

† 14TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST †
August 30, 2026

Service of Holy Communion 9:00 a.m.
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PRELUDE

God is So Good

Sandra Eithun

WELCOME (*You are invited to choose additional hymns for the service*)

INVOCATION and CONFESSION (*Congregation rising*)

P In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

C But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

C Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for us, and for His sake forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

OPENING HYMN

Lord of Glory, You Have Bought Us

AGPS Hymn 169

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray:

C Almighty God, Your Son willingly endured the cross and chose the path of suffering for the sake of the world. Grant us courage to take up our cross daily and follow Him wherever He leads; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Jeremiah 15:15-21

¹⁵O Lord, you know; remember me and visit me, and bring down retribution for me on my persecutors. In your forbearance do not take me away; know that on your account I suffer insult. ¹⁶Your words were found, and I ate them, and your words became to me a joy and the delight of my heart, for I am called by your name, O Lord, God of hosts. ¹⁷I did not sit in the company of merrymakers, nor did I rejoice; under the weight of your hand I sat alone, for you had filled me with indignation. ¹⁸Why is my pain unceasing, my wound incurable, refusing to be healed? Truly, you are to me like a deceitful brook, like waters that fail. ¹⁹Therefore thus says the Lord: "If you turn back, I will take you back, and you shall stand before me. If you utter what is precious and not what is worthless, you shall serve as my mouth. It is they who will turn to you, not you who will turn to them. ²⁰And I will make you to this people a fortified wall of bronze; they will fight against you, but they shall not prevail over you, for I am with you to save you and deliver you", says the Lord. ²¹"I will deliver you out of the hand of the wicked and redeem you from the grasp of the ruthless."

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EPISTLE

Romans 12:9-21

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PSALM OF THE DAY (*Congregation rising*)

(from Psalm 26)

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C Prove me, O Lord, and try me; test my heart and mind.

A For Your steadfast love is before my eyes, and I walk in faithfulness to You.

C I do not sit with the worthless, nor do I consort with hypocrites; I hate the company of evildoers and will not sit with the wicked.

A I wash my hands in innocence and go around Your altar, O Lord, singing aloud a song of thanksgiving and telling all Your wondrous deeds.

C O Lord, I love the house in which You dwell and the place where Your glory abides.

GOSPEL

Matthew 16:21-28

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 16th chapter.

C Glory to You, O Lord.

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P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

HYMN OF THE DAY Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service AGPS **Hymn 172**

SERMON

Rev. Peter Deebrah

THE APOSTLES' CREED (*Congregation rising*)

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

And in Jesus Christ, His 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 into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

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

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

A Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING & HYMN CHOICE

† HOLY COMMUNION †

PREFACE (*Congregation rising*)

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Lift up your hearts.

C We lift them up to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

P It is truly good, right and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ our Lord, who out of love for His fallen creation humbled Himself by taking on the form of a servant, becoming obedient unto death, even death on a cross. Risen from the dead, He has freed us from eternal death and given us life everlasting. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

C Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might; heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

P Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

C Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION and SIGN OF PEACE

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples, and said: "Take, eat; this is my body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of me." In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new covenant in my blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

P Behold, the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world.

C Lord, have mercy upon us and grant us Your peace.

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

DISTRIBUTION & HYMNS

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POST-COMMUNION PRAYER (*Congregation rising*)

A God of abundance, You have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; You have united us with Christ and one another; and You have made us one with all Your people in heaven and on earth. Send us forth in the power of the Spirit to proclaim Your redeeming love to the world; through Jesus Christ, Your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

C **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

AGPS **Hymn 147**

DISMISSAL

P Go in peace to serve the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

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Participants in the Service:

Rev. Peter Deebrah, Vacancy Pastor

Marcia Kollmann, Associate Organist

	9:00	10:45
Lector/Asst. Minister	Janet George	Andrea Ansorge
Communion Asst.	Volunteer	Joan Condon
Altar Care	Andrea Maxeiner	
Usher Team	Volunteers	John Ansorge
Refreshments	Janet George	

Special thanks to Marcia Kollmann for leading the music this weekend as Minister of Music Deb Reiss is away.

Service of Holy Communion 10:45 a.m.

PRELUDE

Beach Spring

Wilbur Held

OPENING HYMN (*Congregation rising*)

LSB Hymn 560

Drawn to the Cross, Which Thou Hast Blessed

INVOCATION and CONFESSION

P In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

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HYMN OF PRAISE (*Sung to "Crown Him With Many Crowns"*)

Worthy is Christ our Lord, the Lamb for sinners slain;
whose blood has set His people free, who over all things reigns.
To Him be glory now, to Him be pow'r and might,
to Him be wisdom, honor, strength; the Victor in the fight.

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ALLELUIA VERSE

(LSB Page 156)

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life.

Alleluia, alleluia.

HYMN OF THE DAY

LSB Hymn 848

Lord, Whose Love through Humble Service

SERMON

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JSANCTUS

(LSB Page 161)

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P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

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AGNUS DEI

(LSB Page 163)

Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; grant us peace.

DISTRIBUTION HYMN Lord of Glory, You Have Bought Us **LSB Hymn 851**

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POST-COMMUNION PRAYER (*Congregation rising*)

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C **Amen.**

BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

C **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

LSB Hymn 803

DISMISSAL

P Go in peace to serve the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

Hymn to Joy

Lani Smith

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COMMUNION STATEMENT

Village Lutheran Church welcomes to Holy Communion those baptized Christians who: †Know Jesus Christ as their Savior (*John 20:31*); †Recognize that the body and blood of Christ are truly present in the bread and wine (*1 Cor. 11:29*); †Are able to examine themselves and repent of their sins (*1 Cor. 11:28*); and †Look to God's Holy Spirit for help in living the Christian life (*Col. 1:10*). Persons not receiving Communion may come forward to receive a blessing.

