

+ TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY +  
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## CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

### HYMN OF INVOCATION

*LSB 905*

- 1    Come, Thou almighty King,  
      Help us Thy name to sing;  
      Help us to praise;  
      Father all-glorious,  
      O'er all victorious,  
      Come and reign over us,  
      Ancient of Days.
  
- 2    Come, Thou incarnate Word,  
      Gird on Thy mighty sword;  
      Our prayer attend.  
      Come and Thy people bless,  
      And give Thy Word success,  
      And let Thy righteousness  
      On us descend.
  
- 3    Come, holy Comforter,  
      Thy sacred witness bear  
      In this glad hour!  
      Thou, who almighty art,  
      Now rule in ev'ry heart,  
      And ne'er from us depart,  
      Spirit of pow'r.
  
- △ 4    To Thee, great One in Three,  
      Eternal praises be  
      Hence evermore!

Thy sov'reign majesty  
May we in glory see,  
And to eternity  
Love and adore.

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## *Stand*

*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

**P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

**P** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

**P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,

**C** who made heaven and earth.

**P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

**C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

**P** Almighty God, our maker and redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**C** O most merciful God, who has given Your only-begotten Son to die for us, have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Your Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of You and of Your will and true obedience to Your Word, to the end that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

**P** Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe on His name He gives power to become the children of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved.

Grant this, Lord, unto us all.

**C** Amen.

## SERVICE OF THE WORD

### INTROIT

*Psalm 70:2b, 4a, 5b; antiphon: vv. 1–2a*

**P** Make haste, O God, to deliver me!

**C** O LORD, make haste to help me!

**P** Let them be put to shame and confusion

**C** who seek my life!

**P** Let them be turned back

**C** and brought to dishonor who desire my hurt!

**P** May all who seek you rejoice

**C** and be glad in you!

**P** You are my help and my deliverer;

**C** O LORD, do not delay!

**C** ♪ **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.**

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**C** O LORD, make haste to help me!

**P** Let them be put to shame and confusion

**C** who seek my life!

### KYRIE

*LSB 186*

**C** ♪ **Lord, have mercy upon us.  
Christ, have mercy upon us.  
Lord, have mercy upon us.**

## GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

LSB 187

**P** † Glory be to God on high:

**C** † **And on earth peace, goodwill toward men.**

**We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee,  
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.**

**O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.**

**O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;**

**O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,**

**that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.**

**Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.**

**Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy  
upon us.**

**For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.**

**Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,**

**art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

## SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

**P** † The Lord be with you.

**C** † **And with thy spirit.**

**P** † Let us pray.

Almighty and merciful God, by Your gift alone Your faithful people  
render true and laudable service. Help us steadfastly to live in this life  
according to Your promises and finally attain Your heavenly glory;  
through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You  
and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** † **Amen.**

*Sit*

## OLD TESTAMENT READING

*Isaiah 35:4-7a*

**P** The Old Testament Reading for the Twelfth Sunday after Trinity is from  
Isaiah, chapter 35.

<sup>4</sup>Say to those who have an anxious heart,  
“Be strong; fear not!  
Behold, your God  
will come with vengeance,  
with the recompense of God.  
He will come and save you.”  
<sup>5</sup>Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened,  
and the ears of the deaf unstopped;  
<sup>6</sup>then shall the lame man leap like a deer,  
and the tongue of the mute sing for joy.  
For waters break forth in the wilderness,  
and streams in the desert;  
<sup>7</sup>the burning sand shall become a pool,  
and the thirsty ground springs of water.”

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

#### GRADUAL

*Psalm 34:1–2*

**P** I will bless the LORD at all times;

**C** his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

**P** My soul makes its boast in the LORD;

**C** let the humble hear and be glad.

#### EPISTLE

*Romans 10:9–17*

**P** The Epistle is from Romans, chapter 10.

<sup>9</sup>If you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. <sup>10</sup>For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved. <sup>11</sup>For the Scripture says, “Everyone who believes in him will not be put to shame.” <sup>12</sup>For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all, bestowing his riches on all who call on him. <sup>13</sup>For “everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.”

