

**19th Sunday after Pentecost
October 8th, 2023**



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Bible Class/Sunday School 9:30
Sunday Worship Service 10:45**

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WE WELCOME YOU in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. If you are a guest, please sign our guest book by the outside entrance. May God bless your worship here today! Members and guests, please fill out an attendance card, pass it to the side aisles to be collected by the ushers during the Hymn of the Day.

Communion Note

The Lord's Supper is a gift of Christ given to those who He has called as His own. It is a gift that He instructs His family to use with care. It is for all baptized Christians who confess their sins, see Christ's forgiveness in the true body and blood of Christ they receive with the bread and wine. If you share this oneness of faith, please commune with us. If you have any questions, please speak with our pastor. Non-alcoholic wine is available in the center of each tray for those people with special needs.

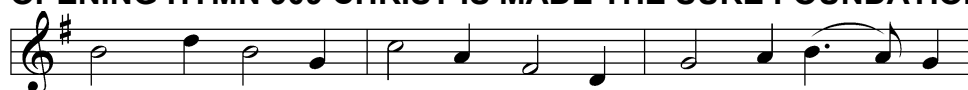
NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Christ the Cornerstone
October 8, 2023

AS WE GATHER

Like a building, we have a foundation stone on which we rest, a cornerstone on which we build, a capstone that holds it all together. Christ is each of those stones—the foundation on which our faith is established, the cornerstone on which our faith is built, and the capstone that holds us up. He is also a stone of stumbling. Those who reject His foundation, His cornerstone, and His capstone are broken into pieces in the day of judgment. All of this is revealed in the surprise of a parable about a master who built a vineyard, planted the vines, and set it out for tenants to produce the wine. Instead, they conspired to keep the vineyard as their own, rejected those whom the master sent, and killed his son. This is the story of Jesus and of the people of God that He had chosen and created to be His vineyard. It is a story of warning, but it is also a story of grace.

+ PREPARATION +

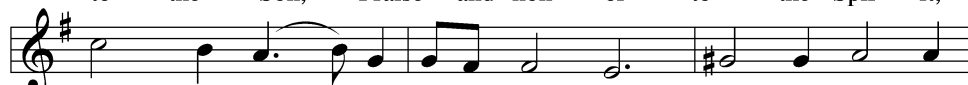
OPENING HYMN 909 CHRIST IS MADE THE SURE FOUNDATION



1 Christ is made the sure foun - da - tion, Christ, our head and
 2 To this tem - ple, where we call You, Come, O Lord of
 3 Grant, we pray, to all Your faith - ful All the gifts they
 △ 4 Praise and hon - or to the Fa - ther, Praise and hon - or



cor - ner - stone, Cho - sen of the Lord and pre - cious,
 hosts, and stay; Come with all Your lov - ing - kind - ness,
 ask to gain; What they gain from You, for - ev - er
 to the Son, Praise and hon - or to the Spir - it,



Bind - ing all the Church in one; Ho - ly Zi - on's
 Hear Your peo - ple as they pray; And Your full - est
 With the bless - ed to re - tain; And here - af - ter
 Ev - er three and ev - er one: One in might and



help for - ev - er And our con - fi - dence a - lone.
 ben - e - dic - tion Shed with - in these walls to - day.
 in Your glo - ry Ev - er - more with You to reign.
 one in glo - ry While un - end - ing a - ges run!

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INVOCATION

Pastor In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
People Amen.

OPENING SENTENCES *Psalm 80:7, 18*

Pastor Restore us, O God of hosts;
People let Your face shine, that we may be saved!
Pastor Then we shall not turn back from You;
People give us life, and we will call upon Your name!

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

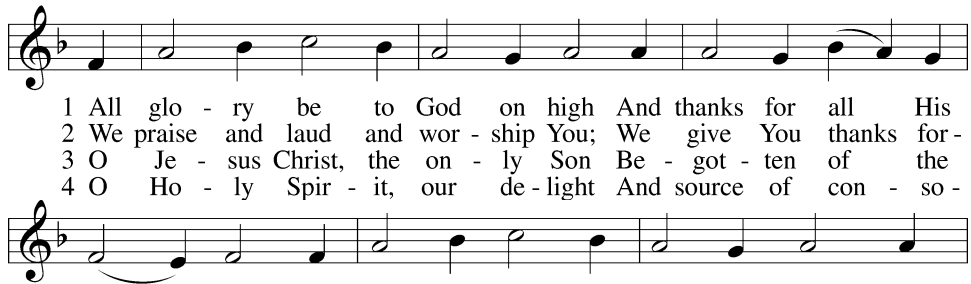
Silence is kept for meditation and reflection.

