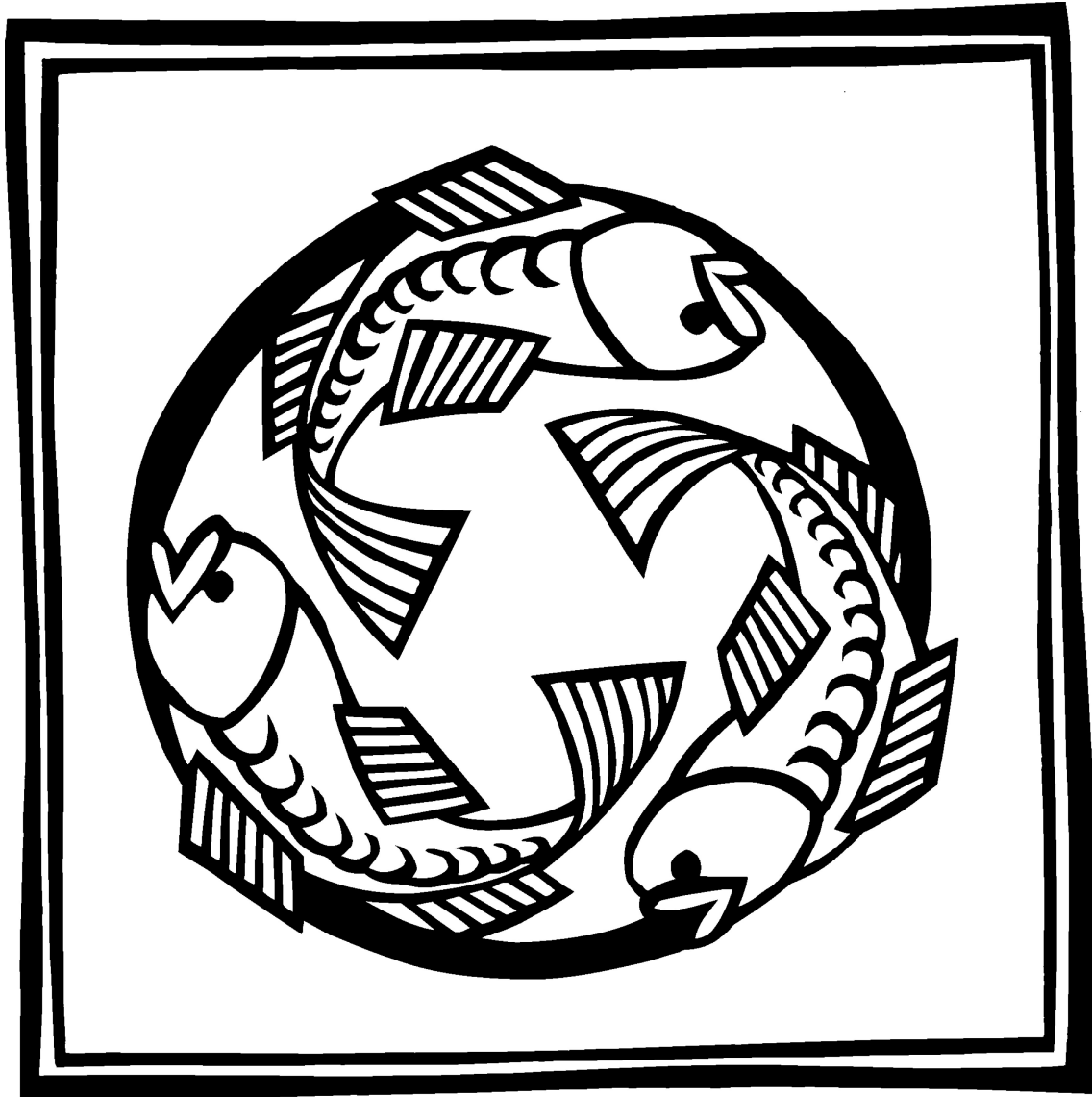


HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY



JUNE 12, 2022

WELCOME

We welcome you to Mt. Hermon Lutheran Church!

If you are worshipping with us for the first time, WELCOME.

If you are worshipping again, WELCOME BACK.

Worship is much more joyful when we add our voices to offer praise and thanksgiving. If you need anything, just ask one of the ushers or greeters. If you would like to discuss discipleship at Mt. Hermon,

Pastor Gina would love to speak with you!

Again welcome ...

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please see the Community Announcements in the back section of the bulletin.

*Please note that all the congregation responses are printed in **Bold and Italics**.*

We are silent as we prepare our hearts for worship.

PRELUDE

Pastorale

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THE GATHERING

We stand and face the baptismal font.

*Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God,
whose steadfast love endures forever.*

Amen.

We turn to face the cross at the entrance of the sanctuary. As broken children, we begin worship by acknowledging our sin and asking for God's forgiveness.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

**Merciful God,
we confess that we have not followed your path
but have chosen our own way.
Instead of putting others before ourselves,
we long to take the best seats at the table.
When met by those in need,
we have too often passed by on the other side.
Set us again on the path of life.
Save us from ourselves
and free us to love our neighbors. Amen.**

**Hear the good news!
God does not deal with us according to our sins
but delights in granting pardon and mercy.
In the name of ✝ Jesus Christ,
your sins are forgiven.
You are free to love as God loves.
Amen.**

As the cross passes your pew, turn and face the altar.

