



**CALVARY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
**DIVINE SERVICE FOR THE 21<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
**OCTOBER 13, 2024**



**PRELUDE**

Prelude and Fugue in F Major – BWV 556

*J.S. Bach*

**✠ CONFESSIO & ABSOLUTION ✠**

*Stand*

**INVOCATION**

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

**EXHORTATION & OPENING SENTENCES**

- 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.

Our help is in the name of the Lord,

- C** who made heaven and earth.

- P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

- C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

*Kneel. If you are unable to kneel, please remain standing.*

**CONFESSIO OF SINS**

- 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.

**ABSOLUTION**

- 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.

- C** Amen.

*Stand*

# ✠ SERVICE OF THE WORD ✠

## INTROIT

Psalm 112:3-6; antiphon: v. 1

(sung as indicated)



**P** Praise the LORD! Blessèd is the man who | fears the LORD, \* who greatly delights in his com- | mandments!

**I** Wealth and riches are | in his house, \* and his righteousness endures for- | ever.

**C** Light dawns in the darkness for the | upright; \* he is gracious, merciful, and | righteous.

**I** It is well with the man who deals generous- | ly and lends; \* who conducts his affairs with | justice.

**C** For the righteous will nev- | er be moved; \* he will be remembered for- | ever.

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son \* and to the Holy | Spirit;  
as it was in the be- | ginning, \* is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

**P** Praise the LORD! Blessèd is the man who | fears the LORD, \* who greatly delights in his com- | mandments!

## KYRIE



## GLORIA IN EXCELSIS



(Continues on following page.)



Fa-ther, that tak-est a-way the sin of the world, have mer-cy up-on  
us. Thou that tak-est a-way the sin of the world, re - ceive our  
prayer. Thou that sit-test at the right hand of God the Fa-ther, have  
mer-cy up-on us. For Thou on-ly art ho - ly, Thou on-ly art the  
Lord. Thou on - ly, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost, art most  
high in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

**SALUTATION & COLLECT OF THE DAY**

**P** The Lord be with you. **C** And with thy spirit.

**P** Let us pray.

Lord Jesus Christ, whose grace always precedes and follows us, help us to forsake all trust in earthly gain and to find in You our heavenly treasure; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

*Sit*

**OLD TESTAMENT READING**

**Amos 5:6–7, 10–15**

Seek the LORD and live, lest he break out like fire in the house of Joseph, and it devour, with none to quench it for Bethel, O you who turn justice to wormwood and cast down righteousness to the earth! ...

They hate him who reproves in the gate, and they abhor him who speaks the truth. Therefore because you trample on the poor and you exact taxes of grain from him, you have built houses of hewn stone, but you shall not dwell in them; you have planted pleasant vineyards, but you shall not drink their wine. For I know how many are your transgressions and how great are your sins—you who afflict the righteous, who take a bribe, and turn aside the needy in the gate. Therefore he who is prudent will keep silent in such a time, for it is an evil time. Seek good, and not evil, that you may live; and so the LORD, the God of hosts, will be with you, as you have said. Hate evil, and love good, and establish justice in the gate; it may be that the LORD, the God of hosts, will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph.

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

PSALM OF THE DAY

Psalm 90:12-17

(sung as indicated)



- I** So teach us to number | our days \* that we may get a heart of | wisdom.
- C** Return, O LORD! | How long? \* Have pity on your | servants!
- I** Satisfy us in the morning with your | steadfast love, \* that we may rejoice and be glad | all our days.
- C** Make us glad for as many days as you have af- | flicted us, \* and for as many years as we have seen | evil.
- I** Let your work be shown to your | servants, \* and your glorious power to their | children.
- C** Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and establish the work of our hands up- | on us; \* yes, establish the work | of our hands!

EPISTLE READING

Hebrews 3:12-19

Take care, brothers, lest there be in any of you an evil, unbelieving heart, leading you to fall away from the living God. But exhort one another every day, as long as it is called "today," that none of you may be hardened by the deceitfulness of sin. For we share in Christ, if indeed we hold our original confidence firm to the end. As it is said, "Today, if you hear his voice, do not harden your hearts as in the rebellion." For who were those who heard and yet rebelled? Was it not all those who left Egypt led by Moses? And with whom was he provoked for forty years? Was it not with those who sinned, whose bodies fell in the wilderness? And to whom did he swear that they would not enter his rest, but to those who were disobedient? <sup>19</sup>So we see that they were unable to enter because of unbelief.