Pastor Holy and gracious God,
People I confess that I have sinned against You this day. Some of my sin I know—the thoughts and words and deeds of which I am ashamed—but some is known only to You. In the name of Jesus Christ I ask forgiveness. Deliver and restore me that I may rest in peace.
Pastor Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
People Amen.
Pastor May the Lord, who has begun this good work in us, bring it to completion in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ.
People Amen.


INTROIT *Psalm 118:22-24; antiphon: v. 1*

Pastor Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;
People for his steadfast love endures forever!
Pastor The stone that the builders rejected
People has become the cornerstone.
Pastor This is the LORD’s doing;
People it is marvelous in our eyes.
Pastor This is the day that the LORD has made;
People let us rejoice and be glad in it.
ALL Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.
Pastor Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;
People for his steadfast love endures forever!

HYMN OF PRAISE 947 ALL GLORY BE TO GOD ON HIGH



1 All glo - ry be to God on high And thanks for all His
2 We praise and laud and wor - ship You; We give You thanks for -
3 O Je - sus Christ, the on - ly Son Be - got - ten of the
4 O Ho - ly Spir - it, our de - light And source of con - so -



fa - vor; No harm can touch or ter - ri - fy A
ev - er, O Fa - ther, for Your rule is true And
Fa - ther, Your sav - ing death has made us one With
la - tion, Pro - tect us from the dev - il's might Through

child of God for - ev - er. God shows His good and
just and chang - es nev - er. With bound - less pow'r, Your
God and with each oth - er. O Lamb of God, to
Je - sus, our sal - va - tion, Who by His death up -

gra - cious will And grants His peace, the world to fill—
might - y reign Ful - fills what - ev - er You or - dain.
You on high In our dis - tress we sin - ners cry,
on a tree Has res - cued us from mis - er - y:

All strife at last has end - ed.
Lord, grant us ev - 'ry bless - ing!
Have mer - cy on us, a - men!
To this we hold for - ev - er.

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Pastor Let us pray.

Merciful Father, in Your abundant love You redeemed us from our sin and restored us as Your own children in Christ. As You have crowned us with love and mercy, keep us in this grace and favor that we may strive to complete the race and receive from Your hand the crown of everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People Amen.

+ WORD +

OLD TESTAMENT READING *Isaiah 5:1-7* (The Lord planted His people to be His vineyard, but they produced wild grapes worthy only of judgment.)

¹Let me sing for my beloved
my love song concerning his vineyard:
My beloved had a vineyard
on a very fertile hill.

²He dug it and cleared it of stones,
and planted it with choice vines;
he built a watchtower in the midst of it,
and hewed out a wine vat in it;
and he looked for it to yield grapes,
but it yielded wild grapes.

³And now, O inhabitants of Jerusalem
and men of Judah,
judge between me and my vineyard.

⁴What more was there to do for my vineyard,
that I have not done in it?

When I looked for it to yield grapes,
why did it yield wild grapes?
⁵And now I will tell you
what I will do to my vineyard.
I will remove its hedge,
and it shall be devoured;
I will break down its wall,
and it shall be trampled down.
⁶I will make it a waste;
it shall not be pruned or hoed,
and briars and thorns shall grow up;
I will also command the clouds
that they rain no rain upon it.
⁷For the vineyard of the LORD of hosts
is the house of Israel,
and the men of Judah
are his pleasant planting;
and he looked for justice,
but behold, bloodshed;
for righteousness,
but behold, an outcry!

Leader This is the Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE *Philippians 3:4b-14* ("I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God.")

