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4TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 6, 2025 **8:30am, 10:00am, 5:00pm**

WELCOME TO WORSHIP! Guests, please sign in at the "Welcome Table" and receive a gift. For young children, a nursery is available. Sign in and grab a pager. We also love children in worship!

This summer our theme is **Vintage Faith**, looking at Martin Luther's *Small Catechism*. Today we wrap up our focus on the 10 Commandments as we look at the final 2 commandments. May the Spirit speak to you through these core passages and fill you with hope and strength to serve in Jesus' name.

PRELUDE: *Berceuse* by Louis Vierne Pianist/Organist (8:30am/10am)

Rachel Ehring, Worship Leader (5pm)

Micaela Lum,

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WELCOME AND INVOCATION

GATHERING HYMN: Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!
Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy! All the saints adore thee, casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee, which wert and art, and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee, though the eye made blind by sin thy glory may not see, only thou art holy; there is none beside thee, perfect in pow'r, in love and purity.

CONFESSION

(People read/sing **bold** words.)

APOSTOLIC GREETING

THE KYRIE by Matt Maher

PRAYER OF THE DAY

THE FIRST LESSON: Exodus 20:17-21

"You shall not covet your neighbor's house. You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his male or female servant, his ox or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor." When the people saw the thunder and lightning and heard the trumpet and saw the mountain in smoke, they trembled with fear. They stayed at a distance and said to Moses, "Speak to us yourself and we will listen. But do not have God speak to us or we will die." Moses said to the people, "Do not be afraid. God has come to test you, so that the fear of God will be with you to keep you from sinning." The people remained at a distance, while Moses approached the thick darkness where God was.

(Word of God. Word of Life. **Thanks be to God**.)

THE SECOND LESSON: Galatians 6:1-16

My brothers and sisters, if anyone is detected in a transgression, you who have received the Spirit should restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness. Take care that you yourselves are not tempted. Bear one another's burdens,

and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ. For if those who are nothing think they are something, they deceive themselves. All must test their own work; then that work, rather than their neighbor's work, will become a cause for pride. For all must carry their own loads. Those who are taught the word must share in all good things with their teacher. Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh, but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit. So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest-time, if we do not give up. So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all and especially for those of the family of faith. See what large letters I make when I am writing in my own hand! It is those who want to make a good showing in the flesh who try to compel you to be circumcised--only that they may not be persecuted for the cross of Christ. Even the circumcised do not themselves obey the law, but they want you to be circumcised so that they may boast about your flesh. May I never boast of anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ. by which the world has been crucified to me and I to the world. For neither circumcision nor uncircumcision is anything, but a new creation is everything! As for those who will follow this rule--peace be upon them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God.

(Word of God. Word of Life. **Thanks be to God**.)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: (Please stand for the Gospel.)



Leader: Speak, O Lord, Your servant is listening. You have the words of eternal life. (People sing Alleluia again.)

(The Holy Gospel according to Saint Luke, the 10th chapter. **Glory to You, 0 Lord**.) THE GOSPEL: Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. He said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. Go on your way; I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals, and greet no one on the road. Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this house!' And if a person of peace is there, your peace will rest on that person, but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the laborer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' But whenever you enter a

town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, 'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near.' "Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me." The seventy-two returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!" He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. Indeed, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing will hurt you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

(The Gospel of our Lord. **Praise to You, O Christ!**)

THE SMALL CATECHISM by Martin Luther - Commandments 9-10 and Meanings The Ninth Commandment: You shall not covet your neighbor's house. What does this mean? We are to fear and love God, so that we do not try to trick our neighbors out of their inheritance or property or try to get it for ourselves by claiming to have a legal right to it and the like, but instead be of help and service to them in keeping what is theirs.

The Tenth Commandment: You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor. What does this mean? We are to fear and love God, so that we do not entice, force, or steal away from our neighbors their spouses, household workers, or livestock, but instead urge them to stay and fulfill their responsibilities to our neighbors.

Conclusion: What then does God say about all these commandments? **God** says the following: "I, the Lord your God, am a jealous God, punishing children for the iniquity of parents, to the third and the fourth generation of those who reject me, but showing steadfast love to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments." What does this mean? God threatens to punish all who break these commandments. Therefore we are to fear his wrath and not disobey these commandments. However, God promises grace and every good thing to all those who keep these commandments. Therefore we also are to love and trust him and gladly act according to his commands.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (8:30am/10am)

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Youth Director Paige Gulck

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYMN OF THE DAY: <u>Canticle of the Turning</u>
My soul cries out with a joyful shout
that the God of my heart is great,
and my spirit sings of the wondrous things

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that you bring to the ones who wait.
You fixed your sight on your servant's plight, and my weakness you did not spurn, so from east to west shall my name be blest, Could the world be about to turn?

