



Reformation 500

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## PRE-SERVICE DEVOTION

### Psalm 98

Oh, sing to the LORD a new song! For He has done marvelous things; His right hand and His holy arm have gained Him the victory. The LORD has made known His salvation; His righteousness He has revealed in the sight of the nations. He has remembered His mercy and His faithfulness to the house of Israel; All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. Shout joyfully to the LORD, all the earth; Break forth in song, rejoice, and sing praises. Sing to the LORD with the harp, With the harp and the sound of a psalm, With trumpets and the sound of a horn; Shout joyfully before the LORD, the King. Let the sea roar, and all its fullness, The world and those who dwell in it; Let the rivers clap their hands; Let the hills be joyful together before the LORD, For He is coming to judge the earth. With righteousness He shall judge the world, And the peoples with equity.

## SERVICE OF THE WORD

Liturgy:	Pastor Neal Radichel
Speakers:	Pastor David Ude Pastor Mark Bernthal Pastor Michael Eichstadt
Communion:	Pastor Terrel Kesterson
Organists:	Barry Hay

## SING, A NEW SONG

Hymn 90 — Come Your Hearts and Voices Raising

## INVOCATION

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

C  A-men.

## CONFESSION OF SINS

P Beloved in the Lord: let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins to God the Father, asking Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

All Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer: we confess that we are sinful by nature, and have sinned against You in our thoughts, words, and actions. We have not loved You above all things. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Have mercy on us, and, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ, forgive us our sins.

P God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given His only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C  A-men.

P *(Organ)* Lord, have mer - cy.

3  
C Lord, have mer - cy.

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P Christ, have mer - cy.

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

This is the feast of vic - t'ry for our God.

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Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose

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blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.

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Pow - er, rich - es, wis - dom, and strength. and



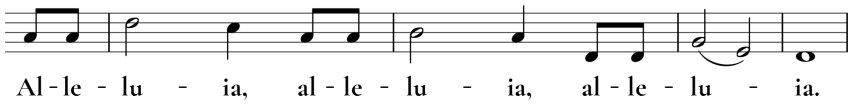
hon - or and bless - ing and glo - ry are his.

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This is the feast of vic - t'ry for our God.

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Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

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Sing with all the peo - ple of God and

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join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion:

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Bless - ing, hon - or, glo - ry and might be to

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God and the Lamb for - ev - er A - men.

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This is the feast of vic - t'ry for our God.

40



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

P Almighty and gracious Lord, pour out Your Holy Spirit on Your faithful people. Keep us steadfast in Your grace and truth, protect and deliver us in times of temptation, defend us against all enemies, and grant to Your Church Your saving peace; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C  A-men.

## THE APOSTLES' CREED

My First Hymnal, page 34

All I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe 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 is seated at the right  
hand of God the Father almighty. From there 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.

Children's Choir — Reformation Hymn  
Hymn 387:1-5,10 — Dear Christians One and All Rejoice

## THE WORD

*Joshua 2:1-21* Now Joshua the son of Nun sent out two men from Acacia Grove to spy secretly, saying, “Go, view the land, especially Jericho.” So they went, and came to the house of a harlot named Rahab, and lodged there. And it was told the king of Jericho, saying, “Behold, men have come here tonight from the children of Israel to search out the country.” So the king of Jericho sent to Rahab, saying, “Bring out the men who have come to you, who have entered your house, for they have come to search out all the country.” Then the woman took the two men and hid them. So she said, “Yes, the men came to me, but I did not know where they were from. “And it happened as the gate was being shut, when it



was dark, that the men went out. Where the men went I do not know; pursue them quickly, for you may overtake them.” (But she had brought them up to the roof and hidden them with the stalks of flax, which she had laid in order on the roof.) Then the men pursued them by the road to the Jordan, to the fords. And as soon as those who pursued them had gone out, they shut the gate. Now before they lay down, she came up to them on the roof, and said to the men: “I know that the LORD has given you the land, that the terror of you has fallen on us, and that all the inhabitants of the land are fainthearted because of you. “For we have heard how the LORD dried up the water of the Red Sea for you when you came out of Egypt, and what you did to the two kings of the Amorites who were on the other side of the Jordan, Sihon and Og, whom you utterly destroyed. “And as soon as we heard these things, our hearts melted; neither did there remain any more courage in anyone because of you, for the LORD your God, He is God in heaven above and on earth beneath. “Now therefore, I beg you, swear to me by the LORD, since I have shown you kindness, that you also will show kindness to my father’s house, and give me a true token, “and spare my father, my mother, my brothers, my sisters, and all that they have, and deliver our lives from

death.” So the men answered her, “Our lives for yours, if none of you tell this business of ours. And it shall be, when the LORD has given us the land, that we will deal kindly and truly with you.” Then she let them down by a rope through the window, for her house was on the city wall; she dwelt on the wall. And she said to them, “Get to the mountain, lest the pursuers meet you. Hide there three days, until the pursuers have returned. Afterward you may go your way.” So the men said to her: “We will be blameless of this oath of yours which you have made us swear, “unless, when we come into the land, you bind this line of scarlet cord in the window through which you let us down, and unless you bring your father, your mother, your brothers, and all your father’s household to your own home. “So it shall be that whoever goes outside the doors of your house into the street, his blood shall be on his own head, and we will be guiltless. And whoever is with you in the house, his blood shall be on our head if a hand is laid on him. “And if you tell this business of ours, then we will be free from your oath which you made us swear.” Then she said, “According to your words, so be it.” And she sent them away, and they departed. And she bound the scarlet cord in the window.

