

HAINESVILLE LUTHERAN CHURCH — E L C A



Sunday, July 7th, 2024

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost
"The Little Church with a Big Heart"

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP at HAINESVILLE LUTHERAN CHURCH. *We're glad you're here. If you are visiting with us, please sign a visitor card and place it in the offering plate. We thank you for joining us in worship and pray that our time together is a blessing to you. And.... please join us for our weekly fellowship brunch after worship. There's always plenty and you are very welcome. If you are looking for a faith community, we would be pleased to have you call HVLC your "church home".*

PRELUDE AND RINGING OF THE BELL

WELCOME AND STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

CHILDREN'S CHAT

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, the God of manna, the God of miracles, the God of mercy.

C Amen.

P Drawn to Christ and seeking God's abundance, let us confess our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P God, our provider,

C **help us. It is hard to believe there is enough to share. We question your ways when they differ from the ways of the world in which we live. We turn to our own understanding rather than trusting in you. We take offense at your teachings and your ways. Turn us again to you. Where else can we turn? Share with us the words of eternal life and feed us for life in the world. Amen.**

P Beloved people of God:

in Jesus, the manna from heaven, you are fed and nourished. By Jesus, the worker of miracles, there is always more than enough. Through Jesus, ☩ the bread of life, you are shown God's mercy:

you are forgiven and loved into abundant life.

C Amen.

GATHERING HYMN:

"Gather Us In"

HYMN # 532

GREETING

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

C **And also with you.**

KYRIE *(spoken)*

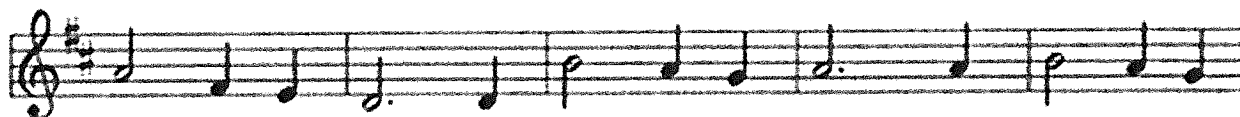
P In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

- C** Lord, have mercy.
P For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.
C Lord, have mercy.
P For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.
C Lord, have mercy.
P For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.
C Lord, have mercy.
P Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.
C Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE



Ⓐ This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le-lu-ia.



Ⓑ Wor-thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us



free to be peo-ple of God. Pow-er and rich-es and wis-dom and



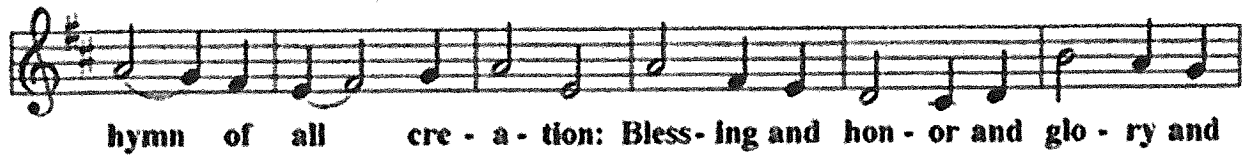
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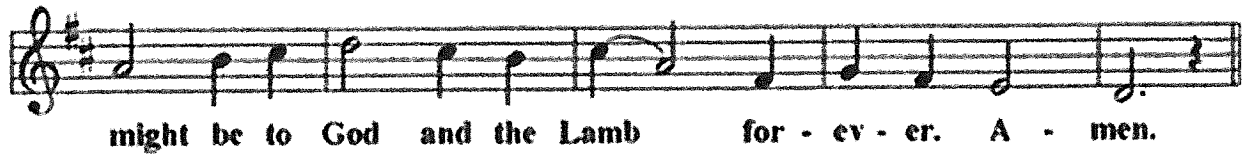
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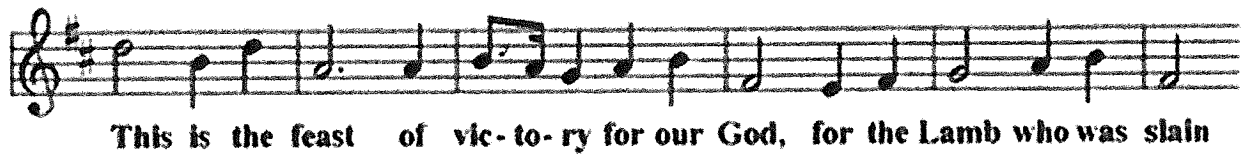
Sing with all the peo - ple of God and join in the



hymn of all cre - a - tion: Bless - ing and hon - or and glo - ry and



might be to God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.



