## The Reading: Jeremiah 1:1-10; 7:1-11 (you may be seated)

¹The words of Jeremiah son of Hilkiah, one of the priests at Anathoth in the territory of Benjamin. ²The word of the Lord came to him in the thirteenth year of the reign of Josiah son of Amon king of Judah, ³and through the reign of Jehoiakim son of Josiah king of Judah, down to the fifth month of the eleventh year of Zedekiah son of Josiah king of Judah, when the people of Jerusalem went into exile. ⁴The word of the Lord came to me, saying, ⁵ "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart; I appointed you as a prophet to the nations." ⁶"Alas, Sovereign Lord," I said, "I do not know how to speak; I am too young." ¹But the Lord said to me, "Do not say, 'I am too young.' You must go to everyone I send you to and say whatever I command you. ³Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you and will rescue you," declares the Lord. ¹Then the Lord reached out his hand and touched my mouth and said to me, "I have put my words in your mouth. ¹¹ See, today I appoint you over nations and kingdoms to uproot and tear down, to destroy and overthrow, to build and to plant."

¹This is the word that came to Jeremiah from the Lord: ² "Stand at the gate of the Lord's house and there proclaim this message: "'Hear the word of the Lord, all you people of Judah who come through these gates to worship the Lord. ³ This is what the Lord Almighty, the God of Israel, says: Reform your ways and your actions, and I will let you live in this place. ⁴ Do not trust in deceptive words and say, "This is the temple of the Lord, the temple of the Lord!" ⁵ If you really change your ways and your actions and deal with each other justly, ⁶ if you do not oppress the foreigner, the fatherless or the widow and do not shed innocent blood in this place, and if you do not follow other gods to your own harm, ¹ then I will let you live in this place, in the land I gave your ancestors for ever and ever. ⁶ But look, you are trusting in deceptive words that are worthless. '"Will you steal and murder, commit adultery and perjury, burn incense to Baal and follow other gods you have not known, ¹⁰ and then come and stand before me in this house, which bears my Name, and say, "We are safe" — safe to do all these detestable things? ¹¹ Has this house, which bears my Name, become a den of robbers to you? But I have been watching! declares the Lord.

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# Hymn of the Day and Offering: "Jesus Name Above All Names" W&P #77

Offerings will be collected during the hymn of the day. Thank you also to those who give online. If you'd like to sign up for online giving please visit http://www.stlukegoodhue.org/online-giving.html. Children's coin offering will go toward ELCA Good Gifts serving communities in need around the world.

Vs. 1: Jesus, name above all names, beautiful Savior, glorious Lord. Emmanuel, God is with us, blessed Redeemer, Living Word.

Vs. 2: Jesus, loving Shepherd, Vine of the branches, Son of God.
Prince of Peace, Wonderful Counselor, Lord of the universe, Light of the world.

Vs. 3: Jesus, way of salvation King of Kings, Lord of Lords.

The Way, the truth, and the life Mighty Creator, My Savior and Friend.

Offertory Response: "Give Thanks" W&P 41 (ushers bring offerings forward)

Give thanks with a grateful heart. Give thanks to the Holy One.

Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son. And now let the weak say, "I am strong".

Let the poor say, "I am rich Because of what the Lord has done for us". Give thanks.

## **Offering Prayer:**

P: Let us pray together,

C: Creator God, you give to us all that is good, and our tables overflow. May these gifts from your hand and through our labors work for the good of all. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

**Apostles' Creed:** (please stand as you are able)

I believe in God the Father almighty, creator of heaven & earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### The Prayers:

Drawn into the embrace of the holy Trinity, we lift our prayers for the wholeness of the church, the world, and all creation. *A brief silence*. Abiding God, your love pours into your whole church, creating faith and bestowing hope. Fill all the baptized with these good gifts in our various callings. Gather your church in every place and expression into the unity of your Spirit. God of grace, **hear our prayer**.

