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The Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost



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+ <u>Worship</u>: 8:00, 9:30 & 11:00am *Communion:* 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays

Adult Bible Study & <u>Sunday School</u>: 9:30 am (Grace Hall) + <u>Pastor:</u> Richard Willsea <u>Deaconess:</u>

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THE EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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PRELUDE (Sun. Services)	Voluntary in C	J. Zundel, arr. M. Ryan
	"The Church's One Foundation"	M. Helman
(Fri. Service)	Susan Messersmith, trumpet	

WELCOME

Stand

HYMN

"The Church's One Foundation"

LSB 644

1 The Church's one foun - da - tion Is Je - sus Christ, her Lord; 2 E lect from ev - 'ry na-tion, Yet one o'er the earth; all 3 Though with a scorn-ful won-der The world sees op-pressed, her 4 Through toil and trib - u - la - tion And tu - mult of her war on earth has u - nion With God, the Three 5 Yet she in One. She is His new cre - a - tion By wa - ter and the Word. Her char - ter of sal - va - tion: One Lord, one faith, one birth. By schisms rent a - sun - der, By her - e - sies dis-tressed, peace for - ev - er - more She waits the con-sum-ma - tion Of With those whose rest is And mys - tic sweet com - mu - nion won. His ho - ly From heav'n He came and sought her То be bride: Par - takes one ho - ly ho - ly name she bless - es, One food. goes up, "How long?" Yet saints their watch are keep - ing; Their cry vi - sion glo - rious Her long - ing eyes are blest, Till with the 0 bless - ed heav'n-ly cho - rus! Lord, save us by Your grace With His own blood He bought her, And for her life He died. With ev - 'ry And to one hope she press - es grace en - dued. And soon the night of weep - ing Shall be the of song. morn And the great Church vic - to - rious Shall be the Church at rest. That we, like saints be - fore us, May see You face to face.

INVOCATION

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

OPENING SENTENCES

- 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.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

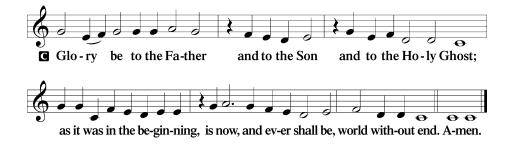
- Almighty God, our maker and redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.
- 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.
- Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe on His name He gives power to become the children of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this, Lord, unto us all.
- C Amen.

+ Service of the word +

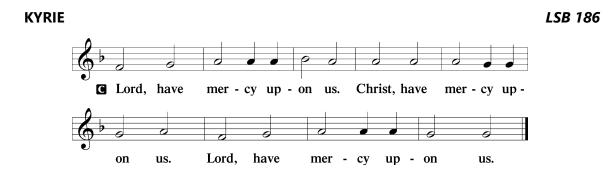
INTROIT

 Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!
 The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.
 This is the LORD's doing;

it is marvelous in our eyes. This is the day that the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.



Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!



GLORIA IN EXCELSIS



SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

- **P** The Lord be with you.
- **C** And also with you.
- P Let us pray.

Gracious God, You gave Your Son into the hands of sinful men who killed Him. Forgive us when we reject Your unfailing love, and grant us the fullness of Your salvation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Sit

OLD TESTAMENT READING

The Word is read...

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL

 A He will command his angels concerning 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

Philippians 3:4b–14

Psalm 91:11; 103:1

Isaiah 5:1-7

The Word is read...

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.



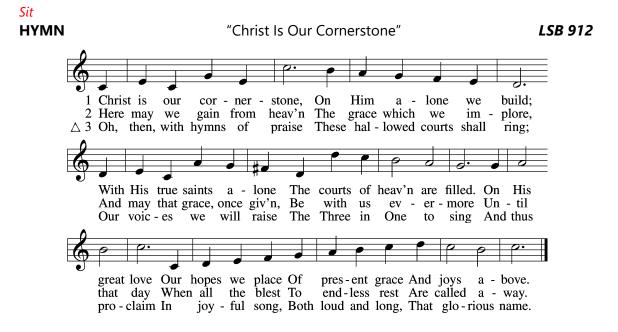
HOLY GOSPEL

- **P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-first chapter.
- Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

The Gospel is read...

