



# THE EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 14, 2024  
8 & 10 AM



## Worship Resources . . .

*Evangelical Lutheran Worship (ELW - red hymnal in side pocket of your chair)*  
*Now the Feast and Celebration (NFC-Liturgy on inside back cover of ELW)*

✠ Indicates a moment to make the sign of the cross remembering you are a child of God

## WELCOME

Prelude Jesus, Priceless Treasure J.S. Bach & M. Burkhardt

## CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Pastor: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✠ one God, the God of manna, the God of miracles, the God of mercy.

**Congregation: Amen.**

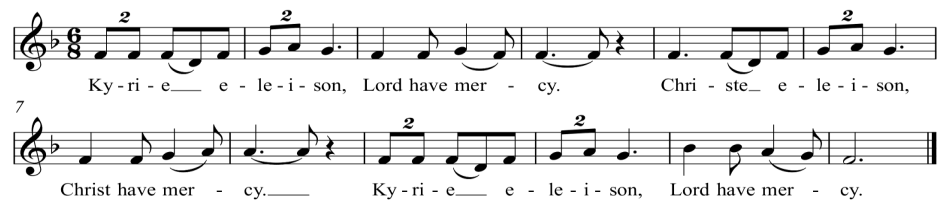
Pastor: Drawn to Christ and seeking God's abundance, let us confess our sin. God our provider,

**Congregation: 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.**

Pastor: 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.

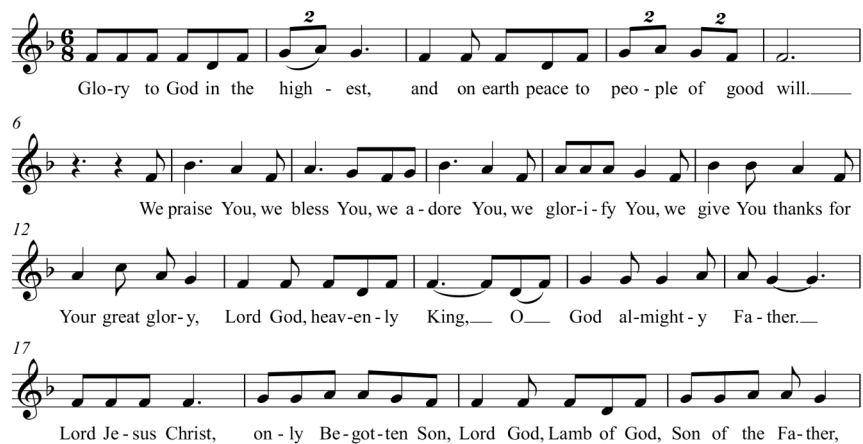
**Congregation: Amen.**

## Apostolic Greeting and Kyrie



## Hymn of Praise

## Gloria



## Prayer of the Day

Assisting Minister: O God, from you come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works. Give to us, your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey your commandments; and also that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may live in peace and quietness, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Congregation: Amen.**

## WORD



(10 am) Children's Sermon (ages 3-5th gr.)

Pastor Katie

## First Reading

Amos 7:7-5

## Second Reading

Ephesians 1:3-14

## Gospel Alleluia Verse (stand)



## Gospel

Mark 6:14-29

Pastor: (following the Gospel reading) This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**Congregation: Thanks be to God.**

## Hymn of the Day

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

ELW Hymn #807

## Sermon

Rev. Katie Freund

## Commissioning for the ELCA Gathering (10 am)

## Apostles' Creed (8am)

see screens

## Prayers of the Community

Assisting Minister: One in the communion of saints and in the power of the Holy Spirit...in your mercy,

**Congregation...hear our prayer.** (additional intercessions will follow)

## Sharing of Peace

The people may greet one another as you are comfortable with a sign of Christ's peace and may say "Peace be with you" or similar words. As you are greeting one another in the main aisle, you may wish to lift your head toward the center camera above the doorway and greet the congregation online with a peace sign or wave. Response: **And also with you.**