<sup>14</sup>But how are they to call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? <sup>15</sup>And how are they to preach unless

they are sent? As it is written, “How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!”<sup>16</sup> But they have not all obeyed the gospel. For Isaiah says, “Lord, who has believed what he has heard from us?”<sup>17</sup> So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

*Stand*

### ALLELUIA and VERSE

*LSB 190; Psalm 81:1*

**C** † Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**P** Alleluia. Sing aloud to God our strength; shout for joy to the God of Jacob. Alleluia.

**C** † Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

### HOLY GOSPEL

*Mark 7:31–37*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the seventh chapter.

**C** † Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

<sup>31</sup>[Jesus] returned from the region of Tyre and went through Sidon to the Sea of Galilee, in the region of the Decapolis. <sup>32</sup>And they brought to him a man who was deaf and had a speech impediment, and they begged him to lay his hand on him. <sup>33</sup>And taking him aside from the crowd privately, he put his fingers into his ears, and after spitting touched his tongue. <sup>34</sup>And looking up to heaven, he sighed and said to him, “Ephphatha,” that is, “Be opened.” <sup>35</sup>And his ears were opened, his tongue was released, and he spoke plainly. <sup>36</sup>And Jesus charged them to tell no one. But the more he charged them, the more zealously they proclaimed it. <sup>37</sup>And they were astonished beyond measure, saying, “He has done all things well. He even makes the deaf hear and the mute speak.”

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** † Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

### APOSTLES' CREED

**C** I believe in God, the Father Almighty,

**maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried.  
He descended into hell.  
The third day He rose again from the dead.  
He ascended into heaven  
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.  
From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy Christian Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life † everlasting. Amen.**

*Sit*

**HYMN OF THE DAY**

*LSB 549*

- 1 All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name!  
Let angels prostrate fall;  
Bring forth the royal diadem  
And crown Him Lord of all.  
Bring forth the royal diadem  
And crown Him Lord of all.
  
- 2 Crown Him, ye martyrs of our God,  
Who from His altar call;  
Extol the stem of Jesse's rod  
And crown Him Lord of all.  
Extol the stem of Jesse's rod  
And crown Him Lord of all.

- 3 Ye seed of Israel's chosen race,  
Ye ransomed from the fall,  
Hail Him who saves you by His grace  
And crown Him Lord of all.  
Hail Him who saves you by His grace  
And crown Him Lord of all.
- 4 Hail Him, ye heirs of David's line,  
Whom David Lord did call,  
The God incarnate, man divine,  
And crown Him Lord of all.  
The God incarnate, man divine,  
And crown Him Lord of all.
- 5 Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget  
The wormwood and the gall,  
Go, spread your trophies at His feet  
And crown Him Lord of all.  
Go, spread your trophies at His feet  
And crown Him Lord of all.
- 6 Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe,  
On this terrestrial ball  
To Him all majesty ascribe  
And crown Him Lord of all.  
To Him all majesty ascribe  
And crown Him Lord of all.
- 7 Oh, that with yonder sacred throng  
We at His feet may fall!  
We'll join the everlasting song  
And crown Him Lord of all.  
We'll join the everlasting song  
And crown Him Lord of all.

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## SERMON

*“Ephphatha!” Mark 7:31-37*

*Stand*

## OFFERTORY

*LSB 956*

- 1 Create in me a clean heart, O God,  
and renew a right spirit within me.  
Cast me not away from Thy presence;  
and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.  
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation;  
and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

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*Sit*

## OFFERING

*Stand*

## PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

### SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

## PREFACE

*LSB 194*

**P** † The Lord be with you.

**C** † **And with thy spirit.**

**P** † Lift up your hearts.

**C** † **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

**P** † Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.

**C** † **It is meet and right so to do.**

**P** † It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who, out of love for His fallen creation,

humbled Himself by taking on the form of a servant, becoming obedient unto death, even death upon a cross. Risen from the dead, He has freed us from eternal death and given us life everlasting. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

## **SANCTUS**

*LSB 195*

- C** † **Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth;  
heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory.  
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the name of  
the Lord.  
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.**

## **LORD'S PRAYER**

*LSB 196*

- P** † Our Father who art in heaven,  
hallowed be Thy name,  
Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;  
give us this day our daily bread;  
and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against  
us;  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.
- C** † **For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and  
ever. Amen.**

