

**Lord,
increase
our faith.**

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2022

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2022

Pilgrim Evangelical Lutheran Church

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FAITH DEMONSTRATED THROUGH TOTAL DEPENDENCE

Jesus said, “Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.” We know that keeping little children occupied for an entire church service can be a challenge. Don’t worry; most of those worshipping around you have been in your shoes at one time. If you feel that you need to take your child out of church at any time, we have a Children’s Room to the right as you exit the worship area. The first parking space in front of church is designated for **expectant mothers and families with small children**.

Restrooms are located to your left as you exit the worship area. There are **changing tables in both restrooms**.

LARGE PRINT copies of worship materials are available from the ushers. If you have any questions or need assistance, please feel free to ask an usher.

Thank you for worshipping with us today! Whether you are a guest or a member we would love to know you are here! Please use this QR code to sign our digital friendship register. There are also tablets available in the back of Church for you to sign in.



SERVING IN WORSHIP

Presiding Minister
Preacher
Organist

Pastor Collin Vanderhoof
Seminarian Jacob Kieselhorst
David Porth

Morning Prayer

I Am Trusting You, Lord Jesus

CW 816



1 I am trust - ing you, Lord Je - sus, trust - ing on - ly you;
2 I am trust - ing you for par - don; at your feet I bow,
3 I am trust - ing you for cleans - ing in the crim - son flood;
4 I am trust - ing you to guide me; you a - lone shall lead,



trust - ing you for full sal - va - tion, free and true.
for your grace and ten - der mer - cy trust - ing now.
trust - ing you to make me ho - ly by your blood.
ev - 'ry day and hour sup - ply - ing all my need.

5 I am trusting you for power;
you can never fail.
Words which you yourself shall give me
must prevail.

6 I am trusting you, Lord Jesus;
never let me fall.
I am trusting you forever
and for all.

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Stand



O Lord, o - pen my lips,



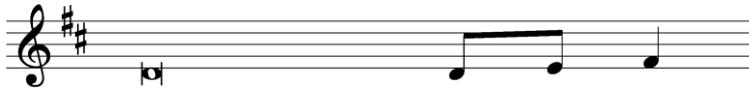
and my mouth shall de - clare your praise.



Has - ten to save me, O God;



O Lord, come quick - ly to help me.



Pentecost The Spirit of the Lord fills the world:



praise and thanks to God!

O Come, Let Us Sing to the Lord

CW 208

- 1 O come, let us sing to the Lord,
let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation.
Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving,
let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise.
- 2 For the Lord is a great God
and a great king above all gods.
The deep places of the earth are in his hand;
the heights of the hills are also his.
- 3 The sea is his, for he made it,
and his hand formed the dry land.
O come, let us worship and bow down,
let us kneel before the Lord our maker.
- 4 For he is our God,
and we are the people of his pasture
and the sheep of his hand.

Be seated

Your Kingdom, O God, Is My Glorious Treasure

CW 859

Sung by the Junior Choir

- 1 Your kingdom, O God, is my glorious treasure,
my pearl of incomp'able worth.
Its value exceeds ev'ry standard of measure,
surpassing the wealth of the earth.
Lord, give me your grace and the pow'r of the Spirit
to value this treasure aright
that, never allured by the world, I inherit
your kingdom of glory and light.

- 2 Your kingdom, O God, is alive with the power
your Word and your Spirit bestow.
Like yeast, they affect the whole measure of flour,
enabling your kingdom to grow.
Empower me, Lord, as I live your commission,
though humble my service may be,
and bring ev'ry planting to perfect fruition,
a mustard seed grown to a tree.

- 3 Your kingdom, O God, is a field for the growing
of seeds that your mercy has sown;
but still in our midst is the enemy sowing
the weeds that imperil your own.
Sustain me, O Lord, till your day of returning
and harvest me homeward at last,
to shine in the homeland that quiets all yearning,
where sorrow and danger are past.

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First Reading

Deuteronomy 10:12–22

¹²And now, Israel, what does the LORD your God ask of you but to fear the LORD your God, to walk in obedience to him, to love him, to serve the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul, ¹³and to observe the LORD's commands and decrees that I am giving you today for your own good?