HYMN

Come, Join the Dance of Trinity

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1 Come, join the dance of Trin - i - ty, be - fore all worlds be - gun—
2 Come, see the face of Trin - i - ty, new - born in Beth - le - hem;
3 Come, speak a - loud of Trin - i - ty, as wind and tongues of flame
4 With - in the dance of Trin - i - ty, be - fore all worlds be - gun,



the in - ter-weav - ing of the Three, the Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son.
then blood - ied by a crown of thorns out - side Je - ru - sa - lem.
set peo - ple free at Pen - te - cost to tell the Sav - ior's name.
we sing the prais - es of the Three, the Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son.



The u - ni - verse of space and time did not a - rise by chance,
The dance of Trin - i - ty is meant for hu - man flesh and bone;
We know the yoke of sin and death, our necks have worn it smooth;
Let voic - es rise and in - ter-weave, by love and hope set free,



but as the Three, in love and hope, made room with - in their dance.
when fear con - fines the dance in death, God rolls a - way the stone.
go tell the world of weight and woe that we are free to move!
to shape in song this joy, this life: the dance of Trin - i - ty.

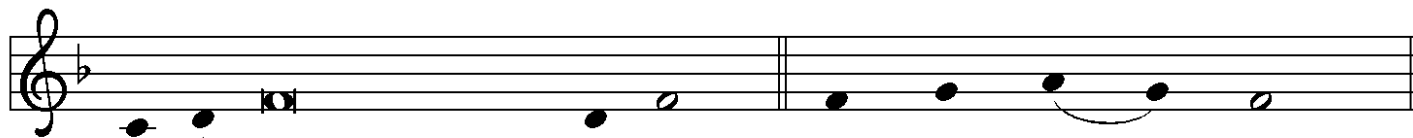
GREETING

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

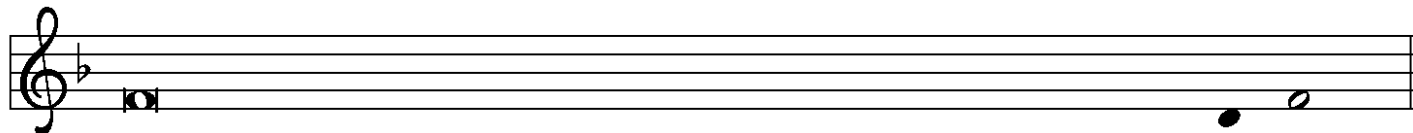
And also with you.

KYRIE

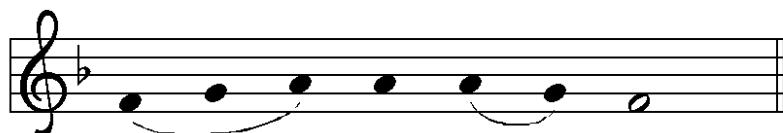
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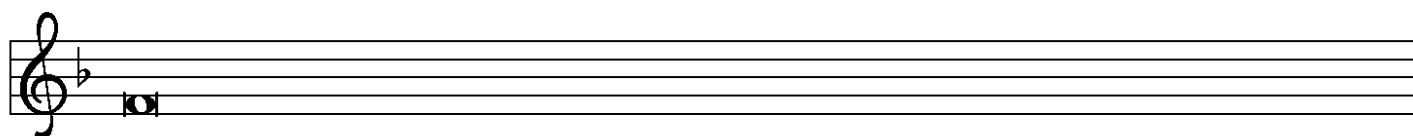
In peace, let us pray to the Lord. Lord, have mer - cy.



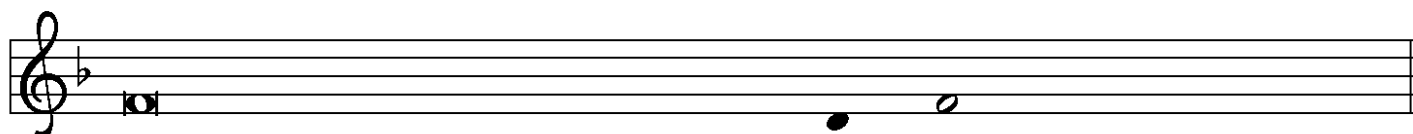
For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



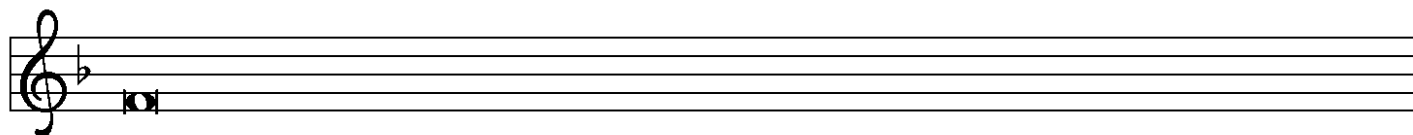
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



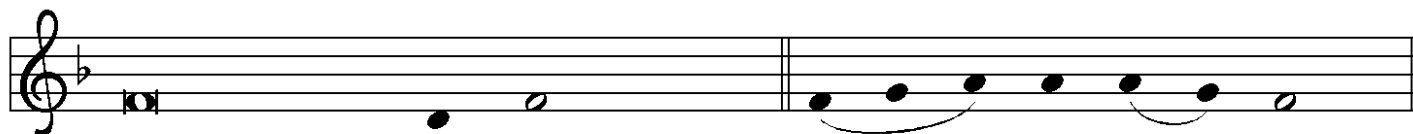
and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