## **THE WORDS OF OUR LORD**

*LSB 197*

- P** † Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

† In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the

forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

**PAX DOMINI**

*LSB 197*

**P**    ♪ The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C**    ♪ Amen.

**AGNUS DEI**

*LSB 198*

**C**    ♪ **O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.**

**O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.**

**O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.**

*Sit*

**DISTRIBUTION**

**DISTRIBUTION HYMN**

*LSB 623*

1    Lord Jesus Christ, we humbly pray  
    That we may feast on You today;  
    Beneath these forms of bread and wine  
    Enrich us with Your grace divine.

2    Give us, who share this wondrous food,  
    Your body broken and Your blood,  
    The grateful peace of sins forgiv'n,  
    The certain joys of heirs of heav'n.

3    By faith Your Word has made us bold  
    To seize the gift of love retold;  
    All that You are we here receive,  
    And all we are to You we give.

4    One bread, one cup, one body, we,  
    Rejoicing in our unity,

Proclaim Your love until You come  
To bring Your scattered loved ones home.

- 5 Lord Jesus Christ, we humbly pray:  
O keep us steadfast till that day  
When each will be Your welcomed guest  
In heaven's high and holy feast.

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## **DISTRIBUTION HYMN**

*LSB 589*

- 1 Speak, O Lord, Your servant listens,  
Let Your Word to me come near;  
Newborn life and spirit give me,  
Let each promise still my fear.  
Death's dread pow'r, its inward strife,  
Wars against Your Word of life;  
Fill me, Lord, with love's strong fervor  
That I cling to You forever!
- 2 Oh, what blessing to be near You  
And to listen to Your voice;  
Let me ever love and hear You,  
Let Your Word be now my choice!  
Many hardened sinners, Lord,  
Flee in terror at Your Word;  
But to all who feel sin's burden  
You give words of peace and pardon.
- 3 Lord, Your words are waters living  
When my thirsting spirit pleads.  
Lord, Your words are bread life-giving;  
On Your words my spirit feeds.  
Lord, Your words will be my light  
Through death's cold and dreary night;  
Yes, they are my sword prevailing  
And my cup of joy unfailing!

- 4 As I pray, dear Jesus, hear me;  
Let Your words in me take root.  
May Your Spirit e'er be near me  
That I bear abundant fruit.  
May I daily sing Your praise,  
From my heart glad anthems raise,  
Till my highest praise is given  
In the endless joy of heaven.

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### **DISTRIBUTION HYMN**

*LSB 704*

- 1 Renew me, O eternal Light,  
And let my heart and soul be bright,  
Illumined with the light of grace  
That issues from Your holy face.
- 2 Remove the pow'r of sin from me  
And cleanse all my impurity  
That I may have the strength and will  
Temptations of the flesh to still.
- 3 Create in me a new heart, Lord,  
That gladly I obey Your Word.  
Let what You will be my desire,  
And with new life my soul inspire.
- 4 Grant that I only You may love  
And seek those things which are above  
Till I behold You face to face,  
O Light eternal, through Your grace.

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*Stand*

**NUNC DIMITTIS***LSB 199*

- C** † Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word,  
for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people,  
a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel.  
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.

**THANKSGIVING***LSB 200*

- P** † O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,  
**C** † and His mercy endureth forever.
- P** † Let us pray.  
† We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C** † Amen.
- P** † The Lord be with you.  
**C** † And with thy spirit.

**BENEDICAMUS***LSB 202*

- P** † Bless we the Lord.  
**C** † Thanks be to God.

**BENEDICTION***LSB 202*

- P** † The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.  
The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and † give you peace.  
**C** † Amen, amen, amen.

## HYMN TO DEPART

LSB 923

- 1 Almighty Father, bless the Word  
Which through Your grace we now have heard.  
Oh, may the precious seed take root,  
Spring up, and bear abundant fruit!
  
- 2 We praise You for the means of grace  
As homeward now our steps we trace.  
Grant, Lord, that we who worshiped here  
May all at last in heav'n appear.
  
- △ 3 Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

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