

## SERVICE OF PRAYER AND PREACHING

Lutheran Service Book, pp. 260-7

23rd Week after Pentecost

Pre-Service Music

*stand if able*

Opening Versicles: Common

LSB, p. 260

*sit*

Reading

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Responsory: Common

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Homily

*stand if able*

Hymn

LSB 733

Communal Prayers

*Communal prayers allow the opportunity for the entire seminary community individually, and yet as one, to intercede for the church, the world, and all those in need. The intercessor will begin the prayers with the first three bids on page 265 and then offer additional bids. Then the assembly is invited to offer bids aloud. Please speak as loudly as possible so that all may hear. The bids are offered in the following fashion:*

*Intercessor: For. . . let us pray to the Lord;*

***Assembly: Lord, have mercy.***

Concluding Prayer

*assembly prays together*

**Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your most beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, these desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.** (Collect attributed to St. John Chrysostom)

Benedicamus and Benediction

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Post-Service Music

## SERVANTS OF THE WORD

Rev. Robert Zagore

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Liturgist

Elin Gomez

Organist

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**The Rev. Robert Zagore** serves as executive director of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod's Office of National Mission, where he oversees the implementation of the policies that direct the domestic ministries serving the congregations, schools and districts of the Synod. He began serving in this position in May 2018. To this role, Zagore brings 27 years of experience as a parish pastor in both urban and rural congregations. He spent 17 of those years as senior administrative pastor at Trinity Lutheran Church and School in Traverse City, Mich. Prior to that, he was pastor at St. Paul Lutheran Church (1997–2001) in Niles, Mich., and Hope Lutheran Church (1991–97) in Stanton, Mich. He also has served as a pastoral delegate at three LCMS conventions, as a circuit counselor in the LCMS Michigan District, and as a vicarage and seminary field work supervisor. Zagore received his Master of Divinity degree from Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne, Ind. (1990), and he later completed additional coursework toward a Master of Sacred Theology degree. He also holds a bachelor's degree in accounting from Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Ind. (1983). Zagore and his wife, Gwen, have four adult children: Christopher (married to Leah), Katie, Elise and Faith.

We welcome to campus those attending the **LCMS National Disaster Response Conference – Lift High the Cross: The Comfort of Christ For Those Who Suffer**. We are glad you are here and pray the Lord's blessings upon your conference in service to those who suffer.

## HERE AM I! SEND ME

Concordia Seminary

Chapel of St. Timothy & St. Titus

9:35 am - 16 October 2018