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Cross Lutheran Church

THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

June 19, 2016

Evangelical Lutheran Worship Book – Holy Communion Setting Three

We encourage worshippers to use the time in the sanctuary before the liturgy begins for silent meditation and prayer. The entire assembly will read the Gospel together; pew Bibles can be found in front of you, children's Bibles and large print lessons are available from the ushers. Prayer for healing and anointing with oil is offered in the narthex during Holy Communion. Any worshipper wishing to receive these gifts may proceed there after receiving the host and the cup, and before returning to the pew.

Bold Print – indicates congregation responds as a whole * – indicates congregation should stand as able

PRELUDE

Meditation on "Land of Rest"

Robert Lau

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

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*OPENING HYMN

Oh, Worship the King

ELW # 842

*GREETING

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*KYRIE

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*HYMN OF PRAISE

This is the Feast

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*PRAYER OF THE DAY

O Lord God, we bring before you the cries of a sorrowing world. In your mercy set us free from the chains that bind us, and defend us from everything that is evil, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

FIRST LESSON Isaiah 65:1-9

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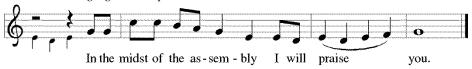
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PSALM – Psalm 22:19-28

Cantor sings refrain (R). The congregation then repeats the refrain.

Congregation responds with the **bold verses**.



But you, O LORD, be not | far away;

O my help, hasten to my aid.

²⁰Deliver me | from the sword,

my life from the power of the dog.

²¹Save me from the lion's mouth!

From the horns of wild bulls you have rescued me.

²²I will declare your name | to my people;

in the midst of the assembly | I will praise you. R

²³You who fear the LORD, give praise! All you of Jacob's line, give glory. Stand in awe of the LORD, all you off- spring of Israel.

²⁴For the LORD does not despise nor abhor the poor in their poverty; neither is the LORD's face hid-| den from them;

but when they cry out, the LORD hears them.

²⁵From you comes my praise in the great assembly;

I will perform my vows in the sight of those who fear the LORD.

²⁶The poor shall eat | and be satisfied.

Let those who seek the LORD give praise!

May your hearts | live forever! R

²⁷All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn ¹ to the LORD; all the families of nations shall bow ¹ before God.

²⁸For dominion belongs to the LORD,

who rules o- | ver the nations. R

SECOND LESSON Galatians 3:23-29

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*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia

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*GOSPEL

* (P) The Holy Gospel according to Luke 8:26-39

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*(C) Glory to you, O Lord.

* (P) The Gospel of our Lord.

*(C) Praise to you, O Christ.

THE SERMON

*HYMN OF THE DAY

O Christ, the Healer, We Have Come

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*SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

*APOSTLES' CREED

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*WORD OF WELCOME

Brennan, we welcome you to the Lord's family. We receive you as a fellow member of the body of Christ, a child of the same heavenly Father, and a worker with us in the kingdom of God.

*SHARING THE PEACE OF THE LORD

OFFERING

Abide With Me

Daniel E. Gawthrop

*OFFERTORY RESPONSE

Praise God, from Whom All Blessing Flow

ELW # 885

*OFFERING PRAYER

Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts: our selves, our time, and our possessions. Use us, and what we have gathered, in feeding the world with your love, through the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

*WORDS OF INSTITUTION

*THE LORD'S PRAYER

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DISTRIBUTION

To make the distribution of the Lord's Supper as easy as possible, we ask that people who wish to commune and who use a wheelchair or walker come to the front first to receive the Sacrament.

LAMB OF GOD		p. 146
	Just As I Am, without One Plea	ELW # 592
	Praise and Thanksgiving	ELW # 689
	I Love to Tell the Story	ELW # 661
	In Christ There Is No East or West	FLW # 650

*POST COMMUNION PRAYER

*BENEDICTION		p. 146
*CLOSING HYMN	On What Has Now Been Sown	ELW # 550
*DISMISSAL		p. 146
*POSTLUDE	Faith of Our Fathers	Henri F. Hemy

To Our Guests and Visitors Today: Every baptized believer who is of age is invited to receive the Lord's Supper as we worship. The invitation is extended to each of us by the Lord himself, because he is the host of the meal. We also believe that he is the meal; that is that "in, with, and under" the bread and wine we do receive the body and blood of Christ, given and shed for us for the forgiveness of sins. Please follow the directions of the ushers if you wish to commune. Children under the age of ten are invited to receive a Word of blessing. Worshipers unable to commune at the front of the church...Please register with an usher and a lay minister will bring the Supper to you in your pew.

THIS WEEK AT CROSS

Sunday, June 19	9:30am Worship Service – <i>Happy Father's Day</i> 11:00am Worship Service at The Homestead of Maplewood 3:00pm 7 th day Adventists Board Meeting 3:30pm – 7:00pm Roca de Horeb
Monday, June 20	6:30pm Board of Education Meeting 7:00pm Parish Planning Council (PPC) Meeting
Tuesday, June 21	4:00pm – 8:00pm God's Promise Intergenerational Event 7:30pm Roca de Horeb
Thursday, June 23	8:30am Garden Club – Cross Lutheran Rain Gardens 3:00pm Worship Service at Bel Rae of Mounds View 6:30pm Worship Service at The Shores of Lake Phalen 7:00pm 7 th Day Adventist Prayer Group
Friday, June 24	6:00pm – 9:30pm Roca de Horeb
Saturday, June 25	6:00am – 4:00pm Roca de Horeb - Upstairs Classroom 9:30am – 12:30pm 7 th Day Adventists 5:30pm – 7:00pm Roca de Horeb
Sunday, June 26	9:30am Worship Service 11:00am Leave for Confirmation Camp 3:30pm – 7:00pm Roca de Horeb

Today you will find in the bulletin a table prayer. We know that our Lord is the source of all blessings, and that it is most fitting for us to give thanks before we eat. Some people always pray the same prayer. Others prefer to pray different prayers – some don't pray at all. A different prayer will be included each month to help us all in this daily devotion.



Table Prayer

Loving Shepherd of your sheep, Keep your lamb in safety keep. Nothing can your power withstand, None can pluck me from your hand. As we now our meal begin, Let us give you thanks again. For all you provide for us every day, Our very grateful thanks we pray. Amen.

Stewardship Verse – Jeremiah 29:11-13





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For surely I know the plans I have for you, says the LORD, plans for your welfare and not for harm, to give you a future with hope. Then when you call upon me and come and pray to me, I will hear you. When you search for me, you will find me; if you seek me with all your heart.



Be a good steward of the earth; if you aren't taking your bulletin home, please drop it in the recycling bin in the narthex. Thank you!

