

**Second Sunday after Pentecost  
June 2, 2024 - 8:00 am & 10:30 am**

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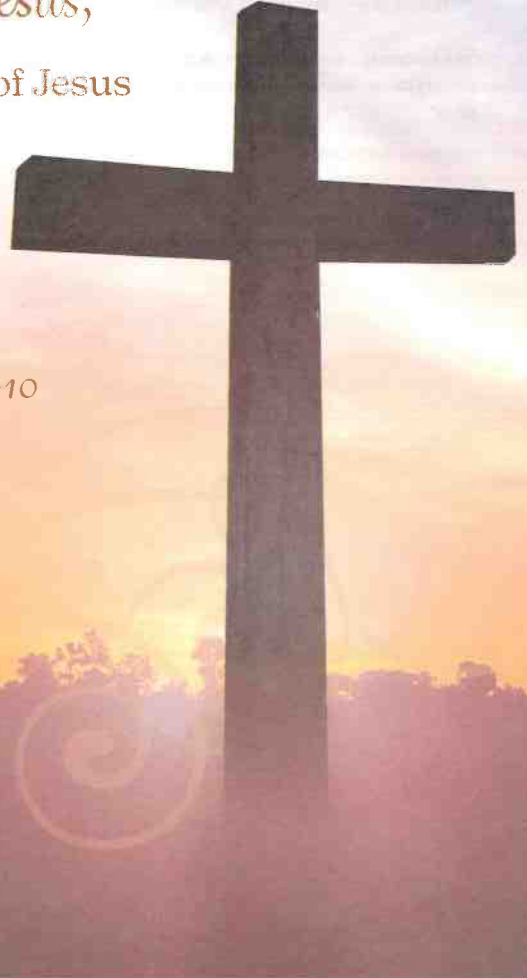
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Our Mission: Share Christ † Serve Others

*We* are afflicted in every way,  
but not crushed;  
perplexed, but not driven to despair;  
persecuted, but not forsaken;  
struck down, but not destroyed;  
*always carrying in the body  
the death of Jesus,*  
so that the life of Jesus  
may also be  
manifested  
in our bodies

*2 Corinthians 4:8-10*



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**WELCOME** — We would like to extend a cordial welcome in our Lord's name to all who worship with us at Pacific Hills. We greet our guests with the love and peace of Jesus and pray that our sharing of God's Word will enrich your faith and life in Christ.

**PARISH INFORMATION** — Anyone who would like more information about Pacific Hills may speak to an usher, visit with a greeter in the welcome area or call the church office. You may also read about our ministries by going to our church's website. While there you can also read our weekly newsletter, "The Pacific Hills Messenger". To subscribe to our newsletter, send your e-mail to: [KimKieity@PacificHillsLutheran.org](mailto:KimKieity@PacificHillsLutheran.org)

**NURSERY** — Children are always welcome in worship! If a parent or guardian needs to step out with a child, a nursery is available in Room 112.

**HEARING ASSIST UNITS** — Hearing assist units are available. Please ask an usher for assistance.

**PHONES** — We thank you for silencing your mobile device or turning it off during worship.

**WORSHIP CARDS** — We kindly ask our guests and members to please complete a Worship Card located in the hymnal rack. The cards will be received by the ushers during the worship service. You may request a prayer or lift up a name by writing in on the back of the card. First names will be read during the parish prayers.

# WELCOME IN THE NAME OF JESUS

## Second Sunday After Pentecost

*Divine Service*

*Setting Two*

**About the Cover:** The shadow of the cross is cast in the light of Easter morning. Through His cross and resurrection, Jesus has won for us forgiveness, life, and salvation. His death brings life. Therefore, carrying Jesus' death in our bodies by faith brings us new life today and resurrection for our bodies on the Last Day.

### Prelude

### Welcome and Opening Prayer

*Stand*

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

### Invocation

*Matthew 28:19b; 18:20*

- L** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**C** Amen.

