

THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

60th Anniversary: "Praise – Love – Share"

BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH, TEMPE

June 6, 2021

10:00 a.m.



God's Goal: Family

AS WE GATHER

As the family is the shape of our lives on earth, so is family God's design for eternity. When Adam and Eve succumbed to Satan's lies and were lost to God, He was relentless in working to restore them and their children. He delivered up His own Son to rescue and redeem us and make us His children once again. God's family is all those who are bound by blood—the blood of Christ—and who have been born anew, adopted, and marked as His own. Satan's claim on us is paid in Christ so that we might be free to be the children of God, to call God Father, and to know and trust in His gifts, grace, and promises. This is our identity today by Baptism and faith, and this is our future in everlasting life.

PRELUDE "In the Quiet Consecration" -Setting David Cherwein

PASTORAL WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER

Pastor: Heavenly Father, we praise you for the glory that awaits all who trust in you and in your son, Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. By your grace, may we face the afflictions and difficulties of this life with the same eternal perspective, godly grace, patient endurance, and unspeakable joy, that we see present in St. Paul today in our reading from 2nd Corinthians. Help us not to look at the circumstances of life with dread and fear, but rather, help us to view them as part of the eternal tapestry of life that You are weaving together for our good. We look forward with joy to the limitless glories that You have prepared for those that love You, no matter what difficulties and dangers we may be called upon to face in this world. In Jesus' name, AMEN.

OPENING HYMN "Voices Raised to You We Offer" LSB #795

- 1 Voices raised to You we offer; Tune them, God, for songs of praise. Hearts and hands we bring in tribute For Your gifts through all our days. Alleluia! Alleluia! Triune God, to You we sing!**
- 2 All creation joins to praise You; Earth and sky Your works display. Art and music, gifts You lend us, We return to You today. Alleluia! Alleluia! God, Creator, source of life!**
- 3 Christ, the song of Love incarnate, Touching earth with heaven's grace, For Your living, suff'ring, dying, For Your rising, hear our praise! Alleluia! Alleluia! Christ, Redeemer, Lord of life!**

- 4 **Spirit, flaming through creation, Kindle faith within each heart. Lift our voices high in chorus; Through our hands Your love impart. Alleluia! Alleluia! Spirit, Helper, breath of life!**
- 5 **How can any praise we offer Measure all the thanks we owe? Take our hearts and hands and voices—Gifts of love we can bestow. Alleluia! Alleluia! Triune God, to You we sing!**

Stand

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their baptism.

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 our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C who made heaven and earth.

P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

C and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

P O almighty God, merciful Father,

C I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father

and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

Be Seated

SERVICE OF THE WORD

INTROIT *(Read responsively)*

Ps. 28:7–9; antiphon: Ps. 28:6

Blessèd be the LORD!

for he has heard the voice of my pleas for mercy.

The LORD is my strength and my shield; in him my heart trusts,
and I am helped;

**my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to
him.**

The LORD is the strength of his people;

he is the saving refuge of his anointed.

Oh, save your people and bless your heritage!

Be their shepherd and carry them forever.

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning,**

is now, and will be forever. Amen.

Blessèd be the LORD!

for he has heard the voice of my pleas for mercy.

GLORIA PATRI *(Sing)*

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C **Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world
without end. Amen.**

KYRIE *(Sing)*

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C **Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.**

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS *(Sing)*

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P **Glory be to God on High,**

C and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.
We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee. we glorify
Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.
O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.
O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have
mercy upon us.
For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.
Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Stand

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray.

Almighty and eternal God, Your Son Jesus triumphed over the prince of demons and freed us from bondage to sin. Help us to stand firm against every assault of Satan, and enable us always to do Your will; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Be Seated

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Genesis 3:8-15

⁸And they heard the sound of the LORD God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God among the trees of the garden. ⁹But the LORD God called to the man and said to him, "Where are you?" ¹⁰And he said, "I heard the sound of you in the garden, and I was afraid,

because I was naked, and I hid myself.” ¹¹He said, “Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten of the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?” ¹²The man said, “The woman whom you gave to be with me, she gave me fruit of the tree, and I ate.” ¹³Then the LORD God said to the woman, “What is this that you have done?” The woman said, “The serpent deceived me, and I ate.”

