

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST Lectionary 26

FOUNDATION AND PRAISE WORSHIP SEPTEMBER 29, 2019 10:15 AM

TOGETHER IN CHRIST EMPOWERED TO BE AND MAKE DISCIPLES

Gathering Music

"All the Poor and Powerless" Jordan/Leonard

"THEY'll KNOW WE ARE CHRISTIANS" Scholtes

"LOVE THE LORD" Brewster

Ringing of the Bell

Silent Prayer

Gathering

Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, the strength of our ancestors, the host of this gathering, the builder of the city that is to come. **Amen**

If we have died with Christ, we will also live with Christ. Let us confess our sin to the one who is faithful.

God our helper,

we confess the many ways we have failed to live as your disciples. We have not finished what we began. We have feasted with friends but ignored strangers. We have been captivated by our possessions. Lift our burdens, gracious God. Refresh our hearts and forgive our sin. Raise us to the new life you have chosen for us in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

There is rejoicing in heaven when sinners repent. Put your trust in these promises: God will never leave you or forsake you. You who were lost have been found. For the sake of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Rejoice with the angels at this good news. **Amen.**

Gathering Song "HERE I AM TO WORSHIP" Hughes

Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

O God, rich in mercy, you look with compassion on this troubled world. Feed us with your grace, and grant us the treasure that comes only from you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen

Children's Message Pastor Tim

Scripture Song #801 "CHANGE My HEART, O God"

Word

The First Reading Amos **6:1a, 4-7** (pp.1079-1080) The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 146

¹Hallelujah!

Praise the LORD, O my soul!

²I will praise the LORD as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.

³Put not your trust in rulers, in mortals in whom there is no help.

⁴When they breathe their last, they return to earth, and in that day their thoughts perish.

⁵Happy are they who have the God of Jacob for their help, whose hope is in the LORD their God;

⁶who made heaven and earth, the seas, and all that is in them; who keeps promises forever;

⁷who gives justice to those who are oppressed, and food to those who hunger. The LORD sets the captive free.

⁸The LORD opens the eyes of the blind; the LORD lifts up those who are bowed down;

the LORD loves the righteous.

⁹The LORD cares for the stranger; the LORD sustains the orphan and widow, but frustrates the way of the wicked.

¹⁰The LORD shall reign forever,

your God, O Zion, throughout all generations. Hallelujah! Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning is now and will be forever. Amen

The Second Reading 1 Timothy 6:6-19 (pp.1439-1440) The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation #172 "Halle, Halle, Hallelujah"

The Holy Gospel Luke 16:19-31 (pp.1246-1247) The Gospel of our Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon Who's At Our Doorstep? Pastor Tim Malek

Song of the Day **#723 vv.1-3** "Canticle of the Turning"

The Apostles' Creed & Sharing of the Peace

Blessing of the New Grand Piano

Offering & Special Music "Wedding Day at TroldHaugen" David Severtson

Canticle of Thanksgiving "Thank You for Your Blessings" Lien

Offering Prayer

God our provider, we bring nothing into this world and we can take nothing out of it. Accept the gifts you have first given us, which we bring to your table, and with them the offering of our lives. Nourish us now with the life that really is life, revealed to us in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen**

Prayers of Intercession & The Lord's Prayer p. 112

Sending

Blessing

Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us. Almighty God bless you with grace, mercy, and peace, now and forever. **Amen**

Sending Song "O God, You Give Welcome" Family Promise

Dismissal

Go in peace. Live in love as Christ loves us.

Thanks be to God.

Departure: Love the Lord

Song Leaders: Kenzie Bennett, Mary Jo de Cathelineau, Anna Rice, John Dean

JoAnn Halverson, Karina Rice, Jacklyn Skrukrud, Jay Skrukrud, David Severtson

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