



## PRELUDE

## RINGING OF THE BELL

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

## GATHERING HYMN

## *Let Justice Flow like Streams*

## HYMN #717



- 1 Let jus - tice flow like streams of spar - kling wa - ter, pure,
- 2 Let righ - teous - ness roll on as oth - ers' cares we heed,
- 3 So may God's plumb line, straight, de - fine our mea - sure true,



en - a - bling growth, re - fresh - ing life, a - bun - dant, cleans - ing, sure.  
an ev - er - flow - ing stream of faith trans - lat - ed in - to deed.  
and jus - tice, right, and peace per - vade this world our whole life through.

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Music: ST. THOMAS, Aaron Williams, 1731-1776

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## GREETING

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

## CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the ✝ Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another. Most merciful God, **we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the **+** Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

## KYRIE

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*Refrain*

Ky-ri - e e - lei - son, on our world and on our way.

Ky-ri - e e - lei - son, ev-'ry day.

## CANTICLE OF PRAISE

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Glory to God in the highest, the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Glory to God in the highest, the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.

Glory to God in the highest, the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen. Amen. Amen.

Glory to God in the highest, the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.

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## PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray. **O God, from you come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works. Give to us, your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey your commandments; and also that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may live in peace and quietness, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

VICKI HANNEMAN

## PSALM: Psalm 85:8-13

<sup>8</sup>I will listen to what the LORD<sup>1</sup> God is saying,\* for he is speaking peace to his faithful people and to those who turn their<sup>1</sup> hearts to him.

<sup>9</sup>**Truly, his salvation is very near to<sup>1</sup> those who fear him,\* that his glory may dwell<sup>1</sup> in our land.**

<sup>10</sup>Mercy and truth have<sup>1</sup> met together;\* righteousness and peace have<sup>1</sup> kissed each other.

<sup>11</sup>**Truth shall spring up<sup>1</sup> from the earth,\* and righteousness shall look<sup>1</sup> down from heaven.**

<sup>12</sup>The LORD will indeed<sup>1</sup> grant prosperity,\* and our land will<sup>1</sup> yield its increase.

<sup>13</sup>**Righteousness shall<sup>1</sup> go before him,\* and peace shall be a pathway<sup>1</sup> for his feet.**

## **READING: Ephesians 1:3-14**

*In Jesus, all of God's plans and purposes have been made known as heaven and earth are united in Christ.  
Through Jesus, we have been chosen as God's children and have been promised eternal salvation.*

<sup>3</sup>Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, <sup>4</sup>just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love. <sup>5</sup>He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will, <sup>6</sup>to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved. <sup>7</sup>In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace <sup>8</sup>that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and insight <sup>9</sup>he has made known to us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure that he set forth in Christ, <sup>10</sup>as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth. <sup>11</sup>In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, <sup>12</sup>so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. <sup>13</sup>In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; <sup>14</sup>this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

## **GOSPEL: Mark 6:14-15**

The holy gospel according to St. Mark. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>14</sup>King Herod heard of it, for Jesus' name had become known. Some were saying, "John the baptizer has been raised from the dead; and for this reason these powers are at work in him."

<sup>15</sup>But others said, "It is Elijah." And others said, "It is a prophet, like one of the prophets of old."

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**SERMON**

*Knowing God's Will*

**PASTOR GRETCHEN ENOCH**



1 Faith of our fa - thers, liv - ing still in spite of dun - geon,  
 2 The mar - tyrs, chained in pris - ons dark, were still in heart and  
 3 Faith of our fa - thers! We will love both friend and foe in



fire, and sword. Oh, how our hearts beat high with joy  
 con - science free; and blest would be their chil - dren's fate  
 all our strife; pro - claim thee too, as love knows how,

*Refrain*



when - e'er we hear that glo - rious word.  
 if they, like them, should die for thee. Faith of our fa - thers,  
 by sav - ing word and faith - ful life.



ho - ly faith, we will be true to thee till death.

