

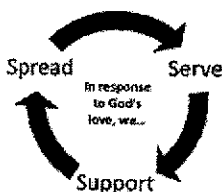
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*In response to God's love for us, we SERVE God,  
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## FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

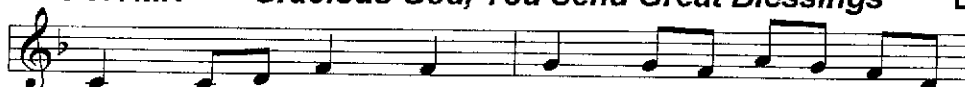
Order of Worship - 9:00 AM

**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.*

## PRESERVICE MUSIC “Gracious God, You Send Great Blessings” by Lani Smith WELCOME

[♩ Means please stand; ♪ Means please be seated]

### ♩ OPENING HYMN *Gracious God, You Send Great Blessings* LSB 782



1 Gra - cious God, You send great bless - ings  
2 By Your Word You formed cre - a - tion  
3 In His earth - ly life, our Sav - ior  
△ 4 Heav'n - ly Fa - ther, may our car - ing



New each morn - ing all our days. For Your mer - cies  
Filled with crea - tures large and small; As we tend that  
Knew the care of faith - ful friends; May our deeds of  
Bear the im - print of Your grace; With the Son and



nev - er end - ing, For Your love we of - fer praise.  
end - less trea - sure May our care en - cir - cle all.  
ded - i - ca - tion Of - fer love that nev - er ends.  
Ho - ly Spir - it, Praise be Yours in ev - 'ry place!



Lord, we pray that we, Your peo-ple Who Your gifts un - num - bered claim,



Through the shar-ing of Your bless-ings May bring glo-ry to Your name.

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## INVOCATION

- P** *In the name of the Father and of the  $\text{✠}$  Son and of the Holy Spirit.*  
**C** **Amen.**

## PSALM

*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.*  
**C** **O LORD my God, I cried to You for help,  
and You have healed me.**  
**P** *O LORD, You have brought up my soul from Sheol;  
**C** **You restored me to life from among those who go down to the pit.**  
**P** *Sing praises to the LORD, O you His saints,  
and give thanks to His holy name.  
For His anger is but for a moment,  
**C** **and His favor is for a lifetime.**  
**P** *Weeping may tarry for the night,  
**C** **but joy comes with the morning.*****

## CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

- 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.*  
**C** **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.**  
**P** *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  $\text{✠}$  Son and of the Holy Spirit.*  
**C** **Thanks be to God! Amen!**

## KYRIE

**P** *In peace let us pray to the Lord.*

**C** **Lord, have mercy.**

**P** *Heavenly Father, whose steadfast love never ceases,*

**C** **Lord, have mercy.**

**P** *Lord Jesus, who has enriched us through Your poverty,*

**C** **Lord, have mercy.**

**P** *O Holy Spirit, who has given us faith to trust that joy comes with the morning,*

**C** **Lord, have mercy.**

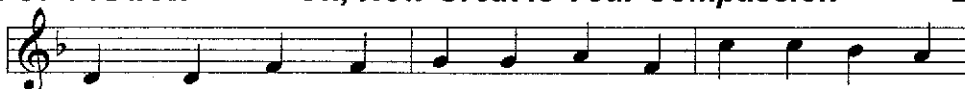
**P** *Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.*

**C** **Amen.**

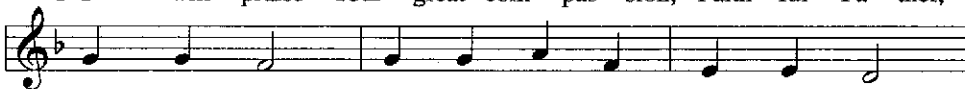
## HYMN OF PRAISE

### *Oh, How Great Is Your Compassion*

LSB 559



1 Oh, how great is Your com - pas - sion, Faith - ful Fa - ther,  
2 Your great love for this has striv - en That we may, from  
3 Firm - ly to our soul's sal - va - tion Wit - ness - es Your  
4 Lord, Your mer - cy will not leave me; Ev - er will Your  
5 I will praise Your great com - pas - sion, Faith - ful Fa - ther,



God of grace, That with all our fall - en race  
sin made free, Live with You e - ter - nal - ly.  
Spir - it, Lord, In Your Sac - ra - ments and Word.  
truth a - bide. Then in You I will con - fide.  
God of grace, That with all our fall - en race



In our depth of deg - ra - da - tion You had mer - cy  
Your dear Son Him - self has giv - en And ex - tends His  
There He sends true con - so - la - tion, Giv - ing us the  
Since Your Word can - not de - ceive me, My sal - va - tion  
In our depth of deg - ra - da - tion You had mer - cy



so that we Might be saved e - ter - nal - ly!  
gra - cious call, To His sup - per leads us all.  
gift of faith That we fear not hell nor death.  
is to me Safe and sure e - ter - nal - ly.  
so that we Might be saved e - ter - nal - ly.

