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The 3rd Sunday After Pentecost June 10, 2018



The Serpent deceived me, and I ate. Genesis 3:13

AS WE GATHER

Not all news is good news. Not every story is a happy story. But the Scriptures tell us of the grace God has shown to His people, even in their sinfulness and rejection of Him. God does not give up on His creation. The seeds He has planted will bear fruit according to His promise. There will be a happy ending! In this season of growing things, we renew our hope in the Lord, who is our health and salvation.

PRELUDE

WELCOME

BIRTHDAY BLESSING Day: June 13th Rich Saeger
(tune: the common doxology)

♪ **Thanks for our friends who celebrate
And God's rich blessings contemplate.
Praise for another year on earth.
Praise to the Lord who gives us birth. Amen.**

✠ PREPARATION ✠

HYMN "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" #790

Please Stand

Pastor: We begin in the name of the Father, the Son ✠ and the Holy Spirit

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Pastor: Our help is in the name of the Lord,
People: who made heaven and earth.

Pastor: If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

People: **But with You there is forgiveness; therefore, You are feared.**

Lord, as we reflect on Your mercy, we realize anew our need for Your forgiveness. We confess our many sins and repent of our loveless words, actions, and thoughts. Create in us clean hearts, gracious Lord, and put new and right spirits within us, that we may know the fullness of Your love and reflect it in thankful lives.

Pastor: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: **Amen.**

PSALM OF THE DAY

Pastor: O Lord, open Thou my lips,

People: ♪ **And my mouth shall show forth Thy praise.**

Pastor: Make haste, O God, to deliver me;

People: ♪ **make haste to help me, O Lord.**

Glory be to the Father and to the Son ☩ and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Hallelujah!

ANTIPHON

Pastor: The Lord has enlightened us in the true faith.

People: **O come, let us worship Him.**

Pastor: Oh, come, let us worship the Lord.

People: **♪ For He is our maker.**

VENITE

**♪ O come, let us sing unto the Lord,
let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our
salvation.**

**Let us come before His presence with
thanksgiving,
and make a joyful noise unto Him with psalms.**

**For the Lord is a great God
and a great king above all gods.
In His hand are the deep places of the earth;
the strength of the hills is His also.**

**The sea is His, and He made it,
and His hands form-ed the dry land.
O come, let us worship and bow down,
let us kneel before the Lord, our maker.**

**For He is our God,
and we are the people of His pasture
and the sheep of His hand.
Glory be to the Father and to the Son ✠ and to the
Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and
ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

Please be Seated

OLD TESTAMENT READING Genesis 3:8-15
(The fall into sin in the Garden of Eden)

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

EPISTLE 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

(We look with hope to the things that are unseen.)

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Please Stand

HOLY GOSPEL Mark 3:20-35

(Jesus teaches about who truly is His family.)

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark the third
 chapter.

People: Glory to You, O Lord.

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to You, O Christ.

Please be Seated

HYMN “Rise! To Arms! With Prayer Employ You” #668

SERMON “The Binding of the Strong Man”

Pastor Gary Stolle

Please Stand

CANTICLE – TE DEUM

hymn #941

Please be Seated

OFFERING AND OFFETORY

Please Stand

KYRIE

♪ Lord, have mercy upon us;
Christ, have mercy upon us;
Lord, have mercy upon us.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Pastor: As dear children ask their dear Father, let us bring to the Lord our prayers, knowing He will hear us and respond to our petitions. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: As citizens of our blessed land, we pray for the world in which we live and for the leaders of every nation, including our own, that peace would prevail around the globe and that we live without fear in our times. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: In this season of growth, we pray for the Church, that it grow and flourish even in those places where persecution for our Lord's sake is known. Let the light of the glory of God be reflected in every place. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Gathered in heart and mind, we pray for those in need of special petitions, including those who are ill, those dealing with special challenges, the shut-in, the unemployed, and those who grieve this day, especially Liz Kraft, Myron Kimber, Paul Krahenbuhl, Sondra Johnson, Linda Everett, Kandace Saeger, Charles and Roger. According to Your good and gracious will, bring strength to the weak, assurance to the fearful, and hope to those in peril. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: With thankfulness, we remember those whose earthly lives have been completed, including relatives, friends, and members of this household of faith and so many others. Bless us by the memory of all who have fallen asleep in Jesus, as in blessed hope we await the resurrection to life eternal. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Confident of our identity in Christ and assured that our heavenly Father hears our petitions, we say with hopeful hearts and voices:

People: Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

SALUTATION

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: ♪ And with thy spirit.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

BENEDICAMUS AND BENEDICTION

Pastor: Let us bless the Lord.

People: ♪ Thanks be to God.

Pastor: The grace of our Lord ✠ Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: ♪ Amen.

HYMN "They Strong Word" #578

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THE MESSENGER

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WELCOME! Dear guest, we pray that your worship with us is as spiritually enriching for you as your presence is encouraging to us. We invite you to sign our guest book in the foyer and “Like” us on Facebook or follow us on Instagram. Please leave your email address if you would like periodic updates from Immanuel. Most importantly, come back and worship with us again next Sunday.

IN OUR PRAYERS: Liz Kraft, Myron Kimber, Paul Krahenbuhl, Sondra Johnson, Linda Everett, Kandace Saeger, Linda Rayburn’s nephew Charles and her son-in-law’s father, Roger.

JUNE PASTORS: June 17th – Pastor Keith Loesch; June 24th – Pastor Gary Moore`

LAST SUNDAY’S OFFERING: \$1,186

THE LUTHERAN HOUR theme for next Sunday, June 17th is **"Tell Me a Story!"** Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Dale A. Meyer
Jesus loves to tell us stories. In His stories about the normal things of life, Jesus teaches us about the reign of God in our lives. This Father's Day, what makes for a godly father, or mother or Christian? The willingness to tell our stories.
(Mark 4:26-34) Hear *The Lutheran Hour* on stations KCMO (AM 710) at 8:00am, KCCV (FM 92.3) at 8:00am, KCCV (AM 760) at 8:30am, and KCCV (FM 101.5) at 8:30am.