¹⁴To the LORD your God belong the heavens, even the highest heavens, the earth and everything in it. ¹⁵Yet the LORD set his affection on your ancestors and loved them, and he chose you, their descendants, above all the nations—as it is today. ¹⁶Circumcise your hearts, therefore, and do not be stiff-necked any longer. ¹⁷For the LORD your God is God of gods and Lord of lords, the great God, mighty and awesome, who shows no partiality and accepts no bribes. ¹⁸He defends the cause of the fatherless and the widow, and loves the foreigner residing among you, giving them food and clothing. ¹⁹And you are to love those who are foreigners, for you yourselves were foreigners in Egypt. ²⁰Fear the LORD your God and serve him. Hold fast to him and take your oaths in his name. ²¹He is the one you praise; he is your God, who performed for you those great and awesome wonders you saw with your own eyes. ²²Your ancestors who went down into Egypt were seventy in all, and now the LORD your God has made you as numerous as the stars in the sky.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Praise God for His Goodness

10:30am, Sung by the Youth Bible Class

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, O heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Through the Red Sea, God led the way,
As fire by night and cloud by day.
When Pharaoh's army came in sight,
God closed the waters, won the fight.

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Psalm

Psalm 90B

The Junior Choir will introduce the refrain, followed by the congregation, and will sing the verses.

Refrain



Lord, you have been our / dwelling place
throughout all gener- / ations.

A thousand years in your sight are like a day that has / just gone by,
or like a watch / in the night.

Yet you sweep people away in the / sleep of death—
they are like the new grass of the / morning:
In the morning it / springs up new,
but by evening it is dry and / withered. *Refrain*

Our days may come to / sev'nty years,
or eighty, if our / strength endures;
yet the best of them are but trouble and / sorrow,
for they quickly pass, and we / fly away.

Teach us to number / our days,
that we may gain a heart of / wisdom.
Satisfy us in the morning with your un- / failing love,
that we may sing for joy and be glad / all our days.

**Glory be to the Father and / to the Son
and to the Holy / Spirit,
as it was in the be- / ginning,
is now, and will be forever. / Amen. *Refrain***

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Second Reading

1 John 2:15–17

¹⁵Do not love the world or anything in the world. If anyone loves the world, love for the Father is not in them. ¹⁶For everything in the world—the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life—comes not from the Father but from the world. ¹⁷The world and its desires pass away, but whoever does the will of God lives forever.

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Please stand

Gospel

Luke 18:18–30

¹⁸A certain ruler asked him, “Good teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?”
¹⁹“Why do you call me good?” Jesus answered. “No one is good—except God alone. ²⁰You know the commandments: ‘You shall not commit adultery, you shall not murder, you shall not steal, you shall not give false testimony, honor your father and mother.’”
²¹“All these I have kept since I was a boy,” he said.
²²When Jesus heard this, he said to him, “You still lack one thing. Sell everything you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow me.”
²³When he heard this, he became very sad, because he was very wealthy. ²⁴Jesus looked at him and said, “How hard it is for the rich to enter the kingdom of God! ²⁵Indeed, it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.”
²⁶Those who heard this asked, “Who then can be saved?”
²⁷Jesus replied, “What is impossible with man is possible with God.”
²⁸Peter said to him, “We have left all we had to follow you!”
²⁹“Truly I tell you,” Jesus said to them, “no one who has left home or wife or brothers or sisters or parents or children for the sake of the kingdom of God ³⁰will fail to receive many times as much in this age, and in the age to come eternal life.”

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise be to you, O Christ!

Be seated

What Is the World to Me

CW 717



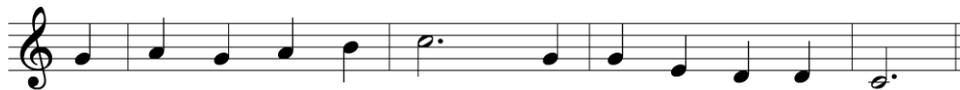
1 What is the world to me with all its vaunt-ed plea - sure
2 The world seeks af - ter wealth and all that mon - ey of - fers,
3 The world is like a cloud and like a va - por fleet - ing,
4 What is the world to me! My Je - sus is my trea - sure,



when you and you a - lone, Lord Je - sus, are my trea - sure!
yet nev - er is con - tent though gold should fill its cof - fers.
a shad - ow that de - clines, swift to its end re - treat - ing.
my life, my health, my wealth, my friend, my love, my plea - sure,



You on - ly, dear - est Lord, my soul's de - light shall be;
I have a high - er good, con - tent with it I'll be;
My Je - sus shall re - main, though all things fade and flee,
my joy, my crown, my all, my bliss e - ter - nal - ly.



you are my peace, my rest. What is the world to me!
my Je - sus is my wealth. What is the world to me!
my ev - er - last - ing rock. What is the world to me!
Once more then I de - clare: What is the world to me!

