# 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost June 19, 2022—8:30am



## **Grace Lutheran Church**

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## **Our Mission Statement:**

We are a community of believers in Christ called to be servants to all people.

Page numbers (p.) are in front half of the hymnal. Hymn numbers (#) are in back half of the hymnal. Everyone is invited to join in **bolded responses**. + Please stand as you are able.

#### + Gathering +

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

#### Prelude

"East to West" arr. by Melody Bober

#### + Confession and Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, whose steadfast love endures forever. **Amen.** 

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

Silence is kept for reflection.

Merciful God, we confess that we have not followed your path but have chosen our own way. Instead of putting others before ourselves, we long to take the best seats at the table. When met by those in need, we have too often passed by on the other side. Set us again on the path of life. Save us from ourselves and free us to love our neighbors. Amen.

Hear the good news! God does not deal with us according to our sins but delights in granting pardon and mercy. In the name of ± Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. You are free to love as God loves. **Amen.** 

## + Gathering Song

"Give Us Clean Hands"

We bow our hearts, we bend our knees; Oh Spirit, come make us humble. We turn our eyes from evil things; Oh Lord, we cast down our idols.

Give us clean hands, give us pure hearts; Let us not lift our souls to another. Give us clean hands, give us pure hearts; Let us not lift our souls to another.

And oh God, let us be a generation that seeks, that seeks Your face, oh God of Jacob; And oh God, let us be a generation that seeks, that seeks Your face, oh God of Jacob.

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## + Prayer of the Day

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#### + Word +

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

First Reading Isaiah 65:1-9

Second Reading Galatians 3:23-29

+ Gospel Reading Luke 8:26-39

Young at Heart Message & Sermon

The Rev. Leslie D. Weber

## + Song of the Day

"By Grace We Have Been Saved"

By grace we have been saved through faith and not by keeping law. God's saints believed by what they heard and not by what they saw.

**Refrain:** Oh, how I love Jesus! Oh, how I love Jesus!

Oh, how I love Jesus, because he first loved me!

For all have sinned and fallen short. God's plan, not one obeyed. Christ has for all fulfilled the law. Believe, confess, be saved.

God gave to earth a perfect love through Jesus on the cross. While we were foes, Christ died for us. We gained by God's own loss. We know the wage of sin is death; thank God, we shall revive. For just as Jesus rose again, we too are made alive.

Set free, we now have peace with God. Salvation is secured. How beautiful the feet of those who share this gospel word.

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## + Apostles Creed

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+ Prayers of Intercession

sung refrain: "Spirit of the Living God"

Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.

Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.

Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.

Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.

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#### + Peace

#### +Meal+

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

## Offering

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Checks can be also be sent to church: 521 Providence Rd, Chesapeake, VA 23325



+ Offering Prayer

+ Great Thanksgiving

ELW p.107

+Thanksgiving at the Table

+ Lord's Prayer ELW p.112

+ Invitation to Communion

#### Notes about Communion Distribution at Grace

When we're gathered around the table, there is enough food, drink, blessing, space and time for all to share in Holy Communion! GLC practices Eucharistic hospitality since we trust that God welcomes all who come to the table where Christ is both host and meal.

Wine (red) and grape juice (white) are distributed in individual cups. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.

If you prefer to stay in the pew, there are prepackaged kits (wine, juice, and gluten free options) available at the sanctuary doors. If you prefer not to receive the wafer and wine/grape juice, you may kneel or stand at the rail with arms folded across your chest to receive a blessing.

#### **Communion Song**

"One Bread, One Body"

Refrain:

One bread, one body, one Lord of all; one cup of blessing which we bless, and we, though many, throughout the earth,

we are one body in this one Lord.

Gentile or Jew, servant or free, woman or man, no more. Refrain

Many the gifts, many the works, one in the Lord of all. Refrain

Grain for the fields, scattered and grown, gathered to one, for all. Refrain

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## +Sending+

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

## **Blessing**

#### **Announcements**

**+ Sending Song** Hymn Lotto

+ Dismissal

Go in peace. Serve the Lord. Thanks be to God.

#### **Postlude**

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