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St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Congregation

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Worship: Thursday, 6:30 pm ~ Sunday, 8:00 & 10:30 am
Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod

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WELCOME to GOD'S HOUSE May God the Holy Spirit lead you into Christ's love.

Thank you for joining us for worship. If you have any questions about our service or practice, please feel free to ask one of the ushers or the pastor.

HOLY COMMUNION Today we have the privilege of receiving Christ's true body and blood in, with and under the bread and wine of Holy Communion. Through this sacrament the Holy Spirit seals to us the forgiveness of sins, life and salvation for the strengthening of our faith. Scriptures also teach that as we commune together, we are publicly testifying to a complete unity of faith based on a confession of all of God's Word. For this reason, we respectfully request that all of those who are not members **please speak with one of our pastors before communing** with us.

A PRAYER BEFORE WORSHIP Give to your Word impressive power that in our hearts from this good hour as fire it may be glowing, that in true Christian unity we faithful witnesses may be, your glory ever showing. Hear us, cheer us by your teaching; let our preaching and our labor praise you, Lord, and serve our neighbor. Amen.

SERVICE THEME *Followers of Christ: Make Selfless Sacrifices*

ORDER OF WORSHIP *Setting Two | 172-187*

OPENING HYMN *O Jesus So Sweet, O Jesus So Mild | 540*

INSPIRATION IN 8:00 SERVICE

“Triune Tribute”
by Tim Shuey

Refrain: Sing to the Lord for he is worthy of praise; come let us clap our hands and shout for joy. Glory and honor and praise to the Father we will sing forevermore.

Praise to Jesus the Son, crucified risen One, giving life to me.
Heaven’s home he’s prepared; we will reign with him there, for eternity. *Refrain*

Holy Spirit Divine, is the power of mine, sent from God above.
He is cleansing of sin, and is living within, filling us with love. *Refrain*

We praise God three in one, Father, Spirit and Son, tribute to Him bring.
Let us come and rejoice, everyone lift your voice to our God and King.
Come let us sing. *Refrain*

ADULT CHOIR IN 10:30 SERVICE

“Go Forth in His Name”
by John Wilson

We are His children, the fruit of His suffering, saved and redeemed by His blood;
called to be holy, a light to the nations, clothed with His power, filled with His love!

Refrain: Go forth in His name, proclaiming “Jesus reigns!” Now is the time for the Church to arise and proclaim Him “Jesus, Savior, Redeemer and Lord.”

Countless the souls that are stumbling in darkness, why do we sleep in the light?
Jesus commands us to “Go make disciples.” This is our cause, this is the fight!
Refrain

Listen, the wind of the Spirit is blowing, the end of the age is so near; powers in the earth and the heavens are shaking, Jesus, our Lord, soon shall appear! *Refrain Refrain*
Jesus is Lord!

PRAYER OF THE DAY Almighty and merciful God, it is only by your gift of grace that we come into your presence and offer true and faithful service. Grant that our worship on earth may always be pleasing to you, and in the life to come give us the fulfillment of what you have promised; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 53:10-12

The prophet Isaiah foretold that the coming Messiah would make the ultimate sacrifice to pay for our sin.

Yet it was the LORD’s will to crush him
and to allow him to suffer.
Because you made his life a guilt offering, he will see offspring.
He will prolong his days,
and the LORD’s gracious plan will succeed in his hand.
¹¹After his soul experiences anguish, he will see the light of life.
He will provide satisfaction.
Through their knowledge of him, my just servant will justify the many,
for he himself carried their guilt.
¹²Therefore I will give him an allotment among the great,
and with the strong he will share plunder,
because he poured out his life to death,
and he let himself be counted with rebellious sinners.
He himself carried the sin of many,
and he intercedes for the rebels.

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SECOND LESSON

1 Corinthians 9:7-12

St. Paul shares his willingness to make great sacrifices in his effort to share the gospel of Christ.