## MEAL

### Offering

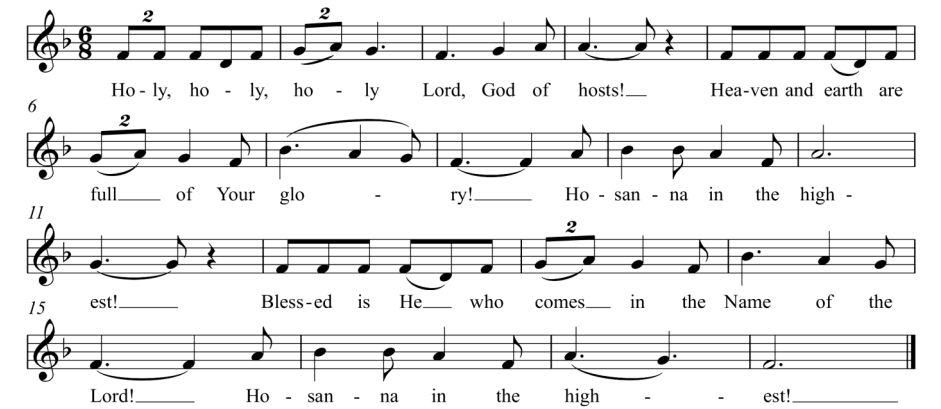
### Offertory Prayer

Pastor: 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.

**Congregation: Amen.**

### Great Thanksgiving

### Holy, Holy, Holy



### Eucharistic Prayer/Words of Institution

### The Lord's Prayer

see screens

### Invitation to Communion

Pastor: Christ has set the table with more than enough for all. Come!

### Communion Hymn

### Lamb of God



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### Distribution

Post Communion Blessing ... **Congregation: Amen**

### Post-Communion Prayer

Assisting Minister: 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.

**Congregation: Amen**

## SENDING

### Announcements

### Benediction

Pastor: The blessing of God, who provides for us, feeds us and journeys with us, ✠ be upon you now and forever.

**Congregation: Amen.**

### Dismissal

Assisting Minister: Go in peace. You are the body of Christ..

