

September 6, 2020



WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

P Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God,
who creates, redeems, and sustains us and all of creation.

All Amen.

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

Silence for reflection

P Faithful God,

All have mercy on us.

**We confess that we are captive to sin
and cannot free ourselves.**

**We turn from your loving embrace
and go our own ways.**

**We pass judgment on one another
Before examining ourselves.**

We place our own needs before those of our neighbors.

We keep your gift of salvation to ourselves.

**Make us humble, cast away our transgressions,
and turn us again to life in you
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

P God hears the cries of all who call out in need,
and through his death and resurrection,
Christ has made us his own.
Hear the truth that God proclaims:
Your sins are forgiven in the name of ☩ Jesus Christ.
Led by the Holy Spirit, live in freedom and newness
to do God's work in the world.

All Amen.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O Lord God, enliven and preserve your church with your perpetual mercy. Without your help, we mortals will fail; remove far from us everything that is harmful, and lead us toward all that gives life and salvation, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

MUSIC: *Where Charity and Love Prevail* ELW #359 vss. 1-3
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The musical score is written on three staves. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a 3/2 time signature. The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are aligned with the notes. The second staff continues the melody and includes a double bar line with repeat dots. The third staff concludes the piece with a final cadence.

1 **Where char - i - ty and love pre-vail, there**
2 **With grate - ful joy and ho - ly fear, God's**
3 **Let us re - call that in our midst dwells**

God is ev - er found; brought here to - geth - er__
char - i - ty we learn; let us with heart and__
Christ, God's ho-ly Son; as mem-bers of each__

by Christ's love, by love we thus are bound.
mind and soul now love God in re - turn.
bo - dy joined, in him we are made one.

RESPONSIVE PSALM 119:33-40

L Teach me, O LORD, the way of your statutes,
All and I shall keep it to the end.
L Give me understanding, and I shall keep your teaching;
All I shall keep it with all my heart.
L Lead me in the path of your commandments,
All for that is my desire.
L Incline my heart to your decrees
All and not to unjust gain.
L Turn my eyes from beholding falsehood;
All give me life in your way.
L Fulfill your promise to your servant,
All which is for those who fear you.

L Turn away the reproach that dread,
All because your judgments are good.
L Behold, I long for your commandments;
All by your righteousness enliven me.

READING: ROMANS 13:8-10

⁸Owe no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. ⁹The commandments, “You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet”; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, “Love your neighbor as yourself.”
¹⁰Love does no wrong to a neighbor; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law.

GOSPEL: MATTHEW 18:15-20

[Jesus said to the disciples:] ¹⁵“If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. ¹⁶But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. ¹⁷If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. ¹⁸Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. ¹⁹Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. ²⁰For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.”

MESSAGE: Pastor Julie Rogness

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**4 Let strife among us be unknown; let all contentions cease.
Be God’s the glory that we seek; be his our only peace.**

**5 Let us forgive each other’s faults as we our own confess,
That we may love each other well in Christian gentleness.**

APOSTLE’S CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose

again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come 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

SHARING OF PEACE

OFFERING OF GIFTS

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

LORD'S PRAYER

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.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Come to the banquet table where Christ gives himself as food and drink.

DISTRIBUTION – Outdoor Drive-By Communion, 9:45 to 11:00 A.M. – Parking Lot

COMMUNION BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ
strengthen you and keep you in his love and grace.

BLESSING

Mothering God, Father, ☩ Son, and Holy Spirit,
bless you and lead you into the way of truth and life.

Amen.

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Remember the poor.

Thanks be to God

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WEDNESDAY WORSHIP



OUTDOOR WORSHIP WITH COMMUNION: Wednesday, September 9th at 6 P.M.
NE corner of the church under the pine trees. Bring your own lawn chair & mask.
Cancelled in the event of Rain



SEPTEMBER DRIVE-BY COMMUNION: Sunday, September 6 and Sunday, September 20 in the church parking lot from 9:45 to 11:00 a.m.

STEWARDSHIP Hosting Food Shelf Drive: “*Being Fed and Feeding Others*”

The food shelf drive is planned for drive-by communion Sundays in September. On **September 6** and **September 20** (*times above*) please bring a **Food Shelf Item or Monetary Donation** to benefit the **Kenyon All Seasons Food Shelf**. They are seeing a continued, steady need for food and other supplies from their shelves. The following items are especially needed, because they are in demand and often hard to find.

HIGH NEED ITEMS -

- * Packages of Mac & Cheese
- * Boxes of Cherry Jello
- * One Pound Size of Coffee
- * Paper Towels
- * Peanut Butter
- * Canned Peas
- * Canned Carrots
- * Canned Beans
- * Canned Corn



Monetary donations also welcome

The All Seasons Food Shelf of Kenyon appreciates your continuing generosity

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