



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, October 10, 2021

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



## St. Luke's Church

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## Processional Hymn

### “Better Is One Day”

How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord Almighty  
My soul longs and even faints for you  
For here my heart is satisfied within Your presence  
I sing beneath the shadow of your wings

Chorus: Better is one day in your courts  
Better is one day in your house  
Better is one day in your courts  
Than thousands elsewhere

One thing I ask and I would seek to see your beauty  
To find you in the place your glory dwells  
One thing I ask and I would seek to see your beauty  
To find you in the place your glory dwells (Chorus)

Bridge:

My heart and flesh cry out for you the living God  
Your Spirit’s water for my soul  
I’ve tasted and I’ve seen, come once again to me  
I will draw near to you, I will draw near to you

Tag: Better is one day, better is one day  
Better is one day than thousands elsewhere

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## Welcome and Call to Worship

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

**All: 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:**           **Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy**  
                      **Lord have mercy on me**  
                      **Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy**  
                      **Lord have mercy on me**

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## Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

**All: And with your spirit.**

Celebrant: O God, our refuge and strength, true source of all godliness: Graciously hear the devout prayers of your Church, and grant that those things which we ask faithfully, we may obtain effectually; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**All: Amen.**

## Announcements

## Praise and Worship

### “Let My Words Be Few”

You are God in heaven and here am I on earth  
So I'll let my words be few  
Jesus, I am so in love with You

Chorus:    And I'll stand in awe of You  
              Yes, I'll stand in awe of You  
              And I'll let my words be few  
              Jesus, I am so in love with You.

The simplest of all love songs I want to bring to You  
So I'll let my words be few  
Jesus, I am so in love with You. (Chorus)

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### **“You Made A Way”**

By the crimson stain upon Your robe  
With every nail with every pounding blow  
By every stripe and every bruise upon Your back  
I can hear You crying out

You say, Father I desire that they would be  
That they would be with Me to see My glory  
You took all my shame and my iniquity  
For the sake of freedom You set me free

Chorus: You made a way for me to enter the holy place  
You made a way for me to enter the holy place

Tag 1: I am Yours You are mine  
And we'll be together forever

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### **“When You Walk Into The Room”**

When You walk into the room everything changes  
Darkness starts to tremble at the light that You bring  
When You walk into the room every heart starts burning  
And nothing matters more than just  
To sit here at Your feet and worship You  
We worship You

Chorus: We love You and we'll never stop  
We can't live without You Jesus  
We love You we can't get enough  
All this is for You Jesus

When You walk into the room sickness starts to vanish  
Every hopeless situation ceases to exist  
When You walk into the room the dead begin to rise  
'Cause there is resurrection life in all You do (Chorus)

Bridge: Come and consume God all we are  
We give You permission our hearts are Yours  
We want You we want You

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## The Lessons

Amos 5:6-15  
Psalm 90:1-17  
Hebrews 3:1-6

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

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

## The Gospel

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

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Deacon: Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to  
Mark 10:17-31.

**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)

Celebrant: For God is not unjust so as to overlook your work and the love that you have shown for his name in serving the saints, as you still do. (Hebrews 6:10)

### “Getting Ready”

What an honor to be invited to the marriage of the Lamb  
To come and worship Him  
Celebration it's the joining of the Bride and the Son  
The two becoming one

Pre-Chorus:           All the prophecies fulfilled  
                              In a moment so we sing

Chorus:       Like the roar of many waters  
                  Like the sound of rolling thunder  
                  Hallelujah give Him glory  
                  For the Marriage of the Lamb is coming

Post-Chorus:           We're getting ready, we're getting ready

Filled with wonder as we behold the Man with fire in His eyes  
The very Word of God  
You are worthy every kingdom every nation bowing down  
We'll crown You with many crowns

Pre-Chorus:           Every creed and tribe and tongue  
                              Declaring in unity

Bridge 1: We'll shout 'til the whole world hears it  
              We'll sing 'til the whole world knows  
              King Jesus is faithful, He is the blessed hope

Bridge 2: We're getting ready we're getting ready  
              We're getting ready for You

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## **Doxology**

**Sung:           Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
                      Praise Him all creatures here below  
                      Praise him above ye heavenly host  
                      Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

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

## **The Great Thanksgiving**

*(We invite all baptized Christians to join us at the Lord's table.)*

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:

### **The Sanctus**

**Sung: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are filled with your glory.  
Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest.  
Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord,  
Hosanna in the highest!**

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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."

## **Mystery of Faith**

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.**

## **The Breaking of the Bread**

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us.

**All: Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

## **The Prayer of Humble Access**

**All: We do not presume to come to this, your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your abundant and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table; but you are the same Lord, whose character is always to have mercy.**

**Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.**

Celebrant: The gifts of God, for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

Celebrant:     The Body of Christ, the Bread of Heaven.  
                  The Blood of Christ, the Cup of Salvation.

### **Music During Communion**

#### **"Draw Me Close"**

Draw me close to You, never let me go  
I lay it all down again to hear You say that I'm Your friend  
You are my desire no one else will do  
Cause nothing else could take Your place  
To feel the warmth of Your embrace  
Help me find the way, bring me back to You

Chorus:     You're all I want, You're all I've ever needed  
              You're all I want, help me know You are near

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#### **"Where I Belong"**

Your presence is all I am longing for  
Here in the secret place  
Your nearness is all I am waiting for  
Here in the quiet place, here in the secret place

Pre-Chorus: My soul waits for You alone  
              Like the watchmen wait for dawn  
              Here I've finally found the place  
              Where we'll meet Lord face to face

Chorus: I've finally found where I belong  
I've finally found where I belong in Your presence  
I've finally found where I belong Lord  
(1st) To be with You (to be with You)  
(2nd) Is to be with You yeah

Bridge: I am my Beloved's and He is mine  
So come into Your garden  
And take delight in me, take delight in me

Tag: Delight in me delight in me  
Delight in me delight in me

Ending: Here in Your presence God I find my rest  
Here in Your presence God

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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

### “None But Jesus”

In the quiet, in the stillness I know that You are God  
In the secret of Your presence I know there I am restored  
When You call I won't refuse  
Each new day again I'll choose

Chorus: There is no one else for me, none but Jesus  
Crucified to set me free  
Now I live to bring Him praise

In the chaos, in confusion, I know You're sovereign still  
In the moment of my weakness  
You give me grace to do Your will  
When You call I won't delay  
This my song through all my days

Bridge: All my delight is in You Lord  
All of my hope, all of my strength  
All my delight is in You Lord forever more

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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.

## **This Week at St. Luke's Church, October 11<sup>th</sup> – October 17<sup>th</sup>**

### **Monday**

### **Tuesday**

Worship With the Word, 6:00-8:00 PM (Sanctuary)

Women's Group, 7:00-8:30 PM (Common Room)

### **Wednesday**

Financial Peace University, 6:30-8:30 PM (Café)

### **Thursday**

Stage 4 Card Creation Ministry, 9:30 AM-12:30 PM  
(Lower-Level Conference Room)

Morning Intercession Group, 9:30 AM-11:30 PM (Sanctuary)

### **Friday**

Tallmadge vs Copley, 7:00 PM (Copley High Stadium)

### **Saturday**

Men's Group, 9:00-10:30 AM (Café)

St. Luke's Fall Festival, 12:00-4:00 PM (St Luke's Grounds)

### **Sunday**

Morning Worship, 9:30 AM (Sanctuary)

**Readings for October 17: Ecclesiasticus 38:1-14,  
Psalm 147:1-12, 2 Timothy 4:1-13, Luke 4:14-21**