News and Notes:

Rally Day/Sunday School – We will return to our fall schedule on **Sunday, September 13**, with worship in the sanctuary at 9:00 and 10:45 and Sunday School during the 9:00 service. As we begin a new school year, join us for our special Rally Day traditions at 9:00 a.m.:

- ❖ Installation of Sunday School staff and first day of Sunday School
- ❖ Installation of Chapel School faculty and staff
- ❖ Presentation of bibles to all Third Graders
- ❖ Blessing of 3-year-olds – After receiving a blessing at the main altar, parents and guardians are welcome to bring their children to the classrooms and stay or return to worship.

If you have any questions about Sunday School, please contact our Sunday School Coordinator, Sarah Gleason, by email to ChrisnySarah@gmail.com

Music Ministry – We will be starting up our regular rehearsals in September. If you love music, please consider joining one of our ensembles and using your gifts to enrich our worship life:

- ❖ **Cherub Choir** (Age 3 through Grade 2) meets during Sunday School
- ❖ **Youth Choir** (Grade 3-8) meets Thursdays at 7:00 p.m. and will be directed by Ms. Reiss this year. First rehearsal is **September 24**.
- ❖ **Chancel Choir** (High School and Adult) meets Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. and will start on **September 17**.
- ❖ **Village Bells** (High School and Adult) meets Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. and will start on **September 30**.
- ❖ **Hands On Handbells!** For any high school youth or adults interested in ringing, we will have the handbells available between services on Sundays, **September 20 and 27**. This is a chance to try out the bells, see how the music works, and ask questions about ringing. Check it out!

If you are interested in being a part, or if you have any questions, please contact Minister of Music Deb Reiss at 914-337-0207, x1018 or Dreiss@VLC-NY.org

Coffee Hour Hosts – We are still looking for someone to provide light summer refreshments on **Sunday, September 6**. If you can help out, please speak to Warren Wong. Thank you!!

Soup Kitchen – Prepare food in aluminum trays (available at the Reception desk) and drop-off in the parking lot from 12:00-1:00. The next date is **Wednesday, September 16**. To sign up, contact Katie Bukofzer directly at etakwhit@aol.com.

Wednesday Bible Study – We will resume our weekly sessions on **September 23**, when we begin a new study on the book of Esther. We will consider the historical background and the underlying message of God's providential care. Refreshments available at 10:45 and the class starts at 11:00. All are welcome!

Craft Day – **Saturday morning, September 26, from 10:00 a.m. to noon** – Plans are under way to meet about once a month. Bring your knitting, crocheting

or other handiwork, share ideas and conversation, learn how to make a prayer shawl, and enjoy light refreshments. Hosted by Ruth DeRosa and Miriam Mathew. Please note the special morning meeting time for September.

Fall Voter's Meeting – Please save the date for our next Voter's Meeting on Sunday, **September 27**, in the MultiPurpose Room immediately following the 10:45 service.

Prayer Conference Call – All are welcome to join a brief service of evening prayer by phone on the last Tuesday of the month. To participate, simply dial (1) 732-434-3982. The next service is **Tuesday, Sept. 29 at 6:00 p.m.**

The Chosen – Season 3 – Returning to VLC on Wednesday evenings, **September 30 through November 18**, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Watch one episode each week and reflect on the Gospel dramatization while sharing in a light supper. Invite a friend! The viewing is open to the public and available at no cost. To help us prepare, **please RSVP** in advance through the church office. Call 914-337-0207, x1003, email Krapillo@VLC-NY.org, or make a note on the pew card. For more information, contact Deacon Janet George.

Youth News: Voyagers (Grades 3-6) meet Thursday, Sept. 17, at 6:00 p.m. Lifers (Grades 7-8) confirmation classes this year will be on Thursday nights led by Pastor Deebrah. Watch for further details on orientation and meeting times.

Pastoral Care During Vacancy – Pastor Deebrah is serving as our regular worship leader and will be available for baptisms, funerals, and pastoral emergencies. If you are in need of pastoral care, please contact Kim Rapiello in the church office at 914-337-0207 x1003 or Krapillo@VLC-NY.org

- ❖ Our lay deacons are making home visits to those who are recovering from illness or are homebound. They can also bring consecrated elements for Holy Communion and/or a prayer shawl. To arrange a visit, please contact the church office or make a note on the pew card.

Prayer Line: We pray for the sick and those experiencing any kind of difficulty: Barbara Accocella, John Accocella, Pastor Bill Baum, Joshua Davenport & Family, Wayne & Dana Davenport, Susan DeAndis, Theresa Devlin, Joan Eiler, Mary Fielder, Pastor Bill Flammann, Dwayne Gitter, Kenneth Held, Kaden Howard, Lisa Jones, Katie Koster, Gudrun Krüger, Michelle Liscoe, Cathy Martin, Elaine Podszus, Morena Rodriguez, Dan Schwartz, Valerie Tutson, Jo-Anne Weinberg

Bereavement Prayer Line: We pray for those who are grieving the loss of a loved one.

- † **Frank Barbieri**, father of Tom Barbieri, passed away on August 13, 2026

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