Text: Frederick W. Faber, 1814–1863, alt.

Music: ST. CATHERINE, Henri F. Hemy, 1818–1888; James G. Walton, 1821–1905, refrain

## APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. 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. 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. 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.

## PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

## SHARING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

## OFFERING

Let us pray: **God, you bless us in so many ways – even ways we do not know. Give us glad and generous hearts so that we may praise you and support our church and those around us who are in need. In Jesus' name, Amen.**

**OFFERING HYMN***Praise and Thanksgiving***HYMN #689, v.1**

1 Praise and thanks-giv - ing, God, we would of - fer for all things  
 2 God, bless the la - bor we bring to serve you, that with our  
 3 Fa - ther, pro - vid - ing food for your chil - dren, by Wis - dom's  
 4 Then will your bless - ing reach ev - 'ry peo - ple, free - ly con -



liv - ing, you have made good: har - vest of sown fields, fruits of the  
 neigh - bor we may be fed. Sow - ing or till - ing, we would work  
 guid - ing teach us to share one with an - oth - er, so that, re -  
 fess - ing your gra - cious hand. Where you are reign - ing, no one will



or - chard, hay from the mown fields, blos - som and wood.  
 with you, har - vest - ing, mill - ing for dai - ly bread.  
 joic - ing with us, all oth - ers may know your care.  
 hun - ger; your love sus - tain - ing show - ers the land.

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 Music: BUNESSAN, Gaelic tune  
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**COMMUNION**

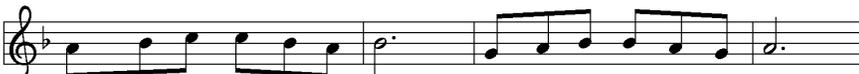
Together as the body of Christ, trusting that the distance that separates us is bridged by the Holy Spirit who makes us one, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes: **Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

**COMMUNION HYMN***Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love***HYMN #708***Refrain*

Je - su, Je - su, fill us with your love, show



us how to serve the neigh - bors we have from you.



1 Kneels at the feet of his friends, si - lent - ly wash - es their feet,  
 2 Neigh - bors are wealth - y and poor, var - ied in col - or and race,  
 3 These are the ones we will serve, these are the ones we will love;  
 4 Kneel at the feet of our friends, si - lent - ly wash - ing their feet:

*Refrain*

mas - ter who acts as a slave to them.  
 neigh - bors are near - by and far a - way.  
 all these are neigh - bors to us and you.  
 this is the way we will live with you.

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 Music: CHEREPONI, Ghanaian folk tune, adapt. Tom Colvin  
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## LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

## BLESSING

Almighty God, Father, ✝ Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever. Amen.

## SENDING HYMN

*O God of Mercy, God of Light*

HYMN #714, v.1,2,6



1 O God of mer - cy, God of light, in love and  
2 You sent your Son to die for all, that our lost  
3 Teach us the les - son Je - sus taught: to feel for  
4 For all are kin - dred, far and wide, since Je - sus



mer - cy in - fi - nite, teach us, as ev - er  
world might hear your call; oh, hear us lest we  
those his blood has bought, that ev - 'ry deed and  
Christ for all has died; grant us the will, and



in your sight, to live our lives in you.  
stray and fall! We rest our hope in you.  
word and thought may work a work for you.  
grace pro - vide, to love them all in you.

5 In sickness, sorrow, want, or care,  
may we each other's burdens share;  
may we, where help is needed, there  
give help as though to you.

6 And may your Holy Spirit move  
all those who live to live in love,  
till you receive in heav'n above  
all those who live in you.

Text: Godfrey Thring, 1823–1903, alt.

