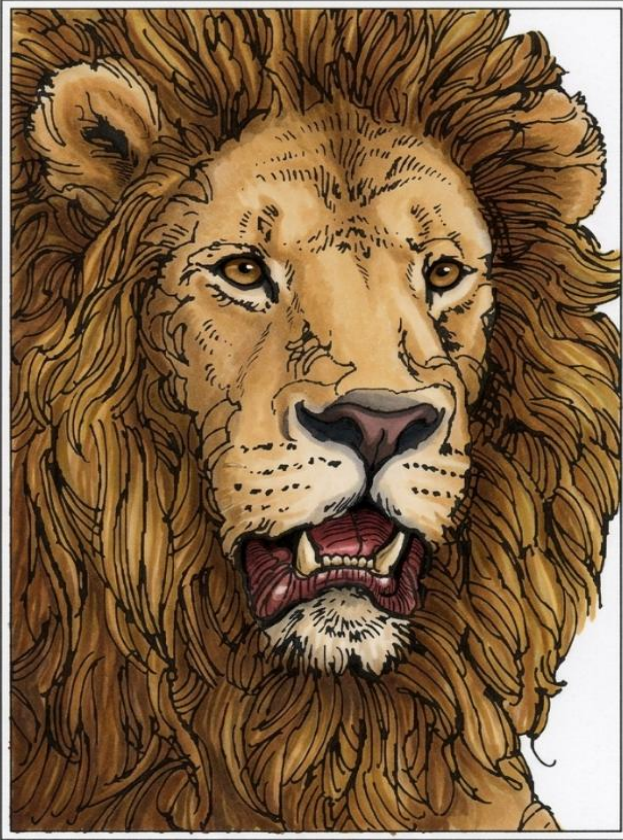


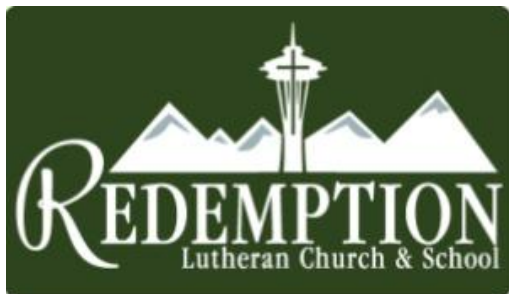
REDEMPTION LUTHERAN CHURCH

Eleventh Sunday After Trinity



*We are more than conquerors
through him who loved us.*

Romans 8:37



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Pre-Service Meditation:

Romans 8:35a,37 ³⁵Who shall separate us from the love of Christ?...³⁷ Yet in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us.

Prayer: Dear Father in Heaven, Holy is Your name and worthy are You of all praise and glory! We fall before You in humility and pray You, that for the sake of Your Son, Jesus, You would hear our prayer. God, forgive us for our many transgressions. Do not, because of them, withhold Your gracious face from us. Rather, for the sake of our Savior, forgive us all our iniquity. Lead us to become confident in Your grace alone that by it, we cannot be wrestled away from Your love. More than that, as we continue our warfare on earth, show us the victory already ours through our Savior's death and resurrection in our place. Lord, may Your glory shine the world o'er, that all may find security for eternal life in Jesus. Through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever, Amen.

Opening: TLH 522 When in the Hour of Utmost Need vs 1-2,5-7

Invocation

P In the Name of the Father and of the Son
and of the Holy Spirit.

G Amen.

Confession and Absolution

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,

G: **who made heaven and earth.**

P: I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

G: **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

P: Almighty God, our maker and redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

G: **O most merciful God, who has given Your only-begotten Son to die for us, have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Your Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of You and of Your will and true obedience to Your Word, to the end that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

P: Upon this your confession, I, as a called servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of our Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

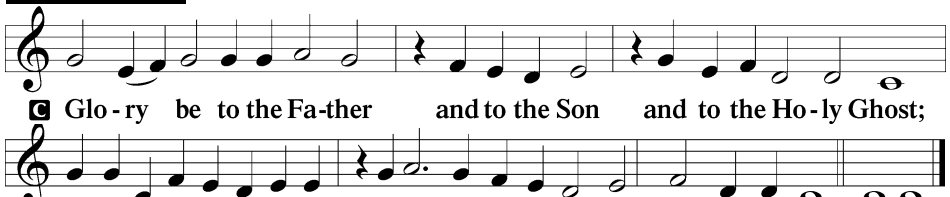
G: **Amen.**

Introit:

Psalm 68

P God is in His holy habitation: He is God who sets the solitary in families. The God of Israel is He who gives strength: and power unto His people. Let God arise. Let His enemies be scattered: Let them also that hate Him flee before Him.

Gloria Patri



☐ Glo - ry be to the Fa-ther and to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost;
as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end. A-men.

Kyrie



☐ Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

Hymn of Response: TLH 237

All Glory be to God on high, Who hath mankind befriended! To us no harm shall now come nigh, The strife at last is ended. God showeth His good will to men, And peace shall reign on earth again; Oh, thank Him for His goodness!

Salutation and Collect of the Day

☐ The Lord be with you.

☑ And also with you.

☐ Let us pray... Almighty and eternal God, You are more willing to hear than we are to pray and willing to give more than we ever desire or deserve. Show us Your abundant mercy, forgive the sins that strike at our conscience, and give us what is good--what we seek only on the basis of Jesus' sacrifice and His prayer for us; even as He lives and rules with You and the Holy Spirit, one God forever.

