

Ninth Sunday After Pentecost

Aug 7, 2022

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AS WE GATHER

Today's Epistle is from Hebrews 11, the "by faith" chapter. It lists heroes of faith, people who trusted in God's promises, assured of what they hoped for (the definition of faith). The Reading from Genesis singles out Abram believing God, for which God counted it to him as righteousness. Now we can look back, knowing that in one descendant of Abraham, Jesus, all God's promises were kept. His calming words in the Gospel give us the assurance we need to rely on God's care and concern when we don't have all we think we need. "Seek [God's] kingdom, and these things will be added to you," He promises (Luke 12:31). Our faith-filled response echoes today's Psalm: "Let Your steadfast love, O LORD, be upon us, even as we hope in You" (Psalm 33:22).

OPENING HYMN LSB #813 "Rejoice, O Pilgrim Throng" (sts. 1-4)

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+SERVICE OF THE WORD+

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ENTRANCE HYMN LSB 813 (sts. 5-7)

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GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

SALUTATION AND COLLECT

OLD TESTAMENT READING – Genesis 15:1-6

EPISTLE READING – Hebrews 11:1-16

ALLELUIA and VERSE

HOLY GOSPEL – Luke 12:22-34 (35-40)

HYMN OF THE DAY – #558 "Not Unto Us"

SERMON:

Text:

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

OFFERING (The offerings previously received are brought forward)

+ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT +

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BENEDICAMUS AND BLESSING

CLOSING HYMN – #576 "My Hope is Built on Nothing Less"



By faith Noah, being warned by God concerning events as yet unseen, in reverent fear constructed an ark for the saving of his household. By this he condemned the world and became an heir of the righteousness that comes by faith. *Hebrews 11:7*