

June 30, 2024 6th Sunday after Pentecost



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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS [Leader-fine print, Congregation-Bold Print]

Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God,

the God of manna, the God of miracles, the God of mercy.

Amen.

Drawn to Christ and seeking God's abundance, let us confess our sin.

God, our provider, help us. It is hard to believe there is enough to share. We question your ways when they differ from the ways of the world in which we live. We turn to our own understanding rather than trusting in you. We take offense at your teachings and your ways. Turn us again to you. Where else can we turn? Share with us the words of eternal life and feed us for life in the world. Amen.

Beloved people of God:

in Jesus, the manna from heaven, you are fed and nourished. By Jesus, the worker of miracles, there is always more than enough. Through Jesus, the bread of life, you are shown God's mercy: you are forgiven and loved into abundant life. **Amen.**





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

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: Psalm 30 [Leader-fine print, Congregation-Bold Print]

¹I will exalt you, O LORD, because you have lifted me up and have not let my enemies triumph over me.

²O LORD my God, I cried out to you, and you restored me to health.

³You brought me up, O LORD, from the dead; you restored my life as I was going down to the grave.

⁴ Sing praise to the LORD, all you faithful; give thanks in holy remembrance.

give thanks in holy remembrance. ⁵God's wrath is short; God's favor lasts a lifetime.

- Weeping spends the night, but joy comes in the morning.
- ⁶ While I felt secure, I said,
- "I shall never be disturbed.
- ⁷ You, LORD, with your favor, made me as strong as the mountains." Then you hid your face, and I was filled with fear.
- ⁸I cried to you, O LORD;

I pleaded with my Lord, saying,

- ⁹ "What profit is there in my blood, if I go down to the pit? Will the dust praise you or declare your faithfulness?
- ¹⁰ Hear, O LORD, and have mercy upon me; O LORD, be my helper."
- ¹¹ You have turned my wailing into dancing;
- you have put off my sackcloth and clothed me with joy.
- ¹² Therefore my heart sings to you without ceasing; O LORD my God, I will give you thanks forever.

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 8:7-15

⁷Now 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 testing the genuineness of your love against the earnestness of others. 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 advice: it is appropriate 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 I do not mean that there should be relief for others and pressure on you, but it is a question of a fair balance between ¹⁴ your present abundance and their need, so that their abundance may be for your need, in order that there may be a fair balance. 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: Mark 5:21-43

²¹When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered around him; and he was by the sea. ²²Then one of the leaders of the synagogue named Jairus came and, when he saw him, fell at his feet ²³ and begged 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." ²⁴So 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 hemorrhages 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 clothes, I will be made well." ²⁹ Immediately her hemorrhage 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 clothes?" 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 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 leader of the synagogue, "Do not fear, 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 house of the leader of the synagogue, 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 He took her by the hand and said to her, "Talitha cum," which means, "Little girl, get up!" ⁴² And immediately the girl got 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

OFFERING (Offering will be received during the hymn of the day)

You can use the QR code to give online



OFFERTORY PRAYER (In unison)

Heavenly Father, you have given us riches beyond measure. Bless our offerings and help us to use them wisely in your service and for your glory. Amen.





I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again 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 LORD'S PRAYER (In Unison)
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.



The blessing of God, who provides for us, feeds us, and journeys with us, be upon you now and forever. **Amen.**



My Lord of Light

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Go in peace. You are the body of Christ. Thanks be to God.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE PARISH

June 30th - 8:45 am Worship at Little Bethany 9:00 am Coffee Hour 10:00 am Worship at New Life

July 1st - 9:00 am Tai Ji Quan

July 7th - 8:45 am Worship at Little Bethany 9:00 am Coffee Hour 10:00 am Worship at New Life

Office Hours

Office Closed July 1st - July 12th

July 16th - 18th 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

July 22nd - 24th 10:00 am - 2:00 pm



LORD, What Were You Thinking?

A Study of Various and Sometimes Puzzling Biblical Personalities and Events

> Thursday Evenings at 5:30 pm At New Life Lutheran Church

> > June 20 & 27 July 11, 18, & 25 August 1, 22, & 29

Free Brats and Lemonade The rest of the menu is what you choose to bring!

Come, eat, and explore the Bible with us!

If you have a group that would like to meet at another time/place, Pastor Randy would be glad to work with you on that! For more info call Pastor Randy (701) 238-1863

PLEASE JOIN US FOR BREAKFAST

Annual Rothsay Prairie Days Breakfast

New Life Lutheran Church Fellowship hall

Saturday, July 13th 8:00 am - 9:30 am

We will be serving Breakfast Sandwiches (English muffin/egg/cheese/sausage), hashbrowns, homemade caramel rolls, & Juice/Coffee/Milk **To Go Meals will also be available**



Sunday, July 14th Hosted by Rothsay Baptist Church and New Life Lutheran Church Bring a lawn chair and join us at the American Legion Park Shelter (East Park)

9:00am Coffee & Fellowship 10:00am Community Worship Service

