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THE EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

# *welcome!*

We are a community of believers seeking and sharing life in Christ through ancient-future faith. We consider it a great privilege to worship the Lord with you today. In fact, your presence today is a gift from God. Please let us know if we can do anything to help you feel at home.

## CHILDCARE

Childcare is available for children age 2 and under in the nursery, located in the classroom on the right upon entering the lobby.

Children age 3 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade will be dismissed to Godly Play after the Collect for Purity and will return prior to Communion.

## WE'D LOVE TO MEET YOU

If you are new to our church or would like to share a prayer request with the church staff, please fill out a connect card located on the table as you walk in. Place it in the offering basket or give it to an usher.

## PLEASE SILENCE YOUR PHONE

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WELCOME

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant: Blessed be God, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

**People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.**

THE PROCESSION

***“How Firm A Foundation”***

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**VERSE 1**

How firm a foundation ye saints of the Lord  
Is laid for your faith in His excellent word  
What more can He say than to you He hath said  
To you who for refuge to Jesus have fled

**VERSE 2**

Fear not I am with thee O be not dismayed  
For I am thy God I will still give thee aid  
I'll strengthen thee help thee  
And cause thee to stand  
Upheld by My gracious omnipotent hand

**VERSE 3**

In every condition in sickness in health  
In poverty's vale or abounding in wealth  
At home and abroad on the land on the sea  
As thy days may demand shall thy strength ever be

**VERSE 4**

When through the deep waters He calls thee to go  
The rivers of grief shall not thee overflow  
For He will be with thee in trouble to bless  
And sanctify to thee thy deepest distress

**VERSE 5**

When through fiery trials thy pathway shall lie  
My grace all-sufficient shall be thy supply  
The flames shall not hurt thee I only design  
Thy dross to consume and thy gold to refine

**VERSE 6**

The soul that on Jesus hath leaned for repose  
I will not I will not desert to its foes  
That soul though all hell should endeavor to shake  
I'll never no never no never forsake

***“Is He Worthy”***

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**VERSE 1**

Do you feel the world is broken  
We do  
Do you feel the shadows deepen  
We do  
But do you know that all the dark  
Won't stop the light from getting through  
We do  
Do you wish that you could see it all made new  
We do

**VERSE 2**

Is all creation groaning  
It is  
Is a new creation coming  
It is  
Is the glory of the Lord  
To be the light within our midst  
It is  
Is it good that we remind ourselves of this  
It is

**CHORUS 1**

Is anyone worthy  
Is anyone whole  
Is anyone able to break the seal and open the scroll  
The Lion of Judah who conquered the grave  
He is David's Root  
And the Lamb who died to ransom the slave

Is He worthy  
Is He worthy  
Of all blessing and honor and glory  
Is He worthy of this  
He is

**VERSE 3**

Does the Father truly love us  
He does  
Does the Spirit move among us  
He does  
And does Jesus our Messiah  
Hold forever those He loves  
He does  
Does our God intend to dwell again with us  
He does

**CHORUS 2**

Is anyone worthy  
Is anyone whole  
Is anyone able to break the seal and open the scroll  
The Lion of Judah who conquered the grave  
He is David's Root  
And the Lamb who died to ransom the slave  
From ev'ry people and tribe every nation and tongue  
He has made us a kingdom and priests  
To God to reign with the Son  
Is He worthy  
Is He worthy  
Of all blessing and honor and glory  
Is He worthy  
Is He worthy  
Is He worthy of this  
He is

**ENDING**

Is He worthy  
Is He worthy

He is

He is

COLLECT FOR PURITY

**Almighty God, you bring to light things hidden in darkness, and know the shadows of our hearts: Cleanse and renew us by your Spirit, that we may walk in the light and glorify your name, through Jesus Christ, the Light of the world. Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

THE DISMISSAL OF CHILDREN (3 YEAR-OLDS THROUGH 5TH GRADE)

***“Speak O Lord”***

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**VERSE 1**

Speak O Lord as we come to You  
To receive the food of Your holy word  
Take Your truth plant it deep in us  
Shape and fashion us in Your likeness  
That the light of Christ might be seen today  
In our acts of love and our deeds of faith  
Speak O Lord and fulfill in us  
All Your purposes for Your glory

**VERSE 2**

Teach us Lord full obedience  
Holy reverence true humility  
Test our thoughts and our attitudes  
In the radiance of Your purity  
Cause our faith to rise  
Cause our eyes to see  
Your majestic love and authority  
Words of power that can never fail  
Let their truth prevail over unbelief

**VERSE 3**

Speak O Lord and renew our minds  
Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us  
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time  
That will echo down through eternity

And by grace we'll stand on Your promises  
And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us  
Speak O Lord till Your church is built  
And the earth is filled with Your glory