Refrain:

My heart shall sing of the day you bring. Let the fires of your justice burn. Wipe away all tears, for the dawn draws near, and the world is about to turn.

Though I am small, my God, my all, you work great things in me, and your mercy will last from the depths of the past to the end of the age to be.

Your very name puts the proud to shame, and to those who would for you yearn, you will show your might, put the strong to flight, for the world is about to turn. (Refrain.)

From the halls of pow'r to the fortress tow'r, not a stone will be left on stone.
Let the king beware for your justice tears ev-'ry tyrant from his throne. The hungry poor shall weep no more, for the food they can never earn; there are tables spread, ev'ry mouth be fed, for the world is about to turn. (Refrain.)

THE MESSAGE: Vintage Faith #3 - Commandments Art & Music Minister Michelle Lum

OFFERTORY MUSIC: A Clare Benediction by John Rutter Melody Versoza

OFFERTORY RESPONSE: <u>In the Lord I'll Be Ever Thankful</u> (Taizé) (Sing 2x)
In the Lord I'll be ever thankful.
In the Lord, I will rejoice.
Look to God, do not be afraid,
Lift up your voices, the Lord is near.
Lift up your voices, the Lord is near.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH (Hear us, O God. Your mercy is great.)

WORDS OF INSTITUTION FOR HOLY COMMUNION

(All who believe Christ is present in this sacrament are welcome. Non-communing children and adults who choose not to receive, may come forward for a blessing. Please cross your arms as a signal you would prefer a blessing. Juice is located in the center of each tray, and gluten-free wafers are available upon request.)

HOLY COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION MUSIC:

Lamb of God (Agnus Dei by Matt Maher)
Lamb of God - Lamb of God,
You take away - You take away,
The sins of - The sins of
The world - The world
Miserere nobis - Miserere nobis
(Repeat)

Agnus Dei - **Agnus Dei**, You take away - **You take away**, The sins of - **The sins of** The world - **The world** Dona nobis pacem - **Dona nobis pacem**.

Children of the Heavenly Father

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Children of the heav'n-ly Father safely in his bosom gather; nestling bird nor star in heaven such a refuge e'er was given.

God his own doth tend and nourish, in his holy courts they flourish. From all evil things he spares them, in his mighty arms he bears them.

Neither life nor death shall ever from the Lord his children sever; unto them his grace he showeth, and their sorrows all he knoweth.

Though he giveth or he taketh, God his children ne'er forsaketh; his the loving purpose solely to preserve them pure and holy.

God of the Sparrow

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God of the sparrow
God of the whale
God of the swirling stars
How does the creature say Awe
How does the creature say Praise

God of the earthquake
God of the storm
God of the trumpet blast
How does the creature cry Woe
How does the creature cry Save

God of the rainbow
God of the cross
God of the empty grave
How does the creature say Grace
How does the creature say Thanks

God of the hungry God of the sick God of the prodigal How does the creature say Care How does the creature say Life

God of the neighbor
God of the foe
God of the pruning hook
How does the creature say Love
How does the creature say Peace

God of the ages God near at hand God of the loving heart How do your children say Joy How do your children say Home

POST COMMUNION PRAYER AND BLESSING

THE BENEDICTION

THE SENDING HYMN: <u>Christ, Be Our Light</u> Longing for light, we wait in darkness. Longing for truth, we turn to you. Make us your own, your holy people, light for the world to see.

Refrain:

Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts.

Shine through the darkness. Christ, be our light!

Shine in your church gathered today.

Longing for peace, our world is troubled. Longing for hope, many despair. Your word alone has pow'r to save us. Make us your living voice. (Refrain.)

Many the gifts, many the people, many the hearts that yearn to belong. Let us be servants to one another, signs of your kingdom come. (Refrain.)

SENDING WORDS

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POSTLUDE: *Trio in A Minor* by Jacques-Nicolas Lemmens Micaela Lum (8:30/10am)

Rachel Ehring (5pm)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALTAR FLOWERS are provided by Roger in honor of his wife, Gina Grefsrud and in memory of Wiley Hall.