- **P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- **C** Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

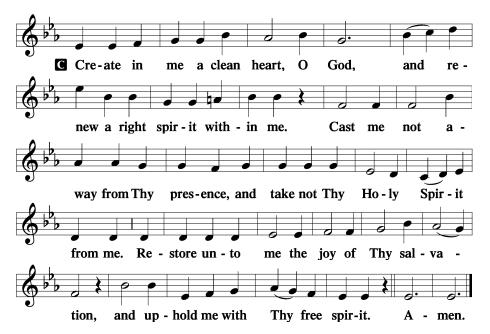
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SERMON

- The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.
- **C** Amen.

Stand OFFERTORY



PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

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

For the whole Christian community around the world that, as people united in faith, we are emboldened to witness to the good news that is ours in Christ Jesus, let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy.

- A For all nations of the earth, that there be times of peace; for our own nation that it would seek to bring that which is good and God-pleasing; and for our own communities and neighborhoods, let us pray to the Lord.
- **C** Lord, have mercy.
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C Lord, have mercy.

A For faithfulness to carry out our callings with faithfulness, living each day with hope and confidence as we await the time of the great and glorious final harvest, let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy.

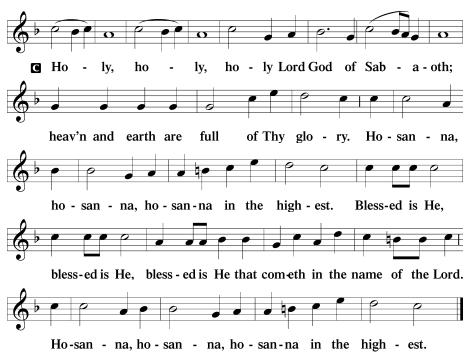
- With thanks to You for all those who have completed their earthly journeys in faith and who serve to inspire us in our times, we bless You, abiding Lord. Confident that our prayers and petitions are heard and that all which is best for us is done according to His good and gracious will, let us pray to the Lord.
- **C** Lord, have mercy.
- A Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy through Jesus Christ, our Lord.
- C Amen.

+SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT +

PREFACE

- **P** The Lord be with you.
- **G** And with thy spirit.
- **P** Lift up your hearts.
- **G** We lift them to the Lord.
- **P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- It is meet and right so to do.
- It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

SANCTUS



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.

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My
→ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

AGNUS DEI LSB 198 Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the 0 sin of the Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that world, have mer-cy up - on us. O tak-est a-way the sin of the world, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin 0 of the world, grant us Thy peace. Α men.

Sit DISTRIBUTION

HYMN

"My Song Is Love Unknown"

LSB 430



- 5 They rise and needs will have My dear Lord made away; A murderer they save, The Prince of Life they slay. Yet cheerful He To suff'ring goes That He His foes
 From thence might free.
- 6 In life no house, no home My Lord on earth might have; In death no friendly tomb But what a stranger gave.

What may I say? Heav'n was His home But mine the tomb Wherein He lay.

- 7 Here might I stay and sing, No story so divine!
 Never was love, dear King, Never was grief like Thine.
 This is my friend, In whose sweet praise I all my days
 - Could gladly spend!

VOLUNTARY



THANKSGIVING

- A Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good,
- **G** and His mercy endureth forever.

▲ 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.

C Amen.

P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spirit.

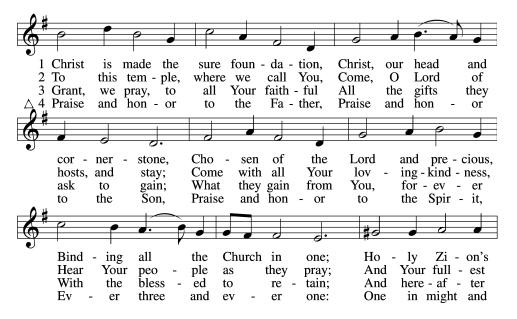
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- **P** Bless we the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.
- The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and + give you peace.
- **G** Amen, amen, amen.

HYMN

"Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation"

LSB 909





Sit

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND DISMISSAL

- **A** Go in peace. Serve the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

(Fri. Service)

"Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation" Trumpet, Susan Messersmith

setting: R. Wetzler

PARTICIPATING IN THIS SERVICE

Pastor: Rev. Richard Willsea Deaconess: Karen Suter Organist: Patty Barnes Trumpet: Susan Messersmith

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