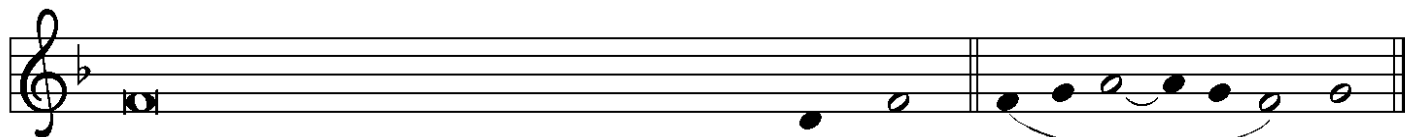
Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



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

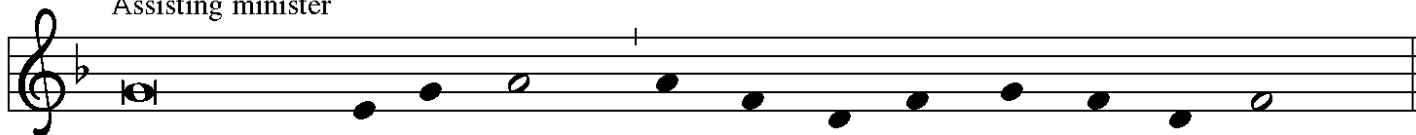


Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord. A - men.

GLORIA

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Assisting minister



Glory to God in the highest, 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.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

We pray together.

Almighty Creator and ever-living God: we worship your glory, eternal Three-in-One, and we praise your power, majestic One-in-Three. Keep us steadfast in this faith, defend us in all adversity, and bring us at last into your presence, where you live in endless joy and love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

We sit.

THE WORD

Proverbs 8:1-4

A reading from Proverbs.

- ¹Does not wisdom call,
and does not understanding raise her voice?
- ²On the heights, beside the way,
at the crossroads she takes her stand;
- ³beside the gates in front of the town,

at the entrance of the portals she cries out:
⁴“To you, O people, I call,
and my cry is to all that live.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Psalm 8

¹O LORD our Lord,
how majestic is your name in all the earth!
²*you whose glory is chanted above the heavens
out of the mouths of infants and children;
you have set up a fortress against your enemies,
to silence the foe and avenger.*
³When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, the
moon and the stars you have set in their courses,
⁴*what are mere mortals that you
should be mindful of them,
human beings that you should care for them?*
⁵Yet you have made them little less than divine;
with glory and honor you crown them.
⁶*You have made them rule over
the works of your hands;
you have put all things under their feet:*
⁷all flocks and cattle,
even the wild beasts of the field,
⁸*the birds of the air, the fish of the sea,
and whatever passes along the paths of the sea.*
⁹O LORD our Lord,
how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Romans 5:1-5

A reading from Romans.

¹Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ²through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. ³And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, ⁴and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, ⁵and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

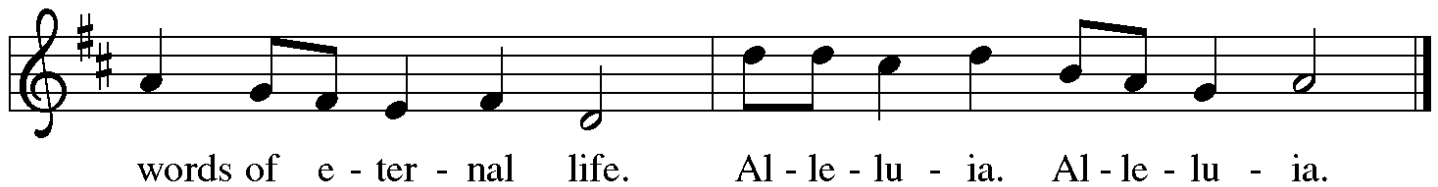
The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

We stand.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

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GOSPEL: John 16:12-15

The holy gospel according to St. John the 16th chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

[Jesus said,] ¹²“I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. ¹³When the Spirit of truth comes, he

will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. ¹⁴He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. ¹⁵All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.”

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

CHILDREN’S SERMON

hugs, kisses, chocolate

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Please pray with me the prayer of preparation.

Holy God, you have a word for me today. Make my heart soft and plant your word in me in order that it may bear fruit in your kingdom. Amen.

SERMON

We stand.

HYMN

Holy, Holy

Owens/CCLI #18792

C Em⁷/B Am⁷ C/G FM⁷ F⁶ G⁷ Dm Dm⁷

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly,
2 Gracious Fa - ther, gra - cious Fa - ther, we're so blest to be your
3 Pre - cious Je - sus, pre - cious Je - sus, we're so glad that you've re -
4 Ho - ly Spir - it, Ho - ly Spir - it, come and fill our hearts a -
5 Hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah, . . .

G⁷ C C⁷ F F/E Dm⁷ B⁷/D[#]

Lord God Al - might - y; and we lift our hearts be - fore you as a
chil - dren, gra - cious Fa - ther; and we lift our heads be - fore you as a
deemed us, pre - cious Je - sus; and we lift our hands be - fore you as a
new, . . . Ho - ly Spir - it; and we lift our voice be - fore you as a
. hal - le - lu - jah; and we lift our hearts be - fore you as a

Em Em⁷ Am Dm G⁷ F/C C

to - ken of our love, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly.
to - ken of our love, gra - cious Fa - ther, gra - cious Fa - ther.
to - ken of our love, pre - cious Je - sus, pre - cious Je - sus.
to - ken of our love, Ho - ly Spir - it, Ho - ly Spir - it.
to - ken of our love, hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah.

