

12th Sunday after Pentecost

September 1, 2019



♪ Hymns ♪

All Hymns in *ELW*

Gathering Song	#532	<i>Gather Us In</i>
Hymn of the Day	#523	<i>Let Us Go Now to the Banquet</i>
Distribution Music ¹	#491	<i>Come, Let Us Eat</i>
Distribution Music ²	#742	<i>What a Friend We Have in Jesus</i>
Sending Song	#547	<i>Sent Forth by God's Blessing</i>

PRAYER OF THE DAY

- P** O God, you resist those who are proud and give grace to those who are humble.
- C** Give us the humility of your Son, that we may embody the generosity of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

First Reading: Proverbs 25:6-7

The book of Proverbs is part of a collection of writings known as wisdom literature. Wisdom literature gave directions to Israel's leaders and people for the conduct of daily life. Today's reading is about humility.

Psalm 112 (Read Responsively)

- ¹Hallelujah! Happy are they who fear the LORD
and have great delight in God's commandments!
- ²**Their descendants will be mighty in the land;
the generation of the upright will be blessed.**
- ³Wealth and riches will be in their house,
and their righteousness will last forever.
- ⁴**Light shines in the darkness for the upright;**

the righteous are merciful and full of compassion.

⁵It is good for them to be generous in lending
and to manage their affairs with justice.

⁶**For they will never be shaken;**

the righteous will be kept in everlasting remembrance.

⁷They will not be afraid of any evil rumors;
their heart is steadfast, trusting in the LORD.

⁸**Their heart is established and will not shrink,
until they see their desire upon their enemies.**

⁹They have given freely to the poor, and their righteousness stands fast forever;
they will hold up their head with honor.

¹⁰**The wicked will see it and be angry; they will gnash their teeth and pine
away;
the desires of the wicked will perish.**

Second Reading: Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16

The conclusion of the letter to the Hebrews contains suggestions for the conduct of a holy life, all of which are shaped by God's love toward us in Jesus Christ.

Gospel: Luke 14:1, 7-14

Jesus observes guests jockeying for position at the table. He uses the opportunity to teach his hearers to choose humility rather than self-exaltation. Jesus also makes an appeal for hosts to mimic God's gracious hospitality to the poor and the broken.

Parish News

☞ Time after Pentecost

Invited and inviting—that is the nature of the church. By God’s grace in holy baptism we have a place at the banquet table of the Lord. When, by the power of that same Spirit, humility and mutual love continue among us, the church can be more inviting still.

☞ LESSONS FOR NEXT SUNDAY:

Deuteronomy 30:15-20

Walk in the way of life and hold fast to God

Psalm 1

They are like trees planted by streams of water.

Philemon 1-21

Paul says: Receive Onesimus as a coworker

Luke 14:25-33

Jesus says: Disciples, give up your possessions and carry the cross

OUR WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY, September 1

Coffee Hour

10:15 AM

Holy Communion

10:45 AM

Monday, September 2

SUNDAY, September 8

Sunday School

Coffee Hour

Holy Communion

Adult Forum

FOOD SUNDAY

9:25 AM

10:15 AM

10:45 AM

12:00PM



CTK's Spaghetti Luncheon

Sunday, September 15
after worship



Lord, In Your Mercy, Hear Our Prayers

For Those Ill or Recuperating

Nancy Buchan	Emily Ditzler	Ken Huebner	Rosemarie Huebner
Christel Lamb	Pam Livingston	Grover Martin	Todd Martin
Buddy Pedersen	Harold Roach	Jerry Stone	Dorothy Vanco
Bryan Welsh	Chris Williams	Elisabeth Wills	

For Those in Ministry in Christ's Church

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Mary Nettles	Preacher	Susan Bennett	Ushers
Jane Lim	Parish Musician	Barry Kemp	
Barry Kemp	Lector	Barry Kemp	Tellers
Jane Wannamaker	Crucifer	Sandy Vassallo	
Mary Nettles	Comm. Assistant	Athena Christensen	Altar Guild

Leading Worship Next Sunday

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