



# Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost

October 2, 2022

LWMLC Sunday

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## AS WE GATHER

How strong is your faith? Jesus says in the Gospel that a tiny amount could do great deeds. We surely cannot trust ourselves, for we will certainly fail. Faith means trusting the giver, our gracious God. In today's Epistle, Paul notes that Timothy's faith came through his mother and grandmother. But Paul's trust is not in Timothy, but in "the power of God, who saved us . . . in Christ Jesus" (2 Timothy 1:8-9). Habakkuk didn't know that God would keep His Word in Christ but was told that God's promises were sure. The good news, which echoes throughout Scripture, is that "the righteous shall live by his faith" (Habakkuk 2:4). Today we hear that gracious Gospel again, the news that Christ "abolished death and brought life and immortality to light" (2 Timothy 1:10). Hearing that, we are enlivened to respond in word and song, energized to serve our gracious God in "power and love and self-control" (2 Timothy 1:7).

**Opening Hymn - "Lord Jesus, You Have Called Us"** (LWML Official Theme Hymn)

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Salutation and Collect of the Day

The Old Testament Reading – Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

Epistle Reading – 2 Timothy 1:1-14

Alleluia and Verse

Holy Gospel – Luke 17:1-10

**Hymn of the Day - LSB #702 "My Faith Looks Up to Thee"**

**Sermon: "Living by Faith"**

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Prayer of the Church

Offering

**Offertory - #955 "Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful Lord"**

## +SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT+

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Benediction

**Closing Hymn – #721 "Lead Me, Guide Me"**



The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith!" And the Lord said, "If you had faith like a grain of mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you." Luke 17:5-6