



Time After Pentacost

Pastor Greg Anderson

July 11, 2021

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

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HYMN “Just a Closer Walk with Thee”

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GREETING

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HYMN OF PRAISE Lord God...

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us Pray: **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. Amen.**

CHILDREN’S SERMON

FIRST READING

Amos 7:7-15

⁷This is what he showed me: the Lord was standing beside a wall built with a plumb line, with a plumb line in his hand. ⁸And the LORD said to me, “Amos, what do you see?” And I said, “A plumb line.” Then the Lord said, “See, I am setting a plumb line in the midst of my people Israel; I will never again pass them by; ⁹the high places of Isaac shall be made desolate, and the sanctuaries of Israel shall be laid waste, and I will rise against the house of Jeroboam with the sword.”

¹⁰Then Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, sent to King Jeroboam of Israel, saying, “Amos has conspired against you in the very center

of the house of Israel; the land is not able to bear all his words.
¹¹For thus Amos has said, ‘Jeroboam shall die by the sword, and Israel must go into exile away from his land.’” ¹²And Amaziah said to Amos, “O seer, go, flee away to the land of Judah, earn your bread there, and prophesy there; ¹³but never again prophesy at Bethel, for it is the king’s sanctuary, and it is a temple of the kingdom.” ¹⁴Then Amos answered Amaziah, “I am no prophet, nor a prophet’s son; but I am a herdsman, and a dresser of sycamore trees, ¹⁵and the LORD took me from following the flock, and the LORD said to me, ‘Go, prophesy to my people Israel.’

R: The word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God!**

PSALM 85:8-13 **(Please read responsively)**

⁸Let me hear what God the LORD will speak, for he will speak peace to his people, to his faithful, to those who turn to him in their hearts.

⁹Surely his salvation is at hand for those who fear him, that his glory may dwell in our land.

¹⁰Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet; righteousness and peace will kiss each other.

¹¹Faithfulness will spring up from the ground, and righteousness will look down from the sky.

¹²The LORD will give what is good, and our land will yield its increase.

¹³Righteousness will go before him, and will make a path for his steps.

SECOND READING

Ephesians 1:3-14

³Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, ⁴just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love. ⁵He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will, ⁶to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved. ⁷In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace ⁸that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and insight ⁹he has made known to us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure that he set forth in Christ, ¹⁰as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth. ¹¹In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, ¹²so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. ¹³In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; ¹⁴this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

R: The word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God!**

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (spoken)**

C: "Return to the Lord, your God, for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love."

GOSPEL INTRODUCTION "The Holy Gospel..."

C: "Glory to you O Lord!"

GOSPEL

Mark 6:14-29

¹⁴King Herod heard of it, for Jesus' name had become known. Some were saying, "John the baptizer has been raised from the dead; and for this reason these powers are at work in him." ¹⁵But others said, "It is Elijah." And others said, "It is a prophet, like one of the prophets of old." ¹⁶But when Herod heard of it, he said, "John, whom I beheaded, has been raised."

¹⁷For Herod himself had sent men who arrested John, bound him, and put him in prison on account of Herodias, his brother Philip's wife, because Herod had married her. ¹⁸For John had been telling Herod, "It is not lawful for you to have your brother's wife." ¹⁹And Herodias had a grudge against him, and wanted to kill him. But she could not, ²⁰for Herod feared John, knowing that he was a righteous and holy man, and he protected him. When he heard him, he was greatly perplexed; and yet he liked to listen to him. ²¹But an opportunity came when Herod on his birthday gave a banquet for his courtiers and officers and for the leaders of Galilee. ²²When his daughter Herodias came in and danced, she pleased Herod and his guests; and the king said to the girl, "Ask me for whatever you wish, and I will give it." ²³And he solemnly swore to her, "Whatever you ask me, I will give you, even half of

my kingdom.” ²⁴She went out and said to her mother, “What should I ask for?” She replied, “The head of John the baptizer.” ²⁵Immediately she rushed back to the king and requested, “I want you to give me at once the head of John the Baptist on a platter.” ²⁶The king was deeply grieved; yet out of regard for his oaths and for the guests, he did not want to refuse her. ²⁷Immediately the king sent a soldier of the guard with orders to bring John’s head. He went and beheaded him in the prison, ²⁸brought his head on a platter, and gave it to the girl. Then the girl gave it to her mother. ²⁹When his disciples heard about it, they came and took his body, and laid it in a tomb.

GOSPEL RESPONSE

P: The Gospel of the Lord!

C: "Praise to you, O Christ!"

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY “Faith of Our Fathers” LBW # 500

APOSTLES’ CREED

C: 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: Lord, in your mercy, **C: hear our prayer.**

OFFERING

OFFERTORY HYMN “Create in me....” LBW pg. 75

OFFERING PRAYER

P: God of love, you call us beloved children and welcome us to your table. Receive our lives and gifts we offer. Abide with us in service to a suffering world; for the sake of your beloved Child, Jesus Christ.

C: Amen!

THE LORD’S PRAYER

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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.

BLESSING “Lord, now you let....” LBW pg. 93

BENEDICTION LBW pg. 95

HYMN “Evening and Morning” LBW # 465

DISMISSAL LBW pg. 95

POSTLUDE

Thank you to those who helped with today's service ~

Pastor ~ Greg Anderson

Organist/Piano ~ Diane Boback

Reader ~ Unknown

Ushers ~ Pam & DuWayne Peterson

Contributions

2021 Total budget \$ 80,533

Contributions needed weekly per 2021 budget \$ 1,550

Given Sunday July 4th ~ \$ 1,389.00

~Prayer Concerns~

Charlotte and Ken Carlson, Marie Anderson, Louise Ellingson, Glorene Clark, Herb Moore, Bill Utley, Susan (Paula Skelton's sister), Tom Lehtinen

~Calendar ~

Tuesday	8:30	Bandage Rolling
Next Sunday	10:30	Worship/HC

Next Sunday ~ July 18th

Pastor Greg Anderson

Organist ~ Diane Boback

Reader ~ Unknown

Ushers ~ Kathy & John Baxter

~Announcements~

Lawn Mowing Schedule	7-9 to 7-15	Dave Worshek
	7-16 to 7-22	John Long
	7-23 to 7-29	Chad Skelton

Tables and Chair Use Policy

Contact Kelly in the office at 229-3214 or 750-4195. A log book and calendar is kept in the office.

The policy States:

NEW LIGHTER WEIGHT TABLES AND THE ROUND TABLES
MAY NOT BE BORROWED AT ANY TIME. ONLY THE OLD
HEAVIER LONG TABLES MAY BE BORROWED.