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## SALUTATION & COLLECT OF THE DAY

**P** *The Lord be with you.*

**C** **And also with you.**

**P** *Let us pray.*

**All:** 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. Amen.

## OLD TESTAMENT READING

(lesson is on the last page of the bulletin)

*Lamentations 3:22–33*

**L** *This is the Word of the Lord.*

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

## EPISTLE

(lesson is on the last page of the bulletin)

*2 Corinthians 8:1–9, 13–15*

**L** *This is the Word of the Lord.*

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

## ALLELUIA VERSE

*Lamentations 3:25*

**All:** Alleluia. The Lord is good to those who wait for Him, to the soul who seeks Him. Alleluia.

## HOLY GOSPEL

*Mark 5:21–43*

**P** *The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the fifth chapter.*

**C** **Glorify to You, O Lord.**

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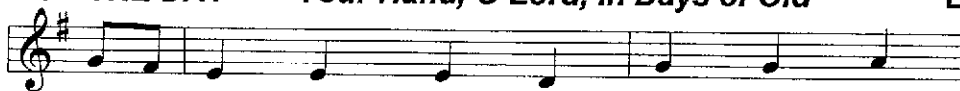
**P** *This is the Gospel of the Lord.*

**C** **Praise to You, O Christ.**

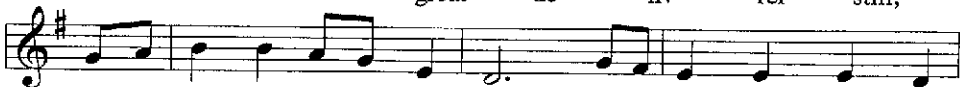
## HYMN OF THE DAY

*Your Hand, O Lord, in Days of Old*

LSB 846



1 Your hand, O Lord, in days of old  
2 Your touch then, Lord, brought life and health,  
3 O be our great de - liv - 'er still,



Was strong to heal and save; It tri - umphed o - ver  
Gave speech and strength and sight; And youth re - newed and  
The Lord of life and death; Re - store and quick - en,

ills and death, O'er dark - ness and the grave.  
 fren - zy calmed Re - vealed You, Lord of light.  
 soothe and bless, With Your life - giv - ing breath.

To You they came, the blind, the mute,  
 And now, O Lord, be near eyes to bless,  
 To hands that work and eyes that see

The pal - sied and the lame, The lep - ers in their  
 Al - might - y as be - fore, In crowd - ed street, by  
 Give wis - dom's heal - ing pow'r That whole and sick and

mis - er - y, The sick with fe - vered frame.  
 beds of pain, As by Gen - nes - 'ret's shore.  
 weak and strong May praise You ev - er - more.

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## SERMON

### "CONTAGIOUS SALVATION"

Mark 5:21-43

- I. Sick people make healthy people sick. Unclean people make clean people unclean.
- II. But Jesus turns this upside down. He makes sick people healthy and unclean people clean.

## ♪ APOSTLE'S 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 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.

## ♪ OFFERING

### "What God Ordains is Always Good"


by Kevin Hildebrand

## ♪ OFFERTORY

### Lord of All Good

LSB 786

- 1 Lord of all good, our gifts we bring You now;  
 2 We give our minds to un - der - stand Your ways;  
 △ 3 Fa - ther, whose boun - ty all cre - a - tion shows;



Use them Your ho - ly pur - pose to ful - fill.  
 Hands, eyes, and voice to serve Your great de - sign;  
 Christ, by whose will - ing sac - ri - fice we live;

To - kens of love and pledg - es they shall be  
 Hearts with the flame of Your own love a - blaze—  
 Spir - it, from whom all life in full - ness flows:

That our whole life is of - fered to Your will.  
 Thus for Your glo - ry all our pow'rs com - bine.  
 To You with grate - ful hearts our - selves we give.

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## PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

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

- P** *Your mercies "are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness."*
- C** **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."*
- C** **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.**
- P** *"The Lord will not cast off forever, . . . He will have compassion according to the abundance of His steadfast love."*
- C** **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."*
- C** **Give wisdom to the leaders of the nations, protection to the armed forces, and guidance to law enforcement, that peace may break out between nations and our neighborhoods may be places of calm and connected community.**
- P** *"To You, O LORD, I cry, and to the Lord I plead for mercy." We pray especially for those near and dear to us, [including . . .]. Heavenly Father,*
- C** **grant them health, peace, and relief as fits Your gracious plans for them.**
- P** *The Macedonian Christians' "abundance of joy and their extreme poverty have overflowed in a wealth of generosity on their part."*
- C** **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.**
- P** *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.*
- C** **O Lord, our God, we will give thanks to You forever. Amen.**

## LORD'S PRAYER

**P** *O Lord Jesus Christ, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:*

**C** **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

**P** *The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you His peace.*

**C** Amen.

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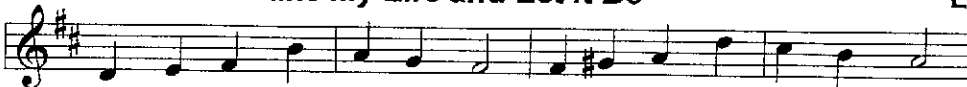
**P** *Go in peace! Serve the Lord!*

**C** Thanks be to God.

## CLOSING HYMN

### *Take My Life and Let It Be*

LSB 783



1 Take my life and let it be Con-se - crat - ed, Lord, to Thee;  
2 Take my hands and let them move At the im - pulse of Thy love;  
3 Take my voice and let me sing Al-ways, on - ly for my King;  
4 Take my sil - ver and my gold, Not a mite would I with - hold;



Take my mo - ments and my days, Let them flow in cease-less praise.  
Take my feet and let them be Swift and beau - ti - ful for Thee.  
Take my lips and let them be Filled with mes - sag - es from Thee.  
Take my in - tel - lect and use Ev - 'ry pow'r as Thou shalt choose.

5. Take my will and make it Thine,  
It shall be no longer mine;  
Take my heart, it is Thine own,  
It shall be Thy royal throne.

6. Take my love, my Lord, I pour  
At Thy feet its treasure store;  
Take myself, and I will be  
Ever, only, all for Thee.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## POSTLUDE

### *"To Greet the Morning"*

by David Paxton

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 Greeter..... Karen Batt  
 Lay Reader..... Warren Kettner  
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