MATINS

Lutheran Service Book, pp. 219-228

18th Week after Pentecost

stand if able

Opening Versicles

LSB, p. 219

Psalm 80:7-19

Tone G

The cantor and assembly will sing the verses of the psalm in alternation by whole verse.

sit

Office Hymn

LSB 909, sts. 1, 3-4

Reading

John 7:37-52

Homily

stand if able

Canticle: Nunc dimittis

LSB 937

Prayers

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Kyrie

Lord's Prayer

Java (Indonesian)

See next page.

Sung by the assembly in unison

Collects

Concluding Prayer

assembly prays together

O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, You have safely brought us to the beginning of this day. Defend us in the same with Your mighty power and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger, but that all our doings, being ordered by Your governance, may be righteous in Your sight; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen. (Collect for Grace)

Benedicamus and Benediction

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Post-Service Music

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Life Thought for Pentecost 18 – Jesus' parable about vineyard tenants (Matthew 21:38-41) warns against abortion and assisted suicide. These acts always kill a son or daughter, without ever delivering the liberty they advertise. They ink us into contracts payable only with guilt and grief. But entrusting ourselves to Christ, who creates bodies and sustains souls even amid costs and losses (Philippians 3:7-8) like surprise pregnancy or terminal diagnosis, this gives life not only to "me" but to "us" (Psalm 80:18).

JESUS CHRIST IS THE SAME YESTERDAY AND TODAY AND FOREVER

Concordia Seminary Chapel of St. Timothy & St. Titus 9:35 am – 6 October 2020