Music: JUST AS I AM, Joseph Barnby, 1838–1896

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## DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

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Worship Volunteers Needed! We need greeters, ushers, cantors, lectors, people to set up and serve coffee & acolytes. Please sign up in the Narthex, call the church office at 739-3348 or watch for the Constant Contact email. Thank YOU!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS JULY 11, 2021

**The flowers on the altar and the radio broadcast** are given by Barret & Harriet Wicklund.

**Wednesday Summer Worship** continues at Augustana Lutheran with a simple meal at 5:00 pm, followed by casual worship at 5:30 pm. Vicar Lynn is leading a sermon series call “Living our Faith in 2021”. The meal and worship at Augustana will continue throughout the summer.

**New Member class will be held today**, Sunday, July 11, after worship in the Staff Conference Room. New Member Sunday is July 18<sup>th</sup>.

**Women of Grace United Methodist** church are hosting “Peter’s Hope” on Wednesday, July 14 at 11:15 am. Carolyn Tonneson, founder of the nonprofit organization “Peter’s Hope”, will be the speaker. “Peter’s Hope” serves women and children in poverty in Kenya. A luncheon will be served and reservations are needed. Call 739-2269 by noon on July 12. Luncheon is free, offering (which goes to “Peter’s Hope”) is extra!

**PioneerCare Hiring Event** – Wednesday, July 14 from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm at Pioneer Care Center, 1131 Mabelle Ave South. Find out what it’s like to join the PioneerCare team! Lunch and a chance to win Twins tickets and free gas.

**Senior Bible Study continues on Thursdays at 10:30 am in the Kairos Room.** “Manna & Mercy”, a brief history of God’s unfolding promises, is the study book. No fee, no pre-registration. Please join us!

**Meals by Wheels Delivery is this week, July 12-16**, and all the routes are covered. Many thanks to all of our volunteers!

**Mission Jamaica Informational Meeting** will be next Sunday, July 18 at 10:30 am in the Staff Conference Room. Please plan to attend if you are curious/interested/thinking about attending the Mission Trip to Jamaica!

**We are collecting pillowcases** to be used to make pet beds for the Humane Society. Please leave your donations in the basket in the Narthex.

**Sound/Live Stream Operators Needed!** We are looking for people to run the sound board and live stream at 9:30 am worship on Sundays. \$20.00 for running the live stream and \$20.00 for running the sound board (if one person does both, \$40.00). Training available. Please contact the church office if interested. 739-3348 or [office@flcff.org](mailto:office@flcff.org).

**Lions Green Living Projects** – there is a collection box in the Narthex for clean plastic bags and wraps. Also, the Lions are collecting clean, like-new shoes – you can leave them in the same box.

### **This Sunday, July 11 – 7th Sunday after Pentecost**

- 9:30 am Worship with Holy Communion followed by coffee & fellowship *Narthex*
- 10:30 am New Member Class

### **Monday, July 12: Meals by Wheels Delivery all week**

- 9 am to 3 pm Love Day Quilters
- 5:00 pm Al Anon
- 6:00 pm OA

### **Tuesday, July 13:**

- 9 to 10 am play at NP Park
- 6:00 pm Council

### **Wednesday, July 14:**

- 9:30 am Al Anon
- 10:00 am AA
- 12:00 pm Fit Team *Kairos*
- 1:00 pm Cookie Monster AA
- 5:00 pm Simple Meal at Augustana followed by casual worship at 5:30 pm

### **Thursday, July 15:**

- 10:30 am Senior Bible Study *Kairos Room*
- 6:00 pm Women's AA
- 7:00 pm Outdoor Yoga Class

### **Friday, July 16:**

- Church office closed

### **Saturday, July 17:**

- Church office closed

### **Next Sunday, July 18 New Member Sunday:**

- 9:30 am Worship with Holy Communion followed by coffee & fellowship *Narthex*
- 10:30 am Informational Meeting on Mission Jamaica Trip

**Senior Pastor:** Gretchen Enoch

**Intern Pastor:** Lynn Melchior

**Visitation Pastor:** Stan Satre

**Council President:** George Mathison

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