

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

October 6, 2024 Guest Pastor Ed Keinath

Greenwood, IN

DIVINE SERVICE III

HYMN OF INVOCATION: 863 OUR FATHER, BY WHOSE NAME

Stand - The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

INVOCATION

- In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C 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,
- **C** who made heaven and earth.
- I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- **C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

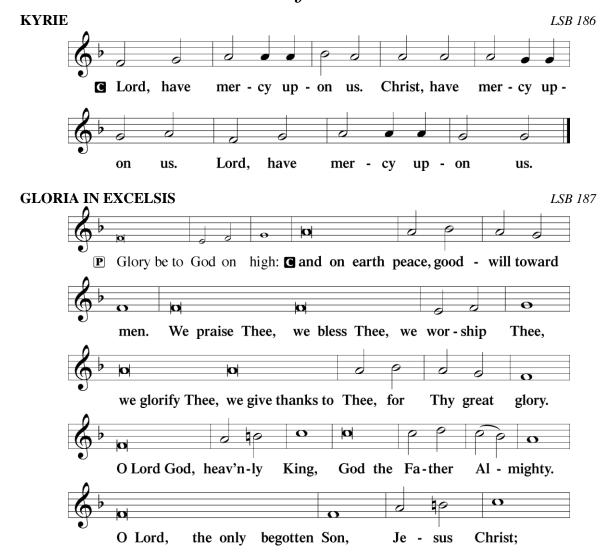
Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

- 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.

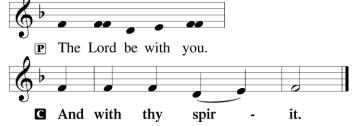


Service of the Word





SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY





Merciful Father, Your patience and loving-kindness toward us have no end. Grant that by Your Holy Spirit we may always think and do those things that are pleasing in Your sight; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Sit

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Genesis 2:18–25

Then the LORD God said, "It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper fit for him." So out of the ground the LORD God formed every beast of the field and every bird of the heavens and brought them to the man to see what he would call them. And whatever the man called every living creature, that was its name. The man gave names to all livestock and to the birds of the heavens and to every beast of the field. But for Adam there was not found a helper fit for him. So the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and while he slept took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. And the rib that the LORD God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man. Then the man said,

"This at last is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man."

Therefore a man shall leave his father and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and they shall become one flesh. And the man and his wife were both naked and were not ashamed.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL - TONE E

He will command his angels con- | cerning you* to guard you in | all your ways. Bless the LORD, | O my soul,* and all that is within me, bless his | holy name!

EPISTLE

Hebrews 2:1–13

Therefore we must pay much closer attention to what we have heard, lest we drift away from it. For since the message declared by angels proved to be reliable and every transgression or disobedience received a just retribution, how shall we escape if we neglect such a great salvation? It was declared at first by the Lord, and it was attested to us by those who heard, while God also bore witness by signs and wonders and various miracles and by gifts of the Holy Spirit distributed according to his will.

Now it was not to angels that God subjected the world to come, of which we are speaking. It has been testified somewhere,

"What is man, that you are mindful of him, or the son of man, that you care for him? You made him for a little while lower than the angels; you have crowned him with glory and honor, putting everything in subjection under his feet."

Now in putting everything in subjection to him, he left nothing outside his control. At present, we do not yet see everything in subjection to him. But we see him who for a little while was made lower than the angels, namely Jesus, crowned with glory and honor because of the suffering of death, so that by the grace of God he might taste death for everyone.

For it was fitting that he, for whom and by whom all things exist, in bringing many sons to glory, should make the founder of their salvation perfect through suffering. For he who sanctifies and those who are sanctified all have one origin. That is why he is not ashamed to call them brothers, saying,

"I will tell of your name to my brothers;

in the midst of the congregation I will sing your praise."

And again,

"I will put my trust in him."

And again,

"Behold, I and the children God has given me."

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Stand



HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 10:2-16

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



Pharisees came up and in order to test [Jesus] asked, "Is it lawful for a man to divorce his wife?" He answered them, "What did Moses command you?" They said, "Moses allowed a man to write a certificate of divorce and to send her away." And Jesus said to them, "Because of your hardness of heart he wrote you this commandment. But from the beginning of creation, 'God made them male and female.' 'Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, and they shall become one flesh.' So they are no longer two but one flesh. What therefore God has joined together, let not man separate."

And in the house the disciples asked him again about this matter. And he said to them, "Whoever divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery against her, and if she divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery."

And they were bringing children to him that he might touch them, and the disciples rebuked them. But when Jesus saw it, he was indignant and said to them, "Let the children come to me; do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God. Truly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of

God like a child shall not enter it." And he took them in his arms and blessed them, laying his hands on them.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



NICENE CREED

C I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead. whose kingdom will have no end. And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son,

who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life + of the world to come. Amen.

