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Lutheran
Church of
Redlands

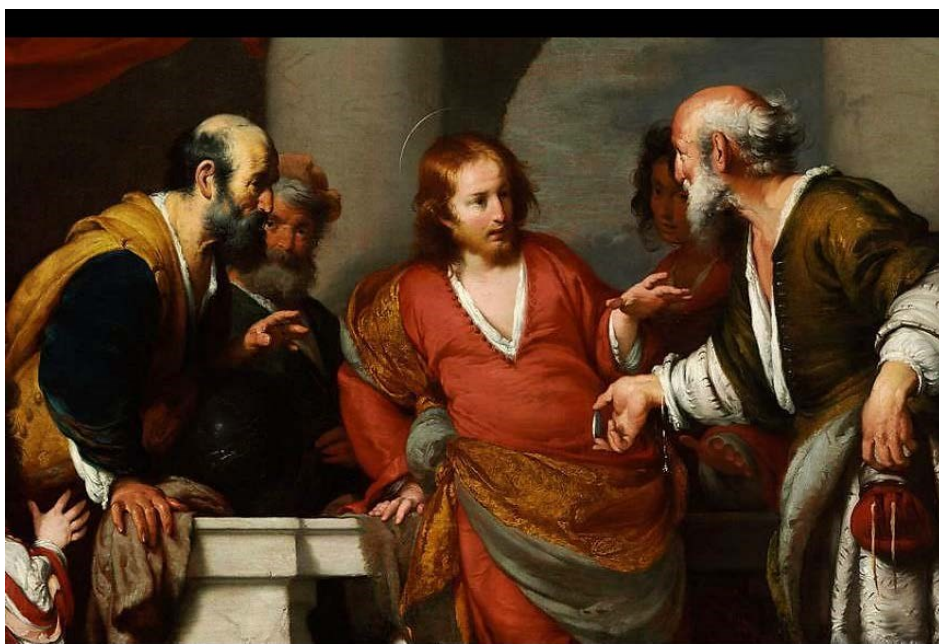


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Each Member

Twentieth Sunday after
Pentecost



The Tribute Money -- Bernardo Strozzi, Museum of Fine Arts, Budapest, Hungary

October 18, 2020

Prelude

“Prelude in Classic Style”

-G. Young

Welcome to Worship

We worship as we were baptized; in the name of the Father,
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen

Confession

Holy One,

We confess that we are not awake for you. We are not faithful in using your gifts. We forget the least of our siblings. We do not see your beautiful image in one another. We are infected by sin that divides your beloved community. Open our hearts to your coming, open our eyes to see you in our neighbor, open our hands to serve your creation.

Amen.

Beloved, we are God’s children, and Jesus opens the door to us. Through Jesus you are forgiven, by Jesus you are welcome, in Jesus you are called to rejoice! Let us live in the promises prepared for us from the foundation of the world.

Amen

Gathering Hymn

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

ELW 858 Vs. 1,2, 4

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and salvation!
Let all who hear now to his temple draw near,
Joining in glad adoration

Gathering Hymn (cont.)

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is wondrously reigning
and, as on wings of an eagle, uplifting, sustaining.
Have you not seen all that is needful has been
sent by his gracious ordaining?

Praise to the Lord! Oh let all that is in me adore him!
All that has life and breath, come now with praises before Him!
Let the amen, sound from His people again.
Gladly forever adore Him

Prayer of the Day

Let us pray...

Amen.

Children's Sermon

Staff of LRCC

Lesson

1 Thessalonians 1:1-7

BB Quinones

Halle, Halle

Gospel

Matthew 22:15-22

Sermon

“We Belong to God”

Pastor Kim Krogstad

Special Music “The Gift of Love” Arr. Hal Hopson

Ray and Susan Wade, Vocalists, Kimberly Amin, Piano

Prayers of God's People

Lord in your mercy...

Hear our prayer.

The 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.

Benediction

Sending Hymn

“You Are Mine”

ELW 581

I will come to you in the silence,
I will lift you from all your fear
You will hear My voice, I claim you as my choice
Be still, and know I am near

I am hope for all who are hopeless,
I am eyes for all who long to see.
In the shadows of the night, I will be your light
Come and rest in Me

Sending Hymn (cont.) *Refrain*

Do not be afraid, I am with you.
I have called you each by name.
Come and follow me, I will bring you home
I love you and you are mine

I am strength for all the despairing,
I am eyes for all who long to see.
All the blind will see, the lame will all run free,
and all will know my name.

(Refrain)

I am the Word that leads all to freedom,
I am the peace the world cannot give.
I will call your name, embracing all your pain.
Stand up, now, walk, and live.

(Refrain)

Dismissal

Go in peace. Do justice.
Thanks be to God.

Postlude

“A Joyous Prelude”

-Bob Burroughs

Handbells

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Life in Christ

WORSHIP

We now offer three options for worship.

In person on upper parking lot—Sunday 9 am

In car on the lower parking lot—Sunday 9 am

At Home - Online Worship

The link for the YouTube Worship Service will be posted Sunday Morning and will include the sermon, music, and prayers.

You are encouraged to participate only as you feel comfortable. God is present and promises to bless us no matter what we do or do not do during worship. Our hope is that each person will be able to worship and rest in God's love and presence in a way that feels safe.

****In person worship is subject to change
or cancellation at any time.****

LEARN

Thursday Morning, October 15, at 11 am.

Zoom Link <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81722296262>

Life in Christ

SERVE



FAMILY SERVICE ASSOCIATION OF REDLANDS

TO ALLEVIATE POVERTY, ENCOURAGE SELF-SUFFICIENCY, AND PROMOTE THE DIGNITY OF ALL.

Accepting food and hygiene donations only at this time.

They are in need of:

instant oatmeal - pancake mix - cereal - peanut butter - jelly - instant potatoes - spaghetti sauce - spaghetti noodles - tuna - canned chicken - canned fruit—dried soup (ramen / cup noodle) - rice - beans - macaroni & cheese - syrup - rice-a-roni - hamburger helper

*You can drop off at our in person Worship Service or
Bring to the church office on Monday mornings.*



Lutheran Disaster Response

Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

God's work. Our hands.

Lutheran Disaster Response brings God's hope, healing and renewal to people whose lives have been disrupted by disasters in the United States and around the world. When the dust settles and the headlines change, they stay to provide ongoing assistance to those in need. Make a donation through First Lutheran (write disaster in the memo line of your check) to assist those affected by the Midwest derecho, California wildfires, or Gulf Coast hurricanes.

Remember in prayer...

*“Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus,
and for all people according to their needs:”*

Healing and strength: Fanny Barnhart, hospitalized; Hazel Williamson, transitioning to hospice, and her son, Robert; brother of Kathy Swenson, Dan; friends of the Wades, Audrey and Beth; friend of Karen Fredricksen, Spenser; cousin of Phil Schmidt, Sam; Mallory Tee; cousin of the Henricksons, baby Ezra, in NICU.

Continuing prayers for: Nancy Sturlaugson; Phil Schmidt; John McMunn; Saba Andom; Dona Searles.

Our homebound: Lois Nabors, Loretta Sanders, Carlton Peterson; Arlene Coleman; Betty Frannea.

- ✧ Peace
- ✧ Presiding Bishop of the ELCA, Elizabeth Eaton, and Bishop of the Pacifica Synod, Andy Taylor
- ✧ Those affected and fighting COVID-19
- ✧ Students, teachers, staff and parents
- ✧ Those affected by wildfires in the West and hurricanes in the East
- ✧ Our nation and leaders in this time of turmoil.

Into your hand we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.”