**SALT Sunday**

## Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

## ~ June 30, 2024 ~

**Gathering**

 **Prelude**

 **Welcome & Announcements**

**\* Confession & Forgiveness** WOV pg. 10

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

 ***C: Amen.***

P: God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

 ***C: Amen.***

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

 P: Gracious God,

***C: have mercy on us. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone. Uphold us by your Spirit so that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.***

P: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins, through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

 ***C: Amen.***

***\** Entrance Hymn *“Jesus Loves Me”*** ELW #595

Vs. 1 Jesus loves me! this I know, for the Bible tells me so;
 little ones to him belong, they are weak, but he is strong.

***Refrain: Yes, Jesus loves me, yes, Jesus loves me,
 yes, Jesus loves me, the Bible tells me so.***

Vs. 2 Jesus loves me! he who died heaven's gates to open wide;
 he will wash away my sin, let his little child come in. ***Refrain***

Vs. 3 Jesus loves me! he will stay close beside me all the way;
 when at last I come to die, he will take me home on high. ***Refrain***

***Refrain: Yes, Jesus loves me, yes, Jesus loves me,
 yes, Jesus loves me, the Bible tells me so.***

 **Greeting** *WOV pg. 28*

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.***

**\* Kyrie***WOV pg. 28*

 P: Kyrie eleison:

 ***C: Lord, have mercy.***

 P: Christe eleison:

 ***C: Christ, have mercy.***

 P: Kyrie eleison:

 ***C: Lord, have mercy.***

**\* Hymn of Praise** *WOV pg.29*

 Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest;

 Glory to God, glory to God, and peace to God’s people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father, we worship you we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

 Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest;

 Glory to God, glory to God, and peace to God’s people on earth.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father; receive our prayer.

 Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest;

 Glory to God, glory to God, and peace to God’s people on earth.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone

are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

 Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest;

 Glory to God, glory to God, and peace to God’s people on earth,

 And peace to God’s people on earth.

**\* Prayer of the Day**

 P: Almighty and merciful God,

***C:*** ***we implore you to hear the prayers of your people. Be our strong defense against all harm and anger, that we may live and grow in faith and hope, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.***

**Word**

**First Reading: Lamentations 3:22-33**

**22**The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases, his mercies never come to an end; **23**they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.
**24**“The Lord is my portion,” says my soul, “therefore I will hope in him.”

**25**The Lord is good to those who wait for him, to the soul that seeks him.
**26**It is good that one should wait quietly for the salvation of the Lord. **27**It is good for one to bear the yoke in youth, **28**to sit alone in silence when the Lord has imposed it, **29**to put one’s mouth to the dust there may yet be hope, **30**to give one’s cheek to the smiter and be filled with insults. **31**For the Lord will not reject forever. **32**Although he causes grief, he will have compassion according to the abundance of his steadfast love; **33**for he does not willingly afflict or grieve anyone.

**Psalm 30**

**1**I will extol you, O Lord, for you have drawn me up and did not let my foes rejoice over me.
**2O Lord my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me.
3**O Lord, you brought up my soul from Sheol, restored me to life from among those gone down to the Pit.

**4Sing praises to the Lord, O you his faithful ones, and give thanks to his holy name.****5**For his anger is but for a moment; his favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

**6As for me, I said in my prosperity, “I shall never be moved.”
7**By your favor, O Lord, you had established me as a strong mountain;
you hid your face; I was dismayed.

**8To you, O Lord, I cried, and to the Lord I made supplication:
9**“What profit is there in my death, if I go down to the Pit? Will the dust praise you? Will it tell of your faithfulness?
**10Hear, O Lord, and be gracious to me! O Lord, be my helper!”**

**11**You have turned my mourning into dancing; you have taken off my sackcloth and clothed me with joy,
**12so that my soul may praise you and not be silent. O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever.**

**Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 8:7-15**

**7**Now as you excel in everything—in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in utmost eagerness, and in our love for you—so we want you to excel also in this generous undertaking. **8**I do not say this as a command, but I am, by mentioning the eagerness of others, testing the genuineness of your love. **9**For you know the generous act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich. **10**And in this matter I am giving my opinion: it is beneficial for you who began last year not only to do something but even to desire to do something. **11**Now finish doing it, so that your eagerness may be matched by completing it according to your means. **12**For if the eagerness is there, the gift is acceptable according to what one has, not according to what one does not have. **13**For I do not mean that there should be relief for others and hardship for you, but it is a question of equality between **14**your present abundance and their need, so that their abundance may also supply your need, in order that there may be equality. **15**As it is written, “The one who had much did not have too much, and the one who had little did not have too little.”

**\* Gospel Acclamation** *WOV pg. 31*

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia. Alleluia, alleluia.

**\* Gospel: Mark 5:21-43**

**21**When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered around him, and he was by the sea. **22**Then one of the leaders of the synagogue, named Jairus, came and, when he saw him, fell at his feet **23**and pleaded with him repeatedly, “My little daughter is at the point of death. Come and lay your hands on her, so that she may be made well and live.” **24**So he went with him.

And a large crowd followed him and pressed in on him. **25**Now there was a woman who had been suffering from a flow of blood for twelve years. **26**She had endured much under many physicians and had spent all that she had, and she was no better but rather grew worse. **27**She had heard about Jesus and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak, **28**for she said, “If I but touch his cloak, I will be made well.”

**29**Immediately her flow of blood stopped, and she felt in her body that she was healed of her disease. **30**Immediately aware that power had gone forth from him, Jesus turned about in the crowd and said, “Who touched my cloak?” **31**And his disciples said to him, “You see the crowd pressing in on you; how can you say, ‘Who touched me?’” **32**He looked all around to see who had done it. **33**But the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling, fell down before him, and told him the whole truth. **34**He said to her, “Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease.”

