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TRINITY

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8:45am

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We are glad you are here at one of our THREE WORSHIP SERVICES this weekend, each centered around the same scriptures but with three different musical styles. THIS BULLETIN contains information for the 8:45 a.m. Sunday service

A SEPARATE BULLETIN lists the 5:30 p.m. Saturday service here in the sanctuary. The other service we offer is Praise worship in Jack's Place.

We invite you to turn to **pages 15 and following in this bulletin** for HELPFUL INFORMATION for visitors and members alike, such as service participants.

For directions or help with special needs, just ask an usher.

- DIAPER CHANGING AREA - in Gathering Space restroom
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SUNDAY MORNING 8:45

June 14, 2026

Third Sunday after Pentecost

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS of this service are available from the ushers.

✝ ✝ ✝ GATHERING ✝ ✝ ✝

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

THEME OF THE DAY

Moses tells the Israelites that they are called to be a priestly kingdom and a holy people. Jesus sends out the disciples as laborers into the harvest. In baptism we too are anointed for ministry, sharing God's compassion with our needy world. From the Lord's table we go forth to proclaim the good news, to heal the sick, and to share our bread with the hungry

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

GATHERING MUSIC

O Christ, Your Heart, Compassionate - arr. Hans-Arnold Metzger
Mark Koehler, organ

*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

pg. 94

**Please stand, as able.*

†*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

In the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hid:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves,
and the truth is not in us.
But if we confess our sins,
God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins
and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. (1 John 1:8-9)

Silence for reflection

Most merciful God,
**we confess that 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.

Almighty God, in his mercy,
has given his Son to die for you,
and for his sake, forgives you all your 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.

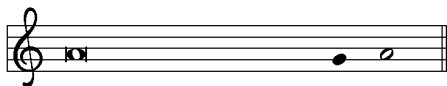
*ENTRANCE HYMN

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

ELW 858

*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.



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



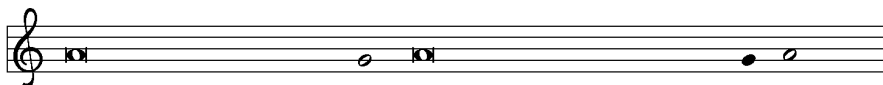
Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace from a-bove, and for our sal - vation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



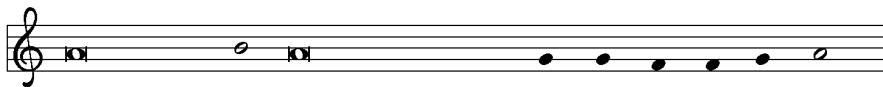
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their wor-ship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord. Lord have mer - cy.



Help, save, comfort, and de-fend us, gra-cious Lord. A - men.

Assisting minister



Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth.

All



Lord God, heav-en-ly King, al - might-y God and Fa - ther, we



wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry.



Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God,



you take a-way the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us;



you are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther: re - ceive our prayer.



For you a-lone are the Ho - ly One, you a-lone are the Lord,



you a-lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir-it,



in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

*SALUTATION & PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

Almighty, eternal God, in the Word of Your apostles and prophets You have proclaimed to us Your saving will. Grant us faith to believe Your promises that we may receive eternal salvation; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Please be seated.

✠ ✠ ✠ **WORD** ✠ ✠ ✠

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching and song

FIRST READING *Exodus 19:2-8*

²[The people of Israel] set out from Rephidim and came into the wilderness of Sinai, and they encamped in the wilderness. There Israel encamped before the mountain, ³while Moses went up to God. The LORD called to him out of the mountain, saying, “Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the people of Israel: ⁴You yourselves have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles’ wings and brought you to myself. ⁵Now therefore, if you will indeed obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession among all peoples, for all the earth is mine; ⁶and you shall be to me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the people of Israel.”

⁷So Moses came and called the elders of the people and set before them all these words that the LORD had commanded him. ⁸All the people answered together and said, “All that the LORD has spoken we will do.” And Moses reported the words of the people to the LORD.

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM 100 *Sung responsively* - Tone 4



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¹Make a joyful noise to the LORD, | all the earth!

²Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with | singing!

³**Know that the LORD, | he is God!**

**It is he who made us, and we are his;
we are his people, and the sheep of his | pasture.**

⁴Enter his gates with thanksgiving,
and his | courts with praise!

Give thanks to him; | bless his name!

⁵**For the LORD is good;
his steadfast love endures for- | ever,**

and his faithfulness to all generations.
 Glory be to the Father and to the Son
 and to the Holy Spirit.
 As it was in the beginning,
 is now, and will be forever. Amen.

SECOND READING *Romans 5:6-15*

⁶For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. ⁷For one will scarcely die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person one would dare even to die— ⁸but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. ⁹Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God. ¹⁰For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life. ¹¹More than that, we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

¹²Therefore, just as sin came into the world through one man, and death through sin, and so death spread to all men because all sinned— ¹³for sin indeed was in the world before the law was given, but sin is not counted where there is no law. ¹⁴Yet death reigned from Adam to Moses, even over those whose sinning was not like the transgression of Adam, who was a type of the one who was to come.