If anyone else thinks he has reason for confidence in the flesh, I have more: ⁵circumcised on the eighth day, of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; ⁶as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness, under the law blameless. ⁷But whatever gain I had, I counted as loss for the sake of Christ. ⁸Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things and count them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ ⁹and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God that depends on faith— ¹⁰that I may know him and the power of his resurrection, and may share his sufferings, becoming like him in his death, ¹¹that by any means possible I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

¹²Not that I have already obtained this or am already perfect, but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. ¹³Brothers, I do not consider that I have made it my own. But one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, ¹⁴I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.

Leader This is the Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

HOLY GOSPEL Matthew 21:33-46 (The stone the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.)

Pastor The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-first chapter.

People Glory to You, O Lord.

³³[Jesus said:] “Hear another parable. There was a master of a house who planted a vineyard and put a fence around it and dug a winepress in it and built a tower and leased it to tenants, and went into another country. ³⁴When the season for fruit drew near, he sent his servants to the tenants to get his fruit. ³⁵And the tenants took his servants and beat one, killed another, and stoned another. ³⁶Again he sent other servants, more than the first. And they did the same to them. ³⁷Finally he sent his son to them, saying, ‘They will respect my son.’ ³⁸But when the tenants saw the son, they said to themselves, ‘This is the heir. Come, let us kill him and have his inheritance.’ ³⁹And they took him and threw him out of the vineyard and killed him. ⁴⁰When therefore the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?” ⁴¹They said to him, “He will put those wretches to a miserable death and let out the vineyard to other tenants who will give him the fruits in their seasons.”

⁴²Jesus said to them, “Have you never read in the Scriptures:

“The stone that the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone;
this was the Lord’s doing,
and it is marvelous in our eyes’?”

⁴³Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people producing its fruits. ⁴⁴And the one who falls on this stone will be broken to pieces; and when it falls on anyone, it will crush him.”

⁴⁵When the chief priests and the Pharisees heard his parables, they perceived that he was speaking about them. ⁴⁶And although they were seeking to arrest him, they feared the crowds, because they held him to be a prophet.

Pastor This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to You, O Christ.

HYMN OF THE DAY 645 BUILT ON THE ROCK



1 Built on the Rock the Church shall stand E - ven when
2 Sure - ly in tem - ples made with hands God, the Most
3 We are God’s house of liv - ing stones, Built for His
4 Here stands the font be - fore our eyes, Tell - ing how
5 Grant, then, O God, Your will be done, That, when the



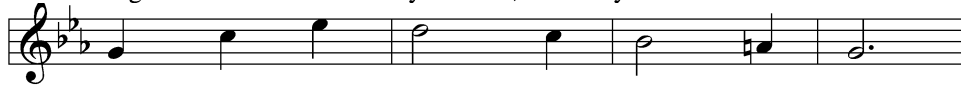
stee - ples are fall - ing. Crum - bled have spires in
High, is not dwell - ing; High a - bove earth His
own hab - i - ta - tion. He through bap - tis - mal
God has re - ceived us. The al - tar re - calls Christ’s
church bells are ring - ing, Man - y in sav - ing



ev - 'ry land; Bells still are chim - ing and call -
 tem - ple stands, All earth - ly tem - ples ex - cel -
 grace us owns Heirs of His won - drous sal - va -
 sac - ri - fice And what His Sup - per here gives
 faith may come Where Christ His mes - sage is bring -



ing, Call - ing the young and old to rest,
 ling. Yet He who dwells in heav'n a - bove
 tion. Were we but two His name to tell,
 us. Here sound the Scrip - tures that pro - claim
 ing: "I know My own; My own know Me.



But a - bove all the souls dis - tressed,
 Choos - es to live with us in love,
 Yet He would deign with us to dwell
 Christ yes - ter - day, to - day, the same,
 You, not the world, My face shall see.



Long - ing for rest ev - er - last - ing.
 Mak - ing our bod - ies His tem - ple.
 With all His grace and His fa - vor.
 And ev - er - more, our Re - deem - er.
 My peace I leave with you. A - men."