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Sermon

We Praise You, O God

CW 210



- 1 We praise you, O God, we acclaim you as Lord;
 2 Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of heav'n - ly hosts,
 3 The white-robed army of martyrs praise — you.



- 1 all creation worships you, Fa - ther ev - er - last - ing.
 2 heaven and earth are full — of your glo - ry.
 3 Throughout the world the ho - ly Church ac - claims you:



- 1 To you all angels, all the pow'rs of heav'n,
 2 The glorious company of apostles praise — you.
 3 Father of majesty unbounded; your glorious, true, and on - ly Son;



- 1 cherubim and seraphim, sing in end - less praise:
 2 The noble fellowship of proph - ets praise — you.
 3 and the Holy Spirit, ad - vo - cate and guide.



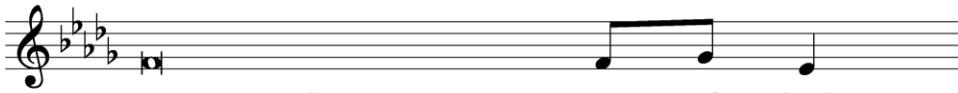
- 4 You, Christ, are the King of glo - ry, the eternal Son of the Fa - ther.



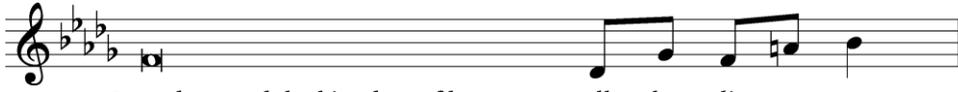
- 5 When you became man to set us free,
 6 You sit at the right hand of God



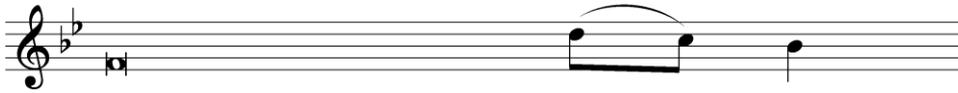
- 5 you humbled yourself to be born of a vir - gin.
 6 in the glory of the Fa - ther.



5 You overcame the sting of death
6 We believe that you will come



5 and opened the kingdom of heaven to all be - liev - ers.
6 to be our judge.



7 Come then, Lord, and help your peo - ple,



7 bought with the price of your own blood,



7 and bring us with your saints to glory ev - er - last - ing.

Be seated

Offering

Offering boxes are available in the back of Church as you leave. If you wish to give an electronic offering, we have provided a QR code at the end of this worship folder. You can also go to pilgrimcares.org/giving to give your offerings online.

Lord, Have Mercy

CW 213

Hear my voice when I call, O Lord; be merciful and answer me.

Lord, have mer - cy. Christ, have mer - cy. Lord, have mer - cy.

The image shows two staves of musical notation in G major (one flat). The first staff contains the first line of the hymn, and the second staff contains the chorus. The lyrics are written below the notes.

Prayers

Prayer of the Day

Let us pray.

Lord, keep your household, the church, in continual godliness, and set us free from all adversities that, under your protection, we may serve you with true devotion and holy deeds; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

In Christ Alone

CW 510

- 1 In Christ alone my hope is found;
he is my light, my strength, my song;
this cornerstone, this solid ground,
firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
when fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My comforter, my all in all;
here in the love of Christ I stand.

- 2 In Christ alone, who took on flesh,
fullness of God in helpless babe;
this gift of love and righteousness,
scorned by the ones he came to save.
Till on that cross as Jesus died,
the wrath of God was satisfied;
for ev'ry sin on him was laid;
here in the death of Christ I live.
- 3 There in the ground his body lay,
light of the world by darkness slain;
then bursting forth in glorious day,
up from the grave he rose again!
And as he stands in victory,
sin's curse has lost its grip on me;
for I am his and he is mine,
bought with the precious blood of Christ.
- 4 No guilt in life, no fear in death,
this is the pow'r of Christ in me;
from life's first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man
can ever pluck me from his hand;
till he returns or calls me home,
here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand.

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Stand

O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, you have brought us safely to this new day. Defend us with your mighty power, and grant that this day we neither fall into sin nor run into any kind of danger. And in all we do, direct us to what is right in your sight; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord.

