



SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Video Worship | May 17, 2020

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Welcome/Sharing of Peace

Opening Hymn

*All People That on Earth Do Dwell | LSB 791:
1-3, 5 | OLD HUNDREDTH*

1. All people that on earth do dwell,
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice.
Him serve with mirth, His praise forthtell;
Come ye before Him and rejoice.

2. Know that the Lord is God indeed;
Without our aid He did us make.
We are His folk, He doth us feed,
And for His sheep He doth us take.

3. O enter then His gates with praise;
Approach with joy His courts unto.
Praise, laud, and bless His name always,
For it is seemly so to do.

5. To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
The God whom heav'n and earth adore,
From us and from the angel host
Be praise and glory evermore.

Call to Worship (*based on Psalm 95:6-7*)

L Oh come, let us worship and bow down;
C let us kneel before the LORD our Maker!

L For he is our God,
C and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

Invocation

L In the name of the Father and of the  Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen.

Confession of Sins and Absolution

L Jesus came to bring us life—new life now and forever life with him. Yet often we have failed to walk in his ways and follow his commands.
C Forgive us, Lord, for selfish thoughts and actions, for the times we have determined we know better than you how life should be lived.

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

L Jesus laid down his life for you and took it up again for you. In him is life, the forgiveness of sins.
C May we rejoice in God's gift of forgiveness! Amen.

Prayer of the Day

L The Lord be with you.
C And also with you.

L Let us pray. O Lord, lead us by the inspiration of your Spirit to think those things which are right, and by your goodness help us to do them. This we pray in Jesus' name.

C Amen.

Offering

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Children's Message

Gospel Lesson

John 14:15–21

¹⁵ “If you love me, you will keep my commandments. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, ¹⁷ even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you.

¹⁸ “I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. ¹⁹ Yet a little while and the world will see me no more, but you will see me. Because I live, you also will live.

²⁰ In that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you.

²¹ Whoever has my commandments and keeps them, he it is who loves me. And he who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I will love him and manifest myself to him.”

L This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

“Living and Loving in Christ”

based on John 14:15-21

The Apostles' Creed

C 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.

Hymn of the Day

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling |

LSB 700: 1, 3-4 | HYFRYDOL

1. Love divine, all loves excelling,
Joy of heav'n, to earth come down!
Fix in us Thy humble dwelling,
All Thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, Thou art all compassion,
Pure, unbounded love Thou art;
Visit us with Thy salvation,
Enter ev'ry trembling heart.

3. Come, Almighty, to deliver;
Let us all Thy life receive;
Suddenly return, and never,
Nevermore Thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing,
Serve Thee as Thy hosts above,
Pray and praise Thee without ceasing,
Glory in Thy perfect love.

4. Finish then Thy new creation,
Pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see Thy great salvation
Perfectly restored in Thee,
Changed from glory into glory,
Till in heav'n we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before Thee,
Lost in wonder, love, and praise!

Prayer of the Church

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

L The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face to shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and **☩** give you peace.

C Amen.

Closing Hymn

Son of God, Eternal Savior | LSB 842: 1-2, 4 |
IN BABILON

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.**

**4. 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.**

Dismissal

L Go in peace. Serve the Lord!

C Thanks be to God.

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