

OCTOBER 10, 2021 | 9:00 AM

# TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

LOVE, SHARE, & SERVE BOLDLY.

*No matter where you find yourself on your faith journey—join us!*

*Here you have found a church home where believers congregate to encourage each other and grow spiritually in an abundant relationship with the Lord. At St. Martin's, we promote and value an inclusive fellowship. Whether you are young, old, gay, straight, single, married, partnered—from all walks of life, backgrounds, and cultures—we welcome you!*



ST. MARTIN'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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# GATHERING MUSIC

Lord, Let My Heart Be Good Soil

Handt Hansen

## GATHERING

### WELCOME

*The people stand.*

### GATHERING SONG

Gather Us In

Marty Haugen



1. Here in this place the new light is stream-ing, now is the dark - ness  
2. We are the young, our lives are a mys - t'ry, we are the old who  
3. Here we will take the wine and the wa - ter, here we will take the  
4. Not in the dark of build-ings con - fin - ing, not in some heav - en,



van-ished a - way; see in this space our fears and our dream-ings  
yearn for your face; we have been sung through - out all of his - t'ry,  
bread of new birth, here you shall call your sons and your daugh-ters,  
light years a - way here in this place the new light is shin - ing,



brought here to you in the light of this day. \_\_\_\_\_  
called to be light to the whole hu - man race. \_\_\_\_\_  
call us a - new to be salt for the earth. \_\_\_\_\_  
now is the king-dom, and now is the day. \_\_\_\_\_



Gath - er us in, the lost and for - sak - en, gath - er us in, the  
Gath - er us in, the rich and the haugh - ty, gath - er us in, the  
Give us to drink the wine of com - pas - sion, give us to eat the  
Gath - er us in and hold us for - ev - er, gath - er us in and



blind and the lame; call to us now, and we shall a - wak - en,  
proud and the strong; give us a heart, so meek and so low - ly,  
bread that is you; nour - ish us well, and teach us to fash - ion  
make us your own; gath - er us in, all peo - ples to - geth - er,



we shall a - rise at the sound of our name.  
give us the cour - age to en - ter the song.  
lives that are ho - ly and hearts that are true.  
fire\_\_\_\_\_ of love in our flesh and our bone.

## GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

### WORD

*The people are seated.*

## READING

**Mark 10:17-31**

The good news from God, according to Mark.

<sup>17</sup>As [Jesus] was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, “Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?” <sup>18</sup>Jesus said to him, “Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. <sup>19</sup>You know the commandments: ‘You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honor your father and mother.’” <sup>20</sup>He said to him, “Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth.” <sup>21</sup>Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, “You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.” <sup>22</sup>When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions.

<sup>23</sup>Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, “How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!” <sup>24</sup>And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, “Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! <sup>25</sup>It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.” <sup>26</sup>They were greatly astounded and said to one

another, “Then who can be saved?” <sup>27</sup>Jesus looked at them and said, “For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible.”

<sup>28</sup>Peter began to say to him, “Look, we have left everything and followed you.” <sup>29</sup>Jesus said, “Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, <sup>30</sup>who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age—houses, brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields, with persecutions—and in the age to come eternal life. <sup>31</sup>But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first.”

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

*For additional devotion, you may wish to read and reflect on the rest of the assigned lectionary texts for the Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost: Amos 5:6-7, 10-15, Psalm 90:12-17, and Hebrews 4:12-16.*

*The people are seated. The children come forward during the song.*

## SONG

We Are Marching

South African traditional

We are march - ing in the light of God, we are march - ing in the  
light of God. We are march - ing in the light of God,  
We are march - ing in the light of God.  
We are march - ing (march - ing, we are march - ing) Oo  
we are march - ing in the light of God.