Sit

HYMN OF THE DAY: 858 O FATHER, ALL CREATING

SERMON

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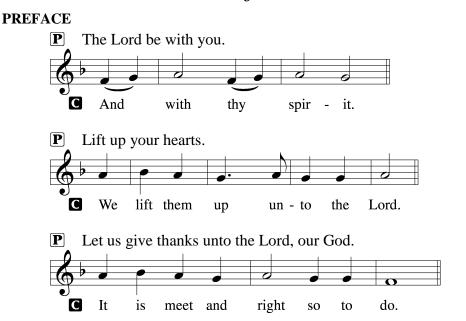


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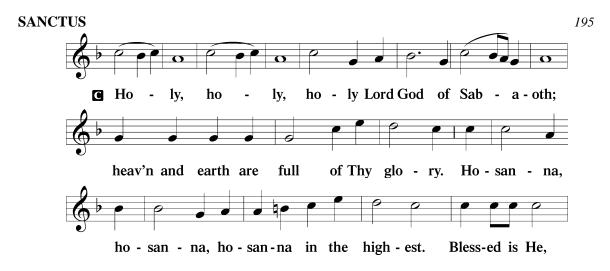
OFFERING AND PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

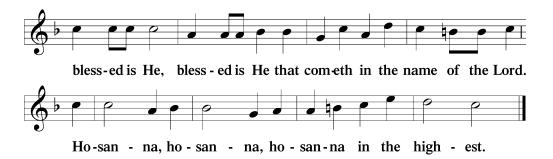
Let us pray for the whole Church of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

Service of the Sacrament



It is truly meet, right, and salutary... ...Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:





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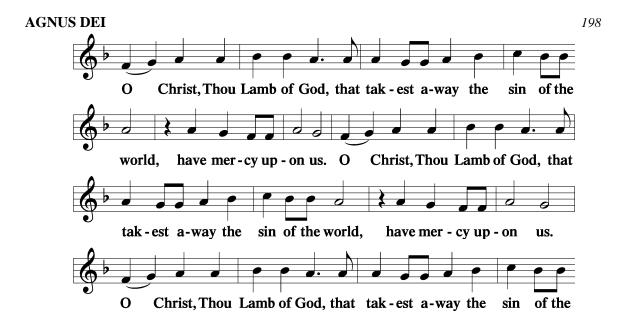
LORD'S PRAYER

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

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P The peace of the Lord be with you always.







Sit

DISTRIBUTION

DISTRIBUTION HYMN: 903 THIS IS THE DAY THE LORD HAS MADE

DISTRIBUTION HYMN: 424 O CHRIST, YOU WALKED THE ROAD

DISTRIBUTION HYMN: 685 LET US EVER WALK WITH JESUS

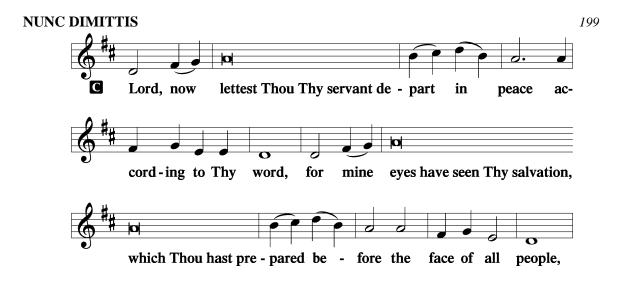
Stand

THE DISMISSAL

LSB 199

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart + in peace.







POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

A Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

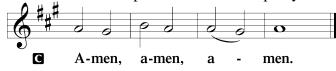




BENEDICTION

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.



HYMN TO DEPART: 706 LOVE IN CHRIST IS STRONG AND LIVING

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

We thank **Pastor Ed Keinath** for being our guest pastor this morning. We pray God's blessings on his message to us..

Tuesday Night Women's Bible Study is doing hymn studies the rest of the 2024 year. Study nights are: October 8 and 22, November 12 and 26, and December 10.

Game Night Fellowship is Friday, November 15th. Light dinner is provided. Bring games, snacks, or drinks. All are welcome to come, even if you just want to talk.

Best Practices Heartland is a free ministry conference hosted by Cornerstone in Carmel October 9th-11th. All church members, volunteers, and leaders are invited. There are many interesting speakers and break out sessions. Check out https://cornerstonelutheran.church/bpmh/ for more information.

Next Friday and Saturday, **October 11-12** on your calendar. It's our **ladies' retreat at Camp Lakeview**. Check the LWCC women's ministry bulletin board for details.

Right to Life of Johnson and Morgan Counties is having their annual banquet on Thursday, October 24, at 6:30 pm. The banquet will be held at Grace Assembly of God in Whiteland. This year's speaker is Melissa Coles, subject of the documentary "I Lived on Parker Avenue" and inspiration for the film "Lifemark." Tickets are \$35 and may be purchased via PayPal or from Emily McNally.

Trunk or Treat is on October 27th during the Sunday School hour. There is NO BIBLE STUDY that day. Members may bring a chair, sit together, and pass out treats as kids come to visit them. Members may also decorate their trunks for the event. Kids will have a Reformation lesson following the service to give adults time to set up. Rain location is in Fellowship Hall. Come have fun with us!

