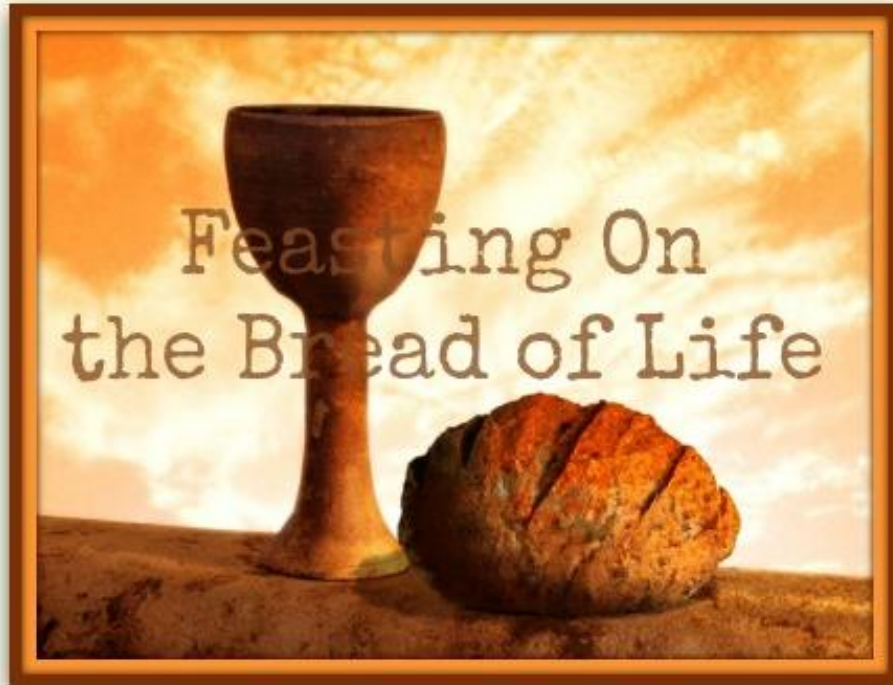


PILGRIM LUTHERAN CHURCH

AUGUST 22, 2021



Gathered in Jesus' Name

Welcome & Announcements

Greetings in the name of our LORD Jesus to all our visitors and guests! We are blessed by your presence here and hope you find worship with us to be a blessing as well. May you experience God's presence today through our worship together. Welcome!

Prelude

Praise Band

Call to Worship

Confession and Forgiveness

(fr. ELW Setting One)

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever **C: Amen.**

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

P: Most merciful God,

C: We confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

P: God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of † Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

C: Amen.

Gathering Song

Great is Thy Faithfulness

ELW 733

Greeting

Pastor: The grace of our LORD...

Cong.: ...and also with you.

Transformed by the Word

Prayer of the Day

Holy God, your word feeds your people with life that is eternal. Direct our choices and preserve us in your truth, that, renouncing what is false and evil, we may live in you, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

Special Music

Amazing Grace

Ann & Eri

Psalm

Psalm 34:15-22

First Reading

Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18

In the Near East, covenant means "agreement" or "alliance." It describes relationships and is the primary word used to characterize the relationship between God and Israel. By delivering Israel, God has already begun the relationship. Joshua calls upon the people to respond.

after the lesson is read:

R: Word of God. Word of Life.

C: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

We Are Turning, Lord, To Hear You

(ELW Setting 10)

Gospel

John 6:56-69

after the lesson is read:

R: The Gospel of our LORD.

C: Thanks be to God.

Children's Time with Greg Melchert

Sermon

Pastor Steve Schumacher

Song of Response

Change My Heart, Oh God

ELW 801

Prayers of the Church

the petition ends P: LORD in your mercy;
the congregation responds C: Hear our prayer

Transformed by the Meal

Sharing of the Peace

P: The peace of God, which passes all understanding, be with you always.

C: And also with you.

Preparation for Holy Communion

P: The LORD be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the LORD.

P: Let us give thanks to the LORD our God.

C: It is right to give Him
thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ. Fulfilling the promise of the resurrection, you pour out the fire of your Spirit, uniting in one body people of every nation and tongue. And so, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name.

Words of Institution and The 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. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

Invitation to Communion

Christ has set the table and provided the meal. There is a place for you. Come, be fed with the bread of life and the cup of salvation.

Communion Songs

Lamb of God (Andy Park Version)
Come to The Table *ELW 481*
Let Us Break Bread Together *ELW 471*

Prayer after Communion

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 as you do. **Amen.**

Sent Back into the World

Blessing

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. Amen.

Sending Song

O Sing to God Above

ELW 555

Dismissal

P: Go in peace. You are the body of Christ

C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

All Because of Jesus

Praise Band

WAYS TO STAY CONNECTED

Sunday 8/22

9:30am: Sunday Worship (@Pilgrim, FB live)

11:30am: Read Scripture (Zoom)

Monday 8/23

11:30am: New Hope Lunch @New Hope

10am: Hike Day @ Little Mashel Falls

8pm: AA (@Pilgrim)

Tuesday 8/24

10am: Tuesday Morning Bible Study (@Pilgrim)

10am: AV Lake Day @Lake Tapps

6:30pm: Girl Scouts

Wednesday 8/25

12pm: Book Tribe (@Pilgrim or Zoom)

3:30pm: TOPS

6pm: Food Truck/ Go Big Block Party

Friday 8/27

6pm: Girl Scouts

8pm: AA (@Pilgrim)

