

\*Preface/Sanctus  
\*Words of Institution  
**\*Lord's Prayer**  
\*Lamb of God

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#### Distribution

*Our Saviour's Lutheran Church and Fahlun Lutheran Church both offer the Lord's Supper to all who baptized believers that believe that Christ is present in the bread and the wine. If you wish to receive, please come forward as directed by ushers to receive the bread and the wine. After receiving the bread and wine, you may return to your seats. If you are unable to make it to the altar, let the ushers know and the pastor will be happy to bring communion to your seat. If you don't wish to receive communion, please keep your hands folded as you come forward and the pastor will be happy to offer an individual blessing for you.*

\*Thanksgiving Prayer

\*Closing Hymn

Nunc Dimittis (Blue #17)

Benediction and Dismissal

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you; the Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

(Our Saviour's:, *spoken*) Amen

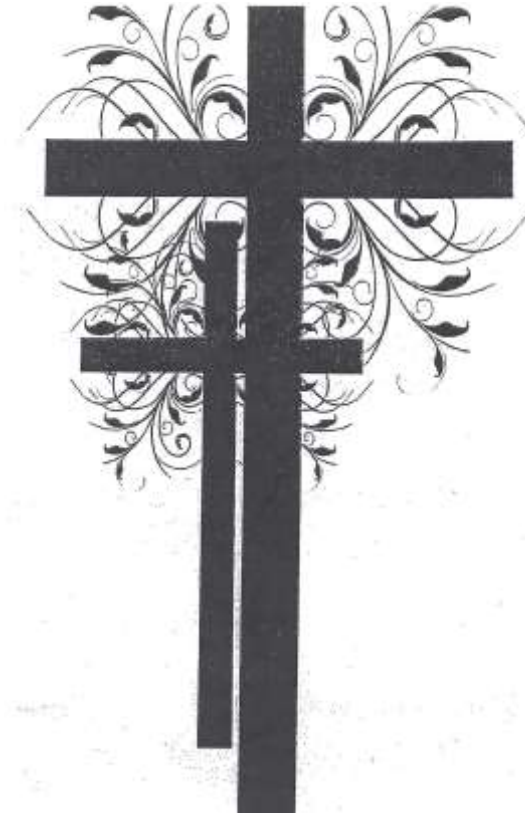
(Fahlun, *sung*): Amen. Amen. Amen.

Go in peace, you are forgiven in Christ!

Thanks be to God.

Bells/Postlude

# 20<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



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Prelude/Bells

Welcome/Announcements

\*Confession/Absolution

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

Amen.

Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near to him with a true heart, and confess our sin to God our Father, imploring him, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to grant us forgiveness.

*(silence for confession)*

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 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.

God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even we were dead in sin, and made alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven.

Almighty God, strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

Amen

\*Opening Hymn

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (Blue #1)

Kyrie/Gloria

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\*Prayer of the Day

Insert

\*Passing of the Peace

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you.

*Share the peace by greeting those around you.*

First Reading

Isaiah 25:6-9

Psalm Reading

Psalm 23 *(read responsively)*

Second Reading

Philippians 4:4-13

Hymn of Preparation

The King of Love My Shepherd Is (Green #456)

Gospel Reading

Matthew 22:1-14

Sermon

Hymn of the Day

O Master, Let Me Walk with You (Green #492)

\*Please stand (Page 2)

### **Apostle's Creed**

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 sits 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 Christian church,

Communion of saints,

The forgiveness of sins,

The resurrection of the body,

And life everlasting.

Amen.

Review of Prayers of the People

Prayers of the People

*(petition)* Lord, in Your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

*(final prayer)* Into your hands, we commend for all whom we pray, trusting in you, through our Lord and Savior, Jesus the Christ.

Amen.

Offering

*Ushers collect the offering while special music is played.*

\*Offering Prayer

*The congregation is invited to stand and sing as ushers bring the offering to the front:*

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.

\*Please stand (Page 3)