P *(organ)* Lord, to whom shal we go?

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P You have the words of e - ter - nal life.

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C Al le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia.

Christ Changes Our Tune. From The Old Song Of Fear To  
The New-to-you Song Of Forgiveness.

Pastor David Ude

Joint Choir — Christ is Our Cornerstone

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew,  
the 14th chapter.

C *(organ)* Glo - ry to you, O Lord.

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*Matthew 14:22-32* Immediately Jesus made His disciples get into the boat and go before Him to the other side, while He sent the multitudes away. And when He had sent the multitudes away, He went up on the mountain by Himself to pray. Now when evening came, He was alone there. But the boat was now in the middle of the sea, tossed by the waves, for the wind was contrary. Now in the fourth watch of the night Jesus went to them, walking on the sea. And when the disciples saw Him walking on the sea, they were troubled, saying, "It is a ghost!" And they cried out for fear. But immediately Jesus spoke to them, saying, "Be of good cheer! It is I; do not be afraid." And Peter answered Him and said, "Lord, if it is You, command me to come to You on the water." So He said, "Come." And when Peter had come down out of the boat, he walked on the water to go to Jesus. But when he saw that the wind was boisterous, he was afraid; and beginning to sink he cried out, saying, "Lord, save me!" And immediately Jesus stretched out His hand and caught him, and said to him, "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?" And when they got into the boat, the wind ceased.

P The Gospel of the Lord.

C  (organ) Praise\_ to you, O Christ.

## A Song Of Praise For Deliverance

Pastor Mark Bernthal


Hymn 377:1-3,9,10 — Salvation Unto Us Has Come

*Hymn Acts 7:51-60* “ You stiff-necked and uncircumcised in heart and ears! You always resist the Holy Spirit; as your fathers did, so do you. “Which of the prophets did your fathers not persecute? And they killed those who foretold the coming of the Just One, of whom you now have become the betrayers and murderers, “who have received the law by the direction of angels and have not kept it.” When they heard these things they were cut to the heart, and they gnashed at him with their teeth. But he, being full of the Holy Spirit, gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God, and

said, “Look! I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!” Then they cried out with a loud voice, stopped their ears, and ran at him with one accord; and they cast him out of the city and stoned him. And the witnesses laid down their clothes at the feet of a young man named Saul. And they stoned Stephen as he was calling on God and saying, “Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.” Then he knelt down and cried out with a loud voice, “Lord, do not charge them with this sin.” And when he had said this, he fell asleep.

## A Song of Trials to Triumph!

Pastor Michael Eichstadt

C  Create in me a clean heart, O God. Renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Your presence. Take not Your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of Your salvation. Uphold me with Your free Spirit.

Hymn 463 — For All The Saints

## OFFERING, PRAYERS, & LORD'S PRAYER

My First Hymnal, page 37

All    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.

# SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

P The Lord be with you.

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C And al - so with you.

7

P Lift up your hearts.

9

C We lift them to the Lord.

13

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

17

C It is right to give our thanks and praise.

P It is right and beneficial that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God who promised that wherever two or three come



together in His name, there He is with them to shepherd his flock till He comes again in glory, therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we magnify Your glorious Name, evermore praising You and saying:

### Sanctus by the Choir

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, the same night in which He was betrayed, took bread. And when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to His disciples, saying, “Take, eat. This is My body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of Me.

In the same way He took the cup, after supper, gave thanks, and gave it to them saying, “Drink of it, all of you. This cup is the new covenant in My blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

The peace of the Lord be with you always!

(organ) Lamb of God, you take a-way the  
6 sin of the world; have mer-cy up-on us. Lamb of  
12 God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have  
16 mer-cy up-on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the  
22 sin of the world; grant us peace.

## THE DISTRIBUTION

We ask that only members of Faith Lutheran Church or the CLC come forward to receive the Lord's Supper. Visitors are welcome to speak to the pastor after the service.

Hymn 313 — O Lord we Praise Thee  
Hymn 311 — Jesus Christ, Our Blessed Savior

# THANKSGIVING

(organ)

Thank the Lord; sing his praise;

4 tell ev-'ry-one what he has done. Let all who seek the\_

7 Lord re - jice and\_ bear Christ's ho - ly name.

10 Thank the Lord; sing his praise; tell ev-'ry-one what

13 he has done. Send us with your prom - is - es, Lord;

16 lead your\_ peo - ple forth in\_ joy with shouts of thanks -

19 giv - ing. Thank the Lord; sing his praise; tell ev-'ryone what

23 he has done. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

## THE BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord  
make His face shine upon you and be gracious  
to you. The Lord lift up His countenance  
upon you and give you peace.

C  A-men A-men A-men.

Hymn 283 — God's Word Is Our Great Heritage

Hymn 262 — A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

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