

Evangelical Lutheran Church of Durham

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October 28, 2018 - 10:30 AM - Holy Communion - ELW Setting 10
Reformation Sunday

Prelude and Welcome

* Confession and Forgiveness

L: Blessed be the holy † Trinity, the one who fashions us, the one who heals us, the one who reforms us again and again.

C: Amen.

L: Let us confess our sin, calling for God's transforming power.

Silence for reflection and self-examination

L: Source of all life,

C: we confess that we have not allowed your grace to set us free. We fear that we are not good enough. We hear your word of love freely given to us, yet we expect others to earn it. We turn the church inward, rather than moving it outward. Forgive us. Stir us. Reform us to be a church powered by love, willing to speak for what is right, act for what is just, and seek the healing of your whole creation.

L: God hears our cry and sends the Spirit to change us and to empower our lives in the world. Our sins are forgiven, † God's love is unconditional, and we are raised up as God's people who will always be made new, in the name of Jesus Christ.

C: Amen.

* Sharing of the Peace

* Gathering Song *"God's Word is Our Great Heritage"* **ELW #509**

* Greeting (Pastor) ELW page 203

* Hymn of Praise ... *"Glory Be to God in Heaven"* ... ELW page 204

* Prayer of the Day (Lay Worship Assistant) TR

First Reading **Jeremiah 3:19-28** TR

Choir Anthem *"A Psalm"* Andy Beck

Second Reading Romans 3:19-28 TR

* Gospel Acclamation (sung) *"Alleluia ..."* ELW page 205

* Gospel **John 8:31-36.** TR

Children's Sermon

Sermon *"Three Words: Grace, Freedom, Truth"*

* Hymn of the Day *"Now Is the Time"* Insert

* Apostles' Creed

C: 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.

* Prayers of Intercession - *Each prayer bid ends with the words:*

P: Lord in your mercy, **C: Hear our prayer.**

Offering and Choir Anthem *"High on the Rock I Stand"* Mengel

* Offertory Song *"That Priceless Grace"* **ELW #591**

* Offering Prayer (Lay Worship Assistant)

The Holy Communion Liturgy

* The Great Thanksgiving ELW page 206

* Preface (Pastor)

* *"Holy, Holy, Holy Lord"* (sung) ELW page 207

* Jesus' Words of Institution (Pastor)

* The Lord's Prayer ELW page 208

* *"O Lamb of God"* (sung) ELW page 208

Invitation to Communion - *"Speak to us, O Lord, in the breaking of the bread, and make us one with you."*

Distribution of Bread & Fruits of the Vine (please follow ushers)

Hymn during Distribution *"What Wondrous Love is This"* **ELW #666**

Communion Blessing (offered by Pastor)

Prayer after Communion (Lay Worship Assistant)

Mission Announcements

* Blessing (Pastor)

* Sending Song *"A Mighty Fortress"* **ELW #504**

* Dismissal P: Go in peace. Christ is with you.

C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

The Asterisk () indicates to please stand if you are able, ELW is the red hymnal.*

WELCOME TO ALL WHO WORSHIP WITH US TODAY.

If you would like more information about this community of faith,
please speak to Pastor Deal.

Serving in our worship this morning:

Council Communion Assistants Scott Gaun, Kathy Hlavaty
Lay Worship Assistant Mark Harwick
Acolyte & Youth Communion Assistant Conner Aquino
Greeter the Mueller Family
Head Usher Helen Dungan
Altar Guild Serena Ashmore, Nancy Moskella
Counters Scott Gaun, Kathy Hlavaty
Organist/Choir Director Carolyn Williams
Parish Secretary Ann Wong
Custodian Dianna Streletz
Attendance October 21, 2018 Christian Ed: 22; Worship: 59.

CALENDAR

Care-A-Lot Preschool meets Tuesday-Thursday 9 AM -Noon

TODAY, Sunday, October 28 - Reformation Sunday

9:00 AM Christian Education

10:30 AM Holy Communion

Tuesday, October 30 at 3 PM - Adult Small Group Bible Study

Wednesday, October 31 - Reformation Day - Halloween

6:30 PM - Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, November 4 All Saints' Sunday - Special Remembrances

Sunday, November 11 - Holy Baptism/Remembrance of Veterans

Friday, November 16 at 11 AM - WELCA meeting. Focus will be on "Worthwhile Wear" and their services

Wednesday, November 21 - Thanksgiving Eve Community

Ecumenical Worship at 7:30 PM hosted here at Durham - Bring non-perishable canned goods & Cash for AHUB Homeless Ministry.

Pictorial Directory Photo Session Appointments!

Make your photo session appointment TODAY after worship! See Lynn or Barb to sign up. Photography days are Friday, November 9 from 2-8 PM and Saturday, November 10, 10 AM - 4 PM. You can also sign up online at <https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/yxgpme3c/>

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Lead Sheet

Now is the Time

For the 2017 Synod Assembly
of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Synod
of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

Paul Friesen-Carper
CHRONOS KAIROS

Verses

1 Dm G Am C Fmaj7/A Dm/F G/D Dm
Christ, whose rec - on - cil - ing deed Was suf - fer - ing and dy - ing,
When we find your peo - ple cursed And crushed be - neath our liv - ing,
When in - just - ice cru - ci - fies And bi - as chokes our breath - ing,
Christ, whose re - con - cil - ing deed Was suf - fer - ing and dy - ing,

6 F Fmaj7 F G/F F F/E Dm G Am7 G
When your peo - ple hurt and bleed, Send us to share their cry - ing.
Change our thoughts and ac - tions first, Then help us seek for - giv - ing.
Brand our lips to pro - phe - sy, And hold us in our griev - ing.
In your new life we are freed To keep on u - ni - fy - ing.

11 Em7 D Refrain D Am C/G D/A
Give us faith to trust the righ - teous - ness you give - To

16 Em Bm7 C Asus
feel our shame and fear, yet build a church where all will live.

20 D Am7 C G F
Trust - ing in your pres - ence, a - wait - ing your sur - prise, Now is the

25 C Am7 G Em7 D Em7/D D F/A
time for your peo - ple to a - rise.

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