

October 20, 2024

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Time After Pentecost

FIRST READING Isaiah 53:4-12 Surely he has borne our infirmities and carried our diseases; yet we accounted him stricken, struck down by God, and afflicted. But he was wounded for our transgressions,cr ushed for our iniquities; upon him was the punishment that made us whole, and by his bruises we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have all turned to our own way, and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he did not open his mouth; like a lamb that is led to the slaughter, and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent, so he did not open his mouth. By a perversion of justice he was taken away. Who could have imagined his future? For he was cut off from the land of the living, stricken for the transgression of my people. They made his grave with the wicked and his tomb with the rich, although he had done no violence, and there was no deceit in his mouth.

Yet it was the will of the LORD to crush him with pain. When you make his life an offering for sin, he shall see his offspring, and shall prolong his days; through him the will of the LORD shall prosper. Out of his anguish he shall see light; he shall find satisfaction through his knowledge. The righteous one, my servant, shall make many righteous, and he shall bear their iniquities. Therefore I will allot him a portion with the great, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong; because he poured out himself to death, and was numbered with the transgressors; yet he bore the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.

SECOND READING Hebrews 5:1-10 Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one does not presume to take this honour, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was. So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him, ‘You are my Son, today I have begotten you’; as he says also in another place, ‘You are a priest for ever, according to the order of Melchizedek.’ In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

Mark 10:35-45 The Request of James and John - James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, ‘Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.’ And he said to them, ‘What is it you want me to do for you?’ And they said to him, ‘Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.’ But Jesus said to them, ‘You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?’ They replied, ‘We are able.’ Then Jesus said to them, ‘The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.’

When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, ‘You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.’

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Sunday October 20, 2024 @ 11:00 am

“In response to God’s love, St. Matthew’s is a faith community welcoming all to grow in faith, to worship Christ and to reach out to everyone.”

Welcome!

We hope our worship will be a blessing to you. Our Lord’s Supper is being celebrated today. Everyone is welcome to receive this Holy Sacrament.

Order of Worship

Today’s Order of Worship and hymns are both located in the Evangelical Lutheran Worship.

If you missed last week’s sermon, it is available on our website.

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The lines of the Psalm printed in bold font are sung in unison to the tune of a familiar hymn. The lines in plain font are read by the leader.

Psalm # 90:12-17 **Hymn Tune ELW – #632** Oh God, Our Help in Ages
Past Melody St. Anne CM

So teach us to number our days, that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom.

**Teach us to count our days, O Lord;
Let wisdom fill our hearts.**

Return, O Lord; how long will you tarry? Be gracious to your servants. Satisfy us each morning with your steadfast love, so that we may rejoice and be glad all the days of our life.

**So shall your Name be e'er adored
For all your grace imparts.**

Make us glad as many days as you have afflicted us, and as many years as we have suffered adversity.

**Teach us to count our days, O Lord;
Let wisdom fill our hearts.**

Let your work be manifest to your servants, and your glorious power to their children.

**So shall your Name be e'er adored
For all your grace imparts.**

Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us.

**Teach us to count our days, O Lord;
Let wisdom fill our hearts.**

Prosper for us the work of our hands--oh, prosper the work of our hands.

**So shall your Name be e'er adored
For all your grace imparts.**

Dates to Remember

We continue to hold in prayer the family of Frank Bowen. Grant him eternal rest oh Lord and let perpetual light shine on him.

HELP WANTED!

Ladies or gentlemen willing to assist with Altar Care. No experience necessary! You will be guided by those who have been doing these loving tasks for a long time. Currently there are only 3 ladies looking after setting out Communion etc. and sometimes it happens that we are all away on the same Sunday hence needing more volunteers! For more information or any questions please contact Marilyn Schultz at 905-732-5114. Thank you.

The Fall start date for pickleball was Friday Sept. 13th at 9:30 am. Playing 9:30 till 11:30 AM - Tuesday and Friday each week.

Further information please email Margaret at margaret@kleinsmith.ca



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GATHERING

Hymn..... ELW # 513 Listen God is
Calling
Prayer of the Day

WORD

First Reading.....Isaiah 53:4-12
Psalm 90:12-17Printed in
Bulletin
Second Reading.....Hebrews
5:1-10
Gospel Acclamation.....Page 188
“**Glory to you, O Lord**”
Gospel.....Mark
10:35-45

“**Praise to you, O Christ.**”
Sermon
Hymn of the Day..... ELW # 517
Lord, Keep Us Steadfast In Your Word
Prayers of Intercession
Peace (non-contact gestures)

MEAL

Great Thanksgiving.....ELW.....Page
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Holy,Holy,Holy.....ELW.....Page
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Eucharistic Prayer
The Lord’s Prayer.....ELW.....Page 208
O Lamb of God.....ELW.....Page 191
Communion Hymns.....ELW # 591 &
247
Prayer after Communion

SENDING

Announcements
Blessing

Sending Hymn.....ELW # 729 The Church of Christ, in Every
Age
DismissalELW....Page 222
Go in peace. You are the body of Christ.
“Thanks be to God”