***PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH***

*Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs. (A brief silence)*

*Lord Jesus Christ, you are the Good Shepherd of this congregation. We thank you for inviting us to the Sacrament of the Altar, to join in your kingdom banquet. Lead us with your Word, to come to your table to receive your body and blood for the forgiveness of our sin. Then lead us forth to do your will with glad and faithful hearts, and use us to lead many into your safe keeping. . . Lord, in your mercy,***C: Hear our prayer.**

*Gracious God, strengthen your church in its witness to the world. Make us a people who boldly and faithfully bear witness to your redeeming work in the world through your Son, Jesus Christ. Let the light of hope shine in this world’s dark corners of despair . . Lord, in your mercy,***C: Hear our prayer.**

*God of righteousness and peace, on this date fifteen years ago our nation suffered deadly attacks on our soil; planes crashed, towers fell, the nation was stunned. In these days, as scars run deep and memories hold tight to pain and devastation, bring your healing presence to bear. Help us to find hope and to work – not for vengeance – but for your divine healing and peace. . . Lord, in your mercy,***C: Hear our prayer.**

*Merciful Lord, you are at work in, among, and through us to bring about your healing and reconciling work in the world. Bless all rescue workers and first responders. Keep them safe in their endeavors. . Lord, in your mercy,***C: Hear our prayer.**

*Light of the Nations, grant that the light of your healing might shine on those living with illness, addiction, loneliness, anxiety, grief, wounds visible and hidden. We pray particularly for [NAMES] Bless them with your tender care and turn their mourning into joy. . Lord, in your mercy,* **C: Hear our prayer.**

*P: Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through you Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.***Amen.**

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**Worship - Eve of Pentecost 14 Sat, Sep 10th, 2022 - 6pm**

**Pastor: Rev Doug Hedman With One Voice**

**Pianist: MarJean Damerval Bread of Life Liturgy**

**Announcements \* indicates stand as you are able**

***Brief Order of Confession & Forgiveness*** ………………….. WOV Pg 10-11 ***P:*** *In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.*

**C: Amen.**

*P: 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 you Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.* **C: Amen.**

*P: 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,*

**C: 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.**

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*P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our 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. .* **C: Amen.**

***Hymn*** …………………..**Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling** …. WOV #734

***\*Greeting*** *……….……………………………….……………………….............…..* WOV Pg 28 ***Kyrie*** ……….……………………………………………………………….............….. WOV Pg 28 ***Hymn of Praise*** ……….……………….…………………………….............….. WOV Pg 29 ***Salutation*** ……….…………………………….……………………...............….. WOV Pg 30 ***Prayer of the Day*** *… P: Let us pray: …*

*O Lord, help your people to avoid the infection of the evil one, and with pure hearts to follow you, our only Lord. Grant this, we pray, through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.* **Amen.**

***First Lesson*** ................................... Ezekiel 34:11-24 .…. Scripture Pg 1 ***Psalm 119:169-176*** ………………. *(Read Responsively)* .. Scripture Pg 2 ***Second Lesson*** ............................... 1 Timothy 1:5-17.…. Scripture Pg 3

***\*Gospel Verse*** ……………………..…………………………**Alleluia** *……….* WOV Pg 31 ***\*Holy Gospel*** ......................................... Luke 15:1-10 .…. Scripture Pg 4 ***Sermon*** .................................................................... Pastor Doug Hedman ***Hymn of the Day*** ….…... **Savior, Like a Shepherd** ….. Reclaim #205 ***Apostles’ Creed*** ……….…………………….….………………...............….. WOV Pg 33 ***The Prayers of the Church*** ……….…...…...………………………... Bulletin Pg 4 ***Hymn*** ………….…….. **Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ** …. WOV #754 ***The Great Thanksgiving*** ……….….....……...……………………………... WOV Pg 36 ***Unending Hymn*** *……………………………..………….……………………………* WOV Pg 36