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YOUNG PEOPLES MESSAGE

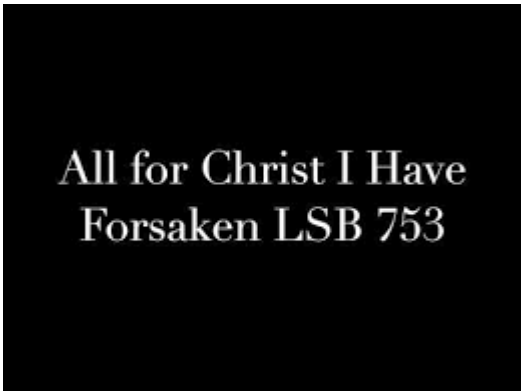
SERMON Matt. 21:33-46 "What kind of Father do we have?"

APOSTLES' CREED

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

And 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 sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence 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.



OFFERTORY 753 ALL FOR CHRIST I HAVE FORSAKEN *sts. 1, 5*

1 All for Christ I have for - sak - en And have
5 Though the road a - head be thorn - y, Though dark
tak - en up my cross; World - ly joy, its
clouds all light ob - scure, Though my cross - shaped
fame and for - tune, Now I count as worth-less dross.
path grows steep - er, With the Lord, I am se - cure.

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PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Pastor Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

For the Church, the vineyard of the Lord's planting, that He nurture His Church with the Means of Grace and that we bring forth fruits in keeping with the kingdom of God, let us pray to the Lord:

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Pastor For each of us in Christ, that we strive for the prize, forgetting what lies behind and pressing toward the goal of our eternal salvation and everlasting life with God, let us pray to the Lord:

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Pastor For the nations, that those who lead us heed the Word of God and preserve us from all threats to our faith and promote virtue and goodness in all we say and do, let us pray to the Lord:

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Pastor For this congregation, that we not take for granted all that the Lord has given us, and work to bear the good fruit of His kingdom in our lives together and individually, let us pray to the Lord:

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Pastor For those who will hear the Word of God that the Spirit prepare their hearts to receive Him and by that same Spirit confess His holy name, let us pray to the Lord:

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Pastor For the sick and all who suffer in body, mind, or soul, [*especially . . .*], that the Lord grant them patience in their affliction, comfort in their pain, and grace to sustain them now and to everlasting life in Christ, let us pray to the Lord:

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Pastor For all who approach this altar today, that they be prepared through repentance and faith to receive this Sacrament for their good and that what they receive may bear good fruit in their lives, let us pray to the Lord:

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Other petitions may be inserted here.

Pastor Almighty and everlasting God, ever more ready to hear than we are to pray, grant to us all good things needful to us and keep from us all things harmful, that we may not enter into judgment. Keep us from pleading only our righteousness, and cover us with grace that we may wear the righteousness of Christ by faith and so labor within

Your vineyard and receive the crown of everlasting life in Christ; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

+ SACRAMENT +

PREFACE

Pastor The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Pastor Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

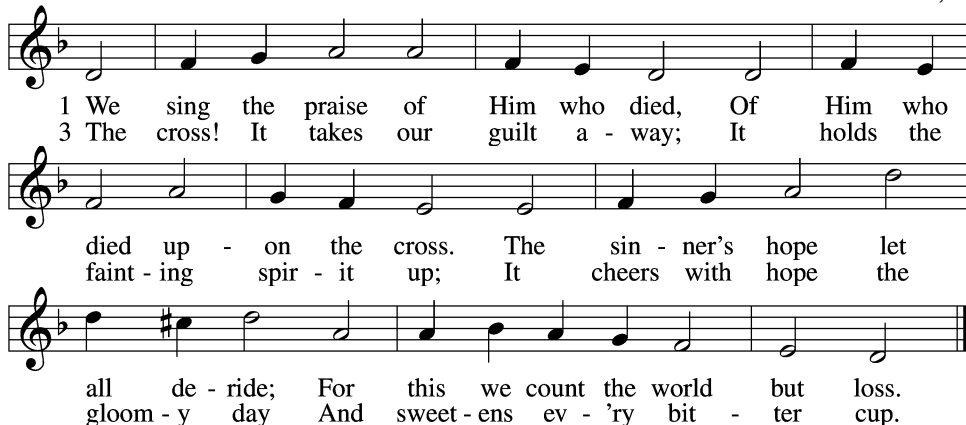
Pastor Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

PROPER PREFACE

Pastor It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who, having created all things, took on human flesh and was born of the virgin Mary. For our sake He died on the cross and rose from the dead to put an end to death, thus fulfilling Your will and gaining for You a holy people. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

SANCTUS 429 WE SING THE PRAISE OF HIM WHO DIED *sts. 1, 3*



1 We sing the praise of Him who died, Of Him who
3 The cross! It takes our guilt a - way; It holds the
died up - on the cross. The sin - ner's hope let
faint - ing spir - it up; It cheers with hope the
all de - ride; For this we count the world but loss.
gloom - y day And sweet - ens ev - 'ry bit - ter cup.

