

# Festival of Mary, Mother of Our Lord

Holy Communion  
Aug. 15, 2021 | 10:30 am

**PRELUDE** Magnificat I *My soul doth magnify the Lord* | Marcel Dupré

## Gathering

*Please turn and face the baptismal font at the rear of the nave.*

### CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Amen.**

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

Most merciful God,

**we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.**

**Amen.**

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake, God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

### #424 PROCESSIONAL HYMN *Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones*

*Please turn and face the cross as the procession approaches the altar.*

### APOSTOLIC GREETING

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

**And also with you.**

### GLORIA



Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth.



Lord God, heav-en-ly King, al-might-y God and Fa-ther, we





wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry.

Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God,

you take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us;

you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer.

For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,

you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir - it,

in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Let us pray.

Almighty God, in choosing the virgin Mary to be the mother of your Son, you made known your gracious regard for the poor, the lowly, and the downtrodden. Grant us grace to receive your word in humility, and so to be made one with your Son, Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

**Word**

*Please sit.*

**FIRST READING** *Isaiah 61:7-11*

Because the shame of God’s people was double, and dishonor was proclaimed as their lot, therefore they shall possess a double portion; everlasting joy shall be theirs. For I the Lord love justice, I hate robbery and wrongdoing; I will faithfully give them their recompense, and I will make an everlasting covenant with them. Their descendants shall be known among the nations, and their offspring among the peoples; all who see them shall acknowledge that they are a people whom the Lord has blessed. I will greatly rejoice in the Lord, my whole being shall exult in my God; for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation, he has covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself with a garland, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels. For as the earth brings forth its shoots, and as a garden causes what is sown in it to spring up, so the Lord God will cause righteousness and praise to spring up before all the nations.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM 34:1-9**

The choir sings the antiphon, "Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord," before and after the psalm. The cantor and congregation alternate in the singing of the psalm verses, beginning with the cantor.



I will bless the Lord | at all times;  
the praise of God shall ever be | in my mouth.  
I will glory | in the Lord;  
let the lowly hear | and rejoice.

**Proclaim with me the greatness | of the Lord;  
let us exalt God's | name together.**

**I sought the Lord, who | answered me  
and delivered me from | all my terrors.**

Look upon the Lord | and be radiant,  
and let not your faces | be ashamed.

I called in my affliction, and | the Lord heard me  
and saved me from | all my troubles.

**The angel of the Lord encamps around those who | fear the Lord  
and de- | livers them.**

**Taste and see that the | Lord is good;  
happy are they who take ref- | uge in God!**

Fear the Lord, you saints | of the Lord,  
for those who fear the | Lord lack nothing.

**SECOND READING Galatians 4:4-7**

When the fullness of time had come, God sent his Son, born of a woman, born under the law, in order to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as children. And because you are children, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba! Father!" So you are no longer a slave but a child, and if a child then also an heir, through God.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

Please stand.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Acclamation sung by all:



Choir: Greetings, O favored one! The Lord is with you. The Holy Spirit will come upon you.

*All repeat acclamation.*

**GOSPEL** *Luke 1:46-55*

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

Mary said, "My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, for he has looked with favor on the lowliness of his servant. Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed; for the Mighty One has done great things for me, and holy is his name. His mercy is for those who fear him from generation to generation. He has shown strength with his arm; he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts. He has brought down the powerful from their thrones, and lifted up the lowly; he has filled the hungry with good things, and sent the rich away empty. He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy, according to the promise he made to our ancestors, to Abraham and to his descendants forever."

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

*Please sit.*

**SERMON**

*Please stand.*

**#573 HYMN OF THE DAY** My Soul Now Magnifies the Lord

**NICENE CREED**

**We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary  
and became truly human.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,\*  
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

**PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

... Lord in your mercy,  
**Hear our prayer.**

**PEACE**

The peace of Christ be with you always.  
**And also with you.**  
*Please greet your neighbor: **Peace be with you.***

## Meal

*Please sit.*

**OFFERING**

**MUSIC AT THE OFFERING** Mary Said Yes | Russell Schulz-Widmar

*Please stand.*

**#184 OFFERTORY** Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful

Let the vine-yards be fruit-ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of  
bless-ing. Gath-er a har-vest from the seeds that were sown, that  
we may be fed with the bread of life. Gath-er the hopes and dreams of  
all; u-nite them with the prayers we of-fer. Grace our ta-ble  
with your pres-ence, and give us a fore-taste of the feast to come.

