

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church
Regina SK
Seventh Sunday of Easter
May 16, 2021, 9:30AM



As We Gather:

Some of the most memorable portraits of Jesus shared with us by the Gospel writers depict times when He prayed. We remember Him teaching the disciples to pray when He was on the mountain, sharing the heart of His teaching. We have the powerful portrait of Him praying in the Garden of Gethsemane the night He was betrayed. And in John's Gospel is recorded what is known as the High Priestly Prayer of our Lord. Jesus prayed for His people during His earthly ministry; He continues that praying for us. In his first epistle, John writes that "we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous" (1 John 2:1). There is holy conversation in heaven just as sure as there is holy conversation on earth when we pray!

[Jesus said:]
"Holy Father,
keep them in
Your name,
which You have
given Me,
that they may
be one, even as
We are one."

John 17:11b

Hymn LSB #771 "Be Still, My Soul, before the Lord"

Invocation

Opening Sentences

Confession and Absolution

Hymn LSB #613 *st. 3* "To Thee, Omniscient Lord of All"

Psalm 1 (*unison*)

Hymn "Have Mercy on Your People, Lord"

This Is the Feast *LSB p.155*

Prayer of the Day *Easter 7*

First Reading *Acts 1:12–26*

Gradual

Epistle *1 John 5:9–15*

Hymn LSB #930 "All You Works of God, Bless the Lord"

Holy Gospel *John 17:11b–19*

Sermon Hymn LSB #584 "Faith and Truth and Life Bestowing"

Sermon "His Word is Truth" *Text: The Holy Gospel*

Catechism

Prayer of the Church

Special Hymn Sequence

Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Hymn LSB #748 "I'm But a Stranger Here"

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