



TREASURE

in jars of clay

Christ Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

Pentecost 5 – June 24 & 27, 2021

Pastor Tom Engelbrecht

OPENING HYMN

"This Is My Will"

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"This is my will, my one com - mand, That love should dwell
"No great - er love can an - y have Than that one die
"I call you now no long - er slaves; No slave knows all
"You chose not me, but I chose you, That you should go
"All that you ask my Fa - ther dear For my name's sake



a - mong you all. This is my will, that you
to save his friends. You are my friends if you
the mas - ter does. I call you friends, for all
and bear much fruit. I chose you out that you
you shall re - ceive. This is my will, my one



should love As I have shown that I love you.
o - bey What I com - mand that you should do.
I hear My Fa - ther say, you hear from me.
in me Should bear much fruit that will a - bide.
com - mand, That love should dwell on each, in all."

Stand

CALL TO WORSHIP

P: We worship in the name of the Father and of the Son (†) and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

P: Sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things;

C: **His right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for him.**

P: The LORD has made his salvation known;

C: **He has revealed his righteousness to the nations.**

P: He has remembered his love and his faithfulness to the house of Israel;

C: **All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.**

CONFESSION OF SINS AND FORGIVENESS

- P: Dear friends, let us approach God with true hearts and confess our sins, asking him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to forgive us.
- C: God our Father, by nature we are dead in sin. We have disobeyed your commandments and have broken relationships. We confess attitudes that are loveless, worship that is half-hearted, faith that is fleeting. We are often slow to learn of you and tell others what we have learned. Forgive us, Lord, and prepare us for the work you have planned for us.**
- P: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again! In his great mercy, God made us alive in Christ even when we were dead in our sin. As a called servant of the Word, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son (†) and of the Holy Spirit.
- C: Amen.**

Be seated

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

2 Samuel 12:11-25

¹¹ “This is what the Lord says: ‘Out of your own household I am going to bring calamity on you. Before your very eyes I will take your wives and give them to one who is close to you, and he will sleep with your wives in broad daylight. ¹² You did it in secret, but I will do this thing in broad daylight before all Israel.’”

¹³ Then David said to Nathan, “I have sinned against the Lord.”

Nathan replied, “The Lord has taken away your sin. You are not going to die. ¹⁴ But because by doing this you have shown utter contempt for the Lord, the son born to you will die.”

¹⁵ After Nathan had gone home, the Lord struck the child that Uriah’s wife had borne to David, and he became ill. ¹⁶ David pleaded with God for the child. He fasted and spent the nights lying in sackcloth on the ground. ¹⁷ The elders of his household stood beside him to get him up from the ground, but he refused, and he would not eat any food with them.

¹⁸ On the seventh day the child died. David’s attendants were afraid to tell him that the child was dead, for they thought, “While the child was still living, he wouldn’t listen to us when we spoke to him. How can we now tell him the child is dead? He may do something desperate.”

¹⁹ David noticed that his attendants were whispering among themselves, and he realized the child was dead. “Is the child dead?” he asked.

“Yes,” they replied, “he is dead.”

²⁰ Then David got up from the ground. After he had washed, put on lotions and changed his clothes, he went into the house of the Lord and worshiped. Then he went to his own house, and at his request they served him food, and he ate.

²¹ His attendants asked him, “Why are you acting this way? While the child was alive, you fasted and wept, but now that the child is dead, you get up and eat!”

²² He answered, “While the child was still alive, I fasted and wept. I thought, ‘Who knows? The Lord may be gracious to me and let the child live.’ ²³ But now that he is dead, why should I go on fasting? Can I bring him back again? I will go to him, but he will not return to me.”

²⁴ Then David comforted his wife Bathsheba, and he went to her and made love to her. She gave birth to a son, and they named him Solomon. The Lord loved him; ²⁵ and because the Lord loved him, he sent word through Nathan the prophet to name him Jedidiah.