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

Stand

VERSE OF THE DAY

Galatians 6:2

(sung as indicated)



- I** Alleluia. Bear one another's | burdens, \* and so fulfill the law of Christ. Alle- | luia.

HOLY GOSPEL READING

Mark 10:17-22

- P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the 10<sup>th</sup> chapter:



- C** Glo-ry be to Thee, O Lord.

As [Jesus] was setting out on his journey, a man ran up and knelt before him and asked him, "Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" And Jesus said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good except God alone. You know the commandments: 'Do not murder, Do not commit adultery, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Do not defraud, Honor your father and mother.'" And he said to him, "Teacher, all these I have kept from my youth." And Jesus, looking at him, loved him, and said to him, "You lack one thing: go, sell all that you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me." Disheartened by the saying, he went away sorrowful, for he had great possessions.

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



- C** Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Sit



1 Thee will I love, my strength, my tow - er; Thee will I  
 2 Thee will I love, my life, my Sav - ior, Who art my  
 3 I thank Thee, Je - sus, Sun from heav - en, Whose ra - diance  
 4 O keep me watch - ful, then, and hum - ble; Per - mit me  
 5 Thee will I love, my crown of glad - ness; Thee will I



love, my hope, my joy. Thee will I love with all my  
 best and tru - est friend. Thee will I love and praise for -  
 hath brought light to me; I thank Thee, who hast rich - ly  
 nev - er - more to stray. Up - hold me when my feet would  
 love, my God and Lord, A - mid the dark - est depths of



pow - er, With ar - dor time shall ne'er de - stroy. Thee will I  
 ev - er, For nev - er shall Thy kind - ness end. Thee will I  
 giv - en All that could make me glad and free; I thank Thee  
 stum - ble, And keep me on the nar - row way. Fill all my  
 sad - ness, And not for hope of high re - ward, For Thine own



love, O Light di - vine, So long as life is mine.  
 love with all my heart— Thou my Re - deem - er art!  
 that my soul is healed By what Thy lips re - vealed.  
 na - ture with Thy light, O Ra - diance strong and bright!  
 sake, O Light di - vine, So long as life is mine.

## SERMON

Stand

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.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

**P** ...let us pray to the Lord:

**C** Lord, have mercy.

GATHERING OF OFFERINGS

Worshipers may leave offerings in the plates near the sanctuary doors.

OFFERTORY

**C** Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re - new a right spir-it with - in me. Cast me not a - way from Thy pres-ence, and take not Thy Ho-ly Spir-it from me. Re - store un-to me the joy of Thy sal - va-tion, and up - hold me with Thy free Spir - it.

## ✠ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT ✠

### PREFACE

**P** The Lord be with you.

**P** Lift up your hearts.

**P** Let us give thanks un - to the Lord, our God.

**G** And with thy spir - it.

**G** We lift them up un - to the Lord.

**G** It is meet and right so to do.

### PROPER PREFACE

**P** 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, out of love for His fallen creation, humbled Himself by taking on the form of a servant, becoming obedient unto death, even death upon a cross. Risen from the dead, He has freed us from eternal death and given us life everlasting. 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

**G** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God of Sab-a-oth;  
 heav-en and earth are full of Thy glo-ry. Ho - san - na in the  
 high-est. Bless-ed is He that come-th in the name of the  
 Lord! Ho - san - na in the high - est!

### PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

**P** Blessed are You, Lord Jesus Christ, almighty and everlasting Son of the Father. For by the sacrifice of Yourself upon the cross, offered once for all, You have perfected those who are sanctified. As a memorial and seal of this, You have ordained Your Holy Supper, in which You give us Your Body to eat and Your Blood to drink, so that being in You, even as You are in us, we may have everlasting life and be raised up at the Last Day.

Most merciful and exalted Redeemer, we humbly confess that we are not worthy of the least of all the mercies and of all the truth that You have shown to us. Because of our sins, we are too impure and weak to receive Your saving gifts. Sanctify us, therefore, in our bodies and souls by Your Holy Spirit. Prepare us to come to Your Supper, to the glory of Your grace, and to our own eternal good.

From the fullness of the merits of Your bitter suffering and death, O Lord, graciously supply whatever we may lack in true repentance and sorrow for our sins, in living faith and trust in Your merits, and in an earnest purpose to amend our sinful lives. Grant us this, so that we who in this present world partake of You, our only Consolation and Savior, in

the Holy Sacrament, may at last see You face to face in Your heavenly kingdom and dwell with You and all Your saints forever.