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THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

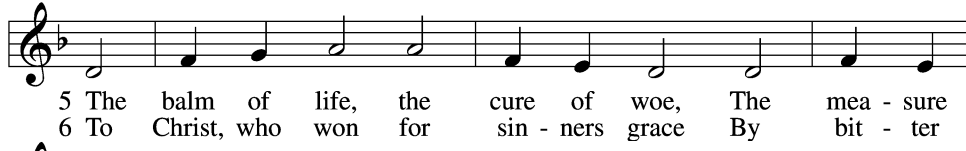
Pastor Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My \times body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."
In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My \times blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

PAX DOMINI

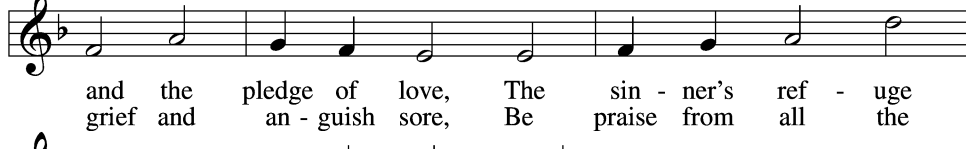
Pastor The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People Amen.


AGNUS DEI 429 WE SING THE PRAISE OF HIM WHO DIED *sts. 5-6*



5 The balm of life, the cure of woe, The mea - sure
6 To Christ, who won for sin - ners grace By bit - ter



and the pledge of love, The sin - ner's ref - uge
grief and an - guish sore, Be praise from all the




here be - low, The an - gels' theme in heav'n a - bove.
ran - somed race For - ev - er and for - ev - er - more.

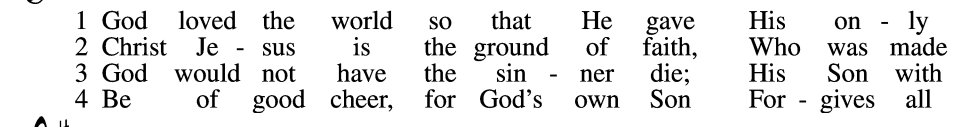
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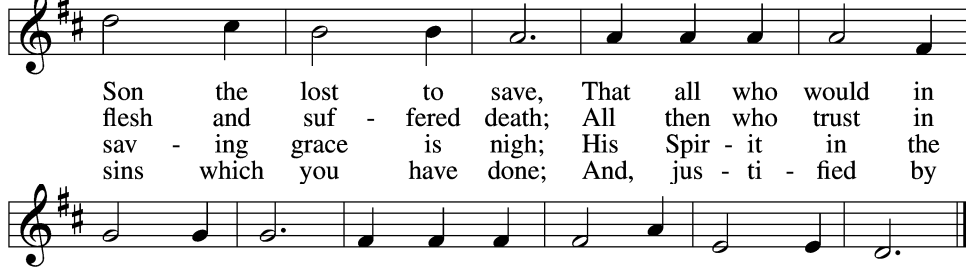
COMMUNION HYMN 571 GOD LOVED THE WORLD SO THAT HE GAVE *sts. 1-4*



1 God loved the world so that He gave His on - ly
2 Christ Je - sus is the ground of faith, Who was made
3 God would not have the sin - ner die; His Son with
4 Be of good cheer, for God's own Son For - gives all



Son the lost to save, That all who would in
flesh and suf - fered death; All then who trust in
sav - ing grace is nigh; His Spir - it in the
sins which you have done; And, jus - ti - fied by



Him be - lieve Should ev - er - last - ing life re - ceive.
Him a - lone Are built on this chief cor - ner - stone.
Word de - clares How we in Christ are heav - en's heirs.
Je - sus' blood, Your Bap - tism grants the high - est good.