We are march-ing (march - ing, we are march - ing) Oo\_\_\_\_\_

we are march - ing in the light of God.\_\_\_\_

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

*The song is sung as the children return to their seats.*

## MESSAGE

*After the message, the people stand to sing. Prayer cards are collected by the ushers during the Song of the Day.*

## SONG OF THE DAY

Take My Life

William Dexheimer Pharris

*Refrain*

Take my life, that I\_\_\_\_\_ may be\_\_\_\_\_ con-se crat - ed, Lord,\_\_\_\_\_ to thee;

*To stanzas*

take my mo-ments and\_\_\_\_\_ my days; let them flow in cease- less praise.\_\_\_\_

*Last time*

less praise.

- |   |                           |
|---|---------------------------|
| 1. Take my hands and let_____ them move | at the im - pulse of_____ |
| 2. Take my sil - ver and_____ my gold,  | not a mite would I_____   |
| 3. Take my voice and let_____ me sing_  | al - ways, on - ly for_   |
| 4. Take my will and make_____ it thine; | it shall be no lon        |



— thy love; take my feet and let\_\_\_ them be\_\_\_ swift and  
 — with hold; take my in - tel - lect\_\_\_ and use\_\_\_ ev - 'ry  
 — my king; take my lips and let\_\_\_ them be\_\_\_ filled with  
 - ger mine; take my heart, it is\_\_\_ thine own; - it shall



*To Refrain*

beau - ti - ful\_\_\_ for thee.  
 pow'r as thou\_\_\_ shalt choose.  
 mes - sag - es\_\_\_ from thee.  
 be thy roy - al throne.

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

## SHARING THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

*The people are seated.*

## MEAL

## OFFERING

Offerings may be placed in the basket in the narthex, or you can donate at [saintmartins.org/giving](http://saintmartins.org/giving) or text "luther" and your gift amount to 73256. Standard text message and data rates may apply.

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*The people stand to sing.*

# OFFERING SONG

The Peace of the Lord

Anders Ruuth



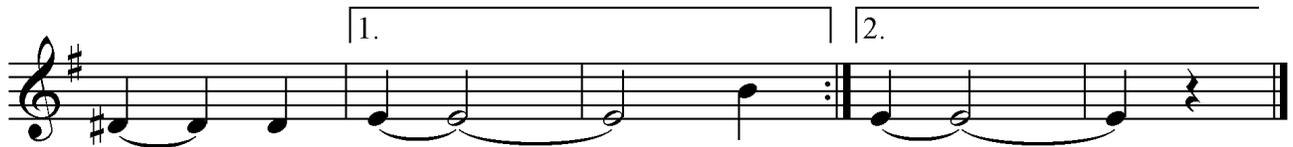
1. *La paz del Se - ñor, la paz del Se - ñor, la*  
1. The peace of the Lord, the peace of the Lord, the  
2. The peace of the Lord, the peace of the Lord, the  
3. The peace of the Lord, the peace of the Lord, the



*paz del Re - su - ci - ta - do: la*  
peace of the ris - en Lord Je - sus: the  
peace of the ris - en Lord Je - sus: the  
peace of the ris - en Lord Je - sus: the



*paz del Se - ñor a ti ya mí, a to - dos al -*  
peace of the Lord is for you and for me, and al - so for  
peace of the Lord is a - mong us right now, so o - pen your -  
peace of the Lord kept with - in can - not live, so o - pen your -



*can - za - rá; la rá.*  
all of God's chil - dren. The chil - dren.  
selves to re - ceive it. The ceive it.  
selves now to share it. The share it.

# OFFERING PRAYER

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

# HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,  
heav - en and earth are full of your glo-ry, full of your glo-ry. Ho - san - na, ho -  
san na, ho - san - na in the\_ high - est. Bless-ed is he who  
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho -  
san - na in the\_ high - est.

The musical score is written on five staves. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#), and a 4/4 time signature. The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes. The second staff continues the melody with similar note values. The third staff features a dotted quarter note followed by eighth notes. The fourth staff includes a 2/4 time signature change and a fermata over the final note. The fifth staff concludes with a double bar line and a fermata, with a '2' above it indicating a second ending.

## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

**LORD'S PRAYER** Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those  
who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial  
and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours,  
now and forever. Amen.

*The people are seated.*

## LAMB OF GOD

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Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.

8



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.