¹⁴The LORD God said to the serpent,

“Because you have done this, cursed are you above all livestock and above all beasts of the field; on your belly you shall go, and dust you shall eat all the days of your life.

¹⁵I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and her offspring; he shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise his heel.”

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE READING

2 Corinthians 4:13—5:1

¹³Since we have the same spirit of faith according to what has been written, “I believed, and so I spoke,” we also believe, and so we also speak, ¹⁴knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus and bring us with you into his presence. ¹⁵For it is all for your sake, so that as grace extends to more and more people it may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

¹⁶So we do not lose heart. Though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. ¹⁷For this slight momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, ¹⁸as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal.

¹For we know that if the tent, which is our earthly home, is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

SPECIAL MUSIC "How Can I Keep from Singing" by Robert Lowry

Stand

ALLELUIA AND VERSE *(Sing)*

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C Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 3:20–35

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the third chapter.

C Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

²⁰Then [Jesus] went home, and the crowd gathered again, so that they could not even eat. ²¹And when his family heard it, they went out to seize him, for they were saying, "He is out of his mind."

²²And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem were saying, "He is possessed by Beelzebul," and "by the prince of demons he casts out the demons." ²³And he called them to him and said to them in parables, "How can Satan cast out Satan? ²⁴ If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. ²⁵ And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. ²⁶ And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but is coming to an end. ²⁷ But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his goods, unless he first binds the strong man. Then indeed he may plunder his house.

²⁸"Truly, I say to you, all sins will be forgiven the children of man, and whatever blasphemies they utter, ²⁹ but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit never has forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin" — ³⁰for they had said, "He has an unclean spirit."

³¹And his mother and his brothers came, and standing outside they sent to him and called him. ³²And a crowd was sitting around him, and they said to him, "Your mother and your brothers are

outside, seeking you.”³³ And he answered them, “Who are my mother and my brothers?”³⁴ And looking about at those who sat around him, he said, “Here are my mother and my brothers!”³⁵ Whoever does the will of God, he is my brother and sister and mother.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

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. 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.

Be Seated

HYMN OF THE DAY

“Lead Me, Guide Me” LSB #721

Refrain

**Lead me, guide me, along the way; For if You lead me, I cannot stray. Lord, let me walk each day with Thee.
Lead me, O Lord, lead me.**

- 1 I am weak and I need Thy strength and pow'r To help me over my weakest hour. Help me through the darkness Thy face to see. Lead me, O Lord, lead me. Refrain**
- 2 Help me tread in the paths of righteousness, Be my aid when Satan and sin oppress. I am putting all my trust in Thee. Lead me, O Lord, lead me. Refrain**
- 3 I am lost if You take Your hand from me, I am blind without Thy light to see. Lord, always let me Thy servant be. Lead me, O Lord, lead me. Refrain**

SERMON **"I believe, and so I spoke"** *2 Corinthians 4:13—5:1*

VOLUNTARY **"All the Earth With Joy is Sounding"**

Stand

OFFERTORY (*Stand & Sing*) **Pages 192-193**

C Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH (*Stand*) (*Congregation response to petitions: Hear our prayer.*)

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

PREFACE

P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spirit.

P Lift up your hearts.

C We lift them up unto the Lord.

P Let us give thanks unto the Lord our God.

C It is meet and right so to do.

P It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:

SANCTUS (*Sing*)

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C Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth adored; Heav'n and earth with full acclaim shout the glory of Your name. Sing hosanna in the highest, sing hosanna to the Lord; Truly blest is He who comes in the name of the Lord.

LORD'S PRAYER (*Spoken*)

C 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 WORDS OF OUR LORD

PAX DOMINI

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P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C Amen.

