

2022

## *“With a Firm Reliance on Divine Providence”*



### WELCOME TO WORSHIP TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

**Please tune your car radio to 106.1 FM to Worship with us today!**

*And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose.*

*Romans 8:28*

### Call Statement:

*“My call is to share my Faith in Christ”*

### Mission Statement:

*“To live my Faith in Christ I will build loving relationships so others will become disciples with Jesus as Lord and Savior.”*

### WELCOME AND PRAYER

### BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Leader: In the name of the Father, and the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**All: Amen.**

Leader: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love You and worthily magnify Your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**All: Amen.**

Leader: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness....  
Most merciful God,

**All: we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**

Pastor: Almighty God, in His mercy, has given His Son to die for you and, for His sake, forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore declare to you the entire

forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**All: Amen.**

### **THE PASSING OF THE PEACE**

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**All: And also with you.** (*Share the peace of the LORD*)

### **SONG                      The Wedding Banquet**

#### **Refrain**

**I Cannot Come, I cannot come to the banquet,  
don't trouble me now.**

**I have married a wife; I have bought me a cow.  
I have fields and commitments that cost a pretty sum.  
Pray, hold me excused, I cannot come.**

#### **Verse 1**

**A certain man held a feast on his fine estate in town.  
He laid a festive table and wore a wedding gown.  
He sent invitations to his neighbors far and wide  
but when the meal was ready, each of them replied:  
(refrain)**

#### **Verse 2**

**The master rose up in anger, called his servant by name,  
said: "Go into the town, fetch the blind and the lame,  
fetch the peasant and the pauper, for this I have willed,  
my banquet must be crowded, and my table must be filled.  
(refrain)**

#### **Verse 3**

**When all the poor had assembled,  
there was still room to spare,  
So the master demanded: "Go search every where,  
to the highways and the byways and force them to come in.  
My table must be filled before the banquet can begin.  
(refrain)**

### **Verse 4**

**Now God has written a lesson for the rest of mankind;  
If we're slow in responding, He may leave us behind.  
He's preparing a banquet for that great and glorious day  
when the Lord and Master calls us, be certain not to say:  
(refrain)**

### **APOSTOLIC GREETING**

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

**All: And also with you.**

### **THE PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Pastor: Let us pray: Lord God, Heavenly Father,

**All: *We give You thanks that through Your Holy Word You have called us to Your great supper of eternal life. Awaken our hearts by Your Holy Spirit, that we may not hear Your Word and produce no fruit, but that we may prepare ourselves rightly for Your heavenly banquet and not allow ourselves to be hindered by any worldly care; through Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, One true God, now and forever. Amen. ~ Veit Dietrich***

### **LESSON**

**Hebrews 13:1 - 17**

### **GOSPEL**

**Luke 14:1 - 14**

### **THE MESSAGE**

**Pastor Jeffrey J. Lee**

## **Come to the Banquet**

### **HYMN**

**LBW #364**

### **Son of God, Eternal Savior**

#### **Verse 1**

**Son of God, eternal Savior,  
Source of life and truth and grace  
Word made flesh whose birth among us  
Hallows all our human race,  
You our head, Who, throned in glory,  
For Your own will ever plead;**

Fill us with Your love and pity,  
Heal our wrongs, and help our need.

**Verse 2**

As You, Lord, have lived for others,  
So may we for others live.  
Freely have Your gifts been granted;  
Freely may Your servants give.  
Yours the gold and Yours the silver,  
Yours the wealth of land and sea;  
We but stewards of Your bounty  
Held in solemn trust will be.

**Verse 3**

Come, O Christ, and reign among us,  
King of love and Prince of Peace;  
Hush the storm of strife and passion,  
Bid its cruel discords cease.  
By Your patient years of toiling,  
By Your silent hours of pain,  
Quench our fevered thirst of pleasure,  
Stem our selfish greed of gain.

**Verse 4**

Son of God, eternal Savior,  
Source of life and truth and grace,  
Word made flesh, Whose birth among us  
Hallows all our human race;  
By Your praying, by Your willing  
That Your people should be one,  
Grant, oh, grant our hope's fruition;  
Here on earth Your will be done.

**APOSTLES' CREED** (in unison)

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.

**PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

Pastor: Brothers and sisters in Christ, let us be united as the Church in heart and mind as we go to our heavenly Father in prayer.

Pastor: *(After each petition. . .)* Lord, in your mercy,

**All: hear our prayer.**

Pastor: . . . Accept, O Father, the prayers of Your faithful people for the well being of Your holy Church throughout the world. Govern and sanctify it, with all its pastors and ministers, by Your Holy Spirit, that we may be kept by Your Word in true Faith and fervent love toward You and one another.

**All: Amen.**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** (in unison)

**All: 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.**

**THE SENDING PRAYER**

Leader: Let us pray. Heavenly Father,

**All: Open my eyes, open my heart, so I see and have  
compassion on broken and lost people around me.  
Move me to bring Hope into their lives with the Gospel**

of Jesus Christ. Give me courage. Give me patience.  
Guide my words. Through me I pray they experience  
Jesus' redeeming Love. I ask in Jesus' Name. Amen.

### THE BENEDICTION

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make His face  
shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord look  
upon you with favor and give you peace.

All: Amen.

### SONG

You are My All in All

#### Verse 1

You are my strength when I am weak;  
You are the treasure that I seek.  
You are my all in all.  
Seeking You as a precious Jewel,  
Lord, to give up I'd be a fool;  
You are my all in all.

#### Chorus

Jesus, Lamb of God,  
Worthy is Your name;  
Jesus, Lamb of God,  
Worthy is Your name.

#### Verse 2

Taking my sin, My cross, my shame,  
Rising again, I bless Your name;  
You are my all in all.  
When I fall down You pick me up;  
When I am dry You fill my cup;  
You are my all in all.

### THE DISMISSAL

Pastor: Go and be a witness for the Lord!

All: Thanks be to God!

Invite a friend to come along with you every Sunday to  
share in the worship and JOY of the LORD!

NEXT SUNDAY September 4, 2022

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Service of Holy Communion

Readings for Next Sunday

Deuteronomy 30:15-20 Psalm 1 Philemon 1-21

Luke 14:25-35

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TNT begins Thursday September 8<sup>th</sup> 6:00 PM

In the coming weeks pray for our TNT ministry daily that the LORD  
will provide and do wonder through TNT this year. Spread the news  
about TNT and invited even more to come!



Join us for Fellowship Hour following  
worship today

You are invited to come to our fellowship hall and  
sit down for some coffee, cookies and conversation  
with your Faith in Christ family.

*Please sign up to help provide the treats to eat.*