



June 7, 2020

THE GATHERING

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

PASTORAL WELCOME

OPENING SONG: “Holy, Holy, Holy” (LSB 507)

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy, All the saints adore thee,
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee;
Which wert and art and evermore shall be.

Holy, holy, holy, Though the darkness hide thee,
Though the eye of sinful man glory may not see,
Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,
Perfect in power, in love and purity.

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

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.

(silence for personal self examination)

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

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 our selves. 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.

THE ABSOLUTION (spoken by Pastor)

THE HYMN OF PRAISE: “This is the Feast”

**Refrain: This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.**

Worthy is Christ the Lamb who was slain.
Whose blood set us free to be people of God. **Refrain**

Power, riches, wisdom and strength,
And honor, blessing and glory are His. **Refrain**

Sing with all the people of God,
And join in the hymn of all creation:
Blessing, honor, glory and might
Be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen. **Refrain**

For the Lamb who was slain
Has begun His reign. Alleluia.

**This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia! Alleluia! Allelu—ia!**

THE PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: AND ALSO WITH YOU.

P: Let us pray together... **Almighty and everlasting God, since you have given us, your servants, grace to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity by the confession of a true faith, and to worship the true Unity in the power of your divine majesty, keep us also steadfast in this true faith and worship, and defend us ever from all our adversaries; for you, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, live and reign, one God now and forever. Amen.**

(please be seated)

THE WORD

CHILDREN'S VIDEO

A LESSON: Acts 2:14a, 22-36

Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd:

“Fellow Israelites, listen to this: Jesus of Nazareth was a man accredited by God to you by miracles, wonders and signs, which God did among you through him, as you yourselves know. This man was handed over to you by God’s deliberate plan and foreknowledge; and you, with the help of wicked men, put him to death by nailing him to the cross. But God raised him from the dead, freeing him from the agony of death, because it was impossible for death to keep its hold on him. David said about him:

“‘I saw the Lord always before me. Because he is at my right hand, I will not be shaken. Therefore my heart is glad and my tongue rejoices; my body also will rest in hope, because you will not abandon me to the realm of the dead, you will not let your holy one see decay. You have made known to me the paths of life; you will fill me with joy in your presence.’

“Fellow Israelites, I can tell you confidently that the patriarch David died and was buried, and his tomb is here to this day. But he was a prophet and knew that God had promised him on oath that he would place one of his descendants on his throne. Seeing what was to come, he spoke of the resurrection of the Messiah, that he was not abandoned to the realm of the dead, nor did his body see decay. God has raised this Jesus to life, and we are all witnesses of it. Exalted to the right hand of God, he has received from the Father the promised Holy Spirit and has poured out

what you now see and hear. For David did not ascend to heaven, and yet he said,

“The Lord said to my Lord: “Sit at my right hand until I make your enemies a footstool for your feet.””

“Therefore let all Israel be assured of this: God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Messiah.”

VERSE Alleluia! Lord to whom shall we go?

You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia! Alleluia!

P: The Holy Gospel according to Matthew the 28th chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord (*spoken*)

GOSPEL READING: Matthew 28:16-20 Video

P: This is the Gospel of our Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ (*spoken*)

THE SERMON

SONG: “Here I Am, Lord” (WOV 752)

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.

All who dwell in dark and sin, my hand will save.

I, who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.

Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

REFRAIN: Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?

I have heard you calling in the night.

I will go, Lord, if you lead me.

I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord, of snow and rain, I have borne my people’s pain.

I have wept for love of them. They turn away.

I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.

I will speak my word to them, Whom shall I send? **REFRAIN**

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.

I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.

Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send? **REFRAIN**

THE PRAYERS:

P: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus
and for all people according to their needs.

P: Into your hands.....Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: AMEN

Music Interlude (as Pastor prepares the table)

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

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; 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.

THE PEACE:

L: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: AND ALSO WITH YOU!