AGNUS DEI (*Sing*)

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C O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the

world, have mercy upon us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen. (Sit)

Be Seated

DISTRIBUTION

1 (*Piano solo*) "I Am the Resurrection"

2 "Lord Jesus, Think on Me" LSB #610

- 1 **Lord Jesus, think on me And purge away my sin;
From worldly passions set me free And make me pure within.**
- 2 **Lord Jesus, think on me, By anxious thoughts oppressed;
Let me Your loving servant be And taste Your promised rest.**
- 3 **Lord Jesus, think on me Amid the battle's strife;
In all my pain and misery, O be my health and life!**
- 4 **Lord Jesus, think on me Nor let me go astray;
Through darkness and perplexity Point out Your chosen way.**
- 5 **Lord Jesus, think on me That, when this life is past,
I may the eternal brightness see And share Your joy at last.**

3 "Seek Ye First" LSB #712

**Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness.
And all these things shall be added unto you! Allelu,
Alleluia!**

**Ask and it shall be given unto you, seek and ye shall find,
Knock and the door shall be opened unto you. Allelu,
Alleluia!**

**Man does not live by bread alone, but by ev'ry word That
proceeds from the mouth of the Lord, Allelu, Alleluia!**

Stand

NUNC DIMITTIS (*Sing*)

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C Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people, a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

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P Let us pray.

P We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

SALUTATION AND BENEDICAMUS

P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spirit.

P Bless we the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and † give you peace.

C Amen, amen, amen.

Be seated

CLOSING HYMN "Go My Children, with My Blessing " LSB #922

- 1 Go, My children, with My blessing, Never alone.
Waking, sleeping, I am with you; You are My own.
In My love's baptismal river I have made you Mine forever.
Go, My children, with My blessing—You are My own.**
- 2 Go, My children, sins forgiven, At peace and pure.
Here you learned how much I love you, What I can cure.
Here you heard My dear Son's story; Here you touched Him,
saw His glory. Go, My children, sins forgiven, At peace and
pure.**
- 3 Go, My children, fed and nourished, Closer to Me;
Grow in love and love by serving, Joyful and free.
Here My Spirit's power filled you; Here His tender comfort
stilled you. Go, My children, fed and nourished, Joyful and
free.**
- 4 I the Lord will bless and keep you And give you peace;
I the Lord will smile upon you And give you peace:
I the Lord will be your Father, Savior, Comforter, and Brother.
Go, My children; I will keep you And give you peace.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**June Birthday: Anniversary Fellowship Sunday next Sunday
after worship!**

**Vitalant Blood Drive: Sunday June 13th from 11AM-3PM. Sign
up here at Church or by calling the church office.**

New Sunday Bible Study: "The Book of Acts" Sundays from 8:30-9:30am in fellowship hall.

New Midweek Bible Study: "Psalms & Sandwiches" This group will meet the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the Month at 12:30 for Lunch with Pastor and to go through the book of Psalms. We will meet for the first time on June 9th at 12:30pm at Munch-A-Lunch (Across the street from Church on Priest).

"The **Stewardship Committee** would like to make you aware that **June is the month for collecting money for the Justa Center**, the ministry to homeless seniors. You have the entire month of June to make your contribution. Just **use your Designated Funds envelope and write, "Justa Center"** on it with your offering inside."

POSTLUDE

"O Worship the King" -Lani Smith

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SERVING US AT WORSHIP TODAY:

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Andrew Grant

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Marsha Beetham

Acolyte:

Joe Carlin

Altar Care:

Pat Carlin

Visitors, please sign (with a complete address) our **Guest Book** on the podium in the entryway before you leave and/or complete a **grey/cream “Worship Information” card** found in the pew in front of you. **Members** are also encouraged to complete a “Worship Information” card (you can update address and phone number, request a pastoral visit).

