

October 13, 2024 Order of Service (Communion)—Rev. Paul Heykes (Pulpit Supply)

Announcements, Concerns, Joys (Council member)

Call to Worship (Reader) Psalm 90:12-17 (Read responsively) pew Bible p.930

*Confession and Forgiveness (from Sundays & Seasons, 2024, Augsburg Fortress, p. 246)

P: Blessed be the Holy Trinity, + one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever. **Amen.**

P: Let us confess our sin and come to God for healing. (*Silence for reflection*) Gracious God,

C: have mercy on us. We confess that we have honored you with our lips, but have harmed our neighbors with our tongues. The cravings at war within us cause conflicts and disputes. In our desire to be first, we make distinctions among ourselves. We place the needs of the poor and the suffering last. In your great mercy, forgive us our sins. Draw near to us with grace in time of need, and turn us to follow in the way of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

P: God promises to forgive our iniquity and to remember our sin no more. By grace you have been saved. In the name of + Jesus Christ, the source of eternal healing, your sins are forgiven. **Amen.**

*Gathering Hymn *Son of God, Eternal Savior (verses 1-3)* LBW #364
HP #1708

*Kyrie (response: Lord, have mercy) LBW p.78

*Prayer of the Day: Almighty and ever-living God, increase in us your gift of faith, that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to what lies ahead, we may follow the way of your commandments and receive the crown of everlasting joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Children's Time *Children will remain in the sanctuary today*

Sharing the Peace

Receiving our Offerings of Thanksgiving

A reading from Amos the 5th chapter (5:6-7, 10-15) pew Bible, p.1425

A reading from Hebrews the 4th chapter (4:12-16) pew Bible, p.1866
(after each reading, "The word of the Lord." "Thanks be to God!")

Gospel Acclamation: *Alleluia!* Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. *Alleluia!* (Matthew 5:3)

***The Holy Gospel according to Mark, the 10th chapter (10:2-16)** pew Bible, p. 1570
Before the gospel: **Glory to you, O Lord!**
After the gospel: **Praise to you, O Christ!**

Sermon/Homily

***Hymn of the Day** *Now We Join in Celebration (Verses 1-2)* LBW #203
HP #1547

***The Creed** LBW, p. 85

***The Prayers of Intercession** (Each petition ends: God of grace, **hear our prayer.**)

***Communion**
The Great Thanksgiving LBW, p.88
Holy, Holy, Holy LBW, p.89
The Lord's Prayer LBW, p. 91
Distribution of Communion
Lamb of God LBW, p.92

***Benediction:** God almighty, God most merciful + bless you, keep you, and give you peace.
Amen.

***Sending Hymn** *Sent Forth by God's Blessing (Verse 1)* LBW #221
HP #1565

***Dismissal**
Go in peace. Follow Jesus.
Thanks be to God!