This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God, for the Lamb who was slain



has be - gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P Let us pray. God of the covenant,

C in our baptism you call us to proclaim the coming of your kingdom. Give us the courage you gave the apostles, that we may faithfully witness to your love and peace in every circumstance of life, in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

FIRST READING: Ezekiel 2:1-5

In 597 BCE, the priest Ezekiel was removed into exile in Babylon. While there, he received a vision of God appearing majestically on a chariot throne. Today's reading recounts God's commissioning of Ezekiel during this vision. The prophet is to speak God's word to a people unwilling to hear.

¹[A voice] said to me: O mortal, stand up on your feet, and I will speak with you.²And when he spoke to me, a spirit entered into me and set me on my feet; and I heard him speaking to me. ³He said to me, Mortal, I am sending you to the people of Israel, to a nation of rebels who have rebelled against me; they and their ancestors have trans-

gressed against me to this very day. ⁴The descendants are impudent and stubborn. I am sending you to them, and you shall say to them, “Thus says the Lord GOD.” ⁵Whether they hear or refuse to hear (for they are a rebellious house), they shall know that there has been a prophet among them.

R The word of the Lord C Thanks be to God

PSALM: Psalm 123 (read responsively)

¹To you I lift up my eyes, to you, enthroned in the heavens.

²**As the eyes of servants look to the hand of their masters, and the eyes of a maid to the hand of her mistress, so our eyes look to you, O LORD our God, until you show us your mercy.**

³Have mercy upon us, O LORD, have mercy,

for we have had more than enough of contempt,

⁴**too much of the scorn of the indolent rich, and of the derision of the proud.**

SECOND READING: 2 Corinthians 12:2-10

Christians do not boast of their own accomplishments. Rather, Christian boasting focuses attention on how the power of Christ is present in our lives, especially in times of weakness and vulnerability. No matter what our circumstances in life, Christ’s grace is sufficient for us.

²I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. ³And I know that such a person—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows—

⁴was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. ⁵On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. ⁶But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than

what is seen in me or heard from me, ⁷even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated.

⁸Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, ⁹but he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.” So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. ¹⁰Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong.

R Word of God, Word of Life C Thanks be to God

GOSPEL: Mark 6:1-13

At home and abroad, Jesus and his disciples encounter resistance as they seek to proclaim God's word and relieve affliction.

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the 6th chapter

C **Glory to you, O Lord.**

¹[Jesus] came to his hometown, and his disciples followed him.²On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, "Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! ³Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?" And they took offense at him. ⁴Then Jesus said to them, "Prophets are not without honor, except in their hometown, and among their own kin, and in their own house."⁵ And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. ⁶And he was amazed at their unbelief.

Then he went about among the villages teaching. ⁷He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. ⁸He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; ⁹but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. ¹⁰He said to them, "Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. ¹¹If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them." ¹²So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. ¹³They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

P The Gospel of the Lord
(please be seated)

C **Praise to you O Christ.**

GOD'S WORD FOR TODAY

Pastor Mary Lou Plummer

HYMN OF THE DAY

"Here I Am, Lord"

HYMN # 574

APOSTLES CREED *(please stand as you are able)*

P Let us confess our faith in the words of the Apostles Creed
I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He

descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.
Amen.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

P One in the communion of saints and in the power of the Holy Spirit, we join our voices in prayer.

RESPONSE TO PRAYERS

P In your mercy

C Hear our prayer

Tom (Angermeier), Lynn (B), Elaine (Caelwaerts), Mike & Rina (Clumpner), Danielle (D), Philip (Dixner), Dave (G), Ruth (Grainger), Charlotte (K), Patricia (Kehl), Joel (L), Wade (Larson), Marian (Mailland), David (Plummer), Sue (R), Matthew (Rocque), Alice (Rocque-Angermeier), Todd (S), Barb (Salzer), Susan (Scott), Irene (Thorson), and Ernie (Watson).

C Amen.

