

CONCORDIA SEMINARY
Chapel of St. Timothy and St. Titus

The Fifteenth Week after Pentecost (Proper 18A)
September 13, 2023

Divine Service, Setting One

Pre-service Music

Stand

Confession and Absolution LSB 151

Kyrie LSB 152

Hymn of Praise – “This Is the Feast” LSB 155

Salutation and Collect of the Day LSB 156

Sit

Epistle Romans 13:1–10

Stand

Alleluia and Verse LSB 156

Holy Gospel Matthew 18:1–20

Sit

Hymn of the Day LSB 820 “My Soul, Now Praise Your Maker”

Sermon

Stand

Nicene Creed LSB 158

Prayer of the Church

Following the prayers, the people may greet one another in the name of the Lord, saying “Peace be with you,” as a sign of reconciliation and of the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace (Matt. 5:22–24; Eph. 4:1–3).

Sit

Offertory Hymn LSB 747 “No Saint on Earth Lives to Self Alone”

Stand

Service of the Sacrament

LSB 160 ff.

- Preface
- Sanctus
- Prayer of Thanksgiving
- Lord’s Prayer
- The Words of Our Lord
- Pax Domini
- Agnus Dei

Sit

The congregation is encouraged to begin coming forward to the communion rails during the singing of the Agnus Dei.

The Lord’s Supper will be distributed at the altar rails in a continuous flow. Both pulpit and lectern sides come forward at the same time. Beginning at the center of the rail, please take the next available place at the rail, moving around toward the wall behind the altar and allowing for space between you and others as you are comfortable. Both the chalice and individual cups are available. The chalice is continuously cleansed with alcohol-soaked purificators. After communing, please return to your seat by the side aisles.

Distribution Hymns *LSB* 616 “Baptismal Waters Cover Me”
LSB 625 “Lord Jesus Christ, Life-Giving Bread”

Stand

Dismissal

Post-Communion Collect

LSB 166

Benediction

Postlude



In the Lord’s Service

- Presiding Minister
- Preacher
- Lector
- Assistants

- Rev. Dr. David Maxwell
- Rev. Dr. David Peter
- Rev. Dr. Thomas Egger
- Rev. Dr. Jon Vieker
- Seminarian Henry Eising
- Seminarian Travis Galle
- Seminarian Peyton Holland
- Justin Knabach

Organist

Concerning the Divine Service

The Lord’s Supper is celebrated on our campus in the confession and glad confidence that our Lord Jesus, as He says, gives His very body and blood under the bread and wine for us Christians to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sin. In joyful obedience to the clear teaching of our Lord, those are invited to His table who trust His words, repent of all sin, set aside any refusal to forgive, and forgive as He forgives us. Because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and so are unable to receive the Sacrament, are invited to meditate on God’s Word in the distribution hymns and pray for the day when divisions will have ceased.

This service of Holy Communion is hosted by Ascension Lutheran Church, St. Louis, Missouri, Rev. Matthew Clark, pastor.

Hearing device assistance is available in the chapel by downloading AudioFetch to your smart phone. Once installed, connect to “CSLHearing” on the chapel WiFi. The password to connect is “Seminary1839.” You can then use personal headphones or earbuds to listen and adjust the sound as appropriate. If you need any help with this process, please speak with the tech worker at the sound booth located on the right side of the chapel. He will be happy to assist.

Individual Confession and Absolution is available through Chaplain Sieveking. sievekingp@csl.edu. “When I urge you to go to confession, I am simply urging you to be a Christian.” (Large Catechism, Brief Exhortation, 32).

To submit prayer requests for daily chapel, please submit them via SemNet: Semnet>Resources>Chapel>Prayer Request.

Prayer Requests

- Ellory Glenn, father of Micah Glenn—ongoing recovery.
- Suzanne Vandermeulen, sister-in-law of Jon Vieker—ongoing recovery.
- Blake Georgie, spouse of Carla Georgie—recovering from surgery.
- Harold, grandfather of Michael Wilke—ongoing recovery.
- Francis Rossow, professor emeritus—ongoing recovery.
- Tamao Komiyama, father of Aiji Komiyama—hospitalized.

You are cordially invited to gather for Evening Services in the North Transept.

- Mondays: Spanish Vespers
- Tuesdays: Evening Prayer
- Thursdays: Compline
- Services begin in silence at 8:15 p.m.