### Exhortation

*1 John 1:8-9*

- L** If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.  
**C** But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

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

### Confession of Sins

- L** Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.  
**C** Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

## Declaration of Grace

John 1:12; Philippians 1:6

**L** In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for His sake God forgives us all our sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ He gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit. May the Lord, who has begun this good work in us, bring it to completion in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**G** Amen.

*Please remain standing as you are able.*

## Opening Hymn

917 Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise



1 Sav - ior, a - gain to Thy dear name we raise  
2 Grant us Thy peace up - on our home - ward way;  
3 Grant us Thy peace, Lord, through the com - ing night;  
4 Grant us Thy peace through - out our earth - ly life,



With one ac - cord our part - ing hymn of praise;  
With Thee be - gan, with Thee shall end, the day;  
Turn Thou for us its dark - ness in - to light.  
Our balm in sor - row and our stay in strife;



Once more we bless Thee ere our wor - ship cease,  
Guard Thou the lips from sin, the hearts from shame,  
From harm and dan - ger keep Thy chil - dren free;  
Then, when Thy voice shall bid our con - flict cease,



Then, low - ly bend - ing, wait Thy word of peace.  
That in this house have called up - on Thy name.  
For dark and light are both a - like to Thee.  
Call us, O Lord, to Thine e - ter - nal peace.

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## Kyrie

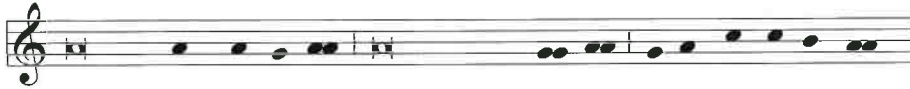
Mark 10:47



**A** In peace let us pray to the Lord.



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



**A** For the peace from a-bove and for our sal-va-tion let us pray to the Lord.



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



**A** For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,



and for the uni-ty of all let us pray to the Lord.



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



**A** For this holy house and for all who offer here their wor-ship and praise



let us pray to the Lord.



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



**A** Help, save, comfort, and de-fend us, gra-cious Lord.



**C** A - men.

### Gloria in Excelsis

Luke 2:14; John 1:29



**A** Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and peace to His peo-ple on earth.



**C** Lord God, heav - en - ly king, al - might - y God and



Fa - ther: We wor - ship You, we give You thanks, we



praise You for Your glo - ry. Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly



Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God: You



take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on



us. You are seat - ed at the right hand of the



Fa - ther; re - ceive our prayer. For You a - lone are the



Ho - ly One, You a - lone are the Lord, You a -



lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir - it,



## Salutation and Collect of the Day

- L** The Lord be with you.
- C** And with thy spirit.

- L** Let us pray.  
Eternal God, Your Son Jesus Christ is our true Sabbath rest. Help us to keep each day holy by receiving His Word of comfort that we may find our rest in Him, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C** Amen.

*Sit*

## First Reading

*Deuteronomy 5:12–15*

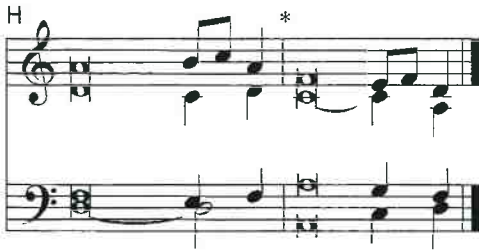
<sup>12</sup>“Observe the Sabbath day, to keep it holy, as the LORD your God commanded you. <sup>13</sup>Six days you shall labor and do all your work, <sup>14</sup>but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you or your son or your daughter or your male servant or your female servant, or your ox or your donkey or any of your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates, that your male servant and your female servant may rest as well as you. <sup>15</sup>You shall remember that you were a slave in the land of Egypt, and the LORD your God brought you out from there with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm. Therefore the LORD your God commanded you to keep the Sabbath day.”

