

The **Worship Folder** for the  
weekly rebroadcast of our  
**TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE**  
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will be the service used for  
our rebroadcast on:

Sunday, Sept. 7th

Tune in and sing / pray along  
every Sunday morning @ 8:00 am

God's Blessings!



### *Welcome and Opening Hymn*

#### **"Son of God, Eternal Savior"**

[LSB #842....vs. 1 thru 3]

1. Son of God, Eternal Savior Source of life and truth and grace,  
Word made flesh, whose birth among us Hallows all our human race,  
You our Head, who, throned in glory,  
For Your own will ever plead:  
Fill us with Your love and pity,  
Heal our wrongs, and help our need.
2. As You, Lord, have lived for others, So may we for others live.  
Freely have Your gifts been granted; Freely may Your servants give.  
Yours the gold and Yours the silver,  
Yours the wealth of land and sea;  
We but stewards of Your bounty  
Held in solemn trust will be.
3. Come, O Christ, and reign among us, King of Love and Prince of Peace;  
Hush the storm of strife and passion, Bid its cruel discords cease.  
By Your patient years of toiling,  
By Your silent hours of pain,  
Quench our fevered thirst of pleasure,  
Stem our selfish greed of gain.

### *Invocation, Confession and Absolution*

(please rise)

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

C: **Amen**

P: Beloved in the Lord, Let us draw near with a true heart and confess to God our Father,  
imploing Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness...

Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer, we poor sinners confess to You that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against You by thought word and deed; therefore we flee for refuge to Your boundless mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**C:** O most merciful God, since You have given Your only begotten Son to die for us, have mercy on us and for His sake grant us forgiveness of all our sins; and by Your Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of You and of Your will and true obedience to Your Word, to the end that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen

**P:** Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy on us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe on His name He gives power to become the children of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this Lord, to us all.

**C:** Amen

### *Psalm for the Day - Psalm 131*

O LORD, my heart is not lifted up;  
my eyes are not raised too high;  
I do not occupy myself with things  
too great and too marvelous for me.  
But I have calmed and quieted my soul,  
like a weaned child with its mother;  
like a weaned child is my soul within me.  
O Israel, hope in the LORD  
from this time forth and forevermore.

**P:** This is the Word of the Lord      **C:** Thanks be to God.

### *Prayer of the Day*

*Responsive Reading / Epistle - Hebrews 13:1-17; [Cong. to read aloud on selected verses]*

**P:** Let brotherly love continue. Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for thereby some have entertained angels unawares. Remember those who are in prison, as though in prison with them, and those who are mistreated, since you also are in the body. Let marriage be held in honor among all, and let the marriage bed be undefiled, for God will judge the sexually immoral and adulterous.

Keep your life free from love of money, and be content with what you have, for he has said, "I will never leave you nor forsake you."

**C: So we can confidently say,**

**"The Lord is my helper;  
I will not fear;  
what can man do to me?"**

**Remember your leaders, those who spoke to you the word of God.  
Consider the outcome of their way of life, and imitate their faith.**

**P:** Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. Do not be led away by diverse and strange teachings, for it is good for the heart to be strengthened by grace, not by foods, which have not benefited those devoted to them. We have an altar from which those who serve the tent have no right to eat. For the bodies of those animals whose blood is brought into the holy places by the high priest as a sacrifice for sin are burned outside the camp. So Jesus also suffered outside the gate in order to sanctify the people through His own blood.

**C:** **Therefore let us go to Him outside the camp and bear the reproach He endured. For here we have no lasting city, but we seek the city that is to come. Through Him then let us continually offer up a sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of lips that acknowledge His name.**

**P:** Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God. Obey your leaders and submit to them, for they are keeping watch over your souls, as those who will have to give an account. Let them do this with joy and not with groaning, for that would be of no advantage to you.

**P:** This is the Word of the Lord

**C: Thanks be to God**

*Hymn Response* "Son of God, Eternal Savior" [LSB #842....vs. 4]

(please rise)

♪ **Son of God, eternal Savior, Source of life and truth and grace,  
Word made flesh, whose birth among us Hallows all our human race:  
By your praying, by Your willing, That Your people should be one,  
Grant, O grant our hope's fruition; Here on earth Your will be done.**

**P:** The Holy Gospel...

**C:** **Glory to You, O Lord**

*Gospel*

- Luke 14:1-11

One Sabbath, when He went to dine at the house of a ruler of the Pharisees, they were watching Him carefully. And behold, there was a man before Him who had dropsy. And Jesus responded to the lawyers and Pharisees, saying, "Is it lawful to heal on the Sabbath, or not?" But they remained silent. Then He [Jesus] took him and healed him and sent him away. And He said to them, "Which of you, having a son or an ox that has fallen into a well on a Sabbath day, will not immediately pull him out?" And they could not reply to these things.

Now He told a parable to those who were invited, when He noticed how they chose the places of honor, saying to them, "When you are invited by someone to a wedding feast, do not sit down in a place of honor, lest someone more distinguished than you be invited by him, and he who invited you both will come and say to you, 'Give your place to this person,' and then you will begin with shame to take the lowest place. But when you are invited, go and sit in the lowest place, so that when your host comes he may say to you, 'Friend, move up higher.' Then you will be honored in the presence of all who sit at table with you. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted."

