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JULY 1, 2018

**WELCOME and RELATIONSHIPS of PEACE**

**OPENING HYMN** “Before You, Lord, We Bow” [LW 500, v. 1-3]

**OPENING LITURGY** [p. 158]

**RESPONSE** “Before You, Lord, We Bow” [LW 500, v. 4-5]

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON** Genesis 49:8-12 [NIV]

<sup>8</sup>“Judah, your brothers will praise you; your hand will be on the neck of your enemies; your father’s sons will bow down to you. <sup>9</sup>You are a lion’s cub, Judah; you return from the prey, my son. Like a lion he crouches and lies down, like a lioness—who dares to rouse him? <sup>10</sup>The scepter will not depart from Judah, nor the ruler’s staff from between his feet, until he to whom it belongs shall come and the obedience of the nations shall be his. <sup>11</sup>He will tether his donkey to a vine, his colt to the choicest branch; he will wash his garments in wine, his robes in the blood of grapes. <sup>12</sup>His eyes will be darker than wine, his teeth whiter than milk.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God!**

**HOLY GOSPEL** Mark 4:35-41 [NIV]

<sup>35</sup>That day when evening came, he said to his disciples, “Let us go over to the other side.” <sup>36</sup>Leaving the crowd behind, they took him along, just as he was, in the boat. There were also other boats with him. <sup>37</sup>A furious squall came up, and the waves broke over the boat, so that it was nearly swamped. <sup>38</sup>Jesus was in the stern, sleeping on a cushion. The disciples woke him and said to him, “Teacher, don’t you care if we drown?”

<sup>39</sup>He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, “Quiet! Be still!” Then the wind died down and it was completely calm. <sup>40</sup>He said to his disciples, “Why are you so afraid? Do you still have no faith?” <sup>41</sup>They were terrified and asked each other, “Who is this? Even the wind and the waves obey him!”

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God!**

**APOSTLES’ CREED**

**SERMON HYMN “Christ, by Heavenly Hosts Adored” [LW 499]**

**SERMON “JUDAH”**

**PEOPLE of PEACE in PRAYER**

*Father in Heaven:*

•**Peace, Comfort, and Healing:** Family and friends of William Joyce-passed away Monday, June 25.

•**Praise and Thanksgiving:** Grace and Joel White-celebrated their 36<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on Tuesday, June 26.

•**Wisdom and Courage:** Elected Officials and 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**

“God of Our Fathers” [LW 501]

**BENEDICTION**

**CLOSING HYMN “God Bless Our Native Land” [LW 497]**

**POSTLUDE** “Postlude on TRURO”

arr. Michael Bedford

SERMON: *Rev. James Mueller*

## CONNECT *Mark your calendars!*

- **Patriotic Salute | Today! | 5pm | Hope to see you there!**
  - *Free & Open to the public, featuring: patriotic sing-a-long concert, hot dogs & brew, parade of pies, games & activities for all ages!*
  - **Parade of Pies is back** – bring your favorite pie to this year's event!
  
- Peace Blood Drive | Sunday, July 22 | 8am-1pm | Sponsored by Carter Blood Care
  - Participants will receive a free t-shirt!
  - Contact David Shackelford for more info!
    - [dshackelford@carterbloodcare.org](mailto:dshackelford@carterbloodcare.org)
  
- New Church Photo Directory | Sign up today for a photo sessions!
  - Signup sheets will be available on Sundays (June 24-July 29)
  - Photo sessions will be held: August 7-11 & 16-18
    - Participants will receive a free 8x10 photo & new directory
  - Contact Glenna Seter in the Church Office for any questions!
  
- *Do you own any Persian style rugs or pillows? If so, we'd like to borrow them!*
  - Contact Amber Heady ([Amber@PeaceChurch.org](mailto:Amber@PeaceChurch.org)) by July 5

### *Youth Events*

- High School Mission Trip | July 29-August 1 | **Deadline to Register: Tomorrow!**
  - Cost is \$99 | Register Online @ [Peacechurch.org](http://Peacechurch.org)

