

October 10, 2021

Lectionary 28 / Yr B

Now the Feast & Celebration

A Eucharistic Music Setting by Marty Haugen



RINGING OF BELL

PRELUDE *Thine the Amen Thine the Praise – Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETING: 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.**

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

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

P: If we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.
Let us confess our sin to God who is faithful and just and who has promised
to forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection and self-examination

Most merciful God,

C: **have mercy on us. We confess to you that 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 trusted you with our whole heart;
we have not loved one another in deed and in truth.
In your compassion forgive our sin
and so uphold us by your Spirit
that we may live and serve you in newness of life
through Jesus Christ our light and our truth. Amen.**

P: With joy, I proclaim to you that Almighty God,
rich in mercy, abundant in love,
forgives you all your sin and grants you
newness of life in Jesus Christ.

C: **Thanks be to God!**

Leader ↓ *CONG*

L: In peace, in peace, let us pray to the **Lord, have mer - cy,**
Christ, have mer - cy, Lord, have
mer - cy.

L: For the reign of God, and for peace throughout the world, for the unity of all, let us pray to the... **Lord, have mercy...**

L: For your people here, who have come to give you praise, for the strength to live your Word, let us pray to the... **Lord, have mercy...**

L: Help, save and defend us, O God.

A - - men.

HYMN OF PRAISE *Sung by ALL*

REFRAIN **Now the feast and celebration,
all of creation sings for joy
to the God of life and love and freedom:
praise and glory for evermore!**

1 **Now is the feast of the Lamb once slain,
whose blood has freed and united us
to be one great people of God. TO REFRAIN....**

2 **Power and riches, wisdom and might,
all honor and glory to Christ forever. TO REFRAIN....**

2 **For God has come to dwell with us,
to make us people of God;
to make all things new. TO REFRAIN....**

PRAYER OF THE DAY: *We pray together*

Almighty and ever-living God, increase in us your gift of faith, that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to what lies ahead, we may follow the way of your commandments and receive the crown of everlasting joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

CHILDREN'S WORD

PSALM 90:12-17 *Read Responsively*

L: So teach us to number our days
that we may apply our hearts to wisdom.

**C: Return, O LORD; how long will you tarry?
Be gracious to your servants.**

L: Satisfy us by your steadfast love in the morning;
so shall we rejoice and be glad all our days.

**C: Make us glad as many days as you afflicted us
and as many years as we suffered adversity.**

L: Show your servants your works,
and your splendor to their children.

**C: May the graciousness of the Lord our God be upon us;
prosper the work of our hands; prosper our handiwork.**

A READING FROM: HEBREWS 4:12-16

¹²Indeed, the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, joints from marrow; it is able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. ¹³And before him no creature is hidden, but all are naked and laid bare to the eyes of the one to whom we must render an account.

¹⁴Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession. ¹⁵For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. ¹⁶Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need. WORD OF GOD. WORD OF LIFE.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *SPOKEN*

P: Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?

C: You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO: MARK 10:17-31

Glory to you, O Lord.

¹⁷As [Jesus] was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, "Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" ¹⁸Jesus said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. ¹⁹You know the commandments: 'You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honor your father and mother.'" ²⁰He said to him, "Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth." ²¹Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, "You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me." ²²When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions.

²³Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, "How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!" ²⁴And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, "Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! ²⁵It is easier for a camel

to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.”
²⁶They were greatly astounded and said to one another, “Then who can be saved?” ²⁷Jesus looked at them and said, “For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible.”

²⁸Peter began to say to him, “Look, we have left everything and followed you.” ²⁹Jesus said, “Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, ³⁰who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age—houses, brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields, with persecutions—and in the age to come eternal life. ³¹But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first.”

P: The Gospel of the Lord **C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON: Pastor Julie Rogness

HYMN

Gather Us In

vss. 1 & 3

ELW #532

- 1 **Here in this place the new light is streaming,
now is the darkness vanished away;
see in this space our fears and our dreamings
brought here to you in the light of this day.
Gather us in, the lost and forsaken,
gather us in, the blind and the lame;
call to us now, and we shall awaken,
we shall arise at the sound of our name.**

- 2 **Here we will take the wine and the water,
here we will take the bread of new birth,
here you shall call your sons and your daughters,
call us anew to be salt for the earth.
Give us to drink the wine of compassion,
give us to eat the bread that is you;
nourish us well, and teach us to fashion
lives that are holy and hearts that are true.**

APOSTLES 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.

SHARING THE PEACE & GLOBE OFFERING

*Children are invited to bring forward an offering to the globe in the front of the church.
Globe offerings will go to one of our global mission partners to be decided by our youth.*

OFFERING OF GIFTS & OFFERING PRAYER

- P. God of abundance,
C. **you cause streams to break forth in the desert
and manna to rain from the heavens.
Accept the gifts you have first given us.
Unite them with the offering of our lives
to nourish the world you love so dearly;
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
Amen.**

PRAYERS

WORDS OF INSTITUTION — LORD'S PRAYER – COMMUNION

DISTRIBUTION HYMN *As the Grains of Wheat*

ELW # 465

REFRAIN **As the grains of wheat once scattered on the hill
were gathered into one to become our bread;
so may all your people from all the ends of earth
be gathered into one in you.**

1 **As this cup of blessing is shared within our midst,
may we share the presence of your love.**

REFRAIN

2 **Let this be a foretaste of all that is to come
when all creation shares this feast with you.**

REFRAIN

COMMUNION BLESSING

BLESSING

- P: People of God,
you are Christ's body,
bringing new life to a suffering world.
The holy Trinity, ☩ one God,
bless you now and forever.
- C: Amen.**

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CALENDAR

Sun/Oct 10	9 am	WORSHIP: <i>Now the Feast & Celebration</i> – In-Person & Live-Streamed
	10 am	Sunday School
	---	(No Open House for Helen)
	7 pm	AA
Mon/Oct 11	1:30 pm	Literary Guild
Tue/Oct 12	9 am	KW Kares
	6:30 pm	Worship & Evangelism
Wed/Oct 13	6 pm	WED WORSHIP - INDOORS
	6:30 pm	9th Confirmation (stoles)
Thu/Oct 14	1:00 pm	LOVE DAY
	6 pm	EdYou
	6:30 pm	Stewardship
	6:30 pm	Scouts
	7 pm	AA
Sun/Oct 17	9 am	WORSHIP: <i>ELW Setting 4</i> – In-Person & Live-Streamed
	10-12 am	Coffee Time Celebration of Life for Bev Nesseth

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BLESSED ARE THE POOR IN SPIRIT
FOR THEIRS IS THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN
Matthew 5:3