

COLLECT OF THE DAY - prayed by all together - (insert)

THE WORD

OLD TESTAMENT (insert) - Genesis 18:1-10 – Paul Thomas Jr., Lector

GRADUAL - insert – read by all together

EPISTLE (insert) - Colossians 1:21-28

GOSPEL (insert) – Luke 10:38-42 (stand)

HYMN OF THE DAY - “Today Your Mercy Calls Us”

1. **Today your mercy calls us to wash away our sin.
However great our trespass, whatever we have been,
However long from mercy our hearts have turned away,
Your precious blood can wash us and make us clean today.**
2. **Today your gate is open, and all who enter in
Shall find a Father’s welcome and pardon for their sin.
The past shall be forgotten, a present joy be giv’n,
A future grace be promised, a glorious crown in heav’n.**
3. **O all embracing Mercy, O ever open Door,
What should we do without you – when heart and eye run o’er?
When all things seem against us, to drive us to despair,
We know one gate is open, One ear will hear our prayer.**

SERMON: “Don’t just do something . . . sit there!!” – Luke 10 – Pastor B

CREED - Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And he will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYER – “O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt His name together. (Psalm 34:3)

Let us pray: **Heavenly Father, we thank You for all the blessings You have given to each of us and to Salem Congregation over the years. We ask for Your direction in our lives and in the selection of a new pastor for Salem. Help us all to be patient, hopeful, and preserving, trusting totally in You, because You have promised to hear us. We ask this in faith, thanking You, and trusting in Your holy will. In Jesus’ Name, we pray. Amen.**

PRAYERS – Claire Carlson, Prayer Leader

At words of “Lord in Your mercy”

Response of Congregation: “**Hear our prayer.**”

THE WORD IN THE SUPPER

OFFERING - “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” - Runyan

OFFERTORY –

THE PREFACE -

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

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

C: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

P: It is truly good, right, and salutary . . . evermore praising you and saying:

C: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of pow’r and might:

Heaven and earth are full of your glory. **Hosanna. Hosanna.**

Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. **Hosanna in the highest.**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION OF OUR LORD’S SUPPER

COMMUNION & COMMUNION HYMNS -

“Brothers and Sisters In Christ”

1. **Sing alleluia! Amen! Let your prayers and praises ascend.
Lift up your voices and sing to our Lord God, our Savior and King!
Here brought together by grace—we are gathered as friends in this place.**
**REFRAIN: And assembled as one, in the name of the Son,
Lifting hearts, lifting hands, celebrating as friends,
And proclaiming the Lord, all our praises afford.
We are brothers and sisters in Christ.**

SENDING

PRAYER & BENEDICTION

HYMN - "From All That Dwell Below the Skies"

1. From all that dwell below the skies let the creator's praise arise;
Alleluia, alleluia!
Let the redeemer's name be sung through ev'ry land by ev'ry tongue.
REFRAIN: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

2. All praise to God the Father be, all praise, eternal Son, to thee;
Alleluia, alleluia!
Whom with the Spirit we adore forever and forevermore.

REFRAIN.

== = *Mission: SALEM/Peace - As the Father sent me I send you.* == =
Vision: Preach - Teach - Heal - doing what Jesus does.

Assistants in Today's Worship

Worship Leader . . . Vicar Domenick Lettieri

Celebrant Pastor David S. Belasic

Prayer Leader . . . Claire Carlson

Organist Lois L. Jones

Lector . . . Paul Thomas Jr.

Welcomers . . .

Assistants Vicar Domenick Lettieri and Paul Thomas Jr.

Ushers Paul Yox, Judy Hoffmann, Matthew Hoffmann,
Erik Radtke, Ryan Carr, Ashley Hoffmann

Altar Vi Kelm and Gretchen Putzman

2. Man walked alone and in need without faith, hope or promise or creed;
Wandering, aimlessly lost, unaware of the staggering cost;
That God in his mercy would save all his people from death and the
grave. **REFRAIN.**

3. Lord, teach us how to proclaim all your goodness, your love and your
Name!
Lord, teach us how to forgive and in love, teach us, Lord, how to live.
Raising our voices in song, help us tell all the world we belong.
REFRAIN.

"My Jesus, I Love Thee"

1. My Jesus, I love Thee, I know Thou art mine,
For Thee all the follies of sin I resign;
My gracious Redeemer, my Savior art Thou,
If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

2. I love Thee because Thou hast first loved me,
And purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree;
I love Thee for wearing the thorns on Thy brow,
If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

3. In mansions of glory and endless delight,
I'll ever adore Thee in heaven so bright;
I'll sing with the glittering crown on my brow,
If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

"I've Got Peace Like A River"

1. I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river,
I've got peace like a river in my soul.
I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river,
I've got peace like a river in my soul.

2. I've got love like an ocean, I've got love like an ocean,
I've got love like an ocean in my soul.
I've got love like an ocean, I've got love like an ocean,
I've got love like an ocean in my soul.

3. I've got joy like a fountain, I've got joy like a fountain,
I've got joy like a fountain in my soul.
I've got joy like a fountain, I've got joy like a fountain,
I've got joy like a fountain, in my soul.