

**St. Andrew's Lutheran Church
Sunday, August 14, 2022
10th Sunday after Pentecost**

PRELUDE Clair de Lune from Pieces de Fantasia Suite II, Op. 53, #51 *Louis Vierne*
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GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS .

HYMN A Mighty Fortress

Text and Music: Martin Luther

Music: EIN FESTE BURG

**1 A mighty fortress is our God,
a sword and shield victorious;
he breaks the cruel oppressor's rod
and wins salvation glorious.
The old satanic foe
has sworn to work us woe!
With craft and dreadful might
he arms himself to fight.
On earth he has no equal.**

**2 No strength of ours can match his might!
We would be lost, rejected.
But now a champion comes to fight,
whom God himself elected.
You ask who this may be?
The Lord of hosts is he!
Christ Jesus, mighty Lord,
God's only Son, adored.
He holds the field victorious.**

**3 Though hordes of devils fill the land
all threat'ning to devour us,
we tremble not, unmoved we stand;
they cannot overpow'r us.
Let this world's tyrant rage;
in battle we'll engage!
His might is doomed to fail;
God's judgment must prevail!
One little word subdues him.**

**4 God's Word forever shall abide,
no thanks to foes, who fear it;
for God himself fights by our side**

**with weapons of the Spirit.
Were they to take our house,
goods, honor, child, or spouse,
though life be wrenched away,
they cannot win the day.
The kingdom's ours forever!**

INVOCATION

Leader: We gather in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
All: Amen

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Leader: Merciful God,
**All: We confess that we have not followed your path
but have chosen our own way.
Instead of putting others before ourselves,
we long to take the best seats at the table.
When met by those in need,
we have too often passed by on the other side.
Set us again on the path of life.
and free us to love our neighbors. Amen**

Leader: Hear the good news!
God does not deal with us according to our sins
but delights in granting pardon and mercy.
In the name of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven.
You are free to love as God loves.
All: Amen

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Leader: O God, judge eternal, you love justice and hate oppression, and you call us to share your zeal for truth. Give us courage to take our stand with all victims of bloodshed and greed, and, following your servants and prophets, to look to the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
All: Amen

ANTHEM Be Thou Exalted *B. Huhn*
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Kristi Ames and Cal Greening, duet

PSALM 71:1-6

In you, Lord, is my protection.
Never let me be ashamed.
Because you do what is right, save and rescue me.
Listen to me and save me.
Be my place of safety
where I can always come.
Give the command to save me.

You are my rock and my strong, walled city.
My God, save me from the power of the wicked.
Save me from the hold of evil and cruel people.
Lord God, you are my hope.
I have trusted you since I was young.
I have depended on you since I was born.
You have been my help from the day I was born.
I will always praise you.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SONG FROM VBS Forever and Ever, Amen *Andrew Wilson*

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Melissa Hathaway and Singers from VBS

LESSON Hebrews12:1-2

Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who for the sake of the joy that was set before him endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God.

BAPTISM

10:30 Kensington Reese Gemlo

Wyatt Nicholas Kramlinger

APOSTLES' CREED

**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

HYMN How Firm a Foundation

Text: John Rippon. *A Selection of Hymns*

Tune: FOUNDATION

Text: John Rippon

Music: J. Funk's Genuine Church Music

**1. How firm a foundation, O saints of the Lord,
is laid for your faith in his excellent word!
What more can he say than to you he has said
who unto the Savior for refuge have fled?**

**2. “Fear not, I am with you, oh, be not dismayed,
For I am your God and will still give you aid;
I’ll strengthen you, help you, and cause you to stand,
Upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.”**

**3. “When through fiery trials your pathway will lie,
my grace, all sufficient, will be your supply.
The flames will not hurt you; I only design
your dross to consume and your gold to refine.”**

**5. "The soul that on Jesus still leans for repose
I will not, I will not desert to his foes;
that soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake,
I'll never, no never, no never forsake!"**

**The Holy Gospel according to Luke, the 12th chapter:
*All sing: “Glory to you, O Lord.”***

Holy Gospel: Luke 12:49-56

Jesus said: “I came to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled! I have a baptism with which to be baptized, and what stress I am under until it is completed! Do you think that I have come to bring peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division! From now on five in one household will be divided, three against two and two against three; they will be divided: father against son and son against father, mother against daughter and daughter against mother, mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law.”

He also said to the crowds, “When you see a cloud rising in the west, you immediately say, ‘It is going to rain’; and so it happens. And when you see the south wind blowing, you say, ‘There will be scorching heat’; and it happens. You hypocrites! You know how to interpret the appearance of earth and sky, but why do you not know how to interpret the present time?”

**The Gospel of the Lord.
*All sing: “Praise to you, O Christ.”***

SERMON Pastor Kelly Chatman

ANTHEM *People Need the Lord* arr. Mary Mc Donald
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Kristi Ames and Cal Greening, duet

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

WORDS OF INSTITUTION FOR HOLY COMMUNION

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**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**

HOLY COMMUNION

The body of Christ, given for you. Amen
The blood of Christ, shed for you. Amen

HYMN Lamb of God *Ronald A. Nelson*

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**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Grant us peace, grant us peace.**

COMMUNION HYMN O Jesus, I Have Promised

Text: Text: John E. Bode, 1816-1874, alt.

Music: ANGEL'S SONG

**1 O Jesus, I have promised
to serve you to the end;
remain forever near me,
my master and my friend.
I shall not fear the battle
if you are by my side,
nor wander from the pathway
if you will be my guide.**

- 2 **Oh, let me feel you near me;
the world is ever near.
I see the sights that dazzle,
the tempting sounds I hear.
My foes are ever near me,
around me and within;
but, Jesus, then draw nearer
to shield my soul from sin.**
- 3 **Oh, let me hear you speaking
in accents clear and still
above the storms of passion,
the murmurs of self-will.
Now speak to reassure me,
to hasten or control;
now speak and make me listen,
O Guardian of my soul.**
- 4 **O Jesus, you have promised
to all who follow you
that where you are in glory
your servant shall be too.
And Jesus, I have promised
to serve you to the end;
oh, give me grace to follow,
my master and my friend.**

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

All: Amen

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Leader: Life-giving God, through this meal you have bandaged our wounds and fed us with your mercy. Now send us forth to live for others, both friend and stranger, that all may know your love. This we pray in the name of Jesus

All: Amen

BENEDICTION

Leader: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace. In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

All sing: Amen

HYMN Thy Strong Word

Text: Martin H. Franzmann 1907-1976

Music: Thomas J. Williams, 1869-1944

**Thy strong word did cleave the darkness;
at thy speaking it was done.
For created light we thank thee,
while thine ordered seasons run.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise to thee who light dost send!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia without end!**

**Thy strong Word bespeaks us righteous;
bright with thine own holiness,
glorious now, we press toward glory,
and our lives our hopes confess.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise to thee who light dost send!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia without end!**

**From the cross thy wisdom shining
breaketh forth in conqu'ring might;
from the cross forever beameth
all thy bright redeeming light.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise to thee who light dost send!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia without end!**

DISMISSAL

Leader: Go in peace! Serve the Lord!
All: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE The God of Abraham Praise *Michael Burkhardt*
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TODAY

Music: Kristi Ames and Cal Greening, soloists
Melissa Hathaway and children
Bill Chouinard, organist
Pastor Kelly Chatman and Pastor John Swanson

NEXT SUNDAY

Music: St. Andrew's Choir
Gospel: Luke 13:10-17
Pastor Brian Norsman