

**June 28, 2026**

# **A Cup Of Cold Water**

MATTHEW 10:40-42

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# Service of the Word

## Prelude

## Welcome

### CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

L: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever..

C: **Amen.**

L: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom 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 Jesus Christ our Lord..

C: **Amen.**

L: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Gracious God,

C: **have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.**

**Amen.**

L: Almighty God, who in mercy forgives all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.”

C: **Amen.**

**Prayer of the Day**

L: Let us pray.

O God, you direct our lives by your grace, and your words of justice and mercy reshape the world.

Mold us into a people who welcome your word and serve one another, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C: Amen.**

**First Reading**

**Jeremiah 28:5-9**

R: <sup>5</sup> The prophet Jeremiah spoke to the prophet Hananiah in the presence of the priests and all the people who were standing in the house of the LORD, <sup>6</sup> and the prophet Jeremiah said, "Amen! May the LORD do so; may the LORD fulfill the words that you have prophesied and bring back to this place from Babylon the vessels of the house of the LORD and all the exiles.

<sup>7</sup> But listen now to this word that I speak in your hearing and in the hearing of all the people.

<sup>8</sup> The prophets who preceded you and me from ancient times prophesied war, famine, and pestilence against many countries and great kingdoms.

<sup>9</sup> As for the prophet who prophesies peace, when the word of that prophet comes true, then it will be known that the LORD has truly sent the prophet."

R: The word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**Gospel Acclamation**

**ACS #33 (Lord to Whom v.1)**

## Gospel

Matthew 10:40-42

L: The Holy Gospel according to Matthew in the 10<sup>th</sup> chapter

C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

L: [Jesus said to the twelve:]<sup>40</sup> “Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me.

<sup>41</sup> Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet’s reward, and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous,

<sup>42</sup> and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple—truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward.”

L: The gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

## Sermon

Tim Pompey

Hymn of the Day      **God, We Gather As Your People**      ACS #1038, vv. 1,2,4

## APOSTLES CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.**

**Amen.**

**Prayers of Intercession.**

L: God of grace,

C: **hear our prayer.**

**Sharing of the Peace.**

L: The peace of Christ be with you always.

C: **And also with you.**

**Offertory**

**Just As I Am**

**ELW #592, vv. 1,2,4**

**Offering Prayer**

L: Let us pray.

Holy God, gracious and merciful, you bring forth food from the earth and nourish your whole creation.

Turn our hearts toward those who hunger in any way, that all may know your care; and prepare us now to feast on the bread of life, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: **Amen.**

**THANKSGIVING FOR THE WORD**

L: Let us pray.

Praise and thanks to you, holy God, for by your Word you made all things: you spoke light into darkness, called forth beauty from chaos, and brought life into being. For your Word of life, O God,

C: **we give you thanks and praise.**

L: By your Word you called your people Israel to tell of your wonderful gifts: freedom from captivity, water on the desert journey, a pathway home from exile, wisdom for life with you. For your Word of life, O God,

**C: we give you thanks and praise.**

L: Through Jesus, your Word made flesh, you speak to us and call us to witness: forgiveness through the cross, life to those entombed by death, the way of your self-giving love. For your Word of life, O God,

**C: we give you thanks and praise.**

L: Send your Spirit of truth, O God; rekindle your gifts within us: renew our faith, increase our hope, and deepen our love, for the sake of a world in need. Faithful to your Word, O God, draw near to all who call on you; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory forever.

**C: Amen.**

## **Lord's Prayer**

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever.**

**Amen.**

## **Announcements**

## Blessing

L: Almighty God, Father, ✝ Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever

C: Amen.

## Sending

## Drawn to the Light

ELW #593

## Dismissal

L: Go in peace. Share the good news.

C: Thanks be to God.

**Arlin, (Our SAM) is away on vacation this week and next. In keeping with the practice of the ELCA, and *Augsburg Confession*, Article XIV, Holy Communion is celebrated when an ordained pastor or someone authorized by the bishop is present to preside.**

**Today we gather around the Word, (no Holy Communion) trusting in the promise that Christ is truly present with us in every act of worship.**

**We look forward to celebrating the Sacrament of Holy Communion upon Arlin's return.**



† Troy Ludwig; Prayers of healing & support for Jackie & Teddy Ipock. Jackie's knee replacement is not healing well; Evonne Peterson & Family mourning the death of Evonne's son.(Karin's friend); Chelsea (Betty's granddaughter); Nancy Wagner (recovering from heart surgery) (Robin's friend); Dale Dean is in a facility and not doing well; Brad (Robin's nephew); Bob suffering from depression (Donna's Brother in law); Allison Johnson (Breast cancer); Gail Tenbus; Jan Ludwig; Darcy Ludwig; The Godwin family is dealing with Larry's Parkinson's disease.

† Prayers for our nation as we face conflict in the Middle East.

† Prayers for all people affected by the war.

† Prayers for our Military and their families.

**What's happening this month at Our Redeemer**

**Mondays, 5 pm** Stretch & Prayer.

**Wednesdays, 9 am** Quilting and fellowship with The Love Ladies (and gents).

**Tuesday, June 30 9-3 pm** Red Cross Blood Drive.

**June-August Service over Summer Project** list of items needed available in the Narthex

**We are thankful for those helping with worship today**

**Worship Leader**

Arlin Scott

**Music**

Tim Pompey, Jennifer Guzzo Lowry

**Reader**

Linda Lefler

**Ushers**

Teddy Ipock, Robin Tribbitt, Lloyd Tribbitt

**We have a YouTube Page. Scan the Qr code below to Re-watch a missed worship service.**



**Scan below to see this week's grace notes!**

