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GET GOING!

ACTS 1:6-14



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Prelude

Welcome

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

L: In the name of the Father, and of the ✝ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

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

Most merciful God,

C: **we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.**

Amen

L: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called minister of word and sacrament in the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ✝ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

Gathering Hymn

Arise, Your Light Has Come

ELW #314

Prayer of the Day

L: Let us pray.

O God of glory, your Son Jesus Christ suffered for us and ascended to your right hand.

Unite us with Christ and each other in suffering and in joy, that all the world may be drawn into your bountiful presence, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

First Reading

Acts 1:6-14

R: ⁶ When [the apostles] had come together, they asked [Jesus], “Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?” ⁷ He replied, “It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. ⁸ But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.” ⁹ When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. ¹⁰ While he was going and they were gazing up toward heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. ¹¹ They said, “Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up toward heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven.”

¹² Then they returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a Sabbath day’s journey away. ¹³ When they had entered the city, they went to the room upstairs where they were staying: Peter, and John, and James, and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James son of Alphaeus, and Simon the Zealot, and Judas son of James. ¹⁴ All these were constantly devoting themselves to prayer, together with certain women, including Mary the mother of Jesus, as well as his brothers.

R: The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation

ACS #33 (Lord to Whom v.1)

Gospel

John 17:1-11

L: The Holy Gospel according to John in the 17th chapter

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

L: ¹ After Jesus had spoken these words [to his disciples,] he looked up to heaven and said, “Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son so that the Son may glorify you,

² since you have given him authority over all people, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. ³ And this is eternal life, that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent. ⁴ I glorified you on earth by finishing the work that you gave me to do. ⁵ So now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had in your presence before the world existed.

⁶ “I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. ⁷ Now they know that everything you have given me is from you, ⁸ for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you, and they have believed that you sent me.

⁹ I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. ¹⁰ All mine are yours, and yours are mine, and I have been glorified in them.

¹¹ And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one.”

L: The gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

Arlin Scott

Hymn of the Day

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus

ELW #392, vv. 1,3,5

Prayers of Intercession.

L: Lord in your mercy,
C: **receive our prayer.**

Sharing of the Peace.

L: The peace of Christ be with you always.
C: **And also with you.**

Offertory **All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly** **ELW #461, vv. 1,3**

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.**

Great Thanksgiving

L: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

L: Lift up your hearts.

C: **We lift them to the Lord.**

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

C: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

L: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, Holy, Holy:

ACS #36

Words of Institution

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.

Lamb of God

ACS #40 (Lamb of God)

Prayer after Communion

L: Let us pray.

We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life.

In your mercy, strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: **Amen.**

Announcements

Blessing

L: The holy Three, the holy One, increase your hope, strengthen your faith, deepen your love, and ✝ grant you peace.

C: **Amen.**

Sending

I'm So Glad Jesus Lifted Me

ELW #860

Dismissal

L: Go in peace. Share the Good News.

C: Thanks be to God.

Arlin Scott is authorized to preside over Holy Communion at Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer by permission of Bishop Brenda Bos of the Southwest California Synod.



† Nancy Wagner (heart issues) (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).

Sunday, May 24, 10:30 Voices of Praise; Special Music.

Monday May 25, Preschool and Church closed for Memorial Day.

Friday, May 29 & Saturday, May 30 Southwest California Synod Assembly.

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

We are thankful for those helping with worship today

Worship Leader

Arlin Scott

Music

Tim Pompey, Jennifer Guzzo Lowry

Reader

Sierra Guzzo

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!