A BLESSING

“Lamb of God”

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;

Have mercy on us, mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;

Have mercy on us, mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;

Grant us peace. Grant us peace.

THE DISTRIBUTION

SONG: “God, Whose Almighty Word” (LSB 979)

God, whose almighty word, chaos and darkness heard
 And took their flight: hear us, we humbly pray,
 And where the Gospel day sheds not its glorious ray,
 Let there be light!

Lord, who once came to bring, on your redeeming wing,
 Healing and sight, health to the sick in mind,
 Sight to the inly blind: oh, now to humankind
 Let there be light!

Spirit of truth and love, life giving, holy dove,
 Speed forth your flight; move on the water’s face,
 Bearing the lamp of grace, and in earth’s darkest place
 Let there be light!

Holy and blessed three, glorious Trinity,
 Wisdom, love, might! Boundless as ocean’s tide,
 Rolling in fullest pride, through the earth, far and wide,
 Let there be light!

POST-SERVICE MUSIC

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Next Sunday: Please join us again next Sunday at 8:30, 9:45 or 11:00 am on Facebook Live or view us bslc.freeonlinechurch.com.

We Welcome you to service today. Please be sure to sign our attendance sheet located at the South entrance doors or you may check in via the church app or by texting 740-370-1220.



Today at BSLC

Today's Worship Helpers. *Sign up sheet available on counter in hall*

	8:30 am	9:45 am	11:00 am
Communion Assistants	Gorden Ratliff	Janet Pauley	Larry Wiech
AV			
Usher	Scott Eggleston		
Greeter	Cathy Eggleston		
Reader	Rick Shoop	NA	
Sanitize Team	Cathy Albea	Danielle Noday	

HAPPY BIRTHDAY: Laila Edick (6/8), Mike Ash (6/9), Robb Bischoff (6/9), Cathy Foster (6/9), John Rucker (6/10), Emerson Frey (6/11), Claudine Hollern (6/11), Amelia Kunard (6/12), Diane Lorenzo (6/12), Will Arbona (6/13), Larissa Hall (6/13) and Hunter Lesinski (6/13)

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY: Dick & Carol Nagel (6/9), Stephen & Rebekuh Hill (6/11), Mark & Cathy Foster (6/13) and Scott & Julie Lesinski (6/13)

BAPTISM ANNIVERSARY: Lori Black (6/7), Julie C. (6/7), Landon Stelzer (6/9) and Katrina Lape (6/10)

We will continue to fellowship through zoom video conferencing. Several opportunities are being made possible to connect through small groups.

If you are not receiving Pastor's email newsletter, please let Laura (admin@bslcoh.org) in the church office know. She will make sure to get you added to the list.

These emails will have the most up to date announcements. You can also find updates on the church app (through CHURCH ON) and on the church website (www.BSLCOH.ORG)

Coming Soon

Vacation Bible School

We all look forward to a summer kick off with Vacation Bible School. We are closely monitoring the Covid 19 situation and following state and local guidelines on daycamps and gatherings.

Currently we are postponing our VBS until July.

We are not sure what this will look like yet but keep an eye out for more information.

We will need a lot of volunteers to help make this a wonderful event.

If you are interested in helping out, please email Laura at admin@bslcoh.org or sign up at the table in the hallway.

Sunday School

While we are currently not meeting for Sunday School

We are developing ways to keep our children connected.

You can find a children's bulletin on the church website each Sunday and we will be putting up some additional resources soon

If you have any questions please contact Pastor

More blood drives and food trucks scheduled

June 18

June 27

July 9

Tentative July 23

Confirmation Classes Annual Mini Golf Event

All confirmation students and their families are invited to an end of the year party at Olentangy Mini Golf (off Rt 23) Sunday night at 5 pm

\$6 per person (plus bring money to go to dairy queen afterwards)

RSVP to Pastor 740-417-3713 as soon as possible