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COMMUNION HYMN 644 THE CHURCH'S ONE FOUNDATION sts. 1-5



1 The Church's one foun-da-tion Is Je-sus Christ, her Lord;
 2 E-lect from ev-'ry na-tion, Yet one o'er all the earth;
 3 Though with a scorn-ful won-der The world sees her op-pressed,
 4 Through toil and trib-u-la-tion And tu-mult of her war
 5 Yet she on earth has u-nion With God, the Three in One,



She is His new cre-a-tion By wa-ter and the Word.
 Her char-ter of sal-va-tion: One Lord, one faith, one birth.
 By schisms rent a-sun-der, By her-e-sies dis-tressed,
 She waits the con-sum-ma-tion Of peace for-ev-er-more
 And mys-tic sweet com-mu-nion With those whose rest is won.



From heav'n He came and sought her To be His ho-ly bride;
 One ho-ly name she bless-es, Par-takes one ho-ly food,
 Yet saints their watch are keep-ing; Their cry goes up, "How long?"
 Till with the vi-sion glo-rious Her long-ing eyes are blest,
 O bless-ed heav'n-ly cho-rus! Lord, save us by Your grace



With His own blood He bought her, And for her life He died.
 And to one hope she press-es With ev-'ry grace en-dued.
 And soon the night of weep-ing Shall be the morn of song.
 And the great Church vic-to-rious Shall be the Church at rest.
 That we, like saints be-fore us, May see You face to face.

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POST COMMUNION CANTICLE 540 CHRIST, THE WORD OF GOD INCARNATE st. 6



△ 6 Christ, the Al-pha and O-me-ga, Christ, the first-born



from the dead, Christ, the life and res-ur-rec-tion,



Christ, the Church's glo-rious head: Praise and thanks and



ad-o-ra-tion And un-end-ing wor-ship be To the



Fa-ther and the Spir-it And to You e-ter-nal-ly.

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POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING Psalm 107:1

Pastor Oh give thanks to the LORD, for He is good;

People for His steadfast love endures forever!

Pastor Let us pray. Gracious God, our heavenly Father, You have given us a foretaste of

the feast to come in the Holy Supper of Your Son's body and blood. Keep us firm in the true faith throughout our days of pilgrimage that, on the day of His coming, we may, together with all Your saints, celebrate the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom which has no end; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People Amen.

BENEDICTION

Pastor The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
 The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

People Amen.

SENDING HYMN 912 CHRIST IS OUR CORNERSTONE

1 Christ is our cor - ner - stone, On Him a - lone we build;
 2 Here may we gain from heav'n The grace which we im - plore,
 △ 3 Oh, then, with hymns of praise These hal - lowed courts shall ring;
 With His true saints a - lone The courts of heav'n are filled. On His
 And may that grace, once giv'n, Be with us ev - er - more Un - til
 Our voic - es we will raise The Three in One to sing And thus
 great love Our hopes we place Of pres - ent grace And joys a - bove.
 that day When all the blest To end - less rest Are called a - way.
 pro - claim In joy - ful song, Both loud and long, That glo - rious name.

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PRAYERS

Please remember these people in your personal prayers.

Members with health concerns:

Jeanette Bunting	Millie Kroll	Lloyd Wessels
Phyllis Dunger	JP Dunger	Bettye Johnson
Melodie Bradley	Don Richter	Dorothy Herrod
Kimberly Brinkerhoff	Zac Dodge	Siri Richter
Joann Wessels Rook	Mike McKenzie	Pete Smykla

Sherry Reed, recovering from heart surgery
 Henry Thompson, in hospital after a fall.
 Waymond Meins, recovering from foot surgery.
 Olivia Dunger, JP & Phyllis Dunger's sister-in-law, in hospital with extremely low iron and

hemoglobin levels.

Jeanette Bunting in hospital with heart issues.