12



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world;

15



grant us peace, grant us— peace, Lamb of God.

## HOLY COMMUNION

*Our communion table is open to all. Everyone is welcome to receive communion regardless of age or denomination. Gluten free wafers are available if requested.*

*The people stand.*

## TABLE BLESSING

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

## SENDING

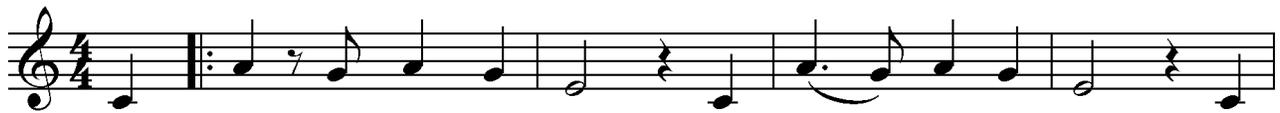
## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## BLESSING

# SENDING SONG

## Build Your Kingdom Here

## Rend Collective



1. Come set Your rule, and reign in our hearts a - gain. In -  
(2. We) seek Your king - dom first. We hun - ger and we thirst; Re -  
(3. Un-) leash Your king - dom's pow'r, reach - ing the near and far. No



crease in us, we pray. Un - veil why we're made. Come  
fuse to waste our lives, for You're our joy and prize. To  
force of hell can stop Your beau - ty, chang - ing hearts. You



set our hearts a - blaze with hope, like wild - fire in our ver - y souls;  
see the cap - tives' hearts re - leased; The hurt, the sick, the poor at peace.  
made us for much more than this; A - wake the king - dom seed in us.



Ho - ly Spir - it, come, in - vade us now. We are Your  
We lay down our lives for heav - en's cause. We are Your  
Fill us with the strength and love of Christ. We are Your



church; We need Your pow'r in us. 2. We  
church; We pray, re - vive this earth.  
church; We are the hope on earth.

### Chorus



Build Your king - dom here. Let the dark - ness fear. Show Your

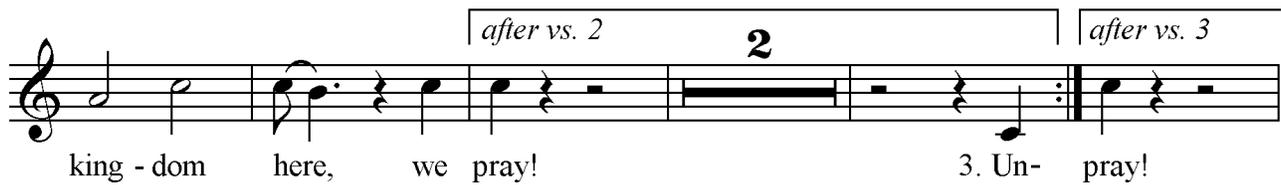


might - y hand. Heal our streets and land. Set Your church on



fire. Win this na - tion back. Change the at - mos - phere. Build Your

after vs. 2 **2** after vs. 3



king - dom here, we pray! 3. Un- pray!

**17**



Build Your king - dom here. Let the dark - ness



fear. Show Your might - y hand. Heal our streets and land. Set Your



church on fire. Win this na - tion back. Change the at - mos -

**3**



phere. Build Your king - dom here, we pray!

## DISMISSAL

Go in peace. The living Word dwells in you. **Thanks be to God.**

*Music is played and sung as the people depart for Faith Formation Hour.  
Children and High School Sunday school classes meet in the Parlor Courtyard.  
Confirmation class meets in the lobby. Come As You Are gathers in Room 230.*

## SERVING TODAY

Pastor Ellen Williams - *preaching/presiding*

Tom Blomquist, Cason Miller - *assisting ministers*

Steve Wager - *praise force director*

Katherine Altobello O'Brien, Andrew Fuhrman, Alvin Helge, Jameson James, Darin Layne,