¹⁵But the free gift is not like the trespass. For if many died through one man's trespass, much more have the grace of God and the free gift by the grace of that one man Jesus Christ abounded for many.

This is the word of the Lord.
 Thanks be to God.

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, Alleluia

pg. 151

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?
 You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.

***GOSPEL** *Matthew 9:35-10:8*

The holy gospel according to St. Matthew, the 9th chapter.
Glory to you, O Lord.

³⁵Jesus went throughout all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction. ³⁶When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. ³⁷Then he said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; ³⁸therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.”

¹And he called to him his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal every disease and every affliction. ²The names of the twelve apostles are these: first, Simon, who is

called Peter, and Andrew his brother; James the son of Zebedee, and John his brother; ³Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James the son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; ⁴Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, who betrayed him.

⁵These twelve Jesus sent out, instructing them, “Go nowhere among the Gentiles and enter no town of the Samaritans, ⁶but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. ⁷And proclaim as you go, saying, ‘The kingdom of heaven is at hand.’ ⁸Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, cast out demons. You received without paying; give without pay.”

This is the gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

SERMON

Pastor Kevin McClain

HYMN OF THE DAY

Lord, You Give the Great Commission

ELW 579

***SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM** Emily Lynn Welch & Stetson James Haines

I ask you to profess your faith in Christ Jesus, reject sin,
and confess the faith of the church, the faith in which we baptize.

Do you renounce all the forces of evil, the devil, and all his empty promises?

I do.

Do you believe in God the Father?

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

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended into hell.**

On the third day he rose again.

**He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**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.**

Through Baptism God has made this new brother
a member of the priesthood we all share in Christ Jesus,
that we may proclaim the praise of God
and bear his creative and redeeming Word to all the world.

We welcome you into the Lord's family.

We receive you as a fellow member of the body of Christ.

A child of the same heavenly father, and a worker with us in the kingdom of God.

*PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

After each portion of the prayers:

Lord, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Please be seated.

OFFERING

The Miracle - Shawna Edwards, arr. Daniel Blomberg
Barbara Rhoades, soloist

*CANTICLE OF THANKSGIVING *Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful*

ELW 184



Let the vine-yards be fruit-ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of



bless-ing. Gath-er a har-vest from the seeds that were sown, that



we may be fed with the bread of life. Gath-er the hopes and dreams of



all; u-nite them with the prayers we of-fer. Grace our ta-ble



with your pres-ence, and give us a fore-taste of the feast to come.

*OFFERING PRAYER

Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts: our selves, our time, and our possessions. Use us, and what we have gathered, in feeding the world with your love, through the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

***LORD'S PRAYER**

pg. 145

**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.**

✠ ✠ ✠ **SENDING** ✠ ✠ ✠
God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

***BLESSING**

***SENDING HYMN**

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

ELW 596

***DISMISSAL AND PASSING OF THE PEACE**

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

The peace of the Lord be with you always. **And also with you.** Please share God's peace with one another.

***POSTLUDE**

The King of Love My Shepherd Is with Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us
arr. Linda McKechnie
Mark Koehler, piano

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*We invite you to the Olive Tree Café after the service for goodies and Goldberry coffee.
The Café is located in the north office hallway on the Walnut Street side of the building.*

PARTICIPATING IN THE SERVICES: 8:45

PRESIDING MINISTER - Pastor Kevin McClain

ASSISTING MINISTERS - Pastor Ben Mollohan, Vicar Gage Garlinghouse, Stan Kopp

ORGANIST - Mark Koehler

LECTOR - Carolyn Yannayon

GREETERS - Mark & Deb Grimwood

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RADIO - Tom Stoll

NURSERY - Kristen McClain, Anna Little

If you would be interested in learning more about these or other volunteer opportunities, please contact Wendy Shreffler at the Church Office.

SANTUARY ALTAR FLOWERS this weekend are given by:

- > Dan & Rita Wierbiki in honor of all of their grandchildren and great grandchildren,
- > Marge Wittman, Barb and Roger Piatt, Lori and Howard Glick and Casey and Turner in loving memory of Paul Wittman's birthday,
- > Scott and Jacki Young in loving memory of Harvey & Beverly Young and Jack & Pat Oberholtzer,
- > Janet Eckstein in celebration of her sister, Sue Bartley's birthday on June 13th,
- > Cris and Barb Harding in memory of Nub Urban,
- > Sandy Whitcomb in loving memory of Jane Whitecotton for her June 14th birthday.

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THE LIVESTREAM of the 11 a.m. Sunday Praise Service is sponsored in honor of the live stream volunteers: Chris Vanderzyden, Tracie Tucker, and Michael Prezioso.

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