**Congregation: Thanks be to God.**

### Postlude

Chaconne

Louis Couperin

# PRAYER MINISTRY

ONGOING PRAYER CONCERNS: (in alphabetical order): Jacob Allen; Nora Ancona; Dessie Arnold; Mark Austin; Justin Bach; Carol Bajorek; Jack Bakke; Jenet Bakke; Ann Balduino; Barbara Baron; Melissa Becke; Judy Becker; Marilyn Benson; Bruce Berger; Veronica Bertucci; Lucas & Aimee Bond; Barbara Bose; Neil Boushell; David Brady; Michelle Brewer; Marcy Brosten; Dan Brown; Bridget Brennan; Marilyn Brennan; Erika Brown Thomas; Nolan Bruett; Deborah Buckman; John Bullert; Zach Burge; Jane Caccamo; Jean Cameron; Irene Campbell; Mason Cappaert; Mary Carlson; David Casbon; Kelly Chartier; Kristin Chipman; Brandon Christiansen; Martin Chrobak; Kevin Clark; McKinley Clark; Claus Family; Robert Collins; Julie Compisi; Donna Coninx; Beth Cotter; Christine Coyne; Camden Cromer; Mike David; Dory Delatorre; Doug DeGrazia; Tom DeLeeuw; Susie Deress; Diane Desmond; Sheryl Dikelsky; Gail Dillon; Karen Dorn; Bob Dornbush; Robert Douglas; Dennis Doval; Sandy Downes; Diane Duffy; Suzanne Erlanson; George Farnsworth; Jim Fehling; Annette Feldman; Marcia Fischer; Karen Fitzgerald; Brian Frank; Bob Franz; Kim Fuller; John Gannon; Tim Garcia; Janet Gengler; Janet George; Noah Glusenkamp; Robert Goldstein; Edward Gonwa; Scott Good; Ed Grevers; Jim Gray; Joyce Guccione; Sharon Hammer; Kaleb Hansens; Kevin Harper; Lauren Hartman; Deborah Harvey; Sarah Haselow; Sue Hauder; Connor Healy; Wayne Hiitola; The Hoover Family; Chris Hovland; Maribeth Hlupic; Catherine Jacobus; Richard Janis; Cyndee Jennrich; Liz Jenson; Ben Johnson; Bruce Johnson; Curt Johnson; Stephen Jordan & Andrea Ariss; Ashley Junkunc; Sarah Kalgren; Angel Selzie Keiser; Rebecca Keith; Sheila Kerley; William Kerley; Kyle King; Nancy Kingsley; Jean Kinsley; Kate Wheeler Kirwan; Jeannie Knight; Brian Kobeck; Jason & Melissa Kobeck; Ken Kozlick; Jeff Kramer; Steve Kreske; Abby Krohne; Leo Kuehn; Johnny Kukla; Daryl Larson; Scott Lauth; Mary Leimer; Darline Leland; Dave LeMieux; Tom Lepper; Betty Lindsey; Stan Livermore; Eric Loge; David Main; Marilyn Martin; Judie Mason; Arlene McCue; Brenda Medeiros; Danny Meixelsperger; Lori Merritt; Allan Meyer; Herb Meyer; Tim Meyer; Patrick Milbourne; Bernie & Halla Miller; Ryan Miller; Megan Mills; Barb Minczewski; Donna Mongeon; Wendel Mongeon; Santos Mora; Mark Morgan; John Monteleone; Lyela Moraw; Joshua Mosher; Anne Mrazek; Leah Mueller; Lynn Mueller; Gregory Munch; Karen Najdoski; Judith Nelson; Chris Niem; Linda Norby; Bob Nordland, Sr.; Shelley Norling; Eva & Robert Norstrom; Eileen O'Keefe; Delaney O'Leary; Marian Olson; Mike O'Malley; Warren Opfer; Dasha Palic; Raymond Palumbo; Barb Parker; Carl Patek; Ken & Karen Patek; Lisa Reed Peloza; Dave Peloza; David Petta; Becca Peterson; Olivia Peterson; Sarah Peterson; Kathy Pitts; Ann Porter; Lisa Price; Al Ragazzi; Eddie Ramos; Janet Rardin; Patty Reasor; Kim Reif; Sue Reim; Carol Remissong; Shawn Revell; Colt Rever; Kristen Rewalt; Jenna Rietveld; Annie Rizzo; Annette Roman; Brook Rosberg; Carl Rose; Roland Russell; Carrie Salbeck; Jeremy Salame; Jim Salmon; Elliott San; Mario Sankus; Harold Sargent; Dolores Sattle; John Schumacher; Frank Scolia; Mark Sendef; Frank Shannahan; Tiffany Sharp; Mark Shutes; Miriam Smith; Terri Solomon; Blake Stabeno; Bev Stoke; Kelly Sullivan; Stephanie Suo; Mary Syrup; Hilda Teuffel; Dee Thomas; Susan Thomas; Mike Thompson; Mary Twardock; Two Strike Community on the Rosebud Reservation; John Uganski; Julie Urban; Sarah Vadasz; Sharon Vogel; Lynn Walsh; Tika Walsh; Al Varoni & John Wasilk; Tom Westerman; Karen Wetterling; Scott White; Rowdy Wiita; Lorena Williams; Patti Woods; Myrna Wylie; Sophia Zemitas

**JULY PRAYER CONCERNS:** For all the Men & Women who have been wounded as well as those serving in the Armed Forces; Dave Johnson; Dorothy Welch; Ken Juke; Evan Holly; Gene & Kathy Gosch; Mark Schutz; Nick Varzandeh; Melissa Kobeck; Helen Gaydusek; Bill Froemke; David Janowski; Nancy Carani; Nancy Wilkins; Bob Blondin; Kyra Smith; Mike Kachuri; Marie Mauter; Sullivan Dennhardt; Harold Oelschlager; Carol West; Judy Luplow; Joy Bishop; Joyce Horvath; John Hacholski; Sheryle Magliozzi; Patrick Burns; Kristine Knutson; Julia Coachrun; Robyn Ward; Nan Orbison; Lois Hall; Bernie & Halla Miller; Judy Graham; Chuck Peters; Judy Sullivan; Christina Brewer; Paul Vanderwerf; Bob Blondin; Donna Giese; Tom Maki; Tom Westman; Lincoln Ross; Hannah Stieber; Marji Thummel; Carol Bajorek; The Moraw Family; Gordon Oakes; Randy Westman; Vreni Forster; Herb Payer; Sam Magiarelli; Chelsea Brady; Sue Westerfield; Jerome Klepper; Annie Krumtinger; Dennis Lieding; Beth Johnson; Casey Schmid; Adyson Franz; Vera James; Lauren Janowski; Jane Sawyer; Barbara Bose; Jane; Larry Kaplan; Alex Delli Paoli; Jaxon Jones; Jen Hamm; Pauline Caepert; Sue Reim; Ron Rank; Joanne Rank; Tyler Beckett; Jerry Kluchka; Libby O'Del-Kosowski; Mark Edmund; Bob Picchietti, brother of Donna Thomey; Karen Karris

