



LOVE

Mark 12:30-31



GROW

EPHESIANS 4:11-13



SERVE

1 PETER 4:10-11



GO

MATTHEW 28:19-20

# Welcome to St. Luke's Sunday, August 23, 2020

**Our Vision:  
To Know God and To Make Him Known**



## St. Luke's Church

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## Processional Hymn

### “Cornerstone - My Hope is Built on Nothing Less”

My hope is built on nothing less  
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame  
But wholly trust in Jesus' Name (Repeat)

Chorus: Christ alone cornerstone  
Weak made strong in the Savior's love  
Through the storm He is Lord, Lord of all

When darkness seems to hide His face  
I rest on His unchanging grace  
In every high and stormy gale  
My anchor holds within the veil  
My anchor holds within the veil

When He shall come with trumpet sound  
Oh may I then in Him be found  
Dressed in His righteousness alone  
Faultless stand before the throne

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## Welcome and Call to Worship

Celebrant: Blessed be God, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

**All: And blessed be His Kingdom, now and forever. Amen.**

## Collect for Purity

**All: Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## The Summary of the Law

Celebrant: Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets.  
(Matthew 22:37-40)

### **The Kyrie (Sung)**

Kyrie eleison, Lord have mercy  
Kyrie eleison, Lord have mercy  
Wash away my sin and pardon my transgressions  
Make me clean again. Have mercy on me  
Christe eleison, Christ have mercy  
Christe eleison, Christ have mercy

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### **Collect of the Day**

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

**All: And with your spirit.**

Celebrant: Let your continual mercy, O Lord, cleanse and defend your Church; and, because it cannot continue in safety without your help, protect and govern it always by your goodness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

**All: Amen.**

### **Announcements**

### **Praise and Worship**

#### **“To Our God”**

Let the praise of the Lord be in my mouth

Up from the ashes Your love has brought us  
Out of the darkness and into the light  
Lifting our sorrows, bearing our burdens  
Healing our hearts

Chorus: To our God we lift up one voice  
To our God we lift up one song  
To our God we lift up one voice  
Singing hallelujah

Chains have been broken, eyes have been opened  
An army of dry bones is starting to rise  
Death is defeated, we are victorious  
For You are alive, Hallelujah

Bridge: Hallelujah, singing hallelujah  
Hallelujah, singing hallelujah  
Hallelujah, singing hallelujah, hallelujah  
Make His praise glorious, glorious, glorious  
For His name is glorious, glorious, glorious  
Make His praise glorious, glorious, glorious  
Shout His name glorious, glorious, glorious

Hallelujah our Bridegroom is coming!

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### **“Every Nation (Every Soul)”**

All the nations, they will come  
Holding broken chains above their heads  
Singing, "We have overcome  
By the blood of the Lamb"

Chorus: Jesus, You, You're worth it all  
Every nation, and every soul  
Jesus, You, You're worth it all  
Every nation, and every soul

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## “Heart of Worship”

When the music fades, all is stripped away  
And I simply come, longing just to bring  
Something that’s of worth, that will bless Your heart

Pre-Chorus: I’ll bring You more than a song  
For a song in itself is not what You have required  
You search much deeper within  
Through the way things appear  
You’re looking into my heart

Chorus: I’m coming back to the heart of worship  
And it’s all about You, all about You Jesus  
I’m sorry Lord for the thing I’ve made it  
When it’s all about You, all about You Jesus

King of endless Worth, No one could express  
How much You deserve, though I’m weak and poor,  
All I have is Yours every single breath.

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### Scripture Readings

*At the end of each reading the lector says:*

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

### The Lessons

Isaiah 51:1-6

Psalm 138

Romans 11:25-36

### The Gospel

**Sung: Alleluia, Alleluia. Alleluia, Alleluia.**

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Lector: The Lord be with you.

**All: And with your spirit.**

Deacon: Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew 16:13-20

**All: Glory to You, Lord Christ.**

*At the end of the reading:*

Deacon: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**All: Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## **The Message**

### **The Nicene Creed**

Celebrant: Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed:

**All: 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 catholic 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.**

## **The Confession and Absolution of Sin**

Celebrant: Let us humbly confess our sins to the Lord.

