

**Redeemer Lutheran Church
San Antonio, Texas**

**September 18, 2022
Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost
Responsive Prayer 1: Pgs. 282-284**

NOTES: Offerings will not be collected by passing plates. Please place your attendance cards and offering in the plates located by the narthex.

Masks are not required, but you can wear one at your own discretion. There is no specified seating for bible class or worship.

Prelude

The Opening Hymn:

“Christ, Our Human Likeness Sharing” – LSB # 847

Invocation: Pg. 282

The Lord’s Prayer

The Apostle’s Creed

The Readings:

The First Lesson: Amos 5:4-15 (NRSVA)

⁴ For thus says the LORD to the house of Israel: Seek me and live; ⁵ but do not seek Bethel, and do not enter into Gilgal or cross over to Beer-sheba; for Gilgal shall surely go into exile, and Bethel shall come to nothing. ⁶ Seek the LORD and live, or he will break out against the house of Joseph like fire, and it will devour Bethel, with no one to quench it. ⁷ Ah, you that turn justice to wormwood, and bring righteousness to the ground! ⁸ The one who made the

Pleiades and Orion, and turns deep darkness into the morning, and darkens the day into night, who calls for the waters of the sea, and pours them out on the surface of the earth, the LORD is his name, ⁹ who makes destruction flash out against the strong, so that destruction comes upon the fortress. ¹⁰ They hate the one who reproves in the gate, and they abhor the one who speaks the truth. ¹¹ Therefore, because you trample on the poor and take from them levies of grain, you have built houses of hewn stone, but you shall not live in them; you have planted pleasant vineyards, but you shall not drink their wine. ¹² For I know how many are your transgressions, and how great are your sins — you who afflict the righteous, who take a bribe, and push aside the needy in the gate. ¹³ Therefore the prudent will keep silent in such a time; for it is an evil time. ¹⁴ Seek good and not evil, that you may live; and so the LORD, the God of hosts, will be with you, just as you have said. ¹⁵ Hate evil and love good, and establish justice in the gate; it may be that the LORD, the God of hosts, will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph.

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

The Second Lesson: 1 Timothy 3:14-16 (NRSVA)

¹⁴ I hope to come to you soon, but I am writing these instructions to you so that, ¹⁵ if I am delayed, you may know how one ought to behave in the household of God, which is the church of the living God, the pillar and bulwark of the truth. ¹⁶ Without any doubt, the mystery of our religion is great: He was revealed in flesh, vindicated in spirit, seen by

angels, proclaimed among Gentiles, believed in throughout the world, taken up in glory.

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

The Gospel Lesson: Luke 10:1-3, 25-28 (NRSVA)

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 10th chapter.

Congregation: Glory to You, O Lord.

¹ After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. ² He said to them, ‘The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest. ³ Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves.

²⁵ Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. ‘Teacher,’ he said, ‘what must I do to inherit eternal life?’ ²⁶ He said to him, ‘What is written in the law? What do you read there?’ ²⁷ He answered, ‘You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself.’ ²⁸ And he said to him, ‘You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.’

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Congregation: Praise to You, O Christ.

The Message Hymn:

“Seek Where You May to Find a Way” – LSB # 557

The Message:

Responsive Morning Prayers: Pg. 283

Congregational Prayers

Pastor: Let us pray to the Lord.

Congregation: Lord, Have Mercy.

Collect of the Day

Luther’s Morning Prayer

Benedicamus and Blessing: Pg. 284

The Closing Hymn:

“How Great Thou Art” – LSB # 801

Announcements

Postlude

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