- A** This is the Word of the Lord.
- C** Thanks be to God.

*Worship Cards are collected at this time.*

# Psalm

*Psalm 81:1-10*



<sup>1</sup>Sing aloud to | God our strength;\*  
shout for joy to the God of | Jacob!

<sup>2</sup>**Raise a song; sound the | tambourine,\*  
the sweet lyre | with the harp.**

<sup>3</sup>Blow the trumpet at the | new moon,\*  
at the full moon, on our | feast day.

<sup>4</sup>**For it is a statute for | Israel,\*  
a just decree of the God of | Jacob.**

<sup>5</sup>He made it a decree in Joseph  
when he went out over the land of | Egypt.\*

I hear a language I | had not known:

<sup>6</sup>**“I relieved your shoulder of the | burden;\*  
your hands were freed from the | basket.**

<sup>7</sup>In distress you called, and I de- | livered you;\*  
I answered you in the secret place of thunder;  
I tested you at the waters of | Meribah.

<sup>8</sup>**Hear, O my people, while I ad- | monish you!\***  
**O Israel, if you would but lis- | ten to me!**

<sup>9</sup>There shall be no strange god a- | mong you;\*  
you shall not bow down to a | foreign god.

<sup>10</sup>**I am the LORD your God,  
who brought you up out of the land of | Egypt.\*  
Open your mouth wide, and I will | fill it.**

*Stand*

**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.**



## Second Reading

2 Corinthians 4:5–12

<sup>5</sup>What we proclaim is not ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, with ourselves as your servants for Jesus' sake. <sup>6</sup>For God, who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

<sup>7</sup>But we have this treasure in jars of clay, to show that the surpassing power belongs to God and not to us. <sup>8</sup>We are afflicted in every way, but not crushed; perplexed, but not driven to despair; <sup>9</sup>persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed; <sup>10</sup>always carrying in the body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be manifested in our bodies. <sup>11</sup>For we who live are always being given over to death for Jesus' sake, so that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our mortal flesh. <sup>12</sup>So death is at work in us, but life in you.

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

**C** Thanks be to God.

Stand

## Alleluia and Verse



## Holy Gospel

Mark 2:23—3:6

**L** The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the second chapter.



<sup>23</sup>One Sabbath [Jesus] was going through the grainfields, and as they made their way, his disciples began to pluck heads of grain. <sup>24</sup>And the Pharisees were saying to him, "Look, why are they doing what is not lawful on the Sabbath?" <sup>25</sup>And he said to them, "Have you never read what David did, when he was in need and was hungry, he and those who were with him: <sup>26</sup>how he entered the house of God, in the time of Abiathar the high priest, and ate the bread of the Presence, which it is not lawful for any but the priests to eat, and also gave it to those who were

with him?" <sup>27</sup>And he said to them, "The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath. <sup>28</sup>So the Son of Man is lord even of the Sabbath."

<sup>1</sup>Again he entered the synagogue, and a man was there with a withered hand. <sup>2</sup>And they watched Jesus, to see whether he would heal him on the Sabbath, so that they might accuse him. <sup>3</sup>And he said to the man with the withered hand, "Come here." <sup>4</sup>And he said to them, "Is it lawful on the Sabbath to do good or to do harm, to save life or to kill?" But they were silent. <sup>5</sup>And he looked around at them with anger, grieved at their hardness of heart, and said to the man, "Stretch out your hand." He stretched it out, and his hand was restored. <sup>6</sup>The Pharisees went out and immediately held counsel with the Herodians against him, how to destroy him.

