

**June 6, 2021, SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, SUNDAY SERVICE & SERMON  
Pastor Tom Olson; Minnesota Valley Free Lutheran Church**

**9 AM & 10:30 AM SPEAKER-Dave Fugleberg**

**9 AM Service Leader: Dave Fugleberg**

**10 AM Service Leader: Dave Fischer**

**CHILDREN'S SERMON-none unless someone just does one**

**COMMUNION HELPERS 9 AM-Nate Kalstad (sealed cups from kitchen) AND 10:30 AM-Fischers will fill communion trays**

**PRELUDE: Ray Holmberg (Osthus singers)**

**CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 130**

**HYMN #215 (AH) "Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me" 9 AM: #82 (OVH) "Jesus Paid it All" Marretta will make song sheet for 9 AM bulletin.**

**CONFESSION OF SIN: Psalm 51:1-7 Have mercy on me. O God, according to your unfailing love; according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions. Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin. For I know my transgressions, and my sin is always before me. Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you are proved right when you speak and justified when you judge. Surely I was sinful at birth, sinful from the time my mother conceived me. Surely you desire truth in the inner parts; you teach me wisdom in the inmost place. Cleanse me with hyssop, and I will be clean; wash me, and I will be whiter than snow.**

**PRAYER**

**FIRST LESSON: Genesis 3:8-15 8 Then the man and his wife heard the sound of the LORD God as he was walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and they hid from the LORD God among the trees of the garden. 9 But the LORD God called to the man, "Where are you?" 10 He answered, "I heard you in the garden, and I was afraid because I was naked; so I hid." 11 And he said, "Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten from the tree that I commanded you not to eat from?" 12 The man said, "The woman you put here with me--she gave me some fruit from the tree, and I ate it." 13 Then the LORD God said to the woman, "What is this you have done?" The woman said, "The serpent deceived me, and I ate." 14 So the LORD God said to the serpent, "Because you have done this, "Cursed are you above all the livestock -and all the wild animals! You will crawl on your belly and you will eat dust all the days of your life. 15 And I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will crush your head, and you will strike his heel."**

**EPISTLE LESSON: 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:2 It is written: "I believed; therefore I have spoken." With that same spirit of faith we also believe and therefore speak, 14 because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus from the dead will also raise us with Jesus and present us with you in his presence. 15 All this is for your benefit, so that the grace that is reaching more and more people may cause thanksgiving to overflow to the glory of God. 16 Therefore we do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day. 17 For our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory that far outweighs them all. 18 So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen. For what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal. 5:1 Now we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, an eternal house in heaven, not built by human hands.**

**READER: Here ends the reading of God's Word.**

**CONGREGATION SINGS: God be praised, for His glad Tidings!**

**CONFESSION OF FAITH: I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And of all things visible and invisible.**

*And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, Begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of very God, Begotten, not made, Being of one substance with the Father, By whom all things were made; Who for us, and for our salvation, came down from heaven, And was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, And was made man; And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate, He suffered and was buried; And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures, And ascended into heaven, And is seated on the right hand of the Father, And He shall come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end.*

*And I believe in the Holy Spirit, The Lord and Giver of Life, Who proceeds from the Father and the Son, Who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, Who spoke by the Prophets. And I believe one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins. And I look for the Resurrection of the dead, And the Life of the world to come. Amen*

**GLORIA PATRI: Ambassador Hymnal p. 4 (please put on screen)** *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.*

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRAYER FOR OFFERING**

**HYMN #528 “God’s Word is Our Great Heritage”**

**GUEST SPEAKER: Dave Fugleberg**  
**SERMON TITLE: “The Perspective of Faith”**  
**TEXT: 2 Corinthians 4:13-21**

**HYMN #425 “Whiter than Snow”**

**HOLY COMMUNION (10:30 AM Dave Fischer prep and help; 9 AM Nate Kalstad)**

**(Note for service leader, communion service is p.6 in the hymnal, use a minimum of The Lord’s Prayer and the Words of Institution and include one of the readings on p. 6 if you have time)**

**BENEDICTION (9 AM):** The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you, the Lord lift up His countenance upon you and grant you peace. Amen

**DOXOLOGY: (10:30 AM-To the tune of Edelweiss)** *May the Lord, Mighty Lord, Bless and keep you forever-- Grant you peace, Perfect peace, Strength in every endeavor. Lift up your eyes and see His face, Feel His grace forever. May the Lord, Mighty Lord, Bless and keep you forever. 9 AM OVH #32*

**POSTLUDE:** Ray Holmberg

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