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***Eucharistic Prayer*** *………………..…………..……….…………………………* WOV Pg 37 \****Lord’s Prayer*** *…………………..……… (Traditional Version)* .…. WOV Pg 39 ***Communion Institution*** *……..………….………………………………………* WOV Pg 39 ***Table Blessing*** *……………………….………….……..……………**………………* WOV Pg 40 ***Communion Canticle*** ……………..….……**Thankful Hearts** .*.…* WOV Pg 40 ***Post Communion Prayer*** *……………………………..……….………………* WOV Pg 41 ***Sending Blessing/Benediction*** *………..………………..………………* WOV Pg 41 ***Hymn*** ……….... **Have No Fear, Little Flock** *(v.1,2,4)*….. Reclaim #202 ***Dismissal*** *……………...……………..………….……..……………….………………* WOV Pg 41

***Next Week***

After our Sat, Sep 17th worship service, treats, coffee and juice will be provided and served by Elise Patzke and Rachel Woodford in the Oasis fellowship hall.

***Calendar Items***

**Mon, Sep 12**  **Call Committee Closed Mtg** **– 6pm at Oasis**

**Wed, Sep 14 Men’s Bible Study - 11am at Oasis**

**Sat, Sep 17 Eve of Pentecost 15 Worship Service - 6pm**

**Wed, Sep 21 Men’s Bible Study - 11am at Oasis**

**and**  **Women’s Bible Study – 1pm at Church land**

**Sat, Sep 24 Pentecost 16 Worship - 6pm at Church land**

**Mon, Sep 26 Call Committee Closed Mtg – 6pm at Oasis**

**Wed, Sep 28 Men’s Bible Study - 11am at Oasis**

**Sat, Oct 1 Eve of Pentecost 17 Worship Service - 6pm**

**Wed, Oct 5 Men’s Bible Study - 11am at Oasis**

**Sat, Oct 8 Eve of Pentecost 18 Worship Service - 6pm**

**Mon, Oct 10 Call Committee Closed Mtg – 6pm at Oasis**

**Wed, Oct 12 Men’s Bible Study - 11am at Oasis**

**Fri, Oct 14 Council Meeting – 2:30pm at Oasis**

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***\*Gospel Reading: Luke 15:1-10***

*The Holy Gospel According to St Luke, the 15th Chapter*

**C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

**1***The tax collectors and sinners were all drawing near to hear Jesus.* **2***And the Pharisees and the scribes grumbled, saying, “This man receives sinners and eats with them.”* **3***So he told them this parable:* **4***“What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he has lost one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the open country, and go after the one that is lost, until he finds it?* **5***And when he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders, rejoicing.* **6***And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and his neighbors, saying to them, ‘Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost.’* **7***Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance.* **8***Or what woman, having ten silver coins, if she loses one coin, does not light a lamp and sweep the house and seek diligently until she finds it?* **9***And when she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbors, saying, ‘Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost.’* **10***Just so, I tell you, there is joy before the angels of God over one sinner who repents.”*

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

***Scripture 4 of 4***

***1st Lesson: Ezekiel 34:11-24***

**11***“For thus says the LORD God: Behold, I, I myself will search for my sheep and will seek them out.* **12***As a shepherd seeks out his flock when he is among his sheep that have been scattered, so will I seek out my sheep, and I will rescue them from all places where they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness.* **13***And I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land. And I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the ravines, and in all the inhabited places of the country.* **14***I will feed them with good pasture, and on the mountain heights of Israel shall be their grazing land. There they shall lie down in good grazing land, and on rich pasture they shall feed on the mountains of Israel.* **15***I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I myself will make them lie down, declares the LORD God.* **16***I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, and the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them in justice.* **17***As for you, my flock, thus says the LORD God: Behold, I judge between sheep and sheep, between rams and male goats.* **18***Is it not enough for you to feed on the good pasture, that you must tread down with your feet the rest of your pasture; and to drink of clear water, that you must muddy the rest of the water with your feet?* **19***And must my sheep eat what you have trodden with your feet, and drink what you have muddied with your feet?* **20***Therefore, thus says the LORD God to them: Behold, I, I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep.* **21***Because you push with side and shoulder, and thrust at all the weak with your horns, till you have scattered them abroad,* **22***I will rescue my flock; they shall no longer be a prey. And I will judge between sheep and sheep.* **23***And I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd.* **24***And I, the LORD, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them. I am the LORD; I have spoken.” . The Word of the Lord.* **Thanks be to God.**