Creating God, your name is majestic in all the earth, and we are filled with awe at your creation. Renew this planet and all its wonders: springs abounding with water, earth and soil, beasts of the field, birds of the air, and fish of the sea. God of grace, **hear our prayer.** 

Sovereign God, you delight in the whole human race. On this week of Juneteenth, bring an end to racial oppression and heal the wounds of racial trauma. Grant us your wisdom, so that all people, especially those in authority, work for the life and freedom of others. God of grace, **hear our prayer.** 

Compassionate God, your mindful care for us is everlasting. Give peace to all who are troubled, endurance to all who suffer, deliverance to all who are afflicted, and healing to all who are sick especially Keith Brown, Jan Benidt, Dave (Pud) Gnotke, Shawn Fredixon, Marc Bode, Harlan Reese, Gage Miller, Perry Fitzgerald, Tanya Bakken, Nicole Anderson, Henry Strauss, Diane Krenke, Steve Pabst, Bob Eppen, Tara Vieths, Chase Hanson, Scott Bignell, Linda Kuyath, & the family of Joan Quiggle. God of grace, hear our prayer.

Living God, your glory appears in our shared life. On this Father's Day, give to all fathers and father figures gentle hearts and strong spirits, heal the wounds in our families, and comfort those for whom this day brings pain. God of grace, **hear our prayer.** 

Eternal God, your hope does not disappoint. We give you thanks for all who have died in the hope of the resurrection. Hold us in our grief, and bring us at last to fullness of life in you. God of grace, **hear our prayer.** 

Gather all our prayers in your mercy, O God, through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

## **Sharing the Peace:**

## The Great Thanksgiving:

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. C: It is right to give Him thanks & praise.

#### The Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer: 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. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

#### **The Meal & Hymns:** (congregation may be seated)

All are welcome at this meal. We believe in the saving power of Jesus Christ through the gift of his life, death, and resurrection experienced in bread and wine.

Please move forward via the center aisle. Bread is received in the hands. Wine is received by dipping the bread into the wine chalice and consuming both together. All ages are welcome to commune. Those not communing may receive a blessing by simply keeping your hands folded or extending your arms over your chest in the sign of a cross inviting blessing. For those unable to consume either wine or bread, communion is received fully in either element alone, for Christ is fully present in the meal. You may return to your seats via the side aisles after communing. Gluten-free is available, simply make the server aware of your need. Also, if you cannot come forward, but wish for communion or blessing, let the usher know it will come to you at the end.

#### "Now We Remain" ELW #500

We hold the death of the Lord deep in our hearts. Living, now we remain with Jesus, the Christ.

Once we were people afraid, lost in the night. Then by Your Cross we were saved,

Dead became living, life from Your giving. Something which we have known, something we've touched. What we have seen with our eyes, This we have heard, life-giving Word.

He chose to give of Himself, became our bread. Broken that we might live,

Love beyond love, pain for our pain. We are the presence of God; this is our call.

Now to become bread and wine, Food for the hungry, life for the weary,

For to live with the Lord, we must die with the Lord.

#### "Let Us Break Bread Together" ELW #471

Vs 1: Let us break bread together on our knees; Let us break bread together on our knees.

Refrain: When I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sun, O Lord, have mercy on me.

Vs 2: Let us drink wine together on our knees; Let us drink wine together on our knees. (Refrain)

Vs 3: Let us praise God together on our knees; Let us praise God together on our knees. (Refrain)

### "There is a Redeemer" (CCLI Lic.)

Vs. 1: There is a redeemer. Jesus, God's own son, Precious lamb of God, Messiah, Holy one.

Refrain: Thank you oh my father, For giving us your son And leaving your spirit 'Til the work on earth is done.

Vs 2: Jesus my redeemer, Name above all names. Precious lamb of God, Messiah.