**All: Most merciful God, we confess that 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 are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

Celebrant: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**All: Amen.**

## **The Comfortable Words**

Celebrant: Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him. Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. (Matthew 11:28)

God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. (John 3:16)

The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. (1 Timothy 1:15)

If anyone sins, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world. (1 John 2:1-2)

**The Offertory:** (Tithes and offerings are collected at this time)

## “Defender”

You go before I know  
That You've even gone to win my war  
You come back with the head of my enemy  
You come back and You call it my victory

You go before I know  
That You've even gone to win my war  
Your love becomes my greatest defense  
It leads me from the dry wilderness

Pre-Chorus: All I did was praise, all I did was worship  
All I did was bow down, all I did was stay still

Chorus: Hallelujah You have saved me  
So much better Your (this) way  
Hallelujah great Defender  
So much better Your (this) way

You know before I do  
Where my heart can seek to find Your truth  
Your mercy is the shade I'm living in  
You restore my faith and hope again

Bridge: When I thought I lost me, You knew where I left me  
You reintroduced me to Your love  
You picked up all my pieces put me back together  
You are the defender of my heart

Ending: All I did was praise, all I need to do is worship  
Lord I will just bow down, I'm just gonna stay still

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Celebrant: All things come of you O Lord.  
**All: And of Your own have we given You.**



## **The Great Thanksgiving**

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

**All: And with your spirit.**

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

**All: We lift them up to the Lord.**

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All: It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Celebrant: It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.

Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

**All:     Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord, God of power and might,  
          Heaven and earth are full of Your glory.  
          Hosanna in the highest.  
          Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord,  
          Hosanna in the highest!**

## **The Prayer of Consecration**

Celebrant: Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and when we had sinned against you and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent your only Son into the world for our salvation.

By the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary he became flesh and dwelt among us. In obedience to your will, he stretched out his arms upon the cross and offered himself once for all, that by his suffering and death we might be saved. By his resurrection he broke the bonds of death, trampling Hell and Satan under his feet. As our great high priest, he ascended to your right hand in glory; that we might come with confidence before the throne of grace.

On the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ 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."

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the forgiveness of sins: Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me."

Celebrant or Deacon: Therefore, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**All: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

Celebrant: We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Word and Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ.

Sanctify us also, that we may worthily receive this holy sacrament, and be made one body with him, so that he may dwell in us and we in him. And bring us with all your saints into the fullness of your heavenly kingdom, where we shall see our Lord:

**All: Face to Face.**

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever.

**All: Amen.**

Celebrant: And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray

**All: Our Father Who art in Heaven,  
Hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done on earth as 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 the power and the glory  
Forever and ever. Amen**



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## **“I Surrender All”**

All to Jesus I surrender, all to Him I freely give.  
I will ever love and trust Him, in His presence daily live.

Chorus: I surrender all, I surrender all.  
All to Thee my blessed Savior, I surrender all.

All to Jesus I surrender, humbly at His feet I bow,  
Worldly pleasures all forsaken  
Take me Jesus, take me now. (Chorus)

All to Jesus I surrender, make me, Savior, wholly Thine,  
Let me feel the Holy Spirit  
Truly know that Thou art mine. (Chorus)

All to Jesus I surrender, Lord, I give myself to Thee.  
Fill me with Thy love and power  
Let Thy blessing fall on me. (Chorus)

All to Jesus surrender, now I feel the Sacred Flame  
O the joy of full salvation,  
Glory, Glory to His name. (Chorus)

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### **Post Communion Prayer**

**All: Heavenly Father, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom.**

**And now, Father, send us out into the world to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.**

Celebrant: All our problems  
**All: We send to the cross of Christ**

Celebrant: All our difficulties  
**All: We send to the cross of Christ**

Celebrant: All the devil's works  
**All: We send to the cross of Christ**

Celebrant: And all of hopes  
**All: We set on the risen Christ**

### **The Blessing**

### **The Recessional**

#### **“Worthy Of It All”**

All the saints and angels they bow before Your throne  
All the elders cast their crowns  
Before the Lamb of God and sing

Chorus: You are worthy of it all, You are worthy of it all  
For from You are all things  
And to You are all things, You deserve the glory

Bridge: Day and night night and day let incense arise  
Day and night night and day let incense arise

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### **The Dismissal**

Deacon: Let us go forth in the Name of Christ.  
**All: Thanks be to God.**

### **The Peace**

Deacon: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.  
**All: And with your spirit.**

Deacon: Exchange with one another the Lord's Peace.

**Readings for August 30: Jeremiah 15:15-21, Psalm 26,  
Romans 12:1-18, Matthew 16:21-27**