**Our prayers of celebration are with Alex Fisher & Kelly Mallen - Alex is the grandson of Jeri Powers - as they were married this weekend in Bend, Oregon.**

*The altar flowers today are given by*

*Jeri Powers in celebration of the marriage*

*of Alex Fisher & Kelly Mallen*



## WELCOME TO HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH!

We offer a traditional Communion table with individual wafers and individual cups. Distribution will take place during the service. For those who do not wish to come forward for Communion, we will continue to provide an optional distribution practice of "individually packaged communion kits" that will be available at the table upon entry to the sanctuary. Please take a kit with you if you plan to participate in this manner. Gluten free wafers are also available upon request.

Families desiring nursery support for children ages 0-3 are welcome to use our professionally staffed nursery located in the CrossWays Preschool area to the left of the main entrance from 9:30-11:30 am. Families with older children who may still need to have some activity to keep them engaged are welcome to utilize our Prayground in the front of the sanctuary or our Busy Bags found on the reverse side of the mini wall in the Gathering Space.

We encourage you to utilize online giving at [donate.holycrosschurch.org](http://donate.holycrosschurch.org), mail your gifts or drop them into the offering plate.

*Worship Resources . . .*

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*As we livestream worship, please be aware that in-person attendance implies consent to be included in livestreamed and recorded worship services and still photos. If you would like to limit the possibility of being visible in the videos, please sit towards the back of the sanctuary.*



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## TODAY'S WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Senior Pastor		Rev. Christopher Neptun
Associate Pastor		Rev. Katie Freund
Director of Worship Arts		Dale Tippet, Jr.
Organist		Paul Vander Weele
	<b>8:00 am</b>	<b>10:00 am</b>
Assisting Minister	Peg Chartier	<i>volunteer requested</i>
Reader	Joan Sheldon	Mary Price
Greeters	Spencer Chartier	Gail Kelly
Ushers	<i>volunteers requested</i>	Tim Ness, JJ Froemke
Communion Assistants	Joan Sheldon	Julie Luczkwi, Carole Kenney, Cheryl Turner, Gail Kelly
Altar Care	Tracy Kinsella	Julie Luczkwi
Worship Coordinator	Kathy Pritts	Karla Boucek

## THIS HOUR HAS SEVEN DAYS

Sunday	8:00 am	Worship with Holy Communion, sanctuary
	9:00 am	Coffee Hour, fellowship area
	10:00 am	Worship with Holy Communion, sanctuary
	10:00 am	Blessing of those attending the ELCA Gathering
Monday	7:45 am	Moving on Monday, North Bay Pavilion, Independence Grove
	6:00 pm	Strength & Core, west wing, atrium
Tuesday	7:00 am	Men's Breakfast Group, Liberty Restaurant
	5:15 pm	Red Rose Auditions, west wing, 402
	7:00 pm	Concerts in the Plaza, Independence Grove
Wednesday	9:00 am	Quilting Group, west wing, 404
	6:30 pm	Chicago Dogs Game, Impact Field, Rosemont
Saturday	7:00 am	Saturday Men's Discussion Group, 208
	5:30 pm	Summer Saturday Worship with Holy Communion
	6:15 pm	Saturday Night Live on the Patio
Sunday	8:00 am	Worship with Holy Communion, sanctuary
	9:00 am	Coffee Hour, fellowship area
	10:00 am	Worship with Holy Communion, sanctuary



**July 21 & August 4**

## SUNDAY SCHOOL SUMMER GAMES

ALL CHILDREN AGES 5 - 5TH GRADE

Join us as we flex our muscles, run our races and get into game mode for Summer Sunday School! **Following the Children's Message at the 10 am service on July 21 and August 4**, Pastor Katie will lead all of the athletes to the Summer Games Field where we will:

*\*learn about Daniel and run a Bible Verse relay*

*\*hear about Elijah trusting in God and participate in a "weighted race"*

*\*explore great reward with the Apostle Paul and race with balloons and crowns*

No registration is required! Comfortable clothes and shoes encouraged!