Oh, for sinners slain. [Refrain]

Vs 3: When I stand in glory, I will see his face

And there I'll serve my king forever, In that holy place. [Refrain]

Vs 4: There is a redeemer. Jesus, God's own son. Precious lamb of God, Messiah, Holy one

Final Refrain: Thank you oh my father, For giving us your son And leaving your spirit 'Til the work on earth is done. 'Till the work on earth is done.

#### **Communion Prayer:** (please stand as you are able)

P: Let us pray together,

C: Saving God, you gathered us to your table and we drank deeply of your grace. Send us out by your Spirit to love our neighbors as ourselves and proclaim your love in Jesus' name. Amen.

#### **Blessing:**

P: May the love of God abound in you. May the grace of our Savior Jesus Christ fill your hearts. And may the life of the Spirit bless you and give you peace.

C: Amen.

Sending Hymn: "God Whose Almighty Word" ELW #673

Vs 1: God, whose almighty word, chaos and darkness heard, and took their flight: hear us, we humbly pray, and where the gospel day sheds not its glorious ray, let there be light!

Vs. 2: Christ, who once came to bring, on your redeeming wing, healing and sight; health to the troubled mind, sight where illusions blind; oh, now to human kind let there be light!

Vs 3: Spirit of truth and love, life-giving, holy dove, speed forth your flight; move on the water's face bearing the lamp of grace, and in earth's darkest place let there be light!

Vs 4: Holy and blessed three, glorious Trinity, Wisdom, Love, Might; boundless as ocean's tide, rolling in fullest pride, through the earth, far and wide, let there be light!

#### Dismissal:

P: Go in peace to love the Lord and serve your neighbor.

C: Thanks be to God.

#### **Postlude**

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# St. Luke Lutheran

Pastor Eric Hanson Holy Trinity Sunday 9:30AM • June 15, 2025

Prelude: soloist Kayla Ryan

#### Welcome and Announcements

**Greeting:** (please stand as you are able)

P: The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God. 
C: Come Holy Spirit, Come!

## **Confession and Forgiveness:**

P: Baptized into Christ, we confess our sin in search of healing, (Silence is kept for reflection.) Merciful God,

- C: You free us to love others, but we neglect our neighbors and follow our own way. You lead us by the Spirit toward joy & peace, but we often prioritize a love for wealth and power instead. You surround us with patience, kindness, and generosity, but we grow weary in doing what is right. In your mercy, forgive us. Do not give up on us. Break the bonds of sin and heal us. Amen.
- P: You belong to Christ, not to sin. In the cross of Christ, and through the power of the Holy Spirit, your sins are forgiven. Be the New Creation Christ has made you. **C: Amen.**

Gathering Hymn: "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty" ELW #413

- Vs 1: Holy, holy! Lord God almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee. Holy, holy! Merciful and mighty! God in three persons, blessed trinity!
- Vs 2: Holy, holy! All the saints adore thee, casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee, which were, and art, and evermore shalt be.
- Vs 3: Holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee, though the eye of sinfulness thy glory may not see, only thou art holy; there is none beside thee, perfect in pow'r, in love and purity.
- Vs 4: Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea. Holy, holy, merciful and mighty! God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

**Prayer of the Day:** P: Let us pray together.

C: Almighty God, open our hearts to your Spirit's voice. When we are convicted sin, help us reach for confession and repentance. When we are blessed, guide us to share our blessings. In all things, help us discern where you are leading and give us the strength to follow. In Jesus' name we pray, amen.

Praise for the Word: "Glory to God" Canticle Of Praise pg 213-215

- Verse 1: Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest; glory to God, glory to God, and peace to God's people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.
- Refrain: Glory to God, glory to God in the highest; glory to God glory to God & peace to God's people on earth.
- Verse 2: Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father; receive our prayer. [Refrain]
- Verse 3: For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen. [Refrain]
- Final: Glory to God, glory to God in the highest; glory to God, glory to God & peace to God's people on earth, and peace to God's people on earth.