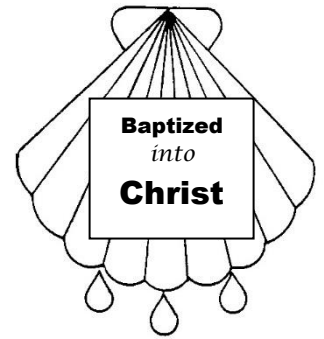


Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

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AS WE GATHER

The three Readings today all tell of the contrasts between people who have faith in Christ and those who do not. The important message is that we recognize God's gracious blessings and so reflect them as we live. In the Gospel, Jesus teaches that "one's life does consist in the abundance of his possessions" (Luke 12:15) and warns about one who is "not rich toward God" (v. 21). When in Ecclesiastes "the Preacher" sees vanity all around, he writes, "to the one who pleases Him God has given wisdom and knowledge and joy" (Ecclesiastes 2:26). In the Epistle, Paul promises that we who, in our Baptism, "have been raised with Christ, . . . will appear with Him in glory" (Colossians 3:1a, 4b). We have been given not only physical life but also eternal life.

Opening Hymn - LSB #789 "Praise and Thanksgiving"

+PREPARATION+

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+SERVICE OF THE WORD+

Introit of the Day (spoken responsively)

Kyrie – Page 152

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Salutation and Collect of the Day

The Old Testament Reading – Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14, 2:18-26

Epistle Reading – Colossians 3:1-11

Alleluia and Verse

Holy Gospel – Luke 12:13-21

Hymn of the Day – #782 "Gracious God, You Send Great Blessings" (stand for last verse)

Sermon: "It's Not Fair!"

Text: Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14, 2:18-26; The Old Testament Reading

Nicene Creed

Prayer of the Church

Offering (*The offerings previously collected are brought forward*)

Offertory - Page 159 "What Shall I Render to the Lord"

+SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT+

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Prayer of Thanksgiving

Lord's Prayer – Page 162

The Words of Our Lord

Pax Domini – "The Peace of the Lord"

Agnus Dei – "Lamb of God"

Distribution

Hymns during Distribution - #'s 624, 761

Post-Communion Canticle – Thank the Lord Page 164

Post-Communion Collect – Page 166

Benediction

Closing Hymn – #861 "Christ Be My Leader"

Baptized into
Your name most
holy, O Father,
Son, and Holy
Ghost, I claim a
place, though
weak and lowly,
Among Your
saints, Your
chosen host.
Buried with
Christ and dead
to sin, Your Spirit
now shall live
within. *LSB 590:1*