



From the ***Garden*** to the ***Garden City***.
The Bible in 6 Weeks

11:00 – November 6, 2016

PRELUDE “Variation on SINE NOMINE (*Trio ~ Gigue ~ Chorale ~ Fugue*)” arr. Richard Proulx

WELCOME and RELATIONSHIPS of PEACE

OPENING HYMN “For All the Saints” [*LW 191, v. 1-5*]

OPENING LITURGY

RITE of REMEMBERING

HYMN of VICTORY “For all the Saints” [*LW 191, v. 6-8*]

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Revelation 22:1-5 [NIV]

¹Then the angel showed me the river of the water of life, as clear as crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb ²down the middle of the great street of the city. On each side of the river stood the tree of life, bearing twelve crops of fruit, yielding its fruit every month. And the leaves of the tree are for the healing of the nations. ³No longer will there be any curse. The throne of God and of the Lamb will be in the city, and his servants will serve him. ⁴They will see his face, and his name will be on their foreheads. ⁵There will be no more night. They will not need the light of a lamp or the light of the sun, for the Lord God will give them light. And they will reign for ever and ever.

R: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM

“Mercy”

Craig Courtney

Voices of Peace

HOLY GOSPEL Mark 16:9-20 [NIV]

⁹When Jesus rose early on the first day of the week, he appeared first to Mary Magdalene, out of whom he had driven seven demons. ¹⁰She went and told those who had been with him and who were mourning and weeping. ¹¹When they heard that Jesus was alive and that she had seen him, they did not believe it.

¹²Afterward Jesus appeared in a different form to two of them while they were walking in the country. ¹³These returned and reported it to the rest; but they did not believe them either.

¹⁴Later Jesus appeared to the Eleven as they were eating; he rebuked them for their lack of faith and their stubborn refusal to believe those who had seen him after he had risen.

¹⁵He said to them, “Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all creation. ¹⁶Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned. ¹⁷And these signs will accompany those who believe: In my name they will drive out demons; they will speak in new tongues; ¹⁸they will pick up snakes with their hands; and when they drink deadly poison, it will not hurt them at all; they will place their hands on sick people, and they will get well.”

¹⁹After the Lord Jesus had spoken to them, he was taken up into heaven and he sat at the right hand of God. ²⁰Then the disciples went out and preached everywhere, and the Lord worked with them and confirmed his word by the signs that accompanied it.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God!**

THE NICENE CREED

SERMON SONG “I Will Rise”

SERMON “GARDEN CITY”

SERMON RESPONSE “Abide With Me” [LW 490, v. 1 & 5]

PEOPLE of PEACE in PRAYER

Father in Heaven:

•**Peace, Comfort, and Healing** for Bob Sheegog-recovering from heart problems; Anita Wendorf-recovering from surgery; Antay Parker-undergoing heart surgery Monday, Nov. 7.

•**Wisdom and Courage** for Elected Officials and our Military.

THE LORD’S PRAYER *The Family Prayer of the People of God*

WORDS of INSTITUTION

THE PEACE

OFFERING

(Before Communing, please take time to read our statement of faith found in the pew rack in front of you; fill out and place your attendance card and offering in the basket as you come forward.)

DISTRIBUTION MUSIC

“Behold the Lamb”

“It Is Well”

“Revelation Song”

CLOSING HYMN “In Christ Alone”

CONNECT

- Youth Food Drive | November 6-20 | Benefiting NEED | Grab a flyer
- Red Apple Silent Auction | Friday, November 11 | 6:00-8:00pm | Tickets available
- PALM Thanksgiving Feast | Monday, November 14 | Noon | \$5 | Register online
- Thanksgiving Eve Worship | Wednesday, November 23 | 6:00pm
- “Let it Snow” | Sunday, December 4 | 5:00-8:00pm | Mark Your Calendars
 - *Don't forget to register for the Chili Cook Off!*

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE “For All the Saints”

arr. Charles Ore

SERMON: *Rev. James L. Mueller*

LITURGIST: *Rev. Morgan Hamilton*



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