Tim O'Brien, Jenny Ohrstrom, Todd Waldron - *praise force*

Jim Parkhurst - *sound*

Eddie Jennings - *video*

Norm Hummell - *ushers*

## ST. MARTIN'S PRAYERS

*If you have a prayer request to add to the prayer list, you may email [prayer@saintmartins.org](mailto:prayer@saintmartins.org).*

### REMEMBER IN PRAYER

The Blanchard family; Brad and Margaret; Stan Cravatt; Danny Fetonte; Keith and Narda Fisher; Jeannine; Paul and Penny Laurentius; Lorraine, Steve, Jackie, and Joe; the Mickelson family; Kavan McComus; family and friends of Christie Nalle; Lisa Quillan and family; family and friends of Gil Shakelford; Elisabeth Williams; family and friends of Ruth Woehl; Gil Zilkha; teachers, school administrators, and students.

### CONTINUED PRAYERS FOR

Terry Adcock; Nancy Anderson; Bob Aus; Alicia Badeusz; Gerry Berens; Emily Berggren; Patricia Byous; Vickie Dunlevy; Eleanor and Dave; Sam Gourley; Dean Haynie; Ronnie Johnson; Peter Jordahl; Kara; Betsy Knauff; Arvid Larson; Pat Larson; Doris McGaughy; David Pierce; Jeff Puskos; Lottie Smith; Betty Staehr.

## AUGUST FINANCIAL REPORT Year-to-Date Income Statement

Revenues		Expenses		Net	4,631
Operating	505,278	Operating	512,144	August Benevolence Donations: Lutheran Campus Ministry = \$355	
Building	106,584	Building	82,430		
School	771,099	School	783,757		
Total	1,382,962	Total	1,378,331		

# SEPTEMBER BENEVOLENCE: ST. MARTIN'S SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS

GIFT OF GIVING | In the spirit of giving let's add another smiling face to our exceptional St. Martin's Preschool. With a donation to our School Scholarship Fund you can help give a child in need the gift of a quality Christian Education. To support the scholarship, contribute online at [www.saintmartins.org](http://www.saintmartins.org) or mail a check to St. Martin's with School Scholarship Donation written on the memo line. For more information about our preschool, go the church website at [www.saintmartins.org](http://www.saintmartins.org) and click on Preschool.

## EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### *This Week at St. Martin's*

#### **Sunday, September 26**

9:00 am	Holy Communion
10:00 am	Faith Formation Hour
11:00 am	Holy Communion
5:00 pm	Lutheran Campus Ministry Worship

#### **Tuesday, September 28**

9:00 am	WELCA Tack & Pack
7:00 pm	Stephen Ministry

#### **Wednesday, September 29**

1:00 pm	Pastor's Book Class
6:00 pm	Wednesday Game Night
7:00 pm	Choir rehearsal
8:30 pm	Handbell rehearsal

#### **Thursday, September 30**

6:00 pm	High School Devotional (Zoom)
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#### **Saturday, October 2**

12:00 pm	Confirmation Family Hike
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#### **Sunday, October 3—*Blessing of the Animals, Creation Sunday***

9:00 am	Holy Communion
10:00 am	Faith Formation Hour
11:00 am	Holy Communion
5:00 pm	Lutheran Campus Ministry Worship

### **Creation Sunday and Blessing of the Animals | Sunday, October 3rd**

Bring your pet, stuffed animal, or a photo of your beloved animal friend to worship at 9 or 11 am to be blessed as we celebrate all that God has created for us to share, steward, and enjoy!

**Choir & Handbell Rehearsals** | Fall music rehearsals have begun! Join us on Wednesdays in the Sanctuary for choir at 7:00 pm or handbells at 8:30 pm. Both ensembles are taking new members. Come sing and ring together and share joy in a musical faith community. All are welcome. For more information, contact Tim O'Brien.

**Immerse Yourself in the Gospels** | Groups are forming for a year-long study of the Four Gospels using the book "Heart and Mind: The Four-Gospel Journey for Radical Transformation" by Alexander John Shaia. There will be options for in-person and online groups. Please let Pr. Ellen know if you are interested.

To read the announcement list any time, go to [saintmartins.org/news](http://saintmartins.org/news).