

PRINCE OF PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH REGINA, SK

9TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday, July 25, 2021 - 9:30 am

As We Gather

The hymn insists, "God Himself is present" and "God is in His temple" (*LSB* 907). This hymn reminds us of the prophet Isaiah's amazing vision of God in the temple when he heard the eternal song of the angels, "Holy, holy, holy," causing the prophet to cringe, bow, and kneel at the awesome and fearful presence of God. Today, we bring ourselves with our own fears and hear how Jesus' disciples witnessed their Lord's real presence amid their strains and pains in a boat struggling against the wind. So today for you God is present with healing, forgiveness, and life not in the imagination but in the objective truth of His inspired Word, by your Baptism, and in the taste and touch of His body and blood given and shed for you. You cannot get any more real than that. "Let us now adore Him And with awe appear before Him."



I have set My bow in the cloud, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between Me and the earth.

Genesis 9:13

RESPONSIVE PRAYER II

Opening Hymn - LSB #907 "God Himself is Present"

Opening Versicles Psalm 136:1-9

Hymn LSB #806 "Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart"

The Old Testament Reading – Genesis 9:8-17

The Second Reading – Ephesians 3:14-21

Hymn LSB #729 "I Am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus"

Holy Gospel – Mark 6:45-56

Kyrie

Lord's Prayer

Apostles' Creed

Hymn LSB #752 "Be Still, My Soul"

Sermon - Rev. Lowell Dennis, Emeritus

Offering (The offerings previously collected are brought forward)

Offertory LSB #894 "For the Fruits of His Creation" Stz. 1

(Sung as offerings are brought forward)

Versicles

Collect of the Day

Prayers

Morning Prayer

Benedicamus

Closing Hymn LSB #975 "Blest Be the Tie that Binds"