

November 8, 2020 – 23rd Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude **Holy Now** (CCLI #1519037) Sung by Dean Ramberg

Welcome and Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

P: We worship in the name of the Father, and the Son +, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

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

Silence is kept for reflection.

God of overflowing grace,

We come to you with repentant hearts.

Forgive us for shallow thankfulness.

Forgive us from passing by the ones in need.

Forgive us from setting our hopes on fleeting treasures.

Forgive us our neglect and thoughtlessness.

Bring us home from the wilderness of sin,

and strengthen us to serve you

in all that we do and say;

through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

By the grace of God in + Christ Jesus,

who gave himself up for us all,

your sins are forgiven and you are made free.

Rejoice with the angels and with one another!

We have a Lord who makes and keeps promises to us.

We are home in God's mercy, now and forever.

Amen.

Gathering Song

Word of God, Speak (CCLI #1519037)

Verse 1

I'm finding myself at a loss for words

And the funny thing is it's okay

The last thing I need is to be heard

But to hear what You would say

Chorus

Word of God speak

Would You pour down like rain

Washing my eyes to see Your majesty

To be still and know

That You're in this place

Please let me stay and rest

In Your holiness

(Word of God speak)

Verse 2

I'm finding myself in the midst of You
Beyond the music beyond the noise
All that I need is to be with You
And in the quiet hear Your voice

Ending

I'm finding myself at a loss for words
And the funny thing is it's okay

Greeting

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
ALL: And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

God of the seas, sky, and land,
When Jonah turned to run from you, you showed him that nothing and no one
could hide from your presence. You are in all things, and you love all things.
Show us the gift of your presence, and help us to carry your word of compassion
and grace to all the world, in the name of the one who carried out your love
flawlessly, Jesus Christ our redeemer. Amen.

Gospel Acclamation

Thy Word (CCLI #1519037)
Thy word, thy word is a lamp unto my feet.
Thy word, oh, thy word is a lamp unto my feet;
and a light unto my path,
and a light unto my path.

First Reading: Jonah 1: 1-17, 3: 1-10

L: The Word of the Lord. C: Thanks be to God.

Children's Sermon

Scripture Lesson: Jonah 4: 1-11

(Before) C: Glory to you, O Lord (After) C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon Pastor Amanda Olson de Castillo

Hymn of the Day

Will You come and Follow Me? (ELW #798)

1 "Will you come and follow me
if I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know
and never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown,
will you let my name be known,
will you let my life be grown
in you and you in me?"

- 2 "Will you leave yourself behind
if I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind
and never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare,
should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer pray'r
in you and you in me?"
- 3 "Will you let the blinded see
if I but call your name?
Will you set the pris'ners free
and never be the same?
Will you kiss the leper clean,
and do such as this unseen,
and admit to what I mean
in you and you in me?"
- 4 "Will you love the you you hide
if I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside
and never be the same?
Will you use the faith you've found
to reshape the world around,
through my sight and touch and sound
in you and you in me?"
- 5 Lord, your summons echoes true
when you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you
and never be the same.
In your company I'll go
where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow
in you and you in me.

Confession of Faith.....The Apostles' Creed

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 buried; 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.

Prayers of the People

WL: Lord in your mercy **C: Hear our prayer**

Sharing a Sign of Christ's Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always! C: And also with you!

Offering

Offering Hymn

We Are an Offering (ELW #692)

**We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to you:
we are an offering.
Lord, use our voices, Lord, use our hands, Lord use our lives, they are yours,
we are an offering.
All that we have, all that we are, all that we hope to be, we give to you, we give to you.
We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to you:
we are an offering.
We are an offering.**

Offering Prayer

P: Let us pray,

C: God of life, you give us these gifts of the earth, these resources of our life and our labor. Take them, offered in great thanksgiving, and use them for the good of your creation and the work of the Kingdom of God through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. 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.

Blessing

P: God, creator of all things, speaking new life into being; Jesus Christ, savior of the world, raising the dead through the forgiveness of sins; Holy Spirit, living voice, calling and enlightening the church: Almighty God, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever. Amen.

Sending Song

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy (ELW #588)

**1 There's a wideness in God's mercy,
like the wideness of the sea;
there's a kindness in God's justice
which is more than liberty.**

**There is no place where earth's sorrows
are more felt than up in heav'n.**

**There is no place where earth's failings
have such kindly judgment giv'n.**

**2 There is welcome for the sinner,
and a promised grace made good;
there is mercy with the Savior;
there is healing in his blood.**

**There is grace enough for thousands
of new worlds as great as this;
there is room for fresh creations
in that upper home of bliss.**

**3 For the love of God is broader
than the measures of our mind;
and the heart of the Eternal
is most wonderfully kind.
But we make this love too narrow
by false limits of our own;
and we magnify its strictness
with a zeal God will not own.**

**4 'Tis not all we owe to Jesus;
it is something more than all:
greater good because of evil,
larger mercy through the fall.
Make our love, O God, more faithful;
let us take you at your word,
and our lives will be thanksgiving
for the goodness of the Lord.**

Sending

P: Go in Peace. Christ is with you. C: Thanks be to God.

HOLY COMMUNION WORSHIP SERVICE TO FOLLOW



Holy Communion Worship Service

Invocation *P: We worship in the name of the Father, and the Son +, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.*

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

ALL: And also with you.

Communion: The Great Thanksgiving

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 God thanks and praise.

P: It is our duty and delight....we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

C: Holy, holy, holy are you,

God of power and might;

Heaven and earth

are filled with your glory,

Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed is the One

who comes in your name.

Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest!

Words of Institution

Post Communion Blessing and Prayer

Blessing

P: The Lord Bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine upon you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace. In the name of the Father, and the + Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Sending

P: Go in Peace, Christ is with you.

C: Thanks be to God.

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