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THE REDEEMER**

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SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



**DIVINE SERVICE, Setting Three – (LSB pp 184ff)**

**The Spirit of Truth Bears Witness to Jesus**

The Spirit of Truth bears witness to Jesus, who is the truth. But the world does not receive the truth. It loves its own and hates those who are of the truth. Just as Jesus was scorned, so is His Church. “The hour is coming when whoever kills you will think he is offering service to God” (John 16:2). Yet it is by Jesus’ suffering and death that we are saved. Therefore we rejoice to share in His sufferings, that we may also share in His resurrection glory (1 Pet. 4:7–14). Through the ministry of the Spirit of Truth, we are cleansed from the deceit of our idols and given a new heart and a new spirit, the heart and Spirit of Christ (Ezek. 36:22–28). He now works in us fervent, self-giving love for one another, love which covers a multitude of sins, “that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ. To him belong glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen” (1 Pet. 4:11).

# DIVINE SERVICE, Setting One – (LSB pp 151ff)

## CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

OPENING HYMN – #539 – Christ Is the World's Redeemer

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## SERVICE OF THE WORD

**INTROIT** – *Ps. 27:1, 11a, 12; antiphon: Ps.27:7a, 8b, 9a*

Hear, O LORD, when I cry aloud. Alle- | luia.\*

Your face, LORD, do I seek; hide not your face from me. Alle- | luia.

The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom | shall I fear?\*

The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I | be afraid?

Teach me your way, | O LORD;\*

give me not up to the will of my adver- | saries;

for false witnesses have risen a- | gainst me,\*

and they breathe out | violence.

Hear, O LORD, when I cry aloud. Alle- | luia.\*

Your face, LORD, do I seek; hide not your face from me. Alle- | luia.

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.**

**Amen.**

Hear, O LORD, when I cry aloud. Alle- | luia.\*

Your face, LORD, do I seek; hide not your face from me. Alle- | luia.

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**OLD TESTAMENT READING – *Ezekiel 36:22–28***

<sup>22</sup>“Therefore say to the house of Israel, Thus says the Lord GOD: It is not for your sake, O house of Israel, that I am about to act, but for the sake of my holy name, which you have profaned among the nations to which you came. <sup>23</sup>And I will vindicate the holiness of my great name, which has been profaned among the nations, and which you have profaned among them.

And the nations will know that I am the LORD, declares the Lord GOD, when through you I vindicate my holiness before their eyes. <sup>24</sup>I will take you from the nations and gather you from all the countries and bring you into your own land. <sup>25</sup>I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you shall be clean from all your uncleannesses, and from all your idols I will cleanse you. <sup>26</sup>And I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you. And I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh.

<sup>27</sup>And I will put my Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes and be careful to obey my just decrees

<sup>28</sup>You shall dwell in the land that I gave to your fathers, and you shall be my people, and I will be your God.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## EPISTLE – 1 Peter 4:7–11

<sup>7</sup>The end of all things is at hand; therefore be self-controlled and sober-minded for the sake of your prayers. <sup>8</sup>Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins. <sup>9</sup>Show hospitality to one another without grumbling. <sup>10</sup>As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God’s varied grace: <sup>11</sup>whoever speaks, as one who speaks oracles of God; whoever serves, as one who serves by the strength that God supplies—in order that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ. To him belong glory and dominion forever and ever.  
Amen.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## VERSE

Alleluia. God reigns over the nations; God sits on his holy throne.  
Alleluia. I will not leave you as orphans; I am going away, and I will come to you, and your hearts will rejoice. Alleluia.

## ALLELUIA AND VERSE – page 205

## HOLY GOSPEL – John 15:26-16:4

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the fifteenth and sixteenth chapters.

**C** Glory to You, O Lord.

<sup>23</sup>In that day you will ask nothing of me. Truly, truly, I say to you, whatever you ask of the Father in my name, he will give it to you. <sup>24</sup>Until now you have asked nothing in my name. Ask, and you will receive, that your joy may be full.

<sup>26</sup>“But when the Helper comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth, who proceeds from the Father, he will bear witness about me. <sup>27</sup>And you also will bear witness, because you have been with me from the beginning.

<sup>1</sup>“I have said all these things to you to keep you from falling away. <sup>2</sup>They will put you out of the synagogues. Indeed, the hour is coming when whoever kills you will think he is offering service to God. <sup>3</sup>And they will do these things because they have not known the Father, nor me. <sup>4</sup>But I have said these things to you, that when their hour comes you may remember that I told them to you.

“I did not say these things to you from the beginning, because I was with you.”

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** Praise to You, O Christ.

**HYMN OF THE DAY** - #701 - Draw Us to Thee

**SERMON**

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**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

P: *Lord, in Your mercy,* C: **Hear our prayer.**

We pray for our Shut-ins -

Elwood Kaminsky, Kathy Krahenbil & Kathy Shurvell

Also Eileen Wiens and others we know to be in need.

## OFFERING

OFFERTORY – pages 159-160

## SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

*If you are not a member of Lutheran Church Canada or a sister church, please feel welcome to come up during the Supper to receive a blessing.*

*Indicate you would like a blessing by crossing your arms over your heart.*

*If you would like to commune with us in the future, please speak to the Pastor after the service and express your holy desire.*

**DISTRIBUTION HYMN – #473 – Our Paschal Lamb, That Sets Us Free**

**COMMUNION LITURGY – pages 160-163**

**POST-COMMUNION COLLECT & BENEDICTION – page 166**

**CLOSING HYMN – #822 – Alleluia! Let Praises Ring**

**POSTLUDE**

# REDEEMER REPORTER

## SPRING YARD AND KITCHEN CLEAN UP:

Saturday, May 23 - 9:30 to 11:30. Bring gloves and energy!

## MANITOBA MARATHON:

Manitoba Marathon is June 21, 2026. The city has been approached to confirm access to our parking lot will be available. If approved, access to Wellington is limited to the Academy and Wellington intersection which does not allow a left turn off Academy for north bound traffic. Please plan your route accordingly. More info will follow as available. Sign up sheets for a number of volunteer opportunities are posted on the bulletin board near the front entryway. Please take a look and sign up if you can help.

## TIME CHANGE FOR SUMMER:

From Pentecost Sunday (May 24<sup>th</sup>),  
Divine Services will be at **10am** and Bible Study at **9am**.

## BEDANE KEFANI:

Bedane is a member of the Shalom Lutheran congregation and is enrolled in LCC's PAT program. Each student needs a congregation to gain experience whilst studying and a mentor to support him throughout the journey. He nominated Redeemer as PAT Site and Pastor Manning as his mentor of which the Elders accepted. (PAT = Pastor with Alternate Training). Men studying for the ordained Pastoral Ministry through a more localized training and remote stud. He will be gaining experience with us and our Pastor by helping read and serve in the Divine Service; as well as regularly meet with Pastor Manning to discuss his study and training.

## PRIVATE CONFESSION/ABSOLUTION:

This is offered on Saturday mornings 10am-11am at the church.