THE PEACE

P The peace of the Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.** *(please share Christ's peace with one another)*
(you may be seated)

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

"Let the Vineyards" (please stand)

HYMN #184

C **Let the vineyards be fruitful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of blessing. Gather a harvest from the seeds that were sown, that we may be fed with the bread of life. Gather the hopes and the dreams of all; unite them with the prayers we offer. Grace our table with your presence, and give us a foretaste of the feast to come.**

OFFERING PRAYER

P Jesus, Bread of life, you have set this table with your very self, and called us to the feast of plenty. Gather what has been sown among us, and strengthen us in this meal. Make us to be what we receive here, your body for the life of the world.

C Amen.

THE COMMUNION LITURGY *(spoken)*

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

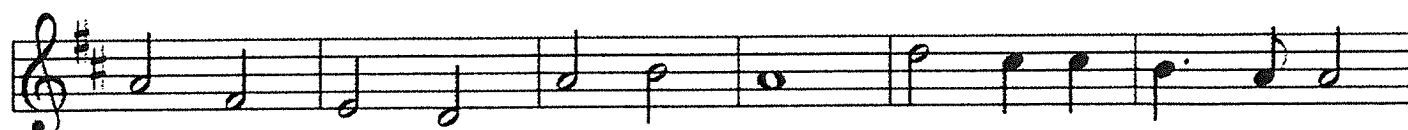
P Lift up your hearts.

C **We lift them to the Lord.**

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

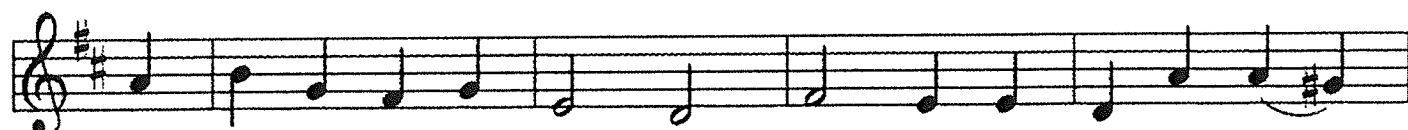
P It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places offer thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God. You comforted your people with the promise of the Redeemer, through whom you will also make all things new in the day when he comes again to judge the world in righteousness. And so, with the Church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



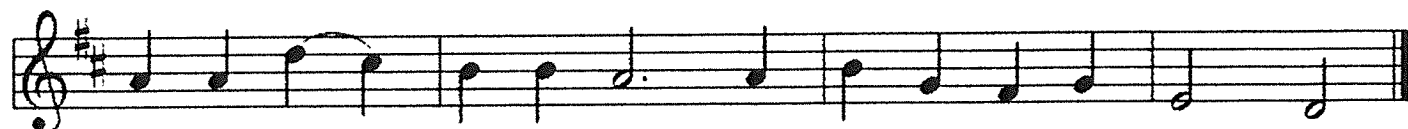
☐ Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might:



Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.



Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes



in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

- P Gathered in to one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.
- 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**
- P Christ has set the table with more than enough for all. Come!

COMMUNION HYMN	<i>"Let Us Break Bread Together"</i>	HYMN # 471
	<i>"We Come to the Hungry Feast"</i>	HYMN # 479
	<i>"Here Is Bread"</i>	HYMN # 483

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION *(you may be seated)*

We welcome all believers in Christ to share in God's Holy meal. Please come to the front and receive the Body and Blood of Christ. Grape juice and gluten free wafers are available on the stand in the center. Children who have not received their first communion instruction are invited to come forward and receive a pastoral blessing.

COMMUNION BLESSING *(after the distribution has been completed - please stand)*

- P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.
- C **Amen.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

- P Jesus, Bread of life, we have received from your table more than we could ever ask. As you have nourished us in this meal, now strengthen us to love the world with your own life. In your name we pray.
- C **Amen.**

BLESSING

- P The blessing of God, who provides for us, feeds us, and journeys with us, ☩ be upon you now and forever.
- C **Amen.**

TABLE BLESSING

P Let us pray together the table blessing.

C Come Lord Jesus, be our guest and let these gifts to us be blessed. Amen.

SENDING HYMN

"I Love to Tell the Story"

HYMN # 661

SENDING FORTH

P Alleluia! Go in peace. Rejoice and be glad.

C Thanks be to God.... AND WE WILL !!

