

# Augustana Lutheran Church (ELCA)

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Pentecost 10

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Ringing of the Bell

Prelude "When in Our Music God is Glorified" (Blues, Jazz)

Welcome

Opening Hymn "Eternal Father, Strong to Save" ELW 756

Verse 1

Eternal Father, strong to save,  
Whose arm has bound the restless wave,  
Who bade the mighty ocean deep  
Its own appointed limits keep:  
Oh, hear us when we cry to thee  
For those in peril on the sea.

Verse 2

O Savior, whose almighty word  
The winds and waves submissive heard,  
Who walked upon the foaming deep,  
And calm amid the storm didst sleep:  
Oh, hear us when we cry to thee  
For those in peril on the sea.

Verse 3

O Holy Spirit, who didst brood  
Upon the chaos dark and rude,  
And bid its angry tumult cease,  
And give, for wild confusion, peace:  
Oh, hear us when we cry to thee  
For those in peril on the sea.

Verse 4

O Trinity of love and pow'r,  
All trav'lers guard in danger's hour  
From rock and tempest, fire and foe,  
Protect them wheresoe'er they go;  
Thus evermore shall rise to thee  
Glad hymns and praise from land and sea.

Apostolic Greeting

Pastor: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,  
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: And also with you.

## Calls to Worship

### Be with Us, Great Spirit

**Leader:** We are your children.

**People:** **We have heard you in the winds, seen you in the sunrise;  
We have felt your kindness in the seasons.**

**Leader:** Great Spirit, we know you! We hear you speak!

**People:** **We know this very moment you are near to us as the air surrounds us  
and fills our lungs with life.**

**Leader:** Be with us, Great Spirit. Show us the way you would have us go!

*From Family Prayer by Sister Kevin Marie Flynn. Used by permission.*

### We Are All Related

**Leader:** We share our stories.

**People:** **Each of us brings a unique story and gifts from the Creator.**

**Leader:** Our stories are about journeys of faith.

**People:** **We walk a path of righteousness.**

**Leader:** We share our path with all creation.

**People:** **We are all related.**

*From Eastern Cherokee prayer tradition by Z. Susanne Aikman (Eastern Cherokee) @ 1992*

**P:** Let us pray together the prayer of the day:

**O God our defender, storms rage around and within us and cause us to be afraid. Rescue your people from despair, deliver your sons and daughters from fear, and preserve us in the faith of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen**

First Lesson            **1 Kings 19:9-18**

Second Lesson        **Romans 10:5-15**

### Mission Moment

Children's Time        **"Will the Circle Be Unbroken"**

Gospel acclamation: **Alleluia, Lord, to whom shall we go?  
You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.**

The Holy Gospel        **Matthew 14:22-33**

(Response after the announcement: **Glory to you, O Lord.**)

(Response after the reading: **Praise to you, O Christ.**)

Song *jazz quartet* "It's Probably Me"

Sermon "When All Seems Lost- Help Is On the Way"  
Rev. Dr. W. J. Mark Knutson

Song *jazz quartet* "When Your Life Was Low"

<p><b>Apostles' Creed</b></p> <p>I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.</p> <p>I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.</p>	<p>On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.</p> <p>I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.</p>
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Prayers of the People  
*Lord, in your mercy, Hear our prayer*

Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Closing Song *jazz quartet* "Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"

Postlude *jazz trio*

Ringling of the Bell

Go in peace; serve the Lord!

**Lighting of candles and reciting of prayer list**

**11:30 Spanish language Service** with leaders/musicians Francisco Aguirre, Elvio Gonzalez, Oscar Amaya, Carlos Guevara, Dora Reyna, Aranza and Miranda Aguirre

**10:00 a.m. service Musicians:** Marilyn Keller, George Mitchell, Ron Steen, Kevin Deitz, Dr. Walter Krueger

**Assisting Ministers:** Allen Brown, Andrea Robideau, Francisco Aguirre, Jenny Schmidt

**Livestream/Tech Crew (rotating):** Ben Joy, Dave Schmidt, Jenny Schmidt, Lane Johnson, Andy Fort, Jon Jensen, Francisco Aguirre, Ken Petersen, Andrew Kindschuh, Mark Wells, Nate Fort, Joe Paterno, Brandon Knutson (remote), Ayn Frazee (remote), Rev. Tom Campbell-Schmitt (remote), Tamrah Knutson (remote), Rick Gordon (advisor)

**Bell ringer, Property, Tellers:** Ansel Johnson, Glen Jacobs, Judy Embler

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