APOSTLES' CREED

Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith with the words of the 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

United in Christ and guided by the Spirit, we pray for the church, the creation, and all in need.

*After each petition: God of grace, **hear our prayer.***

God of every time and place, in Jesus' name and filled with your Holy Spirit, we entrust these spoken prayers and those in our hearts into your holy keeping. **Amen.**

PEACE

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

*The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace,
and may say, "Peace be with you," or similar words.*

We sit.

OFFERING

We give our monetary offering to support Christ's mission in this place and around the world in gratitude of God's amazing grace. You may contribute any time by visiting www.WeAreMtHermon.org and click on "On-line Giving." Thank you for your gifts and your stewardship.

ANTHEM

Sanctus

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We stand.

OFFERTORY

Father, I Adore You

Coelho/CCLI #26557

The musical notation is written on a single staff in 4/4 time. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes. Chords are indicated above the staff: F (first measure), Gm (second measure), C (third measure), F (fourth measure), Gm (fifth measure), and F (sixth measure). There are also first and second endings marked with '1*' and '2'. The lyrics are written below the staff, with three parts: 1. Fa - ther, 2. Je - sus, I a - dore you, lay my life be - fore you; how I love you.

1 Fa - ther,
2 Je - sus, I a - dore you, lay my life be -
3 Spir - it,

fore you; how I love you.

OFFERING PRAYER

We give thanks for these gifts and we pray together.

God of abundance:

you have set before us a plentiful harvest.

As we feast on your goodness,

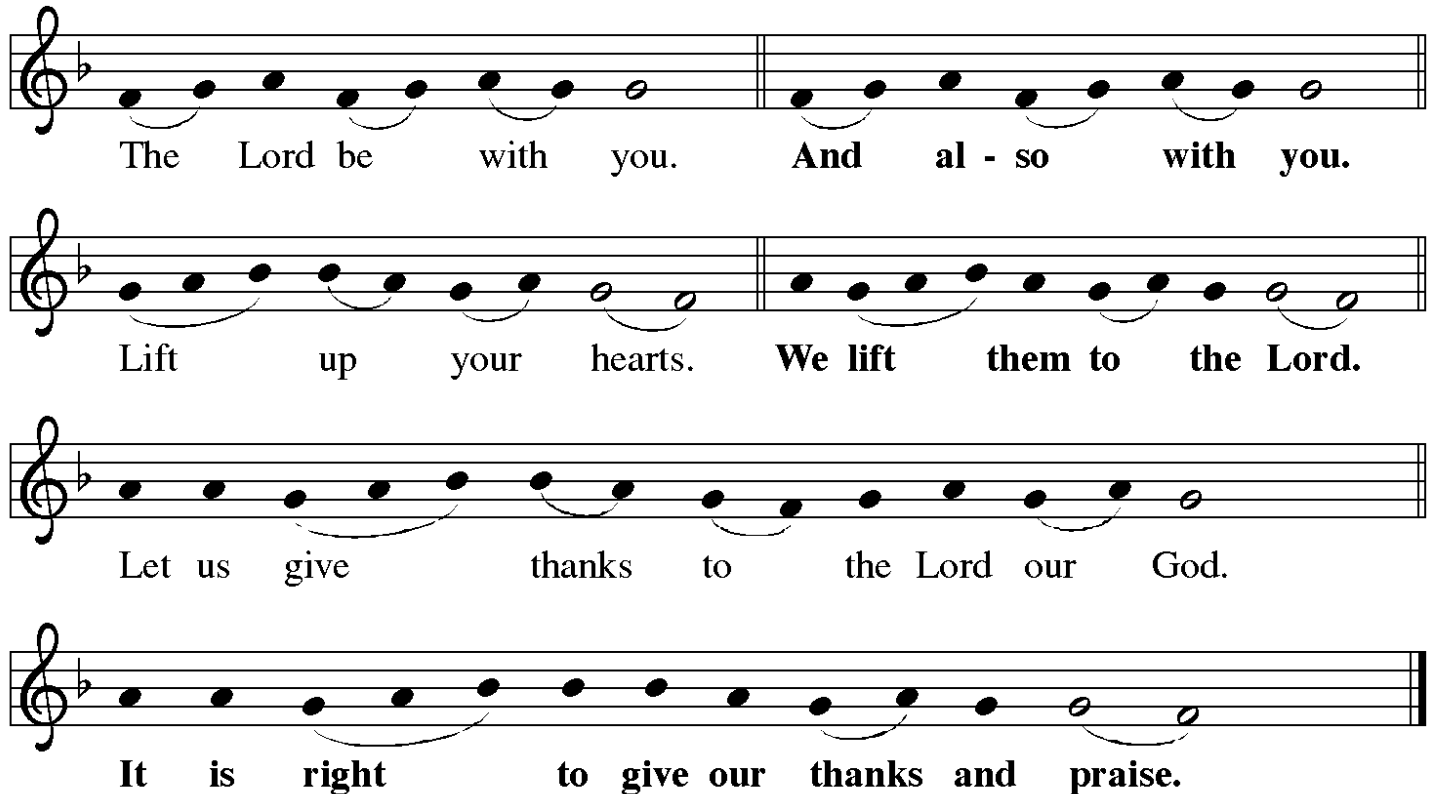
strengthen us to labor in your field,

and equip us to bear fruit for the good of all,

in the name of Jesus. Amen.