SUMMER WORSHIP THEME: "Vintage Faith" (A New Look at Martin Luther's Small Catechism). We'ill look at the basics of the Christian life (Sacraments, Creeds, 10 Commandments, and more). Today, thanks to the Gulck family, for sharing their vintage 1968 Corvette.

SERRA'S PANTRY - The next volunteer opportunity is Saturday, July 19, 8:30am-12pm. Email Paul Dubow with any questions at <u>dubowpaul@gmail.com</u>.

BENEFIT CONCERT FOR UKRAINE - Saturday, July 19th, on Gloria Dei campus. Craft Fair 3pm, Concert at 5:00pm.

NEWSLETTER for July/August (paper copy) is available for pick up at Welcome Table.

YOUNG ADULT GROUP (20/30s) email - contact list. If you'd like to be contacted related to activities, sign-up at the Welcome Table. Questions, call the office or speak with Lindsey Engel.

LAUNDRY LOVE - Next month of volunteer service will be August 1, 2pm - 5:30pm. Sign-up at the Welcome Table. For more info: <u>deacondaneen@mygloriadei.org</u>.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY has given 525 shawls away! They could use another 2-3 experienced knitters to join. If interested, please call the church office for details.

ADULT KICKBALL LEAGUE - Gloria Dei will have a team in local league (18+). Games Wednesdays, July 16-Aug. 27 (Del Obispo Fields). \$20/person. See sign-up. Questions, speak to the team captain Matt Dubow.

CHRISTMAS IN JULY: ORNAMENT WORKSHOP - July 17, 10:30am -12:30pm in Bankson Hall. Learn how to use alcohol inks to make vibrant Christmas ornaments! Cost is \$10. Sign up at the welcome table.

SUMMER BIBLE STUDY led by Pastor David begins Wednesday, July 23, 5:30pm (dinner), 6pm study begins with a brief video by N.T. Wright (Univ. St. Andrews) introducing the topic and then a discussion on a Bible passage. Everyone is welcome! (Donation for dinner)

ANGELS' GAME & tailgating - Saturday, August 2. \$25. Tailgating begins at 4pm (near the "Big A.") Church will provide hotdogs/bratwurst/utensils. Bring something to share and lawn chair. Game begins at 7pm (fireworks). See sign-up.

SUNDAY SCHOOL (preschool-5th grade) is now on summer break. We love children in worship! For young children, there's a nursery at morning services. Grab a kid's bag or bring a special church bag from home.

OFFERING - Thank you for supporting Gloria Dei! Please place check/money in donation boxes or give electronically - Venmo app - @GloriaDei-DanaPoint or Zelle - gloriadei@mygloriadei.org. You can also donate via credit/ debit card through Vanco, our secure site: mygloriadei.org/donate.

THANKS TO OUR WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY!

<u>8:30am</u>: Coffee Prep: Bonnie & Bob Gillespie; Communion: Pat McKinley and Diane Kelly; Lector: Pam Weiss; Ushers: Matt Dubow & Bob Gaumer; Welcome Table: Bob & Brenda Gaumer

10am: Coffee Clean-up: Ann & Jim St. Martin; Communion: Marsha Atkinson and Roger Grefsrudr; Lector: Jim St. Martin; Ushers: Laurene Holmes-Hylton and Gia Lugo-Overton; Welcome Table: David Warnake

5pm: Lector & Communion: Donna Sandidge

OPPORTUNITIES FOR JULY 6-12, 2025

Today: Worship (8:30am, 10am & 5pm); Nursery (8:30am & 10am)

<u>Monday</u>: South Coast Literacy (10am); Al Anon (5:30pm); Alateen (5:30pm); GIFT 6:30pm; AA Coed (7pm)

<u>Tuesday</u>: AA Men (7am); Surfside Quilters (9am); Heart Lifters (6:30pm);VFW Auxiliary (6:30pm); Al Anon (7pm)

<u>Wednesday</u>: AA Men (7am); Surfside Quilters (9am); Mission Hospital AA (6pm); 12 Step Couples (7:30pm)

Thursday: AA Men (7am); AA Women (9:30am); Al Anon Coed (5:30pm); AA Men

(7pm) **Friday**: Al Anon (10am); Kenny's Music Rehearsal (2pm)

Saturday: AA Men (7am); ACA Group (11:30am)

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Kintsugi Sessions (August 14 & 16) ♣ Fantasy Football Draft Day (August 23) ♣ 60th Anniversary of Party and Dinner (September 19) ♣ Rally Sunday (September 21) ♣ Women's Retreat (October 3-5) ♣ Oktoberfest (October 11)

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