

**Perley Parish**  
**15th Sunday after Pentecost**  
**September 18, 2022**

**Sending Song: We Are Called**

Come, live in the light. Shine with the joy and the love of the Lord  
We are called to be light for the kingdom. to live in the freedom of the city of God  
We are called to act with justice. We are called to love tenderly  
We are called to serve one another, to walk humbly with God

Come, open your heart. Show your mercy to all those in fear  
We are called to be hope for the hopeless so all hatred and blindness will be no more  
We are called to act with justice. We are called to love tenderly  
We are called to serve one another to walk humbly with God

**Dismissal:** Go in peace, with Christ beside you. **Thanks be to God.**

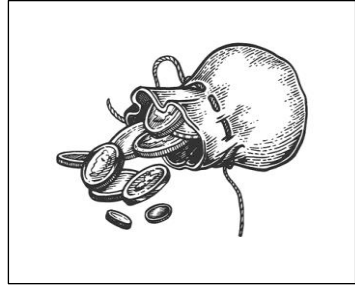
**Mark Your Calendars:**

- Sunday, September 25<sup>th</sup>  
9am – Kirkebo  
10am Sunday school and 11am service at Nora  
11:45am – Nora Council Meeting

**Prelude/Bell**

Gathering Hymn: **Lord Speak to Us, that We May Speak**

Lord, speak to me, that I may speak  
In living echoes of Thy tone;  
As Thou has sought, so let me seek  
Thine erring children lost and lone.



Oh, lead me, Lord, that I may lead the wand'ring and the wav'ring feet;  
Oh, feed me, Lord, that I may feed thy hung'ring ones with manna sweet.

Oh, use me, Lord, use even me, just as Thou wilt, and when, and where,  
Until Thy blessed face I see, thy rest, Thy joy, Thy glory share.

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Confession and Forgiveness**

God of mercy and forgiveness,  
**We confess that sin still has a hold on us. We have harmed your good creation. We have failed to do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with you. Turn us in a new direction. Show us the path that leads to life. Be our refuge and strength on the journey, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and friend. Amen**

**Prayer of the Day:**

**God among us, we gather in the name of your Son to learn love for one another. Keep our feet from evil paths. Turn our minds to your wisdom and our hearts to the grace revealed in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.**

**Psalm 113.** (read responsively)

Praise the LORD! Praise, O servants of the LORD; praise the name of the LORD.  
**Blessed be the name of the LORD from this time on and forevermore.** From the rising of the sun to its setting the name of the LORD is to be praised. **The**

**LORD is high above all nations, and his glory above the heavens.** Who is like the LORD our God, who is seated on high, **who looks far down on the heavens and the earth?** He raises the poor from the dust, and lifts the needy from the ash heap, to **make them sit with princes, with the princes of his people.** He gives the barren woman a home, making her the joyous mother of children. Praise the LORD!

**First Reading** Amos 8:4-7

**Second Reading:** 1 Timothy 1:12-17

Word of God, Word of Life. **Thanks be to God.**

**Holy Gospel** according to Luke 16:1-13 **Glory to you O lord**

The Gospel of our Lord, **Praise to you, O Christ**

### **Children's Message**

#### **Message**

**Hymn of the Day/Offering:** Take My Life That I May Be

Take my life and let it be consecrated, Lord, to Thee

Take my moments and my days, let them flow in ceaseless praise

Take my hands and let them move at the impulse of Thy love

Take my feet and let them be swift and beautiful for thee

Take my love, oh Lord, I pour at Thy feet its treasure store

I am Thine, and I will be, ever, only, all for Thee

**Offering Procession:** We Give Thee but Thine Own

We give Thee but Thine own, whate'er the gift may be;

All that we have is Thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from Thee.

### **Apostle's Creed**

*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 the saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen*

**Prayers of the people:** (God of grace, **hear our prayer**)

### **Meal**

Holy, mighty, and merciful Lord, heaven and earth are full of your glory.

**C: In great love you sent to us Jesus, your Son, who reached out to heal the sick and suffering, who preached good news to the poor, and who, on the cross, opened his arms to all.**

### **Words of Institution**

Remembering, therefore, his death, resurrection, and ascension, we await his coming in glory.

**C: Pour out your Holy Spirit, that by this Holy Communion we may know the unity we share with all your people in the body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.**

P: Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

**C: all glory and honor is yours, almighty Father, now and forever. Amen**

### **Lord's Prayer**

*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. 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*

### **Blessing**

The Lord bless you and keep you

Make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you

The Lord turn His face toward you and give you peace

Amen, amen, amen. Amen, amen, amen