THE MEAL

Christ is truly present in the most ordinary and unexpected of places.



The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

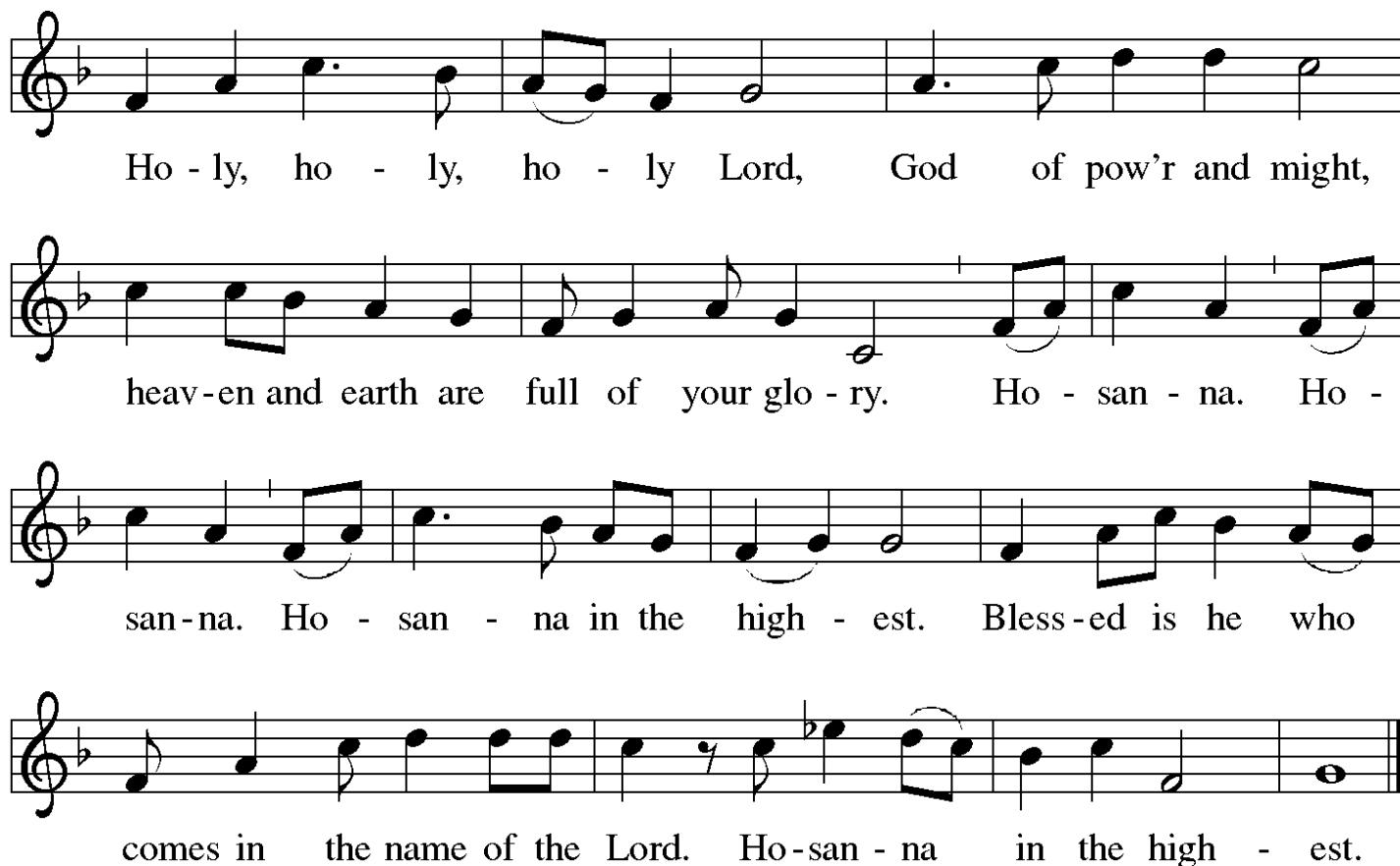
The musical notation consists of four staves, each with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The notes are mostly quarter and eighth notes, with some half notes. The lyrics are written below the notes, with some words hyphenated across bar lines.

PREFACE

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ. You reveal your glory as the glory of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit: equal in majesty, undivided in splendor, one Lord, one God, ever to be adored in your eternal glory. And so with all the choirs of angels with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

SANCTUS

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Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,
heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na. Ho -
san-na. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless-ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san - na in the high - est.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

In the night in which he was betrayed...

With this bread and cup, we remember our Lord's Passover from death to life as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

O God of resurrection and new life:

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us and on these gifts of bread and wine. Bless this feast. Grace our table with your presence. ***Come, Holy Spirit.***

Reveal yourself to us in the breaking of the bread.
Raise us up as the body of Christ for the world.
Breathe new life into us. Send us forth, burning with justice,
peace, and love. ***Come, Holy Spirit.***

With your holy ones of all times and places, with the earth
and all its creatures, with sun and moon and stars, we praise
you, blessed and holy Trinity, now and forever. ***Amen.***

