will from the Spirit reap eternal life. ⁹And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up. ¹⁰So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith.

¹⁴But far be it from me to boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. ¹⁵For neither circumcision counts for anything, nor uncircumcision, but a new creation. ¹⁶And as for all who walk by this rule, peace and mercy be upon them, and upon the Israel of God. ¹⁷From now on let no one cause me trouble, for I bear on my body the marks of Jesus. ¹⁸The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, brothers. Amen.

Gospel: Luke 10:1-20

¹After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them on ahead of him, two by two, into every town and place where he himself was about to go. ²And he said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. ³Go your way; behold, I am sending you out as lambs in the midst of wolves. ⁴Carry no moneybag, no knapsack, no sandals, and greet no one on the road. ⁵Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace be to this house!' ⁶And if a son of peace is there, your peace will rest upon him. But if not, it will return to you. ⁷And remain in the same house, eating and drinking what they provide, for the laborer deserves his wages. Do not go from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and they receive you, eat what is set before you. Heal the sick in it and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' ¹⁰But whenever you enter a town and they do not receive you, go into its streets and say, 11 Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet we wipe off against you. Nevertheless know this, that the kingdom of God has come near.' 12I tell you, it will be more bearable on that day for Sodom than for that town. ¹³Woe to you, Chorazin! Woe to you, Bethsaida! For if the mighty works done in you had been done in Tyre and Sidon, they would have repented long ago, sitting in sackcloth and ashes. ¹⁴But it will be more bearable in the judgment for Tyre and Sidon than for you. ¹⁵And you, Capernaum, will you be exalted to heaven? You shall be brought down to Hades. ¹⁶The one who hears you hears me, and the one who rejects you rejects me, and the one who rejects me rejects him who sent me." ¹⁷The seventy-two returned with joy, saying, "Lord, even the demons are subject to us in your name!" ¹⁸And he said to them, "I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. ¹⁹Behold, I have given you authority to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall hurt you. ²⁰Nevertheless, do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

Lessons for Next Week

Leviticus [18:1-5] 19:9-18; Psalm 41; Colossians 1:1-14; Luke 10:25-37



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The Order of Word and Sacrament Fourth Sunday After Pentecost July 6, 2025

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	We Gather	
*Opening Hymn	"Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee"	" LBW #551
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*Holy Gospel: Luke	10:1-20	•
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*Hymn of the Day	"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"	LBW #370
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We Are Sent to Our Mission Fields

Postlude

First Reading: Isaiah 66:10-14

¹⁰"Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her, all you who love her; rejoice with her in joy, all you who mourn over her; ¹¹that you may nurse and be satisfied from her consoling breast; that you may drink deeply with delight from her glorious abundance." ¹²For thus says the LORD: "Behold, I will extend peace to her like a river, and the glory of the nations like an overflowing stream; and you shall nurse, you shall be carried upon her hip, and bounced upon her knees. ¹³As one whom his mother comforts, so I will comfort you; you shall be comforted in Jerusalem. ¹⁴You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice; your bones shall flourish like the grass; and the hand of the LORD shall be known to his servants, and he shall show his indignation against his enemies."

Psalm 66:1-6 (LBW)

¹Be joyful in God, all you lands; sing the glory of his name; sing the glory of his praise.

²Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds!

because of your great strength your enemies |cringe before you.

³All the earth bows down before you, sings to you, sings out your name."

⁴Come now and see the works of God,

how wonderful he is in his doing toward all people.

⁵He turned the sea into dry land, so that they went through the water on foot, and there we rejoiced in him.

⁶In his might he rules forever; his eyes keep watch over the nations; let no rebel rise up against him.

Second Reading: Galatians 6:1-10, 14-18

¹Brothers, if anyone is caught in any transgression, you who are spiritual should restore him in a spirit of gentleness. Keep watch on yourself, lest you too be tempted. ²Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ. ³For if anyone thinks he is something, when he is nothing, he deceives himself. ⁴But let each one test his own work, and then his reason to boast will be in himself alone and not in his neighbor. ⁵For each will have to bear his own load. ⁶Let the one who is taught the word share all good things with the one who teaches. ¹Do not be deceived: God is not mocked, for whatever one sows, that will he also reap. ⁸For the one who sows to his own flesh will from the flesh reap corruption, but the one who sows to the Spirit

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^{*}Go in peace, serve the Lord. Thanks be to God

What's Happening

Today:

Today's radio broadcast is sponsored by June Minow in honor of her husband Pete's 98th birthday July 9. Happy Birthday, Pete!

This Week:

Wednesday 6:30-8 pm Men's Fellowship at Otium Brewery
Next Sunday 10:00 am Worship and Holy Communion with Pastor Blayne Watts

Notes and News

- Another older member has passed away. Al Olson, age 86, left us June 29 and his funeral service will be held Saturday, July 19, at 10 a.m. at Stevenson's Funeral Home. He was well known and will be missed by many in the community.
- A Call Committee was formed last Sunday, consisting of Sam Giordanengo, Mike Milmine, Mark Joblinske, Ric Rabe, Lea Moore, Janelle Notbohm, Mallorey Kassner and Jan Pratt. Please pray for them as they work to find a new Pastor.
- Mark Joblinske was appointed by the Council to serve until the next Annual Meeting. Thank you, Mark.
- We are looking for volunteers to lead worship, preach the Gospel, and lead the Children's Message. If God is calling you to do this, please call us!

FOR YOU WERE CALLED TO FREEDOM, BROTHERS.



ONLY DO NOT USE YOUR FREEDOM
AS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR THE FLESH,
BUT THROUGH LOVE SERVE ONE ANOTHER.
GALATIANS 5:13