**P:** This is the Gospel of the Lord

**C:** **Praise to You, O Christ.**

*Sermon Hymn*

"Lord, Help Us Walk Your Servant Way"

[LSB #857]

1. Lord, help us walk Your servant way Wherever love may lead  
And bending low, forgetting self, Each serve the other's need.
2. You came to earth, O Christ, as Lord, But pow'r You laid aside.  
You lived Your years in servanthood; In lowliness You died.
3. No golden scepter but a towel You place within the hands  
Of those who seek to follow You And live by Your commands.
4. You bid us bend our human pride Nor count ourselves above  
The lowest place, the meanest task That waits the gift of love.
5. Lord, help us walk Your servant way Wherever love may lead  
And, bending low, forgetting self, Each serve the other's need.

## **"THE LAST CHAIR ... "**

### *Receiving the Offering / Hymn Response*

**"Christ, Our Human Likeness Sharing"**

[LSB #847...vs. 1, 3 and 4]

1. Christ, our human likeness sharing, Heaven's love on earth portrayed;  
Christ the Shepherd, tending, caring, In His death our ransom paid:  
Christ the Savior, Christ the Servant,  
Be Your life in us displayed.
3. Christ, in ev'ry congregation Build Your temple, stone by stone,  
With Your Word as firm foundation For a faith matured and grown:  
Christ the Savior, Christ the Servant,  
Make in us Your Gospel known.
4. Come, O living Christ, renew us, As of old in wind and flame;  
With the Spirit's pow'r endue us, Servants of Your saving name:  
Christ the Savior, Christ the Servant,  
Christ whose kingdom we proclaim.

### *Prayer of the Church*

### *Nicene Creed*

**C: I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth  
And of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten  
of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of  
very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father,  
by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation  
came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the  
virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under  
Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day, He rose  
again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at  
the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge  
both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who  
proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son  
together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets.**

*(continues)*

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,  
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the  
resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### *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.**

### *Words of Institution / Distribution Hymns* *(please be seated)*

#### **"Lord of All Nations, Grant Me Grace"** [LSB #844]

1. Lord of all nations, grant me grace.. To love all people, every race,  
And in each person may I see... My kindred, loved, redeemed by Thee.
2. Break down the wall that would divide... Thy children, Lord, on every side.  
My neighbor's good let me pursue; Let Christian love bind warm and true.
3. Forgive me, Lord, where I have erred... By loveless act and thoughtless word.  
Make me to see the wrong I do... Will grieve my wounded Lord anew.
4. Give me Thy courage, Lord, to speak... Whenever strong oppress the weak.  
Should I myself the victim be, Help me forgive, rememb'ring Thee.
5. With Thine own love may I be filled... And by Thy Holy Spirit willed,  
That all I touch, where'er I be, May be divinely touched by Thee.

#### **"O Lord, We Praise Thee"** [LSB #617]

1. O Lord, we praise Thee, bless Thee, and adore Thee,  
In thanksgiving bow before Thee.  
Thou with Thy body and Thy blood didst nourish  
Our weak souls that they may flourish: O Lord, have mercy!  
May Thy body, Lord, born of Mary,  
That our sins and sorrows did carry,  
And Thy blood for us plead  
In all trial, fear, and need: O Lord, have mercy!

2. Thy holy body into death was given,  
Life to win for us in heaven.  
No greater love than this to Thee could bind us;  
May this feast thereof remind us! O Lord, have mercy!  
    Lord, Thy kindness did so constrain Thee  
    That Thy blood should bless and sustain me.  
    All our debt Thou hast paid;  
    Peace with God once more is made: O Lord, have mercy.
3. May God bestow on us His grace and favor  
That we follow Christ our Savior  
And live together here in love and union  
Nor despise this blest Communion! O Lord, have mercy!  
    Let not Thy good Spirit forsake us;  
    Grant that heav'nly-minded He make us;  
    Give Thy Church, Lord, to see  
    Days of peace and unity: O Lord, have mercy!

“Today Your Mercy Calls Us” [LSB #915]

1. Today Your mercy calls us To wash away our sin.  
However great our trespass, Whatever we have been,  
However long from mercy Our hearts have turned away,  
Your precious blood can wash us And make us clean today.
2. Today Your gate is open, And all who enter in  
Shall find a Father's welcome And pardon for their sin.  
The past shall be forgotten, A present joy be giv'n,  
A future grace be promised, A glorious crown in heav'n.
3. Today our Father calls us; His Holy Spirit waits;  
His blessed angels gather Around the heav'nly gates.  
No question will be asked us, How often we have come;  
Although we oft have wandered, It is our Father's home.
4. O all embracing Mercy, O ever open Door,  
What should we do without You When heart and eye run o'er?  
When all things seem against us, To drive us to despair,  
We know one gate is open, One ear will hear our prayer.

*Post Communion Prayer and Benediction*

## Closing Hymn

“Awake, My Soul, and with the Sun” [LSB #868... vs. 1, 3 thru 6]

1. Awake, my soul, and with the sun Thy daily stage of duty run;  
Shake off dull sloth and joyful rise To pay thy morning sacrifice.
  3. All praise to Thee, who safe hast kept And hast refreshed me while I slept;  
Grant, Lord, when I from death shall wake, I may of endless light partake.
  4. Lord, I my vows to Thee renew; Disperse my sins as morning dew;  
Guard my first springs of thought and will And with Thyself my spirit fill.
  5. Direct, control, suggest this day All I design or do or say  
That all my pow'rs with all their might In Thy sole glory may unite.
- (please rise) -
6. Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.