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

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,

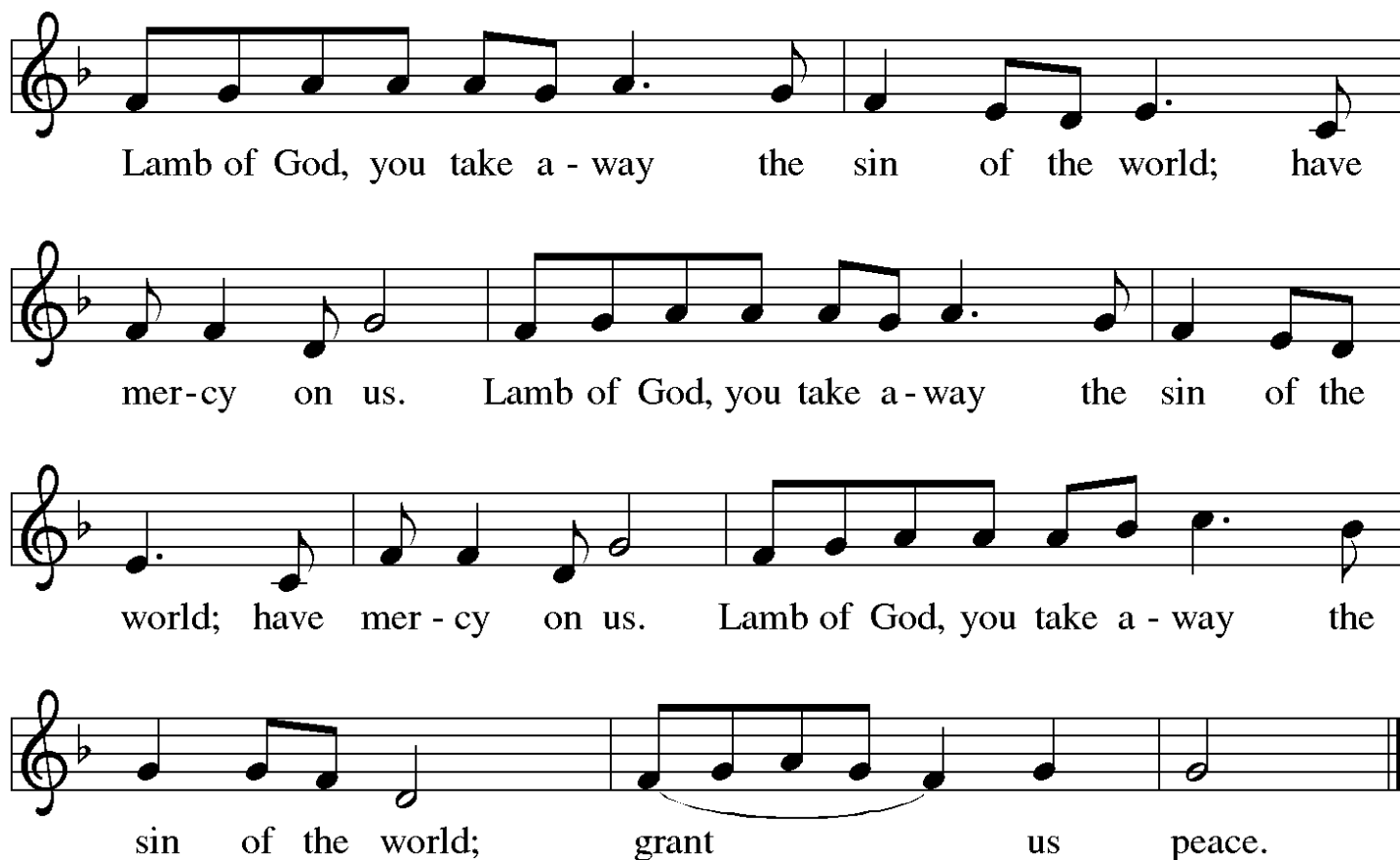
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power,

and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

AGNUS DEI

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Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the
sin of the world; grant us peace.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

In Christ's presence there is fullness of joy.
Come to the banquet.

COMMUNION

Please come forward to receive communion. Both sides will form a single line in the center aisle. You will receive the bread and then receive the wine or grape juice from the side in which you are seated. You may then return to your pews using the outside aisles. Please return to your pews for a time of prayer and meditation.

MUSIC

Let Us Break Bread Together
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POST COMMUNION BLESSING

May the Body and Blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ,
strengthen you and keep you in His grace. **Amen.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

We pray together.

Life-giving God,

*through this meal you have bandaged our wounds
and fed us with your mercy.*

Now send us forth to live for others,

both friend and stranger,

that all may come to know your love.

This we pray in the name of Jesus. Amen.

THE SENDING

BLESSING

The God of peace,

Father, ✠ Son, and Holy Spirit,

bless you, comfort you,

and show you the path of life

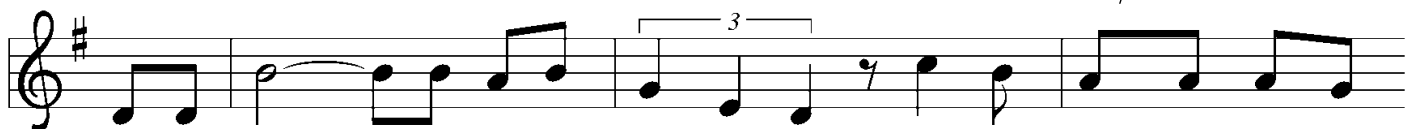
this day and always.

Amen.