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



**G** Praise to You, O Christ.

*Sit*

### Hymn of the Day

752 *Be Still, My Soul*



1 Be still, my soul; the Lord is on your side; Bear pa - tient-  
 2 Be still, my soul; your God will un - der - take To guide the  
 3 Be still, my soul; though dear - est friends de - part And all is  
 4 Be still, my soul; the hour is has - t'ning on When we shall



ly the cross of grief or pain; Leave to your God to or - der  
 fu - ture as He has the past. Your hope, your con - fi - dence let  
 dark - ened in this vale of tears; Then you will bet - ter know His  
 be for - ev - er with the Lord, When dis - ap - point - ment, grief, and



and pro - vide; In ev - 'ry change He faith - ful will re -  
 noth - ing shake; All now mys - te - rious shall be bright at  
 love, His heart, Who comes to soothe your sor - rows and your  
 fear are gone, Sor - row for - got, love's pur - est joys re -



main. Be still, my soul; your best, your heav'n - ly Friend  
 last. Be still, my soul; the waves and winds still know  
 fears. Be still, my soul; your Je - sus can re - pay  
 stored. Be still, my soul; when change and tears are past,



Through thorn - y ways leads to a joy - ful end.  
His voice who ruled them while He dwelt be - low.  
From His own full - ness all He takes a - way.  
All safe and bless - ed we shall meet at last.

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## Sermon *Remember the Sabbath Day by Keeping It Holy* Seminarian Andrew Aulner

*Stand*

### Apostles' Creed

**☩** 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*

### Offering

*Stand*

## Offertory

*Psalm 116:12-13, 17-19*



**C** What shall I ren - der to the Lord for all His ben - e-fits to



me? I will of - fer the sac - ri - fice of thanks - giv - ing and will



call on the name of the Lord. I will take the cup of sal -



va - tion and will call on the name of the Lord. I will pay my



vows to the Lord now in the pres - ence of all His peo - ple, in the



courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Je - ru - sa - lem.

**Prayers of the Church** - Prayer lists are available in the narthex.

## Lord's Prayer

*Matthew 6:9-13*

**C** 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.

### Luther's Morning Prayer

**C** I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please You. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

### Benediction

*Numbers 6:24-26*

**L** The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and  $\text{✠}$  give you peace.



**C** A - men.

# Closing Hymn

578 Thy Strong Word



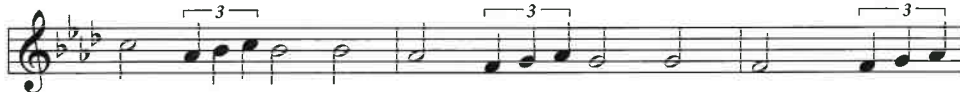
2 Lo, on those who dwelt in dark - ness, Dark as  
 3 Thy strong Word be - speaks us righ - teous; Bright with  
 4 From the cross Thy wis - dom shin - ing Break - eth  
 Δ 6 God the Fa - ther, light - cre - a - tor, To Thee



night and deep as death, Broke the light of  
 Thine own ho - li - ness, Glo - rious now, we  
 forth in con - qu'ring might; From the cross for -  
 laud and hon - or be. To Thee, Light of



Thy sal - va - tion, Breathed Thine own life - breath - ing breath.  
 press toward glo - ry, And our lives our hopes con - fess.  
 ev - er beam - eth All Thy bright re - deem - ing light.  
 Light be - got - ten, Praise be sung e - ter - nal - ly.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise to  
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise to  
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise to  
 Ho - ly Spir - it, light - re - veal - er, Glo - ry,



Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,  
 Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,  
 Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,  
 glo - ry be to Thee. Mor - tals, an - gels,



al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!  
 al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!  
 al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!  
 now and ev - er Praise the ho - ly Trin - i - ty!