**35**While he was still speaking, some people came from the synagogue leader’s house to say, “Your daughter is dead. Why trouble the teacher any further?” **36**But overhearing what they said, Jesus said to the synagogue leader, “Do not be afraid; only believe.” **37**He allowed no one to follow him except Peter, James, and John, the brother of James. **38**When they came to the synagogue leader’s house, he saw a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. **39**When he had entered, he said to them, “Why do you make a commotion and weep? The child is not dead but sleeping.” **40**And they laughed at him. Then he put them all outside and took the child’s father and mother and those who were with him and went in where the child was. **41**Taking her by the hand, he said to her, “Talitha cum,” which means, “Little girl, get up!” **42**And immediately the girl stood up and began to walk about (she was twelve years of age). At this they were overcome with amazement. **43**He strictly ordered them that no one should know this and told them to give her something to eat.

**Sermon**

 **Hymn of the Day “This Little Light of Mine”** ELW #677

Vs. 1 This little light of mine, I'm goin'a let it shine;
 this little light of mine, I'm goin'a let it shine;
 this little light of mine, I'm goin'a let it shine;
 let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Vs. 2 Ev'rywhere I go, I'm goina'a let it shine;
 ev'rywhere I go, I'm goin'a let it shine;
 ev'rywhere I go, I'm goin'a let it shine;
 let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Vs. 3 Jesus gave it to me, I'm goin'a let it shine;
 Jesus gave it to me, I'm goin'a let it shine;
 Jesus gave it to me, I'm goin'a let it shine;
 let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

\* **Apostles’ Creed** *WOV pg. 33* 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 bur ied; he descended into hell.

 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.

**\* The Prayers**

  ***Lord, listen to your children praying,*** *WOV #775*

***Lord, send your Spirit in this place;***

***Lord, listen to your children praying,***

***Send us love, send us pow’r, send us grace.***

One in the communion of saints and in the power of the Holy Spirit, we join our voices in prayer

God of abundance, you fill your church with a multitude of gifts. Sustain those among us who feel they are not valued. Open our hearts to the wondrous breadth of all who call upon your name. In your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

God of creation, your goodness abounds. Multiply the fruits of the earth and rescue it from our wastefulness. In your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

God of justice, you reign in steadfast love. Bring peace between nations ravaged by war or strife and illumine paths of justice and freedom for those who lead them. In your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

God of compassion, your touch bring healing and your word revives us for life. Hear our prayers for all in need especially

and all who care for them. Turn wailing into dancing and weeping into joy. In your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

God of community, you gather us at your table of plenty. Where there is hunger among us, open our hands. Where we are indifferent to the needs of others, open our hearts. In your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

God of ages, great is your faithfulness. We remember in thanksgiving our beloved dead (especially) who with all the saints sing without ceasing in your realm of glory. In your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Holy God, into your outstretched arms we commend ourselves and all for whom we pray, trusting in the one who is the way, the truth, and the life, Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

 ***Lord, listen to your children praying,***

***Lord, send your Spirit in this place;***

***Lord, listen to your children praying,***

***Send us love, send us pow’r, send us grace.***

**Meal**

 **Peace**

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

 ***C: And also with you.***

**\* Offering *“Let the vineyards”*** *WOV pg. 35*

Let the vineyards be fruitful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of

 blessing. Gather a harvest from the seeds that were sown,

 that we may be fed with the bread of life.

 Gather the hopes and dreams of all; unite them with the prayers we

 offer now. Grace our table with your presence, Lord,

 and give us a foretaste of the feast to come.

**\* Offering Prayer**

P: Merciful God,

***C: we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given to us – our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.***

**\* Great Thanksgiving** *WOV pg. 36*P: The Lord be with you.

 ***C: And also with you.***

 P: Lift up your hearts.

 ***C: We lift them to the Lord.***

 P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

 ***C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.***

**\* Words of Institution** *WOV pg. 36*

 P: 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.

Remembering, therefore, his death, resurrection and ascension, we await his coming in glory.

***C: Amen.***

**\* Lord’s Prayer** *WOV pg. 39*

***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.***

 **Communion Distribution**

**\*Communion Blessing**

 P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep

 you in his grace.

 ***C: Amen.***

**\* Canticle** *WOV Pg. 40*

Thankful hearts and voices raise; tell every-

one what God has done. Let all who seek the

Lord rejoice and bear Christ’s holy name.

Send us with your promises, O God,

and lead us forth in joy with shouts

Of thanksgiving. Alleluia.

**\* Prayer** WOV Pg. 41

P:Let us pray. Almighty God, you provide the true bread from heaven, your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant that we who have received the Sacrament of his body and blood may abide in him and he in us, that we may be filled with the power of his endless life, now and forever.

***C: Amen.***

 **Sending**

**\* Blessing** WOV Pg. 41

 P: Almighty God, Father + Son and Holy Spirit bless you now and forever.

 **C: Amen.**

**\* Sending Hymn “If You’re Happy and You Know It”**

If you're [happy](https://www.definitions.net/definition/happy) and you know it,

Clap your hands,

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Clap your hands

If you're [happy](https://www.definitions.net/definition/happy) and you know it,

Then your face will [surely](https://www.definitions.net/definition/surely) show it,

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Do all three, Amen!

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Do all three, Amen!

**\* Dismissal**

 L: Go in peace. Love your neighbor.

 ***C: We will! Thanks be to God!***