**OFFERTORY PRAYER**

Let us pray.

**Blessed are you, O Lord our God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer ourselves to your service and dedicate our lives to the care and redemption of all that you have made, for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

## GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.  
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The musical notation consists of four staves of music in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The first staff has two measures, the second and third have two measures each, and the fourth has two measures.

## HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,  
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.  
Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes  
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The musical notation consists of four staves of music in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is more rhythmic and includes some dotted notes. The lyrics are written below the notes. The first staff has two measures, the second and third have two measures each, and the fourth has two measures.

## THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

You are indeed holy... until he comes.

Christ has died. Christ is ris - en. Christ will come a - gain.

The musical notation consists of one staff of music in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The staff has two measures.

Remembering, therefore... now and forever.

A - men, a - men, a - men.

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**LORD'S PRAYER** *Sung by all*



Our Fa-ther, who art in heav- en, hal- low- ed be



thy name, thy king-dom come, thy will be done,



on earth as it is in heav- en. Give us this day our



dai- ly bread; and for- give us our tres- pass- es,



as we for- give those who tres- pass a- gainst us; and lead us



not in- to temp- ta- tion, but de- liv- er us from e- vil.



For thine is the king- dom, and the pow- er, and the



glo- ry, for- ev- er and ev- er. A- men.

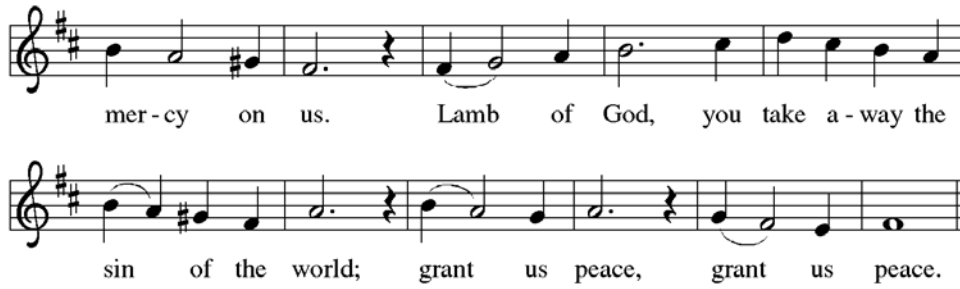
**LAMB OF GOD**



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer- cy on



us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have



*Please sit.*

**THE COMMUNION**

*All baptized Christians are welcomed to receive Holy Communion. We receive the Body of Christ (bread) in our open hands and the Blood of Christ (wine) by intinction. Christ is fully present in both bread and cup; persons unable to drink wine are encouraged to abstain from the cup and receive Christ in the bread.*

**#723 COMMUNION HYMN** Canticle of the Turning

*Please stand.*

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

## Sending

**BLESSING**

Almighty God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.

**Amen.**

**#478 RECESSIONAL HYMN** Father, We Thank You

*Please turn and face the cross as the procession approaches the font.*

**DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**POSTLUDE** Magnificat VI *Gloria* | Marcel Dupré





## Serving today

Presiding	Pastor John Worzala Dumke
Preaching	Pastor Brad Pohlman
Organist	Andrew Schaeffer
Assisting Minister	Dave Zentner
Communion Assistant	John Pleuss
Lector	Phyllis Pleuss
Crucifer	
Sacristan	Dan Ruge
Head Usher	Bob Uphoff
Video Director	Lee Powell
Sound Operator	Bill Braham

Altar flowers are given by Bill & Judy Braham in thanksgiving for their 50th wedding anniversary.

### **Luther Memorial Church staff**

The Rev. Brad Pohlman, Senior Pastor  
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