

St. John Lutheran Church

June 18, 2023

9:30 a.m.

Like the Israelites (called to be a priestly kingdom) and the disciples (sent out as laborers to the harvest), we are anointed for ministry in baptism. (to share God's compassion in a needy world). From the Lord's table we go forth to proclaim the good news, to heal the sick, and to share our bread with the hungry.

GATHERING

PRELUDE

RINGING OF THE BELL

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 100

OPENING REFLECTION

Matthew 9, Shift Worship

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

PROMISE OF FORGIVENESS

OPENING HYMN

Spread, Oh, Spread, Almighty Word #663

GREETING, LITANY & PRAYER OF THE DAY

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

HEARING GOD'S WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

FIRST READING

Exodus 19:2-8a

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God!

SECOND READING

Romans 5:1-8

The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God!

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

tune #308

*The righteousness of God is shown
On all who trust in Christ alone For reconciliation.
Into the Savior's death baptized,
With Christ they surely shall arise To share God's free salvation.
Alleluia! Naught can sever us forever
From God's favor, Granted us through Christ our Savior!*

The Gospel According to Matthew
Glory to You, O Lord.

GOSPEL LESSON

Matthew 9:35-10:8

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to You, O Christ.

MESSAGE

Sheepish Faith, Pastor Steve

OUR RESPONSE

HYMN OF THE DAY

We All Are One in Mission #576

APOSTLES' CREED

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PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

We Give Thee but Thine Own (vss. 1,4) #686

THE MEAL

PASSING THE PEACE

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

DISTRIBUTION

SPECIAL MUSIC

Hold On To Me, Judy Berkeland, Worship Choir

COMMUNION BLESSING

SENDING

SENDING REFLECTION

Reflections of God's Love, Shift Worship

SENDING PRAYER

BENEDICTION & DISMISSAL

HYMN

Rise Up, O Saints of God! (vss.1,3,5) #669

POSTLUDE

LEADERS IN THE SERVICE

Organist: Kimbra Lau

Liturgist: Lisa Manthei

Audio-Visual: Erik Magelee, Josh Hengel, Bryan Bennett & Carl Nienow

Council: Bev Raimann & Rita Caron

Church Staff:

Caryl O'Brien, Custodian

Music Directors: Denise Nienow & Judy Berkeland

Kayla Caven, Office Manager

Steve Berkeland, Pastor

Sunday, June 11 Attendance: 51 Online: 42

Offering: \$1,999.08