SECOND LESSON

2 Timothy 1:8-14

⁸ So do not be ashamed of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner. Rather, join with me in suffering for the gospel, by the power of God. ⁹ He has saved us and called us to a holy life—not because of anything we have done but because of his own purpose and grace. This grace was given us in Christ Jesus before the beginning of time, ¹⁰ but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Savior, Christ Jesus, who has destroyed death and has brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. ¹¹ And of this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher. ¹² That is why I am suffering as I am. Yet this is no cause for shame, because I know whom I have believed, and am convinced that he is able to guard what I have entrusted to him until that day.

¹³ What you heard from me, keep as the pattern of sound teaching, with faith and love in Christ Jesus. ¹⁴ Guard the good deposit that was entrusted to you—guard it with the help of the Holy Spirit who lives in us.



SERMON HYMN

"By Grace I'm Saved"

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By grace I'm saved, grace free and bound-less; My soul, be-
 By grace God's Son, our on - ly Sav - ior, Came down to
 By grace! Oh mark this word of prom - ise When you are
 By grace to tim - id hearts that trem - ble, In trib - u-
 By grace! On this I'll rest when dy - ing; In Je - sus



- lieve and doubt it not. Why wa - ver at this word of
 earth to bear our sin. Was it be - cause of your own
 by your sins op - pressed, When Sa - tan plagues your trou - bled
 - la - tion's fur - nace tried- By grace, de - spite all fear and
 prom - ise I re - jice. For though I know my heart's con-



prom - ise? Has Scrip - ture ev - er false-hood taught? So then this
 mer - it That Je - sus died your soul to win? No it was
 con-science, And when your heart is seek - ing rest. What rea - son
 trou - ble, The Fa - ther's heart is o - pen wide. Where could I
 - di - tion, I al - so know my Sav - ior's voice. My heart is



word must true re - main: By grace you, too, shall heav'n ob - tain.
 grace, and grace a - lone, That brought him from his heav'n - ly throne.
 can - not com - pre - hend God by his grace to you did send.
 help and strength se - cure If grace were not my an - chor sure?
 glad; all grief has flown Since I am saved by grace a - lone.

SERMON TEXT

Mark 5:21-24a, 35-43

²¹ When Jesus had again crossed over by boat to the other side of the lake, a large crowd gathered around him while he was by the lake. ²² Then one of the synagogue leaders, named Jairus, came, and when he saw Jesus, he fell at his feet. ²³ He pleaded earnestly with him, “My little daughter is dying. Please come and put your hands on her so that she will be healed and live.” ^{24a} So Jesus went with him.

³⁵ While Jesus was still speaking, some people came from the house of Jairus, the synagogue leader. “Your daughter is dead,” they said. “Why bother the teacher anymore?”

³⁶ Overhearing what they said, Jesus told him, “Don’t be afraid; just believe.”

³⁷ He did not let anyone follow him except Peter, James and John the brother of James. ³⁸ When they came to the home of the synagogue leader, Jesus saw a commotion, with people crying and wailing loudly. ³⁹ He went in and said to them, “Why all this commotion and wailing? The child is not dead but asleep.” ⁴⁰ But they laughed at him.

After he put them all out, he took the child’s father and mother and the disciples who were with him, and went in where the child was. ⁴¹ He took her by the hand and said to her, “Talitha koum!” (which means “Little girl, I say to you, get up!”). ⁴² Immediately the girl stood up and began to walk around (she was twelve years old). At this they were completely astonished. ⁴³ He gave strict orders not to let anyone know about this, and told them to give her something to eat.

In the Face of Death We Cling to Christ

1. He Has the Power to Help
2. He Always Gives Life

Stand

THE APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.**

He descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty.

From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

**the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Be seated

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P: Lord God, our maker and preserver, we praise and thank you for all that you give us day after day.

C: We are not worthy of all the mercies you show us.

P: You have given us your precious Word to nourish our souls and to protect us from the temptations of the devil, the world, and our own sinful nature.

C: We thank you for those who teach and preach your saving truth at this place and everywhere. Grant them a rich measure of patience, wisdom, and love.

