



Sunday Worship

July 10, 2022

*Draw near to God
for God is waiting for you.*

* indicates where the congregation is to stand if able
italic type is spoken by the liturgist – bold is spoken by the congregation

HYMN SING

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Gather us in, Lord, and hear our prayers.

We have come to this place in need for healing and hope.

Gather us in, Lord, and heal our spirits.

We come here seeking guidance and strength.

Gather us in, Lord, and open our hearts to receive your word.

Open our hearts, our spirits, our souls to comprehend your word and follow you faithfully.

OPENING PRAYER

Lord of justice and mercy, we come to you this day seeking your healing and reconciling love. Help us to be open to your word, your presence, your compassion. Clear our hearts of those things which block your will. Keep us focused on your enabling power so that we, having been healed, may more fully serve you. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

***HYMN #401** Gather Us In

1. Here in this place the new light is streaming; now is the darkness vanished away; see in this space our fears and our dreamings brought here to you in the light of this day. Gather us in, the lost and forsaken; gather us in, the blind and the lame; call to us now, and we shall awaken; we shall arise at the sound of your name.
2. We are the young, our lives are a mystery. We are the old who yearn for your face. We have been sung throughout all of history, called to be light to the whole human race. Gather us in, the rich and the haughty; gather us in, the proud and the strong; give us a heart, so meek and so lowly; give us the courage to enter the song.
3. Here we will take the wine and the water; here we will take the bread of new birth. Here you shall call your sons and your daughters, call us anew to be salt for the earth. Give us to drink the wine of compassion; give us to eat the bread that is you; nourish us well, and teach us to fashion lives that are holy and hearts that are true.
4. Not in the dark of buildings confining, not in some heaven, light years away: here in this place the new light is shining; now is the kingdom, and now is the day. Gather us in and hold us forever; gather us in and make us your own; gather us in, all peoples together, fire of love in our flesh and our bone.

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND BROKENESS

Lord, sometimes we are confused. We hear the bad news continually shouted on TV, radio, in the newspapers, magazines. The whole world seems to be shrieking in pain. Innocent people are being destroyed by the whims of the wicked. Disease and pestilence reign supreme in too many parts of the world. We turn an indifferent ear to the cries of others, often because we are so overwhelmed by the needs and feel helpless in the face of such chaos. We close our eyes. We walk away, often crossing over to the side of self-importance and indifference because we are afraid to become involved. Our society is

quick to sue and slow to heal. We succumb to those pressures in our fear. Help us, O Lord. Heal our spirits as well as our bodies. Open our hearts and our eyes to see you, O Christ, that we may be empowered to service rather than apathy. Forgive us, Lord, forgive us. Make us ready to truly become your disciples. For we ask these things in Jesus' name. Amen.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE AND BLESSING

... Say the good news aloud with me: **Jesus died for me. Jesus forgives me. Jesus loves me. Jesus is good to me. Amen.**

***GLORIA PATRI**

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.

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON Colossians 1:1-14

SPECIAL MUSIC

What A Wonderful World
Paul Wachtendorf, trumpet

Bob Thiele and George David Weiss

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

***HYMN #203** Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love

1. Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love; show us how to serve the neighbors we have from you.

Kneels at the feet of his friends, silently washes their feet, Master who acts as a slave to them.

2. Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love; show us how to serve the neighbors we have from you.

Neighbors are wealthy and poor, varied in color and race; neighbors are near us and far away.

3. Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love; show us how to serve the neighbors we have from you.

These are the ones we should serve; these are the ones we should love; all these are neighbors to us and you.

4. Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love; show us how to serve the neighbors we have from you.

Loving puts us on our knees, willing to wash others' feet; this is the way we should live like you.

Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love; show us how to serve the neighbors we have from you.

SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON Luke 10:25-37

SERMON Howdy Neighbor

RECOGNITION OF THE OFFERING

***DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise him, all creatures here below. Praise him above, ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

We belong to you, O God: heart, soul and mind. All that we have belongs to you. Bless these gifts to do your good work in the world, in the name of Christ. Amen.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

SHARING THE ELEMENTS (Please hold up your elements as the Words of Institution are spoken)

UNISON PRAYER

Loving God, we thank you that you have fed us in this sacrament, united us with Christ, and given us a foretaste of the heavenly banquet in your eternal realm. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

***HYMN #707** Take Thou Our Minds, Dear Lord

1. Take thou our minds, dear Lord, we humbly pray; give us the mind of Christ each passing day; teach us to know the truth that sets us free; grant us in all our thoughts to honor thee.
2. Take thou our hearts, O Christ; they are thine own; come thou within our souls and claim thy throne; help us to shed abroad thy deathless love; use us to make the earth like heaven above.
3. Take thou our wills, Most High! Hold thou full sway; have in our inmost souls thy perfect way; guard thou each sacred hour from selfish ease; guide thou our ordered lives as thou dost please.
4. Take thou ourselves, O Lord, heart, mind, and will; through our surrendered souls thy plans fulfill. We yield ourselves to thee; time, talents, all; we hear, and henceforth heed, thy sovereign call.

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS: July 10, 2022

This week’s carillon is in memory of George A. Smith.

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS: This week we are asking for either salt and pepper or carrots and onions. You only need to choose one but feel free to bring as much as you like. Bring your item(s) to the church during the week or next Sunday morning. Donations are to be placed in the wagon located in the vestibule. Any and all donations of any kind are greatly appreciated!

CPR CLASS AT CHURCH: It’s a win-win! Want to learn CPR, and donate to church at the same time? We’re pleased to announce a CPR class for church members and friends. Whether you are renewing your certification, or taking a class for the first time, this 2-hour class is for you. The skills presented include CPR, use of a defibrillator, & of relief of choking in adult and in child victims. The training will prepare you to respond in an emergency that may occur at home or work, during worship or the church nursery, or in the community. The cost is \$40 per person, same as in previous years. Also, as in previous years, after the material costs are met (\$25.50 per person), the remainder will be donated to church for each attendee (\$14.50 per person). Two dates are offered: Thursday July 14 at 7PM, or Saturday July 23 at 9AM. (The classes are identical- you only need to attend one class). If interested, please see the sign-up sheets on the bulletin board in Fellowship Hall. For questions, please contact Dana Daniels 215 450 0705, dldpineville@verizon.net.

Calendar:	July 10	10:00am	Worship Service followed by Fellowship.
	July 11		Middle School Adventure Camp all week.
		7:00pm	Boys Scouts.
	July 12	6:00pm	Beekeepers mtg.
	July 13	12:00pm	Lunch Bunch then blanket making.
	July 14	7:00pm	CPR Course.

Elder of the Month: Sharon Ruth Deacon of the Month: Merrily Henley Fellowship Hour: Emilie Cullerton

In our thoughts and prayers:

The Conner/Lang Family, Aleena Lang, Bill Wark, Raymond Tinari, Jim Turner, Linda Bowers, Mary Reinhardt, Sally Thiessen. Anna McQuaid

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Susan Fall, Pastor
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