Amen.

Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and forever. Amen.



Let us praise the Lord.



Thanks be to God.



The grace of our Lord + Je - sus Christ and the love of God



and the fellowship of the Holy Spir - it be with you all.

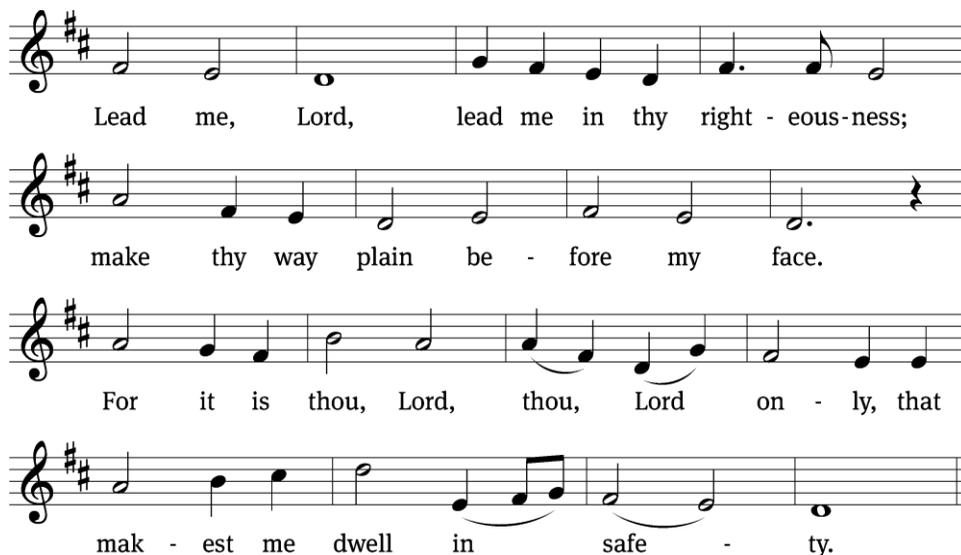


A - men.

Be seated

Lead Me, Lord

CW 926



Lead me, Lord, lead me in thy right - eous-ness;
make thy way plain be - fore my face.
For it is thou, Lord, thou, Lord on - ly, that
mak - est me dwell in safe - ty.

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News & Notes

Flowers are given to the glory of God by Dennis & Pat Knack in celebration of their twenty-eighth wedding anniversary. Happy anniversary Dennis & Pat!

Trunks needed! Candy needed! Please consider hosting a Trunk or donating candy (or both!!!) for our annual outreach event! Trunk or Treat was a huge success last year! Use the [Sign Up Genius](#) at pilgrimcares.org, E-mail the office at office@pilgrimcares.org, or **sign up at church** if you are planning on hosting a Trunk.

-Hosting a trunk is easy! Pick a simple theme (just Google for ideas!!) and be available from 2-4 on Sunday October 30. Set up will start at 1pm in the parking lot next to the gym. New this year is a contest for the BEST TRUNK!! Trick or Treaters will have a chance to vote on the best trunk. Prizes will be given!!

-Donations of candy are needed and appreciated! Approximately 8,000 pieces of candy were given out last year. Please place donations of candy in the Helping 5 bin throughout the month of October.

Game Night was a big success! We are doing it again! Sunday, October 23 at 4:00pm. No previous tabletop gaming experience necessary. Games and pizza will be provided but feel free to bring any specific games you want to play. This could be a lowkey outreach opportunity or another way to build community with a little friendly competition. Contact Bob Bruss with any questions or suggestions (robert.bruss@gmail.com).

The Thai Village Craft Display is coming back to Pilgrim! The Thai Village display will be available on November 2 before and after church, November 3 after school and November 6 in between church services. 100% of sales are returned directly to Thai Village Inc. Thai Village Inc is a non-profit organization, started with assistance from WELS Kingdom Workers. They seek to develop long-term Christian relationships with artisans, and to encourage self-sufficiency by providing opportunities for vocational training and Christian education, made possible by not-for-profit craft sales. They produce a large variety of unique handmade jewelry, personal accessories, stationery, and home decor.

The Tabitha Society will welcome Mary Prange to its meeting on Thursday afternoon, November 3, at 1:30pm in the school conference room. Mary, a long-time member of the Lutheran Chorale of Milwaukee and its director for many years, will tell us some of the history of the choir and share some amusing anecdotes. She may also lead us in some music-making of our own! All women are welcome to attend. Please join us! Barb Januzzi and Chris Bachmann will provide refreshments.