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**MOVING ON MONDAYS** Start your week off with a walk in nature! Join us at the North Bay Pavilion at Independence Grove every Monday at 7:45 am regardless of weather. All walkers of all speeds are welcome!

**CONCERTS IN THE PLAZA** Summer music at Independence Grove! Join us on Tuesday evenings, beginning at 6 pm, under the Holy Cross flag in front of the Visitors Center. **Concerts begin at 7 pm.** Please bring your own chairs, snacks, and beverages and enjoy the music and conversation. Concerts are free but there is a \$10 per vehicle charge for entry. To see a list of performers visit [lcfpd.org](http://lcfpd.org)

**ELCA NATIONAL YOUTH GATHERING** A group of our young adults and adult chaperones will be leaving for their trip to New Orleans, Louisiana on Monday, July 15, to participate in the ELCA National Youth Gathering. This experience will include worship, praise, learning, volunteerism and an opportunity to spend time with thousands of other Lutheran Youth. We pray for safe travels, positive interactions, growth and blessings in their lives as they are away from us for the next week!

**C.O.O.L. GOLF OUTING** Mark your calendars for **July 19** for a golf outing fundraiser at Bonnie Brook Golf Course in Waukegan. Friendly competition on a (hopefully) beautiful day! Brochures available on the ushers table. Registration is also available on the COOL Ministries website at [coolministries.org](http://coolministries.org)

**SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE ON THE PATIO – SNLOP** As part of our summer calendar we will offer three Saturday Night Live on the Patio opportunities this summer! On **July 20 and August 24** we will follow our Saturday evening worship with a themed meal and music event. Entrees will be provided for each event and all attending are invited to bring sides and desserts to share. Weather permitting, we will be outside on the patio or we will be in the fellowship area if needed. In July, please join us for Christmas in July! All attending are asked to bring their favorite holiday side dish! Volunteers to help with set up/clean up and serving are needed. Please contact Val Maxwell at [vmaxwell48@aol.com](mailto:vmaxwell48@aol.com) or (847) 533-6570 to offer your assistance. Looking forward to worship and fellowship together!

**LSSI BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPORT** Lutheran Social Services of Illinois is in need of gift cards to distribute to their client families to help purchase school supplies for their students. To support this effort, we would like to provide a number of \$25 Target gift cards for LSSI. To contribute to this project, please visit our website at [holycrosschurch.org](http://holycrosschurch.org) and click on the "Giving" link at the top of the page. Or you may donate by check made out to Holy Cross with "LSSI Donation" in the memo line. Donations will be **collected through July 31**. Thank you for your gifts of love and care.

## SUMMER DAY TRIPS

**SACRED PLACES TOUR BY THE ARCHITECTURE CENTER OF CHICAGO** This two hour walking tour of eight historical churches and synagogues located in Chicago begins at **10 am on Wednesday, July 24**. with a docent. We will be leaving the church parking lot at 8:45 am. The fee is \$30 per person with a maximum number of participants. Following the tour, we will plan to stop for lunch at a location that is yet to be determined. If you are interested in participating in this event, please **RSVP** by at [summerdaytrips@holycrosschurch.org](mailto:summerdaytrips@holycrosschurch.org)

**ANCIENT CULTURES MUSEUM** (formerly The Oriental Institute) Mark your calendars for **Wednesday, August 21**. This museum houses "10,000 years of humanity under one roof". With some 350,000 artifacts, it is a profound exploration of our past and points toward our future. We will leave the church parking lot at 8:45 am to travel to the University of Chicago where we will visit the Ancient Cultures Museum and then wrap up our trip with lunch at Manny's Cafeteria & Delicatessen. Please RSVP to [summerdaytrips@holycrosschurch.org](mailto:summerdaytrips@holycrosschurch.org)