

Service of Holy Communion



Fourteenth Week after Pentecost

11 September 2019

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Gospel Reading

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—sit—

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—stand if able—

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—sit—

Communion Music

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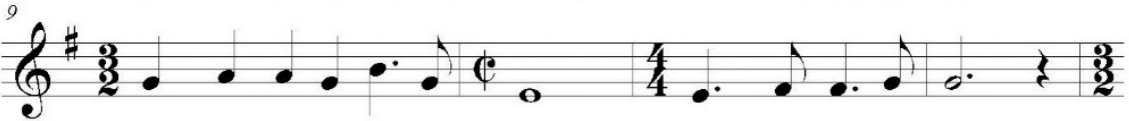
He Will Hold Me Fast



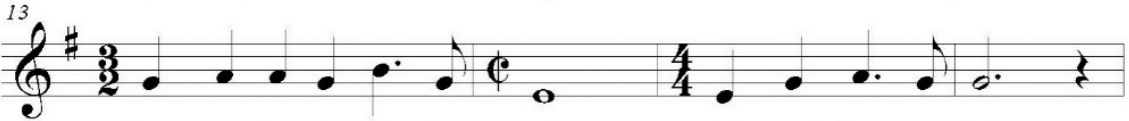
1. When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast;
2. Those He saves are His de - light, Christ will hold me fast;
3. For my life He bled and died, Christ will hold me fast;



When the temp - er would pre - vail, He will hold me fast.
Pre - cious in His ho - ly sight, He will hold me fast.
Just - ice has been sat - is - fied, He will hold me fast.



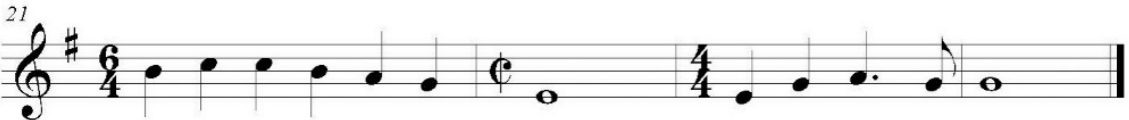
I could nev - er keep my hold through life's fear - ful path;
He'll not let my soul be lost...His Prom - is - es shall last;
Raised with Him to end - less life, He will hold me fast



For my love is of - ten cold; He must hold me fast.
Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast.
Till our faith is turned to sight When He comes at last!



He will hold me fast, He will hold me fast;



For my Sav - ior loves me so, He will hold me fast.

Dismissal

—stand if able—

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The Servants of the Word

Presider: Chaplain Sieveking

Preacher: Professor Mark Seifrid

Assistants: CHS Assistant to Director Mark Kempff,
Seminarians Jonathan Munnicha and Jacob Sipes

Lead Musician: Director of Musical Arts James Marriott

In Preparation for Communion

To Our Guests:

The Lord's Supper is celebrated on our campus in the confession and glad confidence that our Lord, as He says, gives not only bread and wine, but His very body and blood to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sin. In joyful obedience to the clear teaching of our Lord Jesus those are invited to His table who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us. They show forth His death until He comes. 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. **-Kent J. Burreson, Dean of the Chapel**

Notes Regarding Communion

- The campus Lord's Supper is sponsored and hosted by the The Lutheran Church of Webster Gardens and Pastors Joel Christiansen and Brian King.
- The bread was baked by Kent Burreson.
- The Chapel's Red Wine is from Montelle Winery, Augusta, Missouri and the White Wine is from Blumenhof Winery, Dutzow, Missouri.
- When receiving the cup to partake of Christ Jesus' blood, please place your hand on the cup in some way to assist the server in guiding it to your mouth. Depending upon how those distributing the cup are holding it, you can either take hold of the cup at the base on the bottom OR on the stem of the chalice OR at the bowl itself on the upper part. By doing so you will assist the server and help to prevent any unwelcome spillage.
- The Reliquary (unconsecrated, additional bread) will be distributed after the service in the narthex if there is sufficient quantity. You are invited to take a piece with you.
- If illness or other extenuating circumstances lead you not to drink wine directly from the chalice, you may intinct the bread by dipping it into the chalice.

Private Confession and Absolution

Check SemNet to see when Chaplain Sieveking will offer confession at the altar.

Prayer Requests

- Partner Church Bodies: China Evangelical Lutheran Church led by President Andrew Miao
- Synodical Leaders: Synodical Vice-President John Wohlrabe
- Districts and District Presidents: Central Illinois District led by President Mark Miller
- Campus Host Congregation: The Lutheran Church of Webster Gardens, Webster Groves, MO and Pastors Joel Christiansen and Brian King
- Missionaries: Daniel Putnam, The Blake Warren family, the Juancarlos de Ramirez Family, and the Cheryl Naumann Family, all serving in the Dominican Republic
- The Lutheran Women's Missionary League
- The Poor and Those Suffering from Natural and Man-Made Disasters: California, Louisiana, and flooding throughout the USA; The Bahamas, Mozambique, Malawi, Madagascar, Zimbabwe, South Africa, and flooding in countries throughout the world
- Those who are ill/undergoing surgery: Professor Kou Seying, recovering from surgery; Rev. Erich Kaelberer battling ALS; Roger Drinnon, father to graduate student Roger Drinnon, battling cancer; Renee Gibbs, recovering from surgery and undergoing treatment to cure breast cancer; Beth Jones, wife of seminarian Brett Jones, diagnosis and treatment for heart issues; Kyzer and Kinley, premature newborns, friends of seminarian James Burke, battling health issues; Gabby, 5-year old niece of deaconess student Elizabeth Melin, battling cardio-vascular issues
- Those battling mental/emotional/psychological challenges: Schizophrenia
- Those Mourning: Staff member Diane Alt and her family, mourning the death of her sister-in-law, Jeanne Hancock; Professor Joel Elowsky and his family mourning the death of his mother, Edna Elowsky; LaShundra Davis, staff member in Accounting, and her family mourning the death of her son, Jaimon Coles



Reflections on the Gospel for the upcoming Sunday, from Luke 15, from Ted and Rick (dark nose) by LCMS Pastor James Wetzstein (Agnus Day appears with the permission of www.agnusday.org).

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Invitation to Communion (after peace)

Jesus welcomes sinners and eats with them. Come, take your place at the feast.

Post-Communion Prayer:

Father of all blessing, at this table we have seen you face to face, and in the gifts of Christ's body and blood, our hearts have been refreshed. Send us now to shine with your goodness and bear witness to the one we have received: Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Blessing

Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, through the power of the Holy Spirit whom God has poured out upon you and who dwells in you. The Almighty God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you with grace, mercy, and peace, now and forever.

C: Amen.