



**Sunday, July 11, 2021**

**7th Sunday After Pentecost**

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## **WORSHIP PLAN LBW SETTING FIVE: BREAD OF LIFE**

**LBW** (*Green*) Lutheran Book of Worship

**WOV** (*Blue*) With One Voice

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**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.

*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** *“Come, All You People”* WOV# 717

**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** Almighty God, we thank you for planting in us the seed of your word. By your Holy Spirit help us to receive it with joy, live according to it, and grow in faith and hope and love; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen**

## FIRST LESSON: Amos 7:7-15

<sup>7</sup>This is what [the Lord God] showed me: the Lord was standing beside a wall built with a plumb line, with a plumb line in his hand. <sup>8</sup>And the Lord said to me, "Amos, what do you see?" And I said, "A plumb line." Then the Lord said,

"See, I am setting a plumb line  
in the midst of my people Israel;  
I will never again pass them by;

<sup>9</sup>the high places of Isaac shall be made desolate,  
and the sanctuaries of Israel shall be laid waste,  
and I will rise against the house of Jeroboam with the sword."

<sup>10</sup>Then Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, sent to King Jeroboam of Israel, saying, "Amos has conspired against you in the very center of the house of Israel; the land is not able to bear all his words. <sup>11</sup>For thus Amos has said,

'Jeroboam shall die by the sword,  
and Israel must go into exile  
away from his land.'

<sup>12</sup>And Amaziah said to Amos, "O seer, go, flee away to the land of Judah, earn your bread there, and prophesy there; <sup>13</sup>but never again prophesy at Bethel, for it is the king's sanctuary, and it is a temple of the kingdom."

<sup>14</sup>Then Amos answered Amaziah, "I am no prophet, nor a prophet's son; but I am a herdsman, and a dresser of sycamore trees, <sup>15</sup>and the Lord took me from following the flock, and the Lord said to me, 'Go, prophesy to my people Israel.'

**L** The Word of the Lord

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM: Psalm 85:8-13** *(Read In Unison)*

<sup>8</sup>I will listen to what the LORD God is saying,  
for he is speaking peace to his faithful people and to those who  
turn their hearts to him.

<sup>9</sup>Truly, his salvation is very near to those who fear him,  
that his glory may dwell in our land.

<sup>10</sup>Mercy and truth have met together;  
righteousness and peace have kissed each other.

<sup>11</sup>Truth shall spring up from the earth,  
and righteousness shall look down from heaven.

<sup>12</sup>The LORD will indeed grant prosperity,  
and our land will yield its increase.

<sup>13</sup>Righteousness shall go before him,  
and peace shall be a pathway for his feet.

**SECOND LESSON: Ephesians 1:3-14**

<sup>3</sup>Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, <sup>4</sup>just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love. <sup>5</sup>He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will, <sup>6</sup>to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved. <sup>7</sup>In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace <sup>8</sup>that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and insight <sup>9</sup>he has made known to us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure that he set forth in Christ, <sup>10</sup>as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth. <sup>11</sup>In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, <sup>12</sup>so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. <sup>13</sup>In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; <sup>14</sup>this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

**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 (*Sung*)

**GOSPEL: Mark 6:14-29**

**P** *The Holy Gospel according to Mark, the 6<sup>th</sup> chapter.*

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

<sup>14</sup>King Herod heard of [the disciples' preaching,] for Jesus' name had become known. Some were saying, "John the baptizer has been raised from the dead; and for this reason these powers are at work in him."

<sup>15</sup>But others said, "It is Elijah." And others said, "It is a prophet, like one of the prophets of old." <sup>16</sup>But when Herod heard of it, he said, "John, whom I beheaded, has been raised."

<sup>17</sup>For Herod himself had sent men who arrested John, bound him, and put him in prison on account of Herodias, his brother Philip's wife, because Herod had married her. <sup>18</sup>For John had been telling Herod, "It is not lawful for you to have your brother's wife." <sup>19</sup>And Herodias had a grudge against him, and wanted to kill him. But she could not, <sup>20</sup>for Herod feared John, knowing that he was a righteous and holy man, and he protected him. When he heard him, he was greatly perplexed; and yet he liked to listen to him. <sup>21</sup>But an opportunity came when Herod on his birthday gave a banquet for his courtiers and officers and for the leaders of Galilee. <sup>22</sup>When his daughter Herodias came in and danced, she pleased Herod and his guests; and the king said to the girl, "Ask me for whatever you wish, and I will give it." <sup>23</sup>And he solemnly swore to her, "Whatever you ask me, I will give you, even half of my kingdom." <sup>24</sup>She went out and said to her mother, "What should I ask for?" She replied, "The head of John the baptizer." <sup>25</sup>Immediately she rushed back to the king and requested, "I want you to give me at once the head of John the Baptist on a platter." <sup>26</sup>The king was deeply grieved; yet out of regard for his oaths and for the guests, he did not want to refuse her. <sup>27</sup>Immediately the king sent a soldier of the guard with orders to bring John's head. He went and beheaded him in the prison, <sup>28</sup>brought his head on a platter, and gave it to the girl. Then the girl gave it to her mother. <sup>29</sup>When his disciples heard about it, they came and took his body, and laid it in a tomb.

