

## Announcements

**Sunday In-Person Worship** – our capacity numbers for in-person worship have been increased as of May 30. We can now register 60 people for the in-person component of worship. Registration for service must be in to the office by Friday noon. Call (306-653-2442) or email ([zion.office@sasktel.net](mailto:zion.office@sasktel.net)) the office to reserve your spot. Worship will continue to stream online weekly at 10:30 am. You can find us on YouTube by searching “Zion Lutheran Church Saskatoon”. Service info is also posted weekly to our website – [zionsaskatoon.com](http://zionsaskatoon.com)

**7 ELCIC Churches** – the 7 Saskatoon ELCIC Churches have been taking turns hosting worship services once a month. June 13<sup>th</sup> Redeemer Lutheran will be hosting the service. Stay tuned for more information about service that day.

**Parish Nurse Fundraiser** – Join us **Saturday, June 19<sup>th</sup>** for a fundraiser for parish nursing. We will meet at Zion at 2 pm and walk (pedal, skateboard, rollerblade or wheel) from Zion across the two downtown bridges and back to Zion! Contact the Zion office for a pledge sheet, contact your friends, neighbours and oh of course your family for sponsorships, and on June 19<sup>th</sup> join the community of caring that supports health and healing ministries in Saskatoon churches and church-based centres of care!

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**OFFICE HOURS:** Mon – Fri 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

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**In Our Prayers:** Derwin Hall, Andrea Nostbakken, Nandari Swamy, Martin, Weldeyesus family, Mallory Jess, Wally Cubbon, Cecelia Jurgens, Vibs Paulsen, Vi Stalwick, Dale Stalwick, Gloria Hamp, Lena & her family, Adam, Betty McManus, Aaron Froese, Glenn Wood, Borgny Lokken, Samhara & Saraq, Brenda Smith, Robert Reid, Slind Family, Lisa Jockims family and friends, Thor Kliev, Charles Hedlin, Gordon Knudsen, Ivar Moen, Marion Neufeld, Don Peterson, Kristine Larsen

Prelude:

Welcome

**Confession & Absolution**

**Gathering Song: “Lead Me, Guide Me” – ELW #768**

**Prayer of the Day:** All powerful God, in Jesus Christ, you turn death into life and defeat into victory. Increase our faith and trust in him, that we may triumph over all evil in the strength of the same Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

**Children’s Message**

**First Lesson:** Genesis 3:8-15

**Psalm 130 with refrain:** Wait for the Lord, whose day is near. Wait for the Lord, be strong, take heart.

**Second Lesson:** 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

**The Creed: This I Believe**

**Gospel:** Mark 3:20-35

**Homily**

**Hymn of the Day: “My Hope is Built on Nothing Less” – ELW #596**

**Prayers of Intercession**

**Offering: “Take My Life and Let it Be” ELW #685 (vs. 1 & 6)**

**The Great Thanksgiving:** pg. 144

**Holy Lord**

**The Lord’s Prayer (contemporary version)**

**Communion: “Sanctuary” & “Blessed Assurance”**

**Blessings & Announcements**

**Sending Song: “Great is Thy Faithfulness”**

*“Go in peace – you are the body of Christ”*

**“Thanks be to God!”**

Postlude

## Scriptures:

### **Genesis 3:8-15**

They heard the sound of the LORD God walking in the garden at the time of the evening breeze, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God among the trees of the garden. But the LORD God called to the man, and said to him, 'Where are you?' He said, 'I heard the sound of you in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked; and I hid myself.' He said, 'Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten from the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?' The man said, 'The woman whom you gave to be with me, she gave me fruit from the tree, and I ate.' Then the LORD God said to the woman, 'What is this that you have done?' The woman said, 'The serpent tricked me, and I ate.' The LORD God said to the serpent, 'Because you have done this, cursed are you among all animals and among all wild creatures; upon your belly you shall go, and dust you shall eat all the days of your life.

I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will strike your head, and you will strike his heel.'

### **2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1**

But just as we have the same spirit of faith that is in accordance with scripture—'I believed, and so I spoke'—

we also believe, and so we speak, because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus, and will bring us with you into his presence. Yes, everything is for your sake, so that grace, as it extends to more and more people, may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

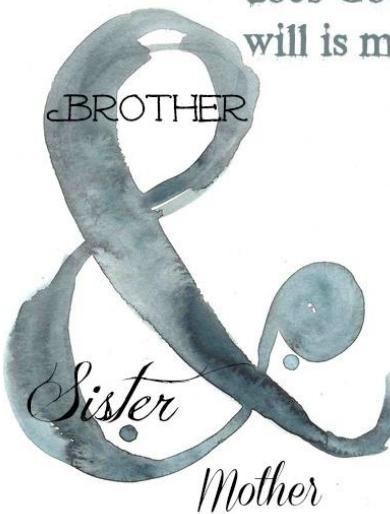
So we do not lose heart. Even though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. For this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure, because we look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen; for what can be seen is temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal. For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

### **Mark 3:20-35**

and the crowd came together again, so that they could not even eat. When his family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, 'He has gone out of his mind.' And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, 'He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons.' And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, 'How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but his end has come. But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man; then indeed the house can be plundered.' Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin'— for they had said, 'He has an unclean spirit.'

Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, 'Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.' And he replied, 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' And looking at those who sat around him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brother! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.'

**MARK 3:35** Anyone who does God's will is my



**Second Sunday After Pentecost**

**June 6, 2021**

**10:30 am Worship Service**