P: Heavenly Father, we pray that you shield us from every kind of danger: sudden catastrophe, terrors of crime, and the pain of disease. Watch over those who travel by land, sea, and air. Keep our loved ones from whatever perils may threaten them.

C: Heal those who are sick, cheer those who are sad, calm those who are distressed, and comfort all who are old and infirm.

P: Bless our land, our people, and those who hold offices of high trust. Keep our government and schools upright and strong for the advancement of good citizenship and useful vocations, that we may enjoy your gifts of peace, security, and well-being.

C: Grant your blessing to every nation on earth. Where there are wars, may there be peace. Where there is hatred, let it be healed. Where there is poverty, danger, or disaster, come with your almighty power to help and restore.

Special prayers and intercessions may follow.

P: Hear us, Lord, as we bring you our private petitions.

Silent prayer.

P: We bring these requests before you in the name of Jesus our Lord, and ask you to hear us. Take all that we have, our bodies and minds, our time and skills, our ministries and offerings, and use them to your glory.

C: We give ourselves to you that we may serve you in whatever way is pleasing in your sight. Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

THE BLESSING

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look on you with favor and (†) give you peace.

C: Amen.

CLOSING HYMN

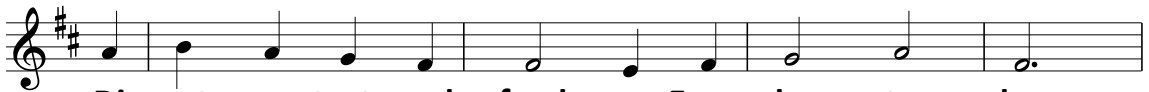
"Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me"

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Lord, take my hand and lead me Up - on life's way;
Lord, when the tem-pest ra - ges, I need not fear;
Lord, when the shad-ows length-en And night has come,



Di-rect, pro-tect, and feed me From day to day.
For you, the Rock of A - ges, Are al - ways near.
I know that you will strength-en My steps toward home,



With - out your grace and fa - vor I go a - stray;
Close by your side a - bid - ing, I fear no foe,
And noth-ing can im - pede me, O bless - ed Friend!



So take my hand, O Sav - ior, And lead the way.
For when your hand is guid - ing, In peace I go.
So take my hand and lead me Un - to the end.

CALENDAR

Today	9:00a	Worship
	10:15a	Bible 201
	7:00p	Worship
	7:45p	Bible 201
Sunday	9:00a	Worship
	10:15a	Bible 201

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU! Our thanks to Vicar Justin Wilkens for preaching and sharing God’s Word. A vicar, what some might refer to as an intern, is a third year seminary student learning the ropes under a supervising Pastor. Vicar Wilkens serves at Zion in Denver.

CALLING ALL SOFTBALL PLAYERS! The area WELS churches are gathering for a coed softball tournament on Saturday, July 10. We would love to get a team together from COR! Men and women are invited and encouraged to play—and if you have a friend that would be interested, bring them as well! Contact Pastor Engelbrecht to let him know that you are interested.

SOCCER CAMP: We are hosting a soccer camp this summer for children entering K-5th Grade. The camp will be July 26-28. Please visit our website www.christredeemer.church for additional information, including online registration. Flyers are located on the table in the narthex. Sign up your children. Tell your neighbors. Take them a flyer. We’re looking forward to teaching some soccer and sharing our Savior! Also, we will need volunteers to help with camp and registration. Contact Pastor Engelbrecht or Seth Borchardt if you’re willing to help out!

A warm welcome to our visitors. May the Lord bless your worship with us today!

- If you are visiting, please do us the honor of filling out a connection card, located on the podium near the entrance to the sanctuary. After filling it out, please hand it to an usher, place it in the offering plate in the back of the sanctuary, or give it to the pastor.
- Please let an usher know if you require a larger print bulletin.
- Restrooms are located through the gathering area, down the hallway to your left.
- We will not pass the offering plate during the service. Feel free to give an offering online at our website (www.christredeemer.church), scan the QR code to the right, or place your offering in the plate at the back of the sanctuary.



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