What soldier ever serves at his own expense? Who plants a vineyard and does not eat some of its fruit? Or who takes care of a flock and does not drink milk from the flock? ⁸Am I saying this just from a human point of view? Doesn’t the law also say this? ⁹Yes, it is written in the Law of Moses, “You shall not muzzle an ox while it is treading out grain.” Is God really concerned about oxen, ¹⁰or does he say this entirely for our sake? Yes, it was written for our sake, because the plowman ought to plow in

hope, and the thresher ought to thresh in hope of getting a share. ¹¹If we sowed spiritual seed for your good, is it too much if we reap material benefits from you? ¹²If others have some right to make this claim on you, don't we even more? But we did not use this right. Instead, we endure everything so as not to cause any hindrance for the gospel of Christ.

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

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Mark 10:45

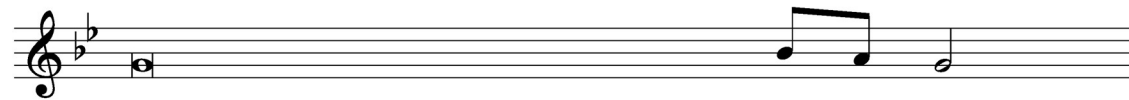


Refrain



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Tone



For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve,



and to give his life as a ransom for man - y.

Refrain

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GOSPEL

Mark 10:32-45

To disciples who sought glory and honor, Jesus taught that his followers would make selfless sacrifices for others just as he would be sacrificed for our sins.

They were on the road, going up to Jerusalem, and Jesus was leading them. The disciples were amazed, and the others who followed were afraid. He took the Twelve

aside again and began to tell them what was going to happen to him. ³³“Look, we are going up to Jerusalem, and the Son of Man will be betrayed to the chief priests and the experts in the law. They will condemn him to death and will hand him over to the Gentiles. ³⁴They will mock him, spit on him, flog him, and kill him. On the third day he will rise again.”

³⁵James and John, the sons of Zebedee, approached him and said, “Teacher, we wish that you would do for us whatever we ask.”

³⁶He said to them, “What do you want me to do for you?”

³⁷They said to him, “Promise that we may sit, one at your right and one at your left, in your glory.”

³⁸But Jesus said to them, “You do not know what you are asking. Can you drink the cup that I am going to drink or be baptized with the baptism that I am going to be baptized with?”

³⁹“We can,” they replied.

Jesus told them, “You will drink the cup that I am going to drink and be baptized with the baptism that I am going to be baptized with. ⁴⁰But to sit at my right or at my left is not for me to give; rather, these places belong to those for whom they have been prepared.”

⁴¹When the ten heard this, they were angry with James and John.

⁴²Jesus called them together and said, “You know that those who are considered rulers over the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones exercise authority over them. ⁴³But that is not the way it is to be among you. Instead, whoever wants to be great among you will be your servant, ⁴⁴and whoever wants to be first among you will be a slave of all. ⁴⁵For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise be to you, O Christ!**

HYMN OF THE DAY

O God, Your Hand the Heavens Made | 751

Sermon Text: Psalm 62:5-12

My soul, rest quietly in God alone, for my hope comes from him.

⁶He alone is my rock and my salvation, my fortress.

I will not be disturbed.

⁷My salvation and my honor depend on God, my strong rock.

My refuge is in God.

⁸Trust in him at all times, you people. Pour out your hearts before him.
God is a refuge for us.

⁹Yes, the sons of Adam are only a breath. The sons of man are a delusion.
On a scale they weigh nothing. They are nothing but air.

¹⁰Do not trust in extortion. Do not put empty confidence in stolen goods.
If your wealth grows, do not set your heart on it.

¹¹One thing God has spoken, two things that I have heard:
that God has strength

¹²and that you, Lord, have mercy.

Surely you will repay each person according to what he has done.

“My Heart Trusts in God Alone”

Pastor Lindemann

1. He is the only one worth trusting
2. He has strength and love for us sinners

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GATHERING OF OUR OFFERING

7-8 BELLS IN 8:00 SERVICE

*“This is My Father’s World”
by John Carter*

THE SACRAMENT

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DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

*God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending | 749
Gracious God, You Send Great Blessings | 752*

THANKSGIVING & BLESSING

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CLOSING HYMN

God Loved the World So That He Gave | 570

ORGANIST: Brent Nolte **CELLO:** Laura Nolte

GREETERS: 8:00 ~ Vicki & Marv Mortensen

10:30 ~ Jane Fell