#### PSALM

Liturgist: *A reading from Psalm 22:23-31.*

- 23 You who fear the LORD, praise him! \*  
All you offspring of Jacob, glorify him; stand in awe of him, all you offspring of Israel!
- 24 For he did not despise or abhor the affliction of the afflicted; \*  
he did not hide his face from me, but heard when I cried to him.
- 25 From you comes my praise in the great congregation; \*  
my vows I will pay before those who fear him.
- 26 The poor shall eat and be satisfied; \*  
those who seek him shall praise the LORD. May your hearts live forever!
- 27 All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the LORD; \*  
and all the families of the nations shall worship before him.
- 28 For dominion belongs to the LORD, \*  
and he rules over the nations.
- 29 To him, indeed, shall all who sleep in the earth bow down; \*  
before him shall bow all who go down to the dust, and I shall live for him.
- 30 Posterity will serve him; \*  
future generations will be told about the Lord,
- 31 and proclaim his deliverance to a people yet unborn, \*  
saying that he has done it.

#### THE LESSON

Liturgist: *A reading from Ephesians 2:11-22.*

<sup>11</sup> So then, remember that at one time you Gentiles by birth, called “the uncircumcision” by those who are called “the circumcision”—a physical circumcision made in the flesh by human hands—<sup>12</sup> remember that you were at that time without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel, and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world. <sup>13</sup> But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. <sup>14</sup> For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us.

<sup>15</sup> He has abolished the law with its commandments and ordinances, that he might create in himself one new humanity in place of the two, thus making peace, <sup>16</sup> and might reconcile both groups to God in one body through the cross, thus putting to death that hostility through it. <sup>17</sup> So he came and proclaimed peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near; <sup>18</sup> for through him both of us have access in one Spirit to the Father. <sup>19</sup> So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, <sup>20</sup> built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. <sup>21</sup> In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; <sup>22</sup> in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling place for God.

Liturgist: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

#### THE GOSPEL PROCESSION

*Please stand and sing.*

#### ***“His Name Is Wonderful”***

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#### **CHORUS**

His name is Wonderful, Counselor

Mighty God, Prince of Peace

Everlasting Father

Emmanuel

Holy One, Son of God

Savior of the world

#### THE GOSPEL READING

*The Gospel reading today is from Mark 6:30-44*

Celebrant: The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

**People: Glory to you, Lord Christ**

<sup>30</sup> The apostles gathered around Jesus, and told him all that they had done and taught. <sup>31</sup> He said to them, “Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while.” For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat. <sup>32</sup> And they went away in the boat to a deserted place by themselves. <sup>33</sup> Now many saw them going and recognized them, and they hurried there on foot from all the towns and arrived ahead of them. <sup>34</sup> As he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them, because they were like



sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things. <sup>35</sup>When it grew late, his disciples came to him and said, "This is a deserted place, and the hour is now very late; <sup>36</sup>send them away so that they may go into the surrounding country and villages and buy something for themselves to eat." <sup>37</sup>But he answered them, "You give them something to eat." They said to him, "Are we to go and buy two hundred denarii worth of bread, and give it to them to eat?" <sup>38</sup>And he said to them, "How many loaves have you? Go and see." When they had found out, they said, "Five, and two fish." <sup>39</sup>Then he ordered them to get all the people to sit down in groups on the green grass. <sup>40</sup>So they sat down in groups of hundreds and of fifties. <sup>41</sup>Taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven, and blessed and broke the loaves, and gave them to his disciples to set before the people; and he divided the two fish among them all. <sup>42</sup>And all ate and were filled; <sup>43</sup>and they took up twelve baskets full of broken pieces and of the fish. <sup>44</sup>Those who had eaten the loaves numbered five thousand men.

#### THE HOLY GOSPEL

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of the Lord.

**People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

*Please be seated.*

#### HOMILY

*Please stand.*

#### THE NICENE CREED

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken**

**through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader: With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying

"Through Jesus Christ our Lord."

Almighty God, we praise you for your creation, and for all you richly provide. Enable us to live in such a way that your majesty and mercy are seen by all.

**Through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

All governments rule under your authority. May they work for the good of those they rule, seeking your justice and peace in every law and action.

**Through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

Enable those who are engaged in industry and commerce, the media and education, sports and the arts, to fulfill their responsibilities with integrity and an attitude of service.

**Through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

Comfort and strengthen those who are gripped by poverty, weakened by illness, or oppressed by cruelty. May they know your love and experience your care.

**Through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

Inspire your church here on earth to proclaim the gospel of your love in the death and resurrection of your Son. May all people hear the call to trust you.

**Through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

Help your people to display your compassion to all those in need. May the poor and the lost of this world find in you true wealth and sure identity.