Pastor Tim Anderson is available to you for pastoral and spiritual needs (prayer support, hospital calls, counseling, private communion, etc). He can be reached at the office Monday & Wednesday, 9 AM – 2 PM.

WE CAN ASSIST THOSE UNABLE TO HEAR WELL...We have 3 cordless headsets available to use in the pews. Just let an usher know and they will be happy to bring you one.

Attendance for 5-30-21: Bible Study—7; Worship Service—30; Income report for 5-30-21: Loose Plate \$30; Weekly Envelopes \$1207; Designated Gifts \$416.69; Other \$; Total \$1653.69.

THIS WEEK AT BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR

June 6, Sunday

8:30 AM Adult Bible Study

9:30 AM Choir Rehearsal

10 AM The Second Sunday after Pentecost Worship – w/Holy Communion Worship (*Also, being streamed on Facebook online*)

11:30 am Board of Christian Education Meeting

Planet Green – Electronic Recycle Day

June 7, Monday & Wednesday June 9

9 AM-2 PM Pastor Anderson in the office

June 11, Friday

9 -11 AM Church & Offices cleaned

June 13, Sunday

8:30 AM Adult Bible Study in Fuerbringer Hall

10 AM The Third Sunday after Pentecost Worship – Casual Sunday

11AM-3PM. Vitalant Blood Drive here at Church

Prayer list: For Continuing recovery for **Maebell Beard, Rev. Friedrich, Glenn Brown, Doris Reith, , Tina Davis** for strength and healing of medical issues; Strength and peace for **Gerri Koski, Tim Jackson and Amina Kruck. Marie,**

FOR AT HOME WORSHIPERS WHO STILL VIEW SERVICES ONLINE INSTRUCTIONS ARE BELOW:

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE YOU CAN GO ONLINE & VIEW AT

- 1) Open a webpage browser (internet explorer, chrome, Firefox, etc.)**
- 2) Type or paste the following link into your address bar:
www.facebook.com/BeautifulSaviorLutheranChurchTempe/**
- 3) Option 1 - Scroll until you find a post that shows a “Live” feed titled for the Sunday service, or**
- 4) Option 2 - Click on the “Videos” button on the left-hand sidebar (ignore anything asking you to sign up or sign in to Facebook)**
- 5) Look for the video titled for the date of the Sunday service. Video stream will be live starting at or around 10am. If it does not show up, try refreshing the page. The video of the service will remain on the page if you would like to view it at a later time, or to replay it again at your discretion.**

Lutheran Hour Broadcast - KFNB RADIO (1100) @ 10 AM:

June 13 "**Cleary Christian: Good**" Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler.

Many think they know what Christianity is all about, but Dr. Michael Zeigler asks, what if what they think it is, it isn't



HOLY COMMUNION. . .OUR UNDERSTANDING

It is the special joy of the baptized and instructed Christian to celebrate Christ in our very midst with the Sacrament of the Altar (Holy Communion). The Scripture clearly and carefully teaches that, in Holy Communion, the very Body and the very Blood of our Lord Jesus are really present in, with, and under the forms of bread and wine. It also teaches that "A man ought to examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without recognizing the body of the Lord (acknowledging the Real Presence of Jesus with the elements) eats and drinks judgment on himself." (I Corinthians 11:28-29).

Communicants, then, are rightfully prepared and "worthy" when they:

- *are truly penitent of their sins;*
- *even now embrace Jesus as their Savior and recognize His Real Presence in the bread and the wine; and*
- *seek to amend their sinful lives, with the assistance of this Meal and the power of the Holy Spirit.*

If you have any further questions, please speak with the Pastor before the service.

Other notes on the distribution of Holy Communion:

- *1) Wine is the Biblical standard for all communicants. However, grape juice is in some glasses and available in the center of each tray for those who have an intolerance to alcohol.*
- *2) The Blood of Christ, in, with and under the wine, is served in individual glasses and common cup. Please choose you preference..*
- *3) Children and adults not instructed or confirmed are still encouraged to approach The Table to receive a blessing.*