***Scripture 1 of 4***

***Psalm 119:169-176*** *(Read Responsively)*

**169** *Let my cry come before you, O Lord;*

 **Give me understanding, according to your word.**

**170** *Let my supplication come before you;*

 **Deliver me, according to your promise.**

**171** *My lips shall pour forth your praise,*

 **When you teach me your statutes.**

**172** *My tongue shall sing of your promise,*

 **For all your commandments are righteous.**

**173** *Let your hand be ready to help me,*

 **For I have chosen your commandments.**

**174** *I long for your salvation, O Lord,*

 **And your law is my delight.**

**175** *Let me live, and I will praise you,*

 **And let your judgments help me.**

**176** *I have gone astray like a sheep that is lost;*

**Search for your servant,**

**For I do not forget your commandments.**

***Scripture 2 of 4***

***2nd Reading: 1 Timothy 1:5-17***

**5***The aim of our charge is love that issues from a pure heart and a good conscience and a sincere faith.* **6***Certain persons, by swerving from these, have wandered away into vain discussion,* **7***desiring to be teachers of the law, without understanding either what they are saying or the things about which they make confident assertions.* **8***Now we know that the law is good, if one uses it lawfully,* **9***understanding this, that the law is not laid down for the just but for the lawless and disobedient, for the ungodly and sinners, for the unholy and profane, for those who strike their fathers and mothers, for murderers,* **10***the sexually immoral, men who practice homosexuality, enslavers, liars, perjurers, and whatever else is contrary to sound doctrine,* **11***in accordance with the gospel of the glory of the blessed God with which I have been entrusted.* **12***I thank him who has given me strength, Christ Jesus our Lord, because he judged me faithful, appointing me to his service,* **13***though formerly I was a blasphemer, persecutor, and insolent opponent. But I received mercy because I had acted ignorantly in unbelief,* **14***and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus.* **15***The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the foremost.* **16***But I received mercy for this reason, that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display his perfect patience as an example to those who were to believe in him for eternal life.* **17***To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever.*

