

SUNDAY WORSHIP

TRADITIONAL SERVICE | 8:30 AM

PASTORS JEFF FROHNER AND NATE MONTOVER

LUTHERAN CHURCH
of the
RESURRECTION

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 30 - 14TH PENTECOST

Prelude | Welcome

Call to Worship

Pastor: Jesus says, "Come to me, all you who are weary and are carrying heavy burdens,

Congregation: ... and I will give you rest." (Matthew 11:28)

Handbell Quartet - "Reverent Praise" (J.W. Krug) | Pat Wenthe, Ray Redondo, Laurie Stock, Karen Proffitt

Brief Order of Confession

Pastor: When we come to God with open hearts, we will not be pushed away but will find the very hope and strength that we need. Let us confess to God those things that weigh upon us and trust in the power of Jesus to make us whole.

(silence for reflection)

Congregation: God of creation, we confess to you and to one another that we are often held captive by pride and conceit. We at times treat others with contempt and fail to explain our neighbor's actions in the kindest of ways. We fail to love one another. Forgive our lack of concern for others, for creation, and for your commands, and restore a new and right spirit within us.

Pastor: My friends, hear the good news: "But when the goodness and loving-kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of any works of righteousness that we had done, but according to his mercy, through the water of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit." (Titus 3:5-6)
In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit, your sins are forgiven.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Gathering Hymn - "Son of God, Eternal Savior" (ELW #655)

Greeting

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

Congregation: And also with you.

Hymn of Praise - "Be Not Afraid" (ELW #388; sing 2x)

Prayer of the Day

Pastor: O God, we thank you for your Son, who chose the path of suffering for the sake of the world.

Humble us by his example, point us to the path of obedience, and give us strength to follow your commands, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Congregation: Amen



Children's Message

Scripture - Romans 12:9-21

Gospel Acclamation - "Celtic Alleluia" (ELW #174; cantor sings once, congregation repeats once)

Gospel - Matthew 16:21-28

Message - Pastor Nate Montover

Hymn of the Day - "Will You Come and Follow Me" (ELW #798; v. 1, 2, 4)

Apostles' Creed | Prayers of the People

Pastor: Lord in your mercy

Congregation: Hear our prayer.

Sharing of the Peace | Thanksgiving for Offerings

Holy Communion | Words of Institution | 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.

Communion Blessing

Pastor: Now may the body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, strengthen you and keep you in God's grace, now and for life everlasting.

Congregation: Amen

Communion Canticle - "Let Justice Flow Like Streams" (ELW #717; vs 1-2)

Announcements | Benediction

Sending Hymn + Bell Quartet & Guitar - "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" (ELW #631)
(guitar - Mark Fredin; arrangement: "Hyfrydol" T. Keesecker)

Dismissal

Pastor: "Peace be to the brothers and sisters...

Congregation: ... and love with faith, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ." (Ephesians 6.23)

All: Amen

Postlude

THANKS TO THOSE SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY!

Worship Team: Pastor Jeff Frohner, Pastor Nate Montover

Cantor: Melissa Alexander | **Organ & Piano:** Matthew Lang

Greeters: Greg & Kay Forest | **Ushers:** Rick Weigel, Bob Erlandson

Comm. Servers: Diane Aarni, Janet Dettbarn | **Comm. Set-up:** Linda Sundermeyer

Tech Team: Lovseth family | **Nursery:** Amanda Schultz

Café Hosts: Roger & Mary Jo Carlson, Kent Stock | **Donut Pick-up:** Brad Butz

Counters: Evelyn Beck, Janet Dettbarn

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Gathering Hymn

“SON OF GOD, ETERNAL SAVIOR”

Son of God, eternal Savior,
source of life and truth and grace,
Word made flesh, whose birth among us
hallows all our human race,
you, our head, who, throned in glory,
for your own will ever plead:
fill us with your love and pity,
heal our wrong, and help our need.

As you, Lord, have lived for others,
so may we for others live.
Freely have your gifts been granted;
freely may your servants give.
Yours the gold and yours the silver,
yours the wealth of land and sea;
we but stewards of your bounty
held in solemn trust will be.

Come, O Christ, and reign among us,
King of love and Prince of peace;
hush the storm of strife and passion,
bid its cruel discords cease.
By your patient years of toiling,
by your silent hours of pain,
quench our fevered thirst of pleasure,
stem our selfish greed of gain.

Son of God, eternal Savior,
source of life and truth and grace,
Word made flesh, whose birth among us
hallows all our human race:
by your praying, by your willing
that your people should be one,
grant, oh, grant our hope's fruition:
here on earth your will be done.

Hymn of Praise

“BE NOT AFRAID”

sing 2x:

Be not afraid, sing out for joy!
Christ is risen, alleluia!
Be not afraid, sing out for joy!
Christ is risen, alleluia!

Gospel Acclamation

“CELTIC ALLELUIA”

cantor sings one time:

Alleluia, alleluia.
Alleluia, alleluia.

congregation sings one time:

Alleluia, alleluia.
Alleluia, alleluia.



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Hymn of the Day

“WILL YOU COME AND FOLLOW ME”

Will you come and follow me
if I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know
and never be the same?

Will you let my love be shown,
will you let my name be known,
will you let my life be grown
in you and you in me?

Will you leave yourself behind
if I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind
and never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare,
should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer pray'r
in you and you in me?

Will you love the 'You' you hide
if I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside
and never be the same?
Will you use the faith you've found
to reshape the world around,
through my sight and touch and sound
in you and you in me?

Communion Canticle

“LET JUSTICE FLOW LIKE STREAMS”

Let justice flow like streams
of sparkling water, pure,
enabling growth, refreshing life,
abundant, cleansing, sure.

Let righteousness roll on
as others' cares we heed,
an ever-flowing stream of faith
translated into deed.

Sending Hymn

“LOVE DIVINE, ALL LOVES EXCELLING”

Love divine, all loves excelling,
Joy of heav'n, to earth come down!
Fix in us thy humble dwelling,
all thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, thou art all compassion,
pure, unbounded love thou art;
visit us with thy salvation,
enter ev'ry trembling heart.

Breathe, oh breathe thy loving Spirit
into ev'ry troubled breast;
let us all in thee inherit;
let us find the promised rest.
Take away the love of sinning;
Alpha and Omega be;
end of faith, as its beginning,
set our hearts at liberty.

Come, Almighty, to deliver;
let us all thy life receive;
suddenly return, and never,
nevermore thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing,
serve thee as thy hosts above,
pray, and praise thee without ceasing,
glory in thy perfect love.

Finish then thy new creation,
pure and spotless let us be;
let us see thy great salvation
perfectly restored in thee!
Changed from glory into glory,
'til in heav'n we take our place,
'til we cast our crowns before thee,
lost in wonder, love, and praise!