

## LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS OF VICTORIA

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Worship online at [www.lutheranvictoria.ca](http://www.lutheranvictoria.ca)

### Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

Emancipation Day

August 1, 2021 – 10:00 AM

Evangelical Lutheran Worship - *Now the Feast and Celebration*

Worship Livestream

***We celebrate a gospel that liberates and frees people from bondage and oppression.***

### GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome, Acknowledgement of Lands and TRC Calls to Action

**Gathering Song** ***What Feast of Love*** **No. 487**

Greeting The grace of Jesus Christ, the love of God,  
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.  
**And also with you.**

**Kyrie** **No. 157**

**Song of Praise** ***Now the Feast and Celebration*** **No. 167**

Prayer of the Day

### WORD

Children's time

Song ***Goodness Is Stronger than Evil*** **No. 721**

First Reading **2 Samuel 11:26 - 12:13a** ...Thanks be to God.

**Psalms 51:1-12** Refrain – ***Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love.***

Second Reading **Ephesians 4:1-16** ...Thanks be to God.

**Gospel Acclamation** ***Alleluia, alleluia, Lord to whom shall we go?***

Gospel Reading **John 6:24-35** ...Glory to you, O God.

...Praise to you, O Christ

Sermon

**Hymn of the Day** ***Bread of Life from Heaven*** **No. 474**

Prayers of Intercession ***God of hope; Hear our prayer.***

Peace Sharing The peace of Christ be with you always.

**And also with you.**

### MEAL

Offering Song ***As the Grains of Wheat*** **No. 465**

Offering prayer

Great Thanksgiving ***Holy*** **No. 191**

Thanksgiving Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

***Lamb of God***

**Communion Song** ***Goodness Is Stronger than Evil*** **No. 721**

*Those communing at home are invited to lift the bread and cup as they are lifted at the table  
and may share bread and wine when the words are spoken:*

*"The body of Christ given for you. The blood of Christ shed for you."*

Prayer after Communion

### SENDING

Announcements

Blessing

**Sending Song** ***Sent Forth by God's Blessing*** **No. 547**

Dismissal

Postlude

*"Coffee Time" follows worship on Zoom. If you did not receive a Zoom invitation and would like to join,  
send an email to [pastorlyndon@shaw.ca](mailto:pastorlyndon@shaw.ca) or call the Church office.*

### Worship Assistants

Assisting Minister

Jeanie Stann

Cantor

Brian Wismath

Choral Scholars

Abby Corpus and Grady Forsberg

Musician

Karen Johnson Lefsrud

Livestream

Braeden McKenzie

Communion

Dana McKee

***Worship continues online, Sundays at 10 AM PDT.***

***Church of the Cross remains closed for in person worship.***

***Tuesday morning prayer continues at 8:30 AM on the website and Facebook.***

***See the website [www.lutheranvictoria.ca](http://www.lutheranvictoria.ca) for information about online programs.***