HYMN

We Are Marching in the Light

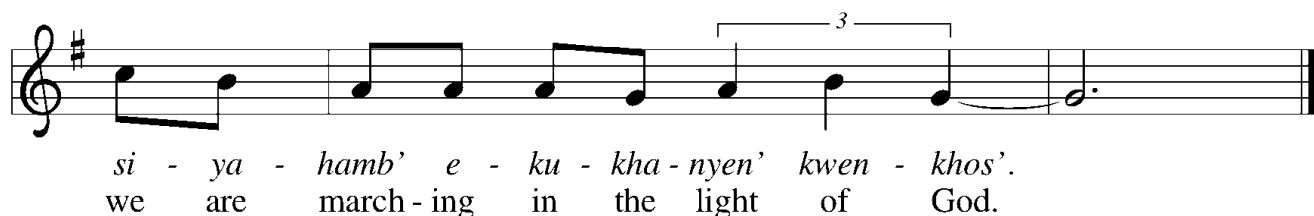
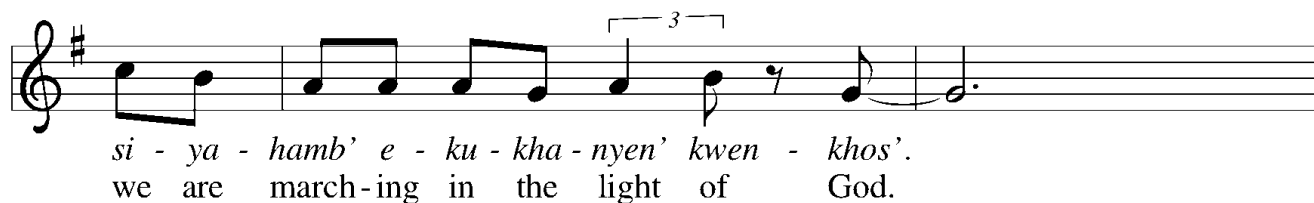
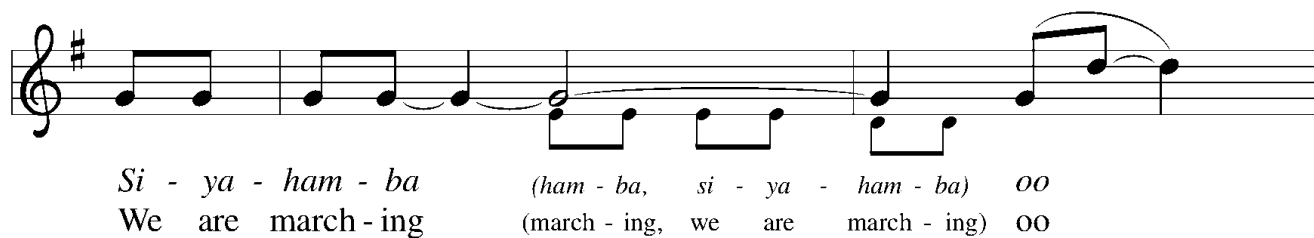
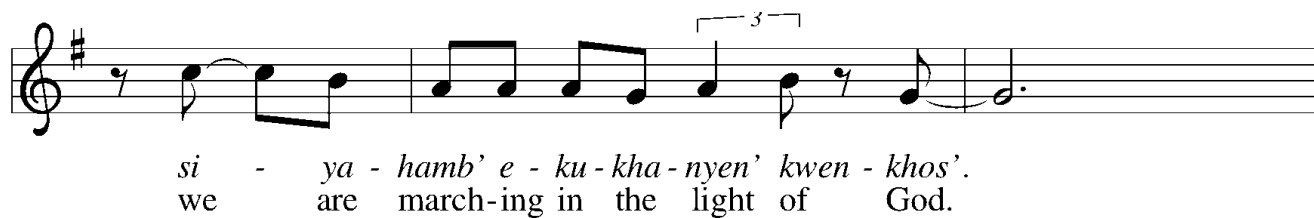
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Si - ya - hamb' e - ku - kha - nyen' kwen - khos', si - ya - hamb' e - ku - kha -
We are march - ing in the light of God, we are march - ing in the



nyen' kwen - khos'. *Si - ya - hamb' e - ku - kha - nyen' kwen - khos',*
light of God. We are march - ing in the light of God,



Additional stanzas ad lib.:

We are dancing ...

We are praying ...

We are singing ...

SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

We follow the light of Christ into the world.

We are God's people on a mission.

We have gathered. We have been fed.

Now, we go out to make a difference in the world. Amen.

As the cross passes your pew, turn and face the entrance of the sanctuary.

POSTLUDE

Prelude

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COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

The flowers on the altar are given in honor and in memory of what would have been our 60th wedding anniversary on June 16th by Ann Addy.

Join in the Fellowship Hall immediately following worship:



SC Synod convention begins today through Tuesday. Pastor Gina, Terry, and Allison Swygert will be attending on behalf of Mt. Hermon. Please pray for safe travels and a fruitful assembly as they meet in Charleston. Pastor Gina is available by phone or text.
803.951.3784

**I Live
to Tell
the STORY**

South Carolina Synod
Assembly 2022

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING NEEDED

Spring Cleaning?? Clearing Closets??

The Outreach Team is collecting donations for a Back to School Bash

NEEDED: Gently used or new CHILDREN'S clothing

SIZES: All children's sizes (4T & up, Youth, Juniors)

- T shirts
- Jeans
- Leggings
- Shorts
- Sneakers
- Coats/Jackets



**Donation boxes will be located at the Church Office
during May & June!**

***The Back to School Bash will benefit students in our community who lack basic needs as they return to school this August. More details to come!**



We Need Volunteers for VBS!