POSTLUDE

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WE ARE IN NEED of a Sunday School teacher to work with Heather Haese for the 2024-2025 school year. This person will provide Sunday School on the Sundays that Heather can not. Please contact Joanne Adlon for more information.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT HAINESVILLE

Goods & Goodies Sale

Saturday July 20th 9AM—1 PM

Last day for drop off is July 13. There will also be a bake sale and silent auction.

Synod Golf Outing August 6

See George to sign up

Croissant Chicken Salad Luncheon

Wednesday August 21st Noon— 1 PM

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God's Work, Our Hands Sunday

September 8

We are planning on taking part in the Synod Golf Tournament on August 6th.

If you would like to participate please let George know by July 21st.

Serving in worship today (July 7th)

Presiding minister: Pastor Mary Lou Plummer

Reader: Jan Shusta

Ushers: John Breider & John Melland

Communion Assist: Sue Nusbaum

Keyboard: Peggy Odegaard

Serving in worship next week (July 14th)

Presiding minister: Pastor David Raben

Liturgist: Jim Hanstad

Reader: Roy Jilburg

Ushers: Roy Jilburg & Bonnie Kohn

Keyboard: Peggy Odegaard

Readings for next week: July 14th

Amos 7:7-15

The sign of the plumb line: God's judgment on Israel

Psalm 85:8-13

I will listen to what the LORD God is saying. (Ps. 85:8)

Ephesians 1:3-14

Chosen in Christ to live to the praise of God's glory

Mark 6:14-29

The death of John the Baptist

There are current directories on the table by each entrance to the sanctuary. The published date is on the top. You may take one as needed.

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Over the summer, keep in mind that it is time be collecting items for LWR School kits. Peggy Odegaard has approximately 100 school bags ready to be filled. ONLY THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE PERMITTED

Watch for sales to stock up! All items for the school kits are to be new. Here is the list.

- * FOUR 70-sheet notebooks of wide-ruled or college-ruled paper (no loose leaf paper)
- * ONE 30-centimeter ruler, or a ruler with centimeters on one side and inches on the other

- * ONE pair of blunt scissors
- * FIVE black or blue ballpoint pens (no gel pens)
- * ONE 2 1/2" eraser
- * ONE pencil sharpener

Shipping date is October 4, 2024. Now is the time to get the supplies when they are on sale.

We are planning a new member Sunday again soon. Do you or someone you know want to become a member of our Hainesville Church Family? Please let the office know so we can include those interested in our plans.

Stewardship Opportunities July 7-14

Today the fellowship meal is our being provided by the folks whose last name begins A-K. Next week the folks whose last name begins with L-Z will be providing the meal.

July 24th	Carrie LaPlante
July 27th	Jim Vogel
	Leslie Petersen
July 31st	Cheryl Larson

Week at a Glance July 7-14

Monday 9-Noon (note day change)

Office hours for Lana

Tuesday Bible Study 9:30

Live Like Jesus, Be Like Jesus

Wednesday 8 AM

Men's breakfast and Bible Study

Wedding Anniversaries in July

July 8th	Jim & Linda Monahan
July 16th	Arne & Peggy Odegaard
	Dean & Cheryl Larson
July 29th	Paul & LuAnn Klapatch

Attendance last week: 52

Birthdays in July

July 1st	Derek Hannemann
	Don Lauscher
July 2nd	Kaden Borkovetz
	Laura Borkovetz
July 3rd	Shanna Schmitz
	Joey Wilke
July 4th	Meggie Lumaye-Sawyer
July 6th	Kraig Aune
	Dianne Eskildsen
July 8th	Linda Monahan
July 9th	Don Heldmann
July 10th	Ellen Klister
July 17th	Adam Gutschow
	Ceres Sawitzki
July 19th	Ardy Lauscher
July 21st	Gary Hannemann
July 22nd	Samuel Sund

From Carolyn concerning the July Goods & Goodies sale:

To anyone wishing to donate items for the yard sale...Please leave donations by the memorial wall **no later than this Saturday, July 13th.** DO NOT LEAVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING

- * Clothing of any kind
- * Microwave ovens
- * Computers/Peripherals
- * TV sets/Monitors
- * Refrigerators
- * Freezers
- * Organs
- * Air conditioners
- * Mattresses

All other items are very much appreciated and we thank you. If you have any larger items or questions please call Carolyn Melland at 920-743-4470 or 920-495-2871