

Gathering Music “Thy Holy Wings” 741 Blue

Greeting/Announcements

Song “On Eagles Wings” 779 Blue

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness..... pg. 10 Blue

Prayer of the Day

O God, from whom all good things come: Lead us by the inspiration of your Spirit to think those things which are right, and by your goodness help us to do them; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Special Music “The Prayer” Lara Liepold and Will Holt

First Reading: Acts 17:16-31 Page 1091 - Children’s Bibles

Second Reading: 1 Peter 3:13-22 Page 1231 - Children’s Bibles

Faith Seeds Faith Lutheran Puppets

The Gospel Acclamation: “Good Soil”

**Lord, let my heart be good soil,
open to the seed of Your word.
Lord, let my heart be good soil,
where love can grow and peace is understood.**

Gospel: John 14:15-21 Page 1059 - Children’s Bibles

Sermon “Never, Ever Alone” Pastor Paulus Pilgrim

Song “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” 771 Blue

Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven; by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Offering/Special Music: ... “Hark, I Hear the Harps Eternal”
Faith Lutheran Staff Choir

Prayers of the Church

The Lord’s Prayer

Benediction

Closing Song “Go My Children” 721 Blue

Faith Lutheran Church

May 17, 2020

10:10 a.m. Service

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Season Color: White

Bless the Years Sunday

“What Does This Mean?”

Questions about Today’s Worship Theme:

John 14:15-21

- † How is Jesus GONE from us?
- † How is Jesus NOT GONE from us?
- † When in your life do you feel alone?
- † What does Jesus’ promise, “*I will never leave you orphaned (alone)*” mean to you? To an elderly person? To anyone?