July 12 - 14

Let us know if you
can help with:

snack time
games
story time
crafts
science



Sign up sheets are in the breezeway

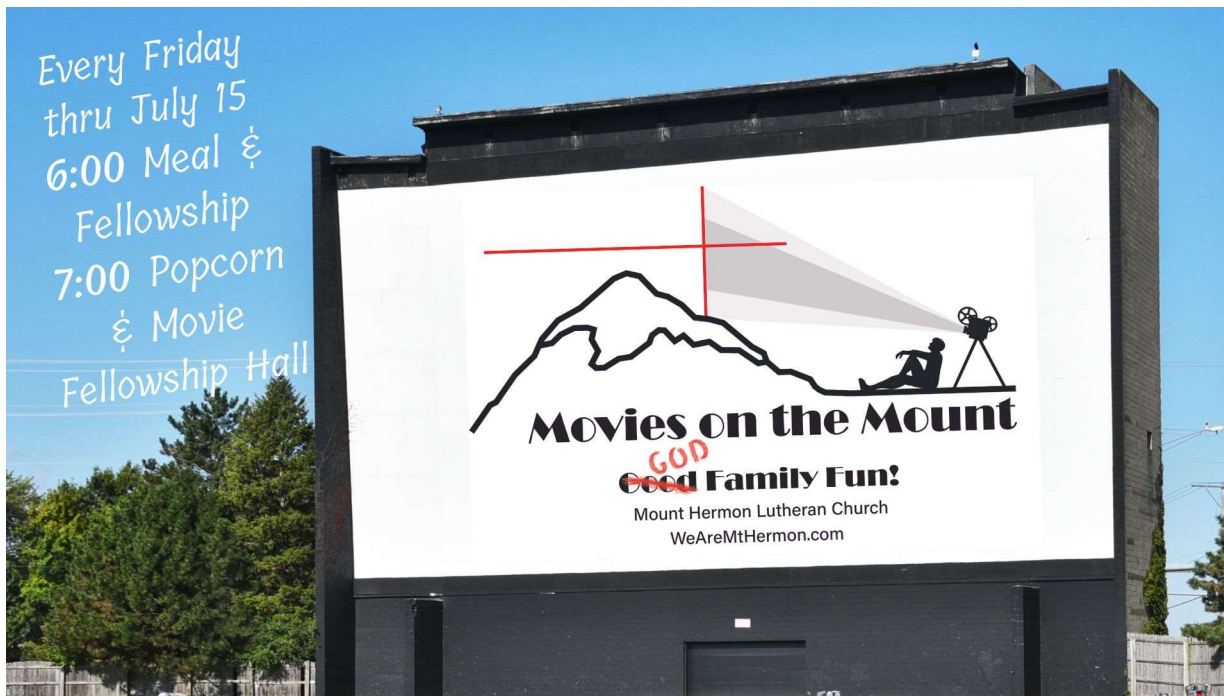
Hebrews 10:25 reads

“Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another-and all the more as you see the Day approaching.”



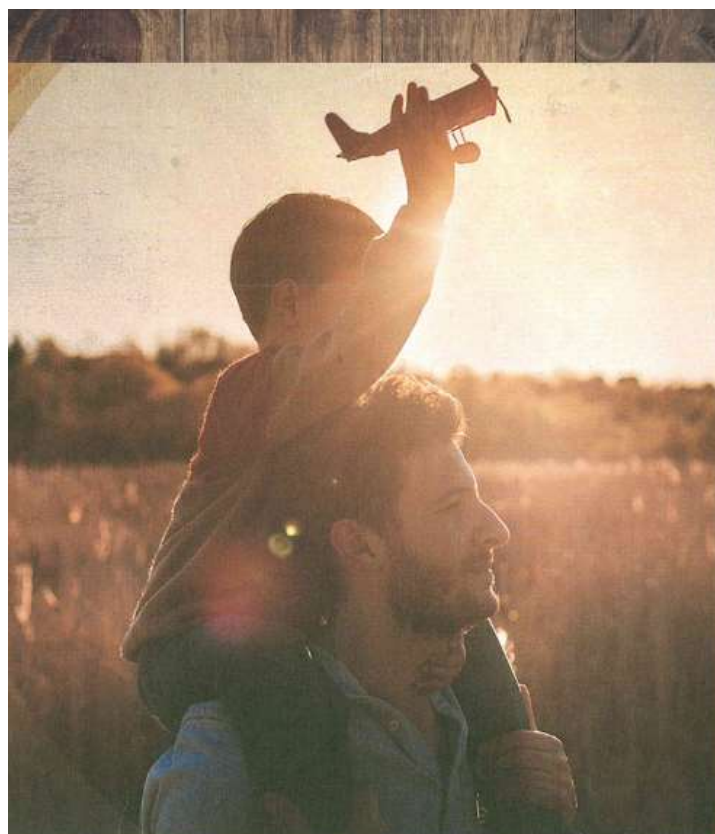
This is a great reminder that God calls us to gather in order to share our faith and strengthen and encourage one another in Christ. We do this through our He-Brews supper clubs. The remaining 2022 dates for He-Brews will be July 30th (sign up by July 24) and October 15th (sign up Oct 9). How do I participate? Sign-up on the sign-up sheet located in the breezeway or on-line. All participants will be divided randomly into small groups. A contact person will coordinate with their group to set a time and destination to meet for dinner. The groups will change for each date so that each time you meet you are with a different group of people.





Beginning at 6:00 each Friday:
Food & Fellowship on Fridays.

Beginning around