☑ Amen.

OT Lesson

Daniel 9:15-19 Chief Traits – Penitent Heart

¹⁵ "And now, O Lord our God, who brought Your people out of the land of Egypt with a mighty hand, and made Yourself a name, as *it is* this day-- we have sinned, we have done wickedly! ¹⁶ "O Lord, according to

all Your righteousness, I pray, let Your anger and Your fury be turned away from Your city Jerusalem, Your holy mountain; because for our sins, and for the iniquities of our fathers, Jerusalem and Your people *are* a reproach to all *those* around us. ¹⁷ "Now therefore, our God, hear the prayer of Your servant, and his supplications, and for the Lord's sake cause Your face to shine on Your sanctuary, which is desolate. ¹⁸ "O my God, incline Your ear and hear; open Your eyes and see our desolations, and the city which is called by Your name; for we do not present our supplications before You because of our righteous deeds, but because of Your great mercies. ¹⁹ "O Lord, hear! O Lord, forgive! O Lord, listen and act! Do not delay for Your own sake, my God, for Your city and Your people are called by Your name."

Responsive Reading **Psalm 103 [Selected Verses]**

- [P]** Bless the LORD, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless His holy name!
- [C]** **Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits,**
- [P]** Who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases,
- [C]** **Who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy,**
- [P]** He made known His ways to Moses, His acts to the people of Israel.
- [C]** **The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.**
- [P]** He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities.
- [C]** **As far as the east is from the west, so far does He remove our transgressions from us.**

Gospel Lesson: **Luke 7:36-50 – Marks of KOG - Love**

³⁶ Then one of the Pharisees asked Him to eat with him. And He went to the Pharisee's house, and sat down to eat. ³⁷ And behold, a woman in the city who was a sinner, when she knew that *Jesus* sat at the table in the Pharisee's house, brought an alabaster flask of fragrant oil, ³⁸ and stood at His feet behind *Him* weeping; and she began to wash His feet with her tears, and wiped *them* with the hair of her head; and she kissed His feet and anointed *them* with the fragrant oil. ³⁹ Now when the Pharisee who had invited Him saw *this*, he spoke to himself, saying, "This Man, if He

were a prophet, would know who and what manner of woman *this is* who is touching Him, for she is a sinner." ⁴⁰ And Jesus answered and said to him, "Simon, I have something to say to you." So he said, "Teacher, say it." ⁴¹ "There was a certain creditor who had two debtors. One owed five hundred denarii, and the other fifty. ⁴² "And when they had nothing with which to repay, he freely forgave them both. Tell Me, therefore, which of them will love him more?" ⁴³ Simon answered and said, "I suppose the *one* whom he forgave more." And He said to him, "You have rightly judged." ⁴⁴ Then He turned to the woman and said to Simon, "Do you see this woman? I entered your house; you gave Me no water for My feet, but she has washed My feet with her tears and wiped *them* with the hair of her head. ⁴⁵ "You gave Me no kiss, but this woman has not ceased to kiss My feet since the time I came in. ⁴⁶ "You did not anoint My head with oil, but this woman has anointed My feet with fragrant oil. ⁴⁷ "Therefore I say to you, her sins, which are many, are forgiven, for she loved much. But to whom little is forgiven, *the same* loves little." ⁴⁸ Then He said to her, "Your sins are forgiven." ⁴⁹ And those who sat at the table with Him began to say to themselves, "Who is this who even forgives sins?" ⁵⁰ Then He said to the woman, "Your faith has saved you. Go in peace."

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.**

Hymn: TLH 453 We are the Lord's; His All-Sufficient Merit

³³ Who shall bring a charge against God's elect? *It is* God who justifies.

³⁴ Who *is* he who condemns? *It is* Christ who died, and furthermore is also risen, who is even at the right hand of God, who also makes intercession for us. ³⁵ Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? *Shall* tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? ³⁶ As it is written: "For Your sake we are killed all day long; We are accounted as sheep for the slaughter." ³⁷ Yet in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us. ³⁸ For I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels nor principalities nor powers, nor things present nor things to come, ³⁹ nor height nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

The Christian's Certainty of Salvation is Jesus

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 528 If God Himself be for Me vs 1,5-6,13-15

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

Numbers 6:24-25

☩ Amen.

Hymn: Silent Prayer

TLH 201 Jesus Lives! The Victory's Won

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WELCOME 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.

Announcements

Upcoming Events:

- **Fall Schedule:** Sunday, September 13th we will return to our Fall Schedule. The service time remains at 9am, but Bible Class begins at 8am. We will continue our study of Paul's first missionary journey.

Call News:

- Pastor David Reim of St. Paul Lutheran Church, Vernon, British Columbia *has returned the calls* to St. Luke's Lutheran in Lemmon, SD and to Messiah Lutheran in Eau Claire, WI
- Pastor David Pfeiffer of Holy West Columbia, SC, *has returned the call* to Holy Cross Lutheran in Phoenix, AZ.
- Pastor Joe Naumann of Immanuel Lutheran in Mankato, MN *is considering the call* to Mt. Zion Lutheran in Madison Heights, MI
- Pastor Michael Roehl of St. Paul's Lutheran in Bismark, ND *has returned the call* to St. Paul's Lutheran in Austin, MN

Upcoming Schedule:

Sunday, August 23rd Redemption Sunday Service at 9

Sunday, August 30th Redemption Sunday Service at 9

Sunday, September 6th Redemption Sunday Service at 9