Preschool Trick or Treating October 31st, 9am-9:30am and November 1st, 9am-9:30am; our Preschoolers will trick or treat around church. If you would like to help distribute candy on one or both of those days, please, contact Sarah Shadday. <u>Sarah.Shadday@concordia-lcms.com</u>

Church Work Day is on November 2nd. Help us get church ready for the Anniversary Dinner and Advent season!

The Altar Flowers are in honor of Kevin and Becky Horn 48th Wedding Anniversary

Two **Girl Scout troops** are now meeting at the church Sunday evenings, Kindergarten Daisy Girl Scouts and High School Senior Girl Scouts. Senior girls are selling Christmas wreaths to help fund their trip to the Switzerland International Girl Scout Center next summer. A poster display is in the narthex. The Daisy troop consists of 8 or 9 girls and will be meeting for the first time this evening. Girl scout cookie ordering will be available in January. At least 2 of the little girls are graduates of our Preschool program. Thanks be to God!

Thanks be to God! The thermometer has jumped! West Wing Renovation Fund is currently at 55% of goal at \$ 87,974.16

Emergencies: For pastoral emergencies, call Pastor Seth Mierow at 317-730-6769. Leave a message or send a text if he doesn't answer. His email address is prmierow@gmail.com.

Response in Worship and Love to our Lord for September 29, 2024

	Worship: Sunday	9:30a - 96	Total - 96
Unified Budget Offering \$4,575.00	YTD Unified Budget Offerings \$214,385.85	2024 Unified YTD needed for budget \$244,973.22 (\$6,729.00 weekly)	2024 Annual Budget \$349,900.00

BIRTHDAYS:		ANNIVERSARIES:	
Barkes, Linda	10/11	Dave & Lorna Warren (45)	10/6
Yeater, Julia	10/11	Kevin & Becky Horn (48)	10/9
		Dean & Tammy Owen (26)	10/10
		Chris & Beth Forster (21)	10/11
		Larry & Deb Brooks (11)	10/12
		Mike & Jeri Pardieck (50)	10/13

This week at Concordia

Oct 6	Sunday	9:30a 10:45a 6:00p	Divine Worship (LWML Sunday) Sunday School Women's Bible Study
Oct 7	Monday	6:30p 7:00p	Properties Elders
Oct 8	Tuesday	7:00p	Women's Bible Study
Oct 9	Weds.		
Oct 10	Thurs.		
Oct 11	Friday		Women's Retreat Lakeview
Oct 12	Saturday		Women's Retreat Lakeview
Oct 13	Sunday	9:30a 10:45a 6:00p	Divine Worship Sunday School Women's Bible Study

Prayers & Intercession (Matthew 8:17)

Concordia Members

Testing/Recovery

- Diane Smith
- Kevin Horn
- Diane Beam-Garland
- Gene Waltz
- Jim Roemer
- Peter Economou
- Tommy Ragsdale

Friends of Concordia

- Lee Guinn 9/1/24
- Tyshae Smith 8/28/24
- Bob Sellers 8/27/24
- Josephine Shafer 8/13/24
- Leeroy & Vernon Good 6/10/24
- Ralph McGraw 1/2/24
- Alexandria Carrier 9/1/23
- Connie Henderson 5/14/23
- Rick Wildrick 3/30/23
- Family members and Konny Hanneman; Sandy Risner 11/13/22, Hazel, Levi, Joshua & Savannah Bragdon 11/13/22, Marianne & Charles Huckleberry 12/21/21 Sylvia, Steve & Nicole Perrish 12/21/21
- Terry & Diana Deamron 9/10/22
- Beverly Stephens 8/20/22
- Ed Stephens 2/18/24
- Terry Haskett 5/15/22
- Missy, Austin & Travis Golden 4/20/22
- Judy Heine 11/22/21
- Pat Brooks 9/23/21
- Tami Economou 8/17/21
- Rose Swenson 7/27/21
- Anne Perkinson 7/1/21
- Susan Soggs 1/7/21
- Rev. Howard Fabricius 1/2/21
- Minna Van Arsdale 8/7/19
- Brandon Frederking 5/2/19
- Steve Stephenson 4/28/19
- Thomas Clark 12/16/18

Battling Cancer / MS

- Jackson Emkes 4/8/24
- Kelsey Merena 10/25/22
- David Buuck 9/27/21
- Brandi Soggs 1/9/20

Homebound Concordia Members

- Sharon Bruhn, 1375 Nicole Dr. Unit 329, Franklin IN 46131-0028
- Konny Hannemann, 6818 Cadwell Circle, Indianapolis IN 46237

Military Servicemen & women.

- Erica Stephenson, Army, National Guard
- LTJG Chloe (Owen) Munoz, 8153 Village Gate Ct, Jacksonville, FL 32217
- Ivan Munoz, (USS Gravely)
- Zach Goins, 822 Timbervale Trail, Highlands Ranch, CO, 80129 (Navy Reserve)
- CPL Jadon Ranbarger (c/o 6565-A Kekahuna Pl., Kailua, HI 96734)

Note: Please provide updates to office for additions and removals to the "Prayers & Intercession" listing.



