# Love C. EVERYONE EVERYONE So Always

# HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

June 29, 2025 - 8:30 & 10:30am



#### Scroll Burned and Re-Written

We can resist the word of God, but only for so long. It is persistent, both in bringing judgment against sin and in bringing grace to the repentant.

#### **Opening Songs**

This Is the Day

This is the day (echo), That the Lord has made (echo), We will rejoice (echo), and And be glad in it (echo)
This is the day that the Lord has made; we will rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day (echo), That the Lord has made (echo).

Amigo De Cristo

Refrain: Amigos de Cristo; we're friends of the Lord; amigos de Cristo; we're friends of the Lord. For we've been forgiven, and we've been restored; amigos de Cristo; we're friends of the Lord.

1 Friends of the covenant renewed each morn; baptized and loving it, we've been reborn. Gift of the dove is ours forevermore. Amigos de Cristo; we're friends of the Lord. *Refrain* 

2 Born of a family, the young and old, we'll be on hand to see new life unfold. We understand the need to be made whole. Amigos de Cristo; we're friends of the Lord. *Refrain* 

Love Love Love, That's What It's All About

Love, love — that's what it's all about!

'Cause God loves us we love each other: Mother, father, sister, brother.

Everybody sing and shout. (Hey!). 'Cause that's what it's all about.

It's about love, love, love, love, love, love.

Verses: Peace, Joy, You, Me, Christ

#### Greeting

#### **Hymn of Praise**

Thy Word is a Lamp

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path

When I feel afraid Think I've lost my way Still you're there right beside me And nothing will I fear As long as you are near Please be near me to the end Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

#### Prayer of the Day

Let us pray, In scripture we have heard and continue to hear over and over your call to do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with you. Awaken us again each day to hear your voice and prioritize your call in our lives, that we might be beacons of hope in an often challenging and frightening world. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

#### Welcome and Greeting

Lesson

Jeremiah 36:1-8, 21-23, 27-31

<sup>1</sup>In the fourth year of King Jehoiakim son of Josiah of Judah, this word came to Jeremiah from the LORD: <sup>2</sup>Take a scroll and write on it all the words that I have spoken to you against Israel and Judah and all the nations, from the day I spoke to you, from the days of Josiah until today. <sup>3</sup>It may be that when the house of Judah hears of all the disasters that I intend to do to them, all of them may turn from their evil ways, so that I may forgive their iniquity and their sin.

<sup>4</sup>Then Jeremiah called Baruch son of Neriah, and Baruch wrote on a scroll at Jeremiah's dictation all the words of the LORD that he had spoken to him. <sup>5</sup>And Jeremiah ordered Baruch, saying, "I am prevented from entering the house of the LORD; <sup>6</sup>so you go yourself, and on a fast day in the hearing of the people in the LORD's house you shall read the words of the LORD from the scroll that you have written at my dictation. You shall read them also in the hearing of all the people of Judah who come up from their towns. <sup>7</sup>It may be that their plea will come before the LORD, and that all of them will turn from their evil ways, for great is the anger and wrath that the LORD has pronounced against this people." <sup>8</sup>And Baruch son of Neriah did all that the prophet Jeremiah ordered him about reading from the scroll the words of the LORD in the LORD's house.

<sup>21</sup>Then the king sent Jehudi to get the scroll, and he took it from the chamber of Elishama the secretary; and Jehudi read it to the king and all the officials who stood beside the king. <sup>22</sup>Now the king was sitting in his winter apartment (it was the ninth month), and there was a fire burning in the brazier before him. <sup>23</sup>As Jehudi read three or four columns, the king would cut them off with a penknife and throw them into the fire in the brazier, until the entire scroll was consumed in the fire that was in the brazier. <sup>27</sup>Now, after the king had burned the scroll with the words that Baruch wrote at Jeremiah's dictation, the word of the LORD came to Jeremiah: <sup>28</sup>Take another scroll and write on it all the former words that were in the first scroll, which King Jehoiakim of Judah has burned. <sup>29</sup>And concerning King Jehoiakim of Judah you shall say: Thus says the LORD, You have dared to burn this scroll, saying, Why have you written in it that the king of Babylon will certainly come and destroy this land, and will cut off from it human beings and animals? <sup>30</sup>Therefore thus says the LORD concerning King Jehoiakim of Judah: He shall have no one to sit upon the throne of David, and his dead body shall be cast out to the heat by day and the frost by night. <sup>31</sup>And I will punish him and his offspring and his servants for their iniquity; I will bring on them, and on the inhabitants of Jerusalem, and on the people of Judah, all the disasters with which I have threatened them — but they would not listen.

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

# LIVE IT OUT! VBS Kickoff

#### **Memory Verse**

I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. (John 13:34)

#### Song

This is My Commandment

This is my commandment: That you love one another; that your joy may be full. This is my commandment: That you love one another; that your joy may be full. That your joy may be full! That your joy may be full! This is my commandment: That you love one another; that your joy may be full.

#### **VBS Skit**

#### Hymn of the Day

1) I'm steppin' out to a world so bright Ready to discover how to shine your light. Jesus, you're everything, my best friend I'm gonna celebrate your love that never ends.

Refrain: Teach me — and show me How to love like you do So I can LIVE IT OUT! LIVE IT OUT! That's what it's all about. I can LIVE IT OUT! LIVE IT OUT! That's what it's all about: LIVE IT OUT!

- 2) Living life never felt so free Loving one another like you did for me. Jesus, you're everything, my best friend. I'm gonna celebrate you love that never ends. *Refrain*:
- 3) We're gonna love. We're gonna be kind. We're gonna pray for each other all the time. We're gonna serve. We're gonna forgive. Cuz following you Jesus is the way to live. *Refrain:*

It's time to LIVE IT OUT! LIVE IT OUT! It's time to LIVE IT OUT! LIVE IT OUT!

#### Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### **Ministry Announcements**

**Prayers of Intercession** Response: hear our prayer

#### Communion

The Lord be with you. Lift up your hearts. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

And also with you. We lift them to the Lord. It is right to give our thanks and praise

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; Broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: "Take and eat, this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: "This cup is the new covenant in my blood shed for you and for all people of the forgiveness of sin. Do this in remembrance of me."

#### 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.

## Blessing stand

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you & keep you in his grace. Amen.

#### **Closing Hymn**

Will You Let Me Be Your Servant

Hymn 659

### **Prayer after Communion**

Let us pray. Living One, in this feast you have made yourself known to us. Send us now to tell of your wonders, sing of your glory, and proclaim your risen life to a wounded and weary world. **Amen.** 

#### **SENDING**

#### **Blessing**

Almighty God bless us, defend us from all evil, and bring us to everlasting life. **Amen**. Go in peace. Love everyone always. **Thanks be to God.** 

# Postlude

**Chancel flowers today are** given to the Glory of God.

#### **Liturgical Ministers**

**Preacher & Presiding Minister:** Pastor Steve Wachtman **Minister of Music:** Joshua Brodbeck

**Director of Faith Formation:** Noelle Fox **Director of Equipping Ministers:** Laura Hudson

ons Sandays and Seasons.com. Cappright 2025 Augsburg Festress. All rights reserved. Regrinted by permission under Augsburg Festress Liturgies Annual License 2 2 2 11 S. New Berical Standard Version Bible, cappright 1899, Division of Crivation of the National Council of the Charches of Crivis in the United States of America. Used by permission, All rights reserved.