Carroll Sanders, friend of Pat Baughman, in burn unit in Children's Hospital in Little Rock

Melissa Parker, Gene Forrest's niece, surgery

Beth Kirk, niece of Arleen Parsley, health issues

All those suffering with illnesses

Randy Thorpe, Cathy Webb's brother, recovering from open heart surgery and CLL (Leukemia)

Hank Davis, Karen Witt's brother, recovering from getting a pacemaker.

Juanita Roth, Phyllis Dunger's aunt, placed in hospice

Kasen Harris, Grandson of Carol Michael's best friend, health concerns

Candace Hogue, lung cancer

William Hogue, Betty Bennett Carter Johnson's son-in-law, major stroke

Amy Ingle, (a Pastor friend's wife) - breast cancer

James Marshall-Jernigan, Chronic Myeloid Leukemia

Emmett Jernigan - healing from colon surgery

Desiree Kuhs, friend of Melodie Bradley, brain tumor and a rare disease called Wegners

Melodie Bradley's cousin, Lindsay, cancer

David Witt, cousin of Bill Witt, cancer

Kathryn Lincecum, daughter of Siri & Don Richter—heart & health concerns

Ginger Burrer Segner, cancer

Lisa Sayers, mother of missing daughter Sam, has breast cancer for the 3rd time

Prayers for people needing silent prayer requests.

Sharon Niswonger, Cancer

Prayers for the Sayers family get answers, on their missing daughter Sam

Vanessa Upton, friend of Lynne Russell's, metastatic breast cancer, spot on her lung, getting treatment.

Rev. Michael Harnack Pastor in Burbank Cal. Has been diagnosed with an autoimmune disease called CIDP

Ruby Green, health concerns

Georgetta Gregory, health concerns

Princella Gardner, cancer

Linda Morris, Cancer

Linda Eubank, cancer

Dan & Betty Rice

Melodie Bradley, health concerns

Monte Coleman, health concerns

Prayers for those on our hearts

Prayers for our son-in-law Joe for healing and safe deployment

Care givers - For the family and friends who provide care and support for the ill and shut-ins.

For our congregations, our members, our nation, all Military and their families, 1st Responders, Firemen, Police and for Pine Bluff, all those around the world in need of prayers



ANNOUNCEMENTS

See our worship video:

Worship service on <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCnkah2JqGwLLDiudmTBDQaGQ>

Pastor preaches in Crossett tonight at 5:00

Thursday morning Bible Study at 10:00

Saturday, October 14th is the LWML Rally in El Dorado.

October 21st is Founder's Day in White Hall and we will have a Sand Art Booth there. Sign up sheets are on the table in the Narthex. This is an honor so please sign up to help.

Church Clean up day will be held Saturday, October 28th beginning at 9:00. Please make plans to come help.

We have been invited to have our sand art booth at the VFW's trunk or treat on October 28th, from 3-5 p.m. Would like help with this please.

The sign-up sheets for Oktoberfest on October 29th, are on the table.

Neighbor to Neighbor is requesting 100 cans of fruit cocktail by Oct. 31st for Thanksgiving baskets and 100 cans of fruit cocktail by Nov. 30th for Christmas baskets and also a donation per child of \$60.00 to receive Christmas presents.

Grace Lutheran Little Rock Craft Fair will be Nov. 4th 9-3

New Rada catalogs are on the table in the Narthex. Orders can be made online or give them to Donna

Please remember to turn off cell phones during worship. Thank You!



**In His Service This Week
October 8th---October 15th**

Sunday, October 8th Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

9:30 Sunday School/Adult Bible Class
10:45 Worship w/communion
5:00 Worship in Crossett

Thursday, October 12th

10:00 Adult Bible Study

Saturday, October 14th

9:00 LWML Rally in El Dorado

Sunday, October 15th, Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

9:30 Sunday School/Adult Bible Study
10:45 Worship with Communion
12:00 Council Meeting

Text for next Sunday - Is. 25:6-9
Phil. 4:4-13
Matt. 22:1-14

Attendance: SS/ABC - 22 Worship: -35 Online - 7

The Flowers that grace our altar this morning are provided by Judy & Rachel Clinton "In memory of Ray"

Jesus Christ is the cornerstone of God's program. He is the foundation and fullness of God's kingdom in heaven and earth. Someday he will return to rule and reign as the rightful king of the universe.