*The Word of the Lord.* **Thanks be to God.**

***Scripture 3 of 4***

*\*****Communion Canticle: Thankful Hearts***

**Thank-ful Hearts and Voic-es Raise,**

**Tell Ev-‘ry-one What God Has Done.**

**Let All Who Seek the Lord Re-joice**

**And Bear Christ’s Ho-ly Name**

**Send us With Your Prom-is-es,**

**O God And Lead us Forth in Joy**

**With Shouts of Thanks-giv-ing. Al-le-lu-ia.**

***Sending Hymn: Have No Fear, Little Flock***

*Verse 1*

**Have No Fear, Lit-tle Flock. Have No Fear, Lit-tle Flock.**

 **For the Fa-ther Has Cho-sen To Give You the King-dom.**

 **Have No Fear, Lit-tle Flock.**

*Verse 2*

**Have Good Cheer, Lit-tle Flock. Have Good Cheer, Lit-tle Flock.**

 **For The Father Will Keep You In His Love For-ev-er.**

 **Have Good Cheer, Lit-tle Flock.**

*Verse 4*

**Thank-ful Hearts Raise to God. Thank-ful Hearts Raise to God.**

 **For He Stays Close Be-side You, In All Things Works With You.**

 **Thank-ful Hearts Raise to God.**

***Hymns 4 of 4***

**Gathering Hymn: Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling**

*Verse 1*

**Soft-ly and Ten-der-ly Je-sus is Call-ing,**

**Call-ing for You and for Me.**

**See, on the Por-tals He’s Wait-ing and Watch-ing**

**Watch-ing for You and for Me**

***Chorus***

**Come Home, Come Home.**

**You Who Are Wea-ry, Come Home.**

**Ear-nest-ly, Ten-der-ly, Je-sus is Call-ing,**

**Call-ing, O Sin-ner, Come Home.**

*Verse 2*

**Why Should We Tar-ry When Je-sus is Plead-ing**

**Plead-ing for You and for Me?**

**Why Should We Lin-ger and Heed Not His Mer-cies**

**Mer-cies for You and for Me?**

*Chorus*

**Come Home, Come Home.**

**You Who Are Wea-ry, Come Home.**

**Ear-nest-ly, Ten-der-ly, Je-sus is Call-ing,**

**Call-ing, O Sin-ner, Come Home.**

*Verse 3*

**Oh, For the Won-der-ful Love He Has Prom-ised**

**Prom-ised for You and for Me.**

**Though We Have Sinned, He Has Mer-cy and Par-don**

**Par-don for You and for Me.**

*Chorus*

**Come Home, Come Home.**

**You Who Are Wea-ry, Come Home.**

**Ear-nest-ly, Ten-der-ly, Je-sus is Call-ing,**

**Call-ing, O Sin-ner, Come Home.**

***Hymns 1 of 4***

***Hymn of the Day: Savior, Like a Shepherd***

*Verse 1*

**Sav-ior, Like a Shep-herd Lead us,**

**Much We Need Thy Ten-der Care.**

**In Thy Pleas-ant Pas-tures Feed us,**

**For Our Use Thy Folds Pre-pare.**

**Bless-ed Je-sus, Bless-ed Je-sus,**

**Thou Hast Bought Us, Thine We Are.**

**Bless-ed Je-sus, Bless-ed Je-sus,**

**Thou Hast Bought Us, Thine We Are.**

*Verse 2*

**We Are Thine, Do Thou Be-friend us,**

**Be the Guar-dian of Our Way.**

**Keep Thy Flock, From Sin De-fend us,**

**Seek us When We Go A-stray.**

**Bless-ed Je-sus, Bless-ed Je-sus,**

**Hear Thy Chil-dren When They Pray.**

**Bless-ed Je-sus, Bless-ed Je-sus,**

**Hear Thy Chil-dren When They Pray.**

*Verse 3*

**Thou Hast Prom-ised to Re-ceive us,**

**Poor and Sin-ful Though We Be.**

**Thou Hast Mer-cy to Re-lieve us,**

**Grace to Cleanse, and Pow'r to Free.**

**Bless-ed Je-sus, Bless-ed Je-sus,**

**Ear-ly Let us Turn to Thee.**

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**Ear-ly Let us Turn to Thee.**

*Verse 4*

**Ear-ly Let us Seek Thy Favor,**

**Ear-ly Let us Do Thy Will.**

**Bless-ed Lord and On-ly Sav-ior,**

**With Thy Love Our Bos-oms Fill.**

**Bless-ed Je-sus, Bless-ed Je-sus,**

**Thou Hast Loved us, Love us Still.**

**Bless-ed Je-sus, Bless-ed Je-sus,**

**Thou Hast Loved us, Love us Still.**

***Hymns 2 of 4***

***Communion Hymn: Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ***

*Verse 1*

**Let us Tal-ents and Tongues Em-ploy,**

**Reach-ing Out With a Shout of Joy.**

**Bread is Bro-ken, the Wine is Poured,**

**Christ is Spo-ken and Seen and Heard.**

**Je-sus Lives A-gain, Earth Can Breathe A-gain,**

**Pass the Word A-round, Loaves A-bound.**

**Je-sus Lives A-gain, Earth Can Breathe A-gain,**

**Pass the Word A-round, Loaves A-bound.**

*Verse 2*

**Christ is A-ble to Make us One.**

**At the Ta-ble He Sets the Tone,**

**Teach-ing Peo-ple to Live to Bless,**

**Love in Word and in Deed Ex-press.**

**Je-sus Lives A-gain, Earth Can Breathe A-gain,**

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*Verse 3*

**Je-sus Calls us in, Sends us Out**

**Bear-ing Fruit in a World of Doubt,**

**Gives Us Love to Tell, Bread to Share.**

**God, Em-man-u-el Ev-‘rywhere.**

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