Pilgrim Boy Pioneers are having their annual wreath sale! Orders are due November 13 and pick up is Saturday or Sunday, November 26 or 27. There are several different options, grab an order sheet from the shelf in the back of church.

Don't miss Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School's Children's Theatre production of *The Trials of Robin Hood* on Friday, October 28 at 7:00 PM and Saturday, October 29, at 2:00 PM. Tickets will be sold at the door beginning 30 minutes before each public performance. All tickets are general admission and \$5/person. Visit kmlhs.org/theatre for more information.

Pilgrim member Andy Braun was cast in a music review show at Sunset Playhouse in Elm Grove. "Americana" features standard American folk songs as well as classic songs by Peter Paul & Mary, Joni Mitchell, Neil Young, Bob Dylan, Woody Guthrie, and more! The show runs October 24-25 and tickets can be purchased at <https://sunsetplayhouse.com/shows/americana/>

Grace Fine Art & Craft Festival at Grace Downtown The 14th Annual Grace Fine Art & Craft Festival takes place on Sunday, Nov. 6 from 9:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.m. at the Grace Center (250 E. Juneau Ave, Milwaukee). The event is free to attend and features the work of 25 Wisconsin artists and makers. Artists' work includes ceramics, jewelry, woodwork, photography, artisan chocolates, home decor and more! For questions, contact festival coordinator, Chelsie Mattek, at 414-271-3006 or cmattek@gracedowntown.org.

Morning Star Lutheran (N171W20131 Highland Rd, Jackson) will be hosting Laura Reinke from Christian Family Solutions, she will speak on the topic of "Anxiety & Depression in Young Children and Teens". The presentation will be on Tuesday, October 25th from 7 - 8 PM at Morning Star.

You're Invited! New Beginnings' Wine & Dine Thursday, November 10 6:00-8:00pm Terrace 167 in Richfield. Join us for an evening of fine wine, specialty beers, appetizers, and a silent auction benefiting the mothers and children at New Beginnings - A Home for Mothers. Entertainment will be provided by Branches Band! Go to homeformothers.com to register or for more information.

Come Experience the KML Culture at Our Open House! Come experience Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School at our Open House on Sunday, November 20, from 1:00-3:00 PM. Please enter using the PAC entrance. Questions? Contact Mr. Jerry Zeamer (262.677.4051 x4009; jerry.zeamer@kmlhs.org).

Ushers8:00am10:30am

10-23

Jim Brandt
Phill LeppleJim Prekop
Tim Anderson

10-30

Matt Lawonn
Joe JanuzziGlen Kuphall
Mike Olson**Greeters**

10-23

Tim & Tammy Adams

Bryan & Ellen Giesenschlag

10-30

Dennis & Joan Schmick

June Bitney & Delores Tessmer

ATTENDANCE – DOES NOT INCLUDE ONLINE WORSHIPPERS

10-16

130 + 106 = 236

10-19

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Bible Class

70

Youth Bible Class

27



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Next weekend in worship...

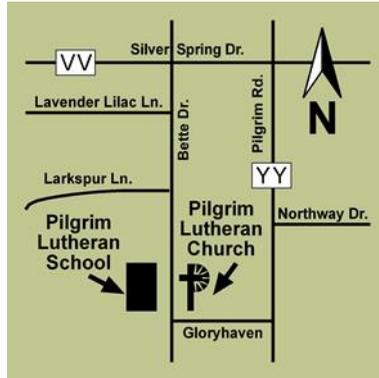
We'll be following Martin Luther's German Mass and Order of Worship (1526). WELS Hymnal Project director, Rev. Michael Schultz writes, "This service is an adaptation of the same, making use of certain text elements of The Service. It is impossible and impractical to reproduce exactly the service Luther created. The version we will follow enables us to gain a sense of liturgical heritage, however, and to experience an order that established the framework for Lutheran worship to our day."

What will be different?

- More singing and choir-led music
- Most hymns will come from Luther's time - in text and tune
- Various instruments will help enhance our worship
- ...and more!

In order to familiarize ourselves with this music, the office will email a one-page document that has recordings linked for your listening. Please watch for this email to be sent on **Monday, October 24**.

May God bless our efforts and worship as we celebrate our rich Lutheran heritage!



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