**Refresh and equip us, O God, to be your faithful and obedient people, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*Please add your prayers of thanksgiving and intercession, either silently or aloud.*

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

**O God, you declare your almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity: Grant us the fullness of your grace, that we, running to obtain your promises, may become partakers of your heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.**

## THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Celebrant: Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

**Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. Amen.

*Please stand.*

## THE PEACE

Celebrant: May the peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People: And also with you.**

*Please be seated.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Celebrant: On the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the forgiveness of sins: Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

## THE MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

Celebrant: The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

*We invite you to take advantage of several opportunities:*

All baptized Christians of any age are welcome and encouraged to receive communion. Gluten-free wafers are available; grape juice is available from our acolyte. Please place your empty cup in the trash receptacle near the offering basket as you return to your seat. We ask that households maintain social distance with one another when coming forward to receive the sacrament.

## COMMUNION HYMN

### ***“The Precious Blood”***

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#### **VERSE 1**

Before the cross I kneel and see  
The measure of my sin  
Here You became a curse for me  
Though You were innocent  
The magnitude of Your great love  
Was shown in full degree  
When righteous blood the crimson spill  
Rained down from Calvary

#### **CHORUS 1**

Oh the precious blood  
That flowed from mercy's side  
Washed away my sin  
When Christ my Savior died  
Oh the precious blood  
Of Christ the crucified  
It speaks for me before Your throne  
Where I stand justified

#### **VERSE 2**

And who am I that I should know  
This treasure of such worth  
My Savior's pure atoning blood  
Shed for the wrath I'd earned

For sin has stained my every deed  
My every word and thought  
What wondrous love that makes me one  
Your priceless blood has bought

**BRIDGE**

A crown of thorns pierced hands and feet  
A body bruised and mercy's plea

***“Blessed Is The One”***

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**VERSE 1**

Blessed is the one whose sins are overcome  
Whom God has sheltered deep within His grace  
Blessed is the one who trusts in God the Son  
His steadfast love the sinner's hiding place

**CHORUS 1**

Jesus Your blood covers all my sins  
Jesus Your love draws my heart to sing  
What a Savior Jesus  
Oh what a Savior Jesus

**VERSE 2**

I will always hide at my Savior's side  
I find my refuge in His sovereign care  
When the waters rise God will hear my cries  
His steadfast love will hold me safely there

**THE DOXOLOGY**

*Please stand and sing.*

***“Doxology”***

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**INTRO:**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him all creatures here below  
Praise Him above ye heav'nly hosts  
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost  
Amen

## THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

**Almighty and ever-living God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.**

## THE BLESSING

Celebrant: Go forth into the world in peace, be of good courage, and fight the good fight of faith, that you may finish your course with joy; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

## THE HYMN IN RECESSION

### ***"I Stand Amazed"***

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#### **VERSE 1**

I stand amazed in the presence  
Of Jesus the Nazarene  
And wonder how He could love me  
A sinner condemned unclean

#### **CHORUS 1**

How marvelous how wonderful  
And my song shall ever be  
How marvelous how wonderful  
Is my Saviour's love for me

#### **VERSE 2**

For me it was in the garden  
He prayed not My will but Thine  
He had no tears for His own griefs  
But sweat drops of blood for mine

#### **VERSE 3**

In pity angels beheld Him  
And came from the world of light  
To comfort Him in the sorrows  
He bore for my soul that night

**VERSE 4**

He took my sins and my sorrows  
He made them His very own  
He bore the burden to Calvary  
And suffered and died alone

**VERSE 5**

When with the ransomed in glory  
His face I at last shall see  
'Twill be my joy though the ages  
To sing of His love for me

**SENDING FORTH**

Celebrant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

## LIFE GROUPS

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## MISSION TEAMS

### **Angel Wings**

Prepares meals to those who are going through trying times such as an illness, a move, new baby, etc. Team leader: Carrie Setterberg

### **Community Pregnancy Center of Lake Norman**

Seeks to serve Jesus Christ through ministering to those touched by possible crisis pregnancy. Team leaders: Andi Wheeler and Lori Nielson

### **Davidson College**

Walks alongside Davidson College students through a variety of means, including outreach, Bible Studies, social gatherings, and pairing students with an "Adoptive" Good Shepherd Family. Team leader: Kenzie Brastow

### **Inheritance of Hope**

Serves families who are facing the loss of a parent through illness. Team leader: Gina Roes

### **Loaves & Fishes**

Collects toiletry donations for the local food pantry. Team leader: Lesley Lee

### **Refugee Support Services**

Helps newly arrived refugees make Charlotte their new home. Team leader: Ruston Dickens

### **Land of a Thousand Hills**

Help farmers in Rwanda, Thailand, and Haiti make a living wage by buying coffee. Order at <https://landofathousandhills.com/collections/coffee>.

### **Wycliffe Bible Translators**

Helps people around the world translate the Bible into their own languages, and provides language development, literacy and other spiritual and physical needs. Team leader: Angie Simmons