**C** Amen.

### LORD'S PRAYER

**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.

### 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  $\text{†}$  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  $\text{†}$  blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

### PAX DOMINI



**P** The peace of the Lord be with you al - ways.



**C** A - men.

### AGNUS DEI



**C** O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the



world, have mer - cy up - on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of



God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the world, have mer - cy up-



on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the



sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. A - men.

*Sit*

### RECEPTION OF THE SACRAMENT





1 Je - sus, Thy bound - less love to me No thought can reach, no  
 2 O grant that noth - ing in my soul May dwell, but Thy pure  
 3 This love un - wearied I pur - sue And daunt - less - ly to  
 4 In suf - f'ring be Thy love my peace, In weak - ness be Thy



tongue de - clare; U - nite my thank - ful heart to Thee,  
 love a - lone; Oh, may Thy love pos - sess me whole,  
 Thee as - pire. Oh, may Thy love my hope re - new,  
 love my pow'r; And when the storms of life shall cease,



And reign with - out a ri - val there! Thine whol - ly, Thine a -  
 My joy, my trea - sure, and my crown! All cold - ness from my  
 Burn in my soul like heav'n - ly fire! And day and night, be  
 O Je - sus, in that fi - nal hour, Be Thou my rod and



alone I am; Be Thou a - lone my con - stant flame.  
 heart re - move; My ev - 'ry act, word, thought be love.  
 all my care To guard this sa - cred trea - sure there.  
 staff and guide, And draw me safe - ly to Thy side!



1 Thy works, not mine, O Christ, Speak glad - ness to this heart;  
 2 Thy wounds, not mine, O Christ, Can heal my bruised soul;  
 3 Thy cross, not mine, O Christ, Has borne the crush - ing load  
 4 Thy death, not mine, O Christ, Has paid the ran - som due;  
 5 Thy righ - teous - ness, O Christ, A - lone can cov - er me;



They tell me all is done, They bid my fear de - part.  
 Thy stripes, not mine, con - tain The balm that makes me whole.  
 Of sins that none could bear But the in - car - nate God.  
 Ten thou - sand deaths like mine Would have been all too few.  
 No righ - teous - ness a - vails Save that which is of Thee.



*Refrain*  
 To whom save Thee, Who canst a - lone For sin a - tone, Lord, shall I flee?



1 All de - pends on our pos - sess - ing God's a - bun - dant  
 2 He who to this day has fed me And to man - y  
 3 Man - y spend their lives in fret - ting O - ver tri - fles  
 4 When with sor - row I am strick - en, Hope a - new my



grace and bless - ing, Though all earth - ly wealth de - part.  
 joys has led me Is and ev - er shall be mine.  
 and in get - ting Things that have no sol - id ground.  
 heart will quick - en; All my long - ing shall be stilled.



They who trust with faith un - shak - en By their God are  
 He who ev - er gent - ly schools me, He who dai - ly  
 I shall strive to win a trea - sure That will bring me  
 To His lov - ing - kind - ness ten - der Soul and bod - y



not for - sak - en And will keep a daunt - less heart.  
 guidesand rules me Will re - main my help di - vine.  
 last - ing plea - sure And that now is sel - dom found.  
 I sur - ren - der, For on God a - lone I build.

- 5 Well He knows what best to grant me;  
 All the longing hopes that haunt me,  
 Joy and sorrow, have their day.  
 I shall doubt His wisdom never;  
 As God wills, so be it ever;  
 I commit to Him my way.
- 6 If my days on earth He lengthen,  
 God my weary soul will strengthen;  
 All my trust in Him I place.  
 Earthly wealth is not abiding,  
 Like a stream away is gliding;  
 Safe I anchor in His grace.

Stand after the Presiding Minister has placed the sacramental vessels in order.

### POST-COMMUNION BLESSING

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

**C** Amen.

### NUNC DIMITTIS



**C** Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de-part in peace  
ac-cord-ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy Sal-va-tion,  
which Thou hast prepared before the face of all peo - ple,  
a Light to light - en the Gen - tiles,  
and the Glory of Thy peo - ple Is - ra - el.  
Glo-ry be to the Father and to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost,  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ev - er shall be,  
world with - out end. A - men.

### THANKSGIVING & POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

**P** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good, **C** and His mercy endureth forever.

**P** 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.

**SALUTATION & BENEDICAMUS**

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And with thy spirit.

**P** Bless we the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

**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  $\text{✠}$  give you peace.

**C** Amen.

**CLOSING HYMN**

Gracious God, You Send Great Blessings

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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!

*Refrain*



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.

**POSTLUDE**

Toccata

*Douglas E. Wagner*

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