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Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

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WORSHIP PLAN WOV SETTING FIVE: BREAD OF LIFE

LBW (*Green*) Lutheran Book of Worship

WOV (*Blue*) With One Voice

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS WOV p. 10

P *In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.*

C **Amen**

P God of all mercy and consolation, come to the aid of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that, attentive to your Word, we may confess our sins, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

C **Amen**

P Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

P *Gracious God,*

C **have mercy on us. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone. Uphold us by your Spirit so that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

Amen

P 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.

C **Amen**

OPENING HYMN “*God Of Grace And God Of Glory*” LBW# 415

GREETING WOV p. 28

P *The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.*

C **And also with you.**

KYRIE WOV p. 28

HYMN OF PRAISE “*Glory To God*” WOV p. 29

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P *The Lord be with you.*

C **And also with you.**

P *Let us pray.*

C **Gracious Father, your blessed Son came down from heaven to be the true bread which gives life to the world. Give us this bread, that he may live in us and we in him, Jesus Christ our Lord.**

Amen

FIRST LESSON: Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-23

²Vanity of vanities, says the Teacher,
vanity of vanities! All is vanity.

¹²I, the Teacher, when king over Israel in Jerusalem, ¹³applied my mind to seek and to search out by wisdom all that is done under heaven; it is an unhappy business that God has given to human beings to be busy with. ¹⁴I saw all the deeds that are done under the sun; and see, all is vanity and a chasing after wind.

^{2:18}I hated all my toil in which I had toiled under the sun, seeing that I must leave it to those who come after me ¹⁹—and who knows whether they will be wise or foolish? Yet they will be master of all for which I toiled and used my wisdom under the sun. This also is vanity. ²⁰So I turned and gave my heart up to despair concerning all the toil of my labors under the sun, ²¹because sometimes one who has toiled with wisdom and knowledge and skill must leave all to be enjoyed by another who did not toil for it. This also is vanity and a great evil. ²²What do mortals get from all the toil and strain with which they toil under the sun? ²³For all their days are full of pain, and their work is a vexation; even at night their minds do not rest. This also is vanity.

L The Word of the Lord

C Thanks be to God.

PSALM: Psalm 49:1-11

¹Hear this, all you peoples; hearken, all you who dwell in the world,
you of high degree and low, rich and poor together.

²**My mouth shall speak of wisdom,
and my heart shall meditate on understanding.**

³I will incline my ear to a proverb
and set forth my riddle upon the harp.

⁴**Why should I be afraid in evil days,
when the wickedness of those at my heels surrounds me,**

⁵the wickedness of those who put their trust in their goods,
and boast of their great riches?

⁶**We can never ransom ourselves,
or deliver to God the price of our life;**

⁷for the ransom of our life is so great,
that we should never have enough to pay it,

⁸**in order to live forever and ever,
and never see the grave.**

⁹For we see that the wise die also; like the dull and stupid they perish and leave their wealth to those who come after them.

¹⁰**Their graves shall be their homes forever, their dwelling places from generation to generation, though they call the lands after their own names.**

¹¹Even though honored, they cannot live forever; they are like the beasts that perish.

SECOND LESSON: Colossians 3:1-11

¹So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. ²Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, ³for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. ⁴When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

⁵Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). ⁶On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. ⁷These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. ⁸But now you must get rid of all such things—anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. ⁹Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices ¹⁰and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. ¹¹In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

L The Word of the Lord

C Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S SERMON: *"Jesus Loves Me"* (1st verse only)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION WOV p. 31

Word of life, Jesus Christ, all glory to you!

Word of life, Jesus Christ, all praise to you!

Our hearts burn within us while you open to us the Scriptures.

Word of life, Jesus Christ, all glory to you!

Word of life, Jesus Christ, all praise to you!

GOSPEL: Luke 12:13-21

P *The Holy Gospel according to Luke, the 12th Chapter.*

C **Glory to you, O Lord.**

¹³Someone in the crowd said to [Jesus,] "Teacher, tell my brother to

divide the family inheritance with me.”¹⁴ But he said to him, “Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?”¹⁵ And he said to them, “Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one’s life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.”¹⁶ Then he told them a parable: “The land of a rich man produced abundantly.¹⁷ And he thought to himself, ‘What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?’¹⁸ Then he said, ‘I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods.’¹⁹ And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.’²⁰ But God said to him, ‘You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?’²¹ So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich toward God.”

P The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON: “Treasures”

HYMN OF THE DAY: *“Jesus, Priceless Treasure”* LBW# 458

APOSTLES CREED WOV p. 33

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

PLord in your mercy,

C Hear our prayer.

SHARING OF GOD’S PEACE

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

C Peace be with you.

OFFERING

OFFERING HYMN *“Let The Vineyards Be Fruitful”* WOV p. 35

OFFERTORY PRAYER WOV p. 35

P Blessed are you,

C O Lord our God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer ourselves to your service and dedicate our lives to the care and redemption of all that you have made, for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

GREAT THANKSGIVING WOV p. 36

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 our thanks and praise.**

PREFACE

SANCTUS WOV p. 36 (*Sung*)

C **Holy, holy, holy Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,
Heav'n and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.**

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER WOV p. 39

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

*ALL BAPTIZED CHRISTIANS WHO CONFESS JESUS CHRIST
AS LORD AND HIS REAL PRESENCE IN THE BREAD AND WINE
ARE WELCOME TO THE LORD'S TABLE*

COMMUNION HYMN "*Lamb Of God*" WOV P. 39

"Beautiful Savior" LBW# 518

POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE WOV p. 40

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER WOV p. 41

BLESSING

P *Almighty God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.*

C (*Sung*) **Three Fold Amen**

SENDING HYMN "*O Jesus, I Have Promised*" LBW# 503

DISMISSAL

P *Go in peace. Serve your neighbor.*

C **Yes we will. Thanks be to God.**

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Baltic: Air Conditioning Fund

East: Family Connection



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Donna Lee Boyd will be celebrating her **90th Birthday**.
Everyone is invited to help her celebrate Sunday August 7th.
Open house 1-4
Avera Prince of Peace Retirement Village
4513 S Prince Of Peace Sioux Falls, SD 57103
(At Donna Lee's request please NO gifts.)

Our Response to God's Love

Baltic:

July 24th: Attendance: 45
General Fund: \$310.00 Noisy Can: \$28.35

East Nidaros

July 24th: Attendance: 22
General Fund: \$320.00 Noisy Can: \$15.61