**P** The Gospel of the Lord.

**C Praise to you, O Christ.**

**SERMON: "A PLUMB LINE"**

**HYMN OF THE DAY:** *"Christ Is Made The Sure Foundation"* WOV# 747

**APOSTLES CREED** WOV p. 33

## THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

**P** .....*Lord in your mercy,*

**C** Hear our prayer.

**LORD'S PRAYER** WOV p. 39

## SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE

**P** *The peace of the Lord be with you always.*

**C** And also with you.

## OFFERING

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

**OFFERTORY PRAYER** WOV p. 35

**P** *Merciful God,*

**C** we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us—our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love.

Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen**

**BLESSING** WOV p. 41

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

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

**SENDING HYMN:** "Let Justice Flow Like Streams" WOV# 763

## DISMISSAL

**P** *Go in peace. Serve your neighbor.*

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

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## East Nidaros Ice Cream Social & Silent Auction

Sunday July 18th 5:00-7:00 at East Nidaros  
Serving: Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Baked Beans,  
Potato Salad, Potato Chips, Pie & Ice Cream

**FREE WILL DONATION**

Silent Auction (10am-7pm) for Full-Size  
Picnic Table painted like the Norwegian  
Flag! No need to be present to win!





## **MEMBERS**

Tanya Vollan - Paul Romsdahl  
Ordell Krogstad - Chantel Brende  
Ella Riswold - Donna Lee Boyd  
Ryan Voeltz - Rhoda Wold

Bonnie Johnson - Betty Jean Benjamin

## **FRIENDS & FAMILY OF OUR MEMBERS**

Family of Roger Moan

LeRoy Koopman—Brother-In-Law to Ben & Elaine Kringen

Jerome Johnson—Uncle of Deb Karlson & Brenda Bergum

Darrel McMahan—Brother of Ann Romsdahl

John Jorgenson—Friend of the Community

Dawn Williams—Sister of Danae Cords

Fred Tidemann—Brother of Melva Hilmoe

Mike Wuestewald—Friend of Terry Snow, Tom & Joanna Baatz

Javin Ihnen—Son of Justin and Jessica Ihnen

Eugene Haux—Father of Shane Haux

Jessica Shaw—Friend of Melva Lee Hilmoe

Rachel Aberson—Daughter of Jason and Ann Aberson

Richey Scott—Grand Nephew of Kathy Scott

Brenda Bertrand—Mother of Julius Allgier

Piper Preston—Art and Ellen Aadland Daughter's Mother-In-Law

Chuck Ellingsen—Art and Ellen Aadland Son's Father-In-Law

Don Allen— Friend of Dale and Pam Nesheim

Dennis Riswold—Friend of the Community

## **JULY NOISY CAN**

**Baltic:** Javin Ihnen

**East:** Sponsor A Child @ McCrossan Boys Ranch

## SUNDAY, JULY 11<sup>th</sup>

**Baltic** 9:00 am in person and Live Streamed on Facebook @BalticLutheran

**East Nidaros** 10:30 am in person and Live Streamed on Facebook @EastNidarosLutheranChurch

## Things Happening Week of July 11<sup>th</sup>

- Sun Jul 11 **Check'n on the 2nd**  
**Baltic WELCA meeting following church service**
- Tue Jul 13 **6:30 Baltic Council Meeting**
- Wed Jul 14 **6:30 Bible Study @ Baltic—Catechism Overview**
- Thu Jul 15 9:30 Phase 3  
9:00 Bulletin Assembly

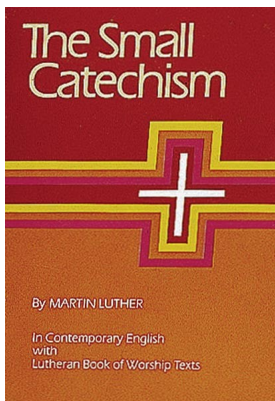
## SUNDAY, JULY 18<sup>th</sup>

**Baltic** 9:00 am in person and Live Streamed on Facebook @BalticLutheran

**East Nidaros** 10:30 am in person and Live Streamed on Facebook @EastNidarosLutheranChurch

## Things Happening Week of July 18<sup>th</sup>

- Sun Jul 18 **Ice Cream Social @ East 5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.**
- Tue Jul 20 **Newsletter Deadline**
- Thu Jul 22 9:00 Bulletin Assembly



Wed. July 14<sup>th</sup>  
6:30 p.m. @ Baltic