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## Postlude/Silent Prayer

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**LOOKING AHEAD TO THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
**June 9, 2024 - 8:00 am & 10:30 Services**

**Readings**

Genesis 3:8-15  
Psalm 130  
2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1  
Mark 3:20-35

**Hymns**

LSB 564  
LSB 666  
LSB 637  
LSB 628  
LSB 918

**Sermon**

Satan is Strong, but Jesus is Stronger  
Mark 3:20-35

### *This Week at Pacific Hills*

|                                   |  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| <u>Sunday</u><br><u>June 2</u>    | 8:00 am Eucharistic Worship                            |
|                                   | 9:15 am Education Hour with Andrew Aulner              |
|                                   | 10:30 am Eucharistic Worship                           |
|                                   | 6:00 pm Adult Bible Study (Zoom)                       |
|                                   | 7:00 pm Courtyard Jazz                                 |
| <u>Monday</u><br><u>June 3</u>    | 7:00 pm Adult Confirmation Class (Rm 115)              |
| <u>Tuesday</u><br><u>June 4</u>   | 9:00 am Care Ministry Meeting (Rm 114)                 |
|                                   | 10:30 am Missions & Social Ministries Meeting (Rm 115) |
|                                   | 7:00 pm Pray, Knit, Crochet (Narthex)                  |
| <u>Wednesday</u><br><u>June 5</u> | 9:30 am Devotional (Zoom)                              |
|                                   | 12:30 pm First Ladies AA Meeting (Rm 114)              |
|                                   | 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study (Narthex)                  |
| <u>Thursday</u><br><u>June 6</u>  | 6:30 pm Tai Chi (Acker Hall)                           |
| <u>Sunday</u><br><u>June 9</u>    | 8:00 am Eucharistic Worship                            |
|                                   | 9:15 am Education Hour with Pastor Bryan               |
|                                   | 10:30 am Eucharistic Worship                           |
|                                   | 11:30 am Worship & Music Committee Meeting (Rm 115)    |
|                                   | CYF Board Meeting (Narthex/Rm 115)                     |
|                                   | 6:00 pm Adult Bible Study (Zoom)                       |

Please join Seminarian Andrew Aulner between services for a Study on the Lessons of the Day. Class meets in Acker Hall. All are welcome!

Dr. Bob Vandervort and the Bible study group are studying the Book of Ruth via Zoom every Sunday evening from 6:00 - 6:45 pm. Please e-mail Bob at [rsvod@cox.net](mailto:rsvod@cox.net) or call 402-350-0872 for more information. Everyone is welcome!

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**Our Record of Response:**  
**May 26, 2024**

Attendance: 131

Giving: \$3,838.00

Year to Date Giving\*: \$175,569.68

\* YTD Giving includes envelope offerings, e-offerings & capital fund contributions

## Today's Service

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|------------------|--|
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| Entrance Hymn    | LSB 917 <i>Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise</i> |
| First Reading    | Deuteronomy 5:12-15                                    |
| Psalmody         | Psalm 81:1-10  |
| Second Reading   | 2 Corinthians 4:5-12                                   |
| Holy Gospel      | Mark 2:23-3:6  |
| Hymn of the Day  | LSB 752 <i>Be Still, My Soul</i>                       |
| Creed            | Apostles' Creed  |
| Closing Hymn     | LSB 578 <i>Thy Strong Word</i>                         |

## Presiding/Assisting This Day

|                            |                          |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Preaching & Presiding..... | Seminarian Andrew Aulner |
| Organist .....             | Zach Hastings            |
| Artist.....                | Michelle Steen           |
| Head Usher .....           | 8:00 am Mark Stastny     |
|                            | 10:30 am Joe Risko       |
| Head Elder.....            | 8:00 am Andrew Aulner    |
|                            | Dan Irvin, Assist        |
|                            | 10:30 am Andrew Aulner   |
|                            | Jim Mueller, Assist      |
| Lector.....                | 10:30 am Sharon Vacanti  |
| Communion Steward.....     | 8:00 am Marlene Hawver   |
|                            | 10:30 am Marlene Hawver  |
|                            | Rhoda Storck             |

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### Called & Professional Staff

|                   |                    |                |
|-------------------|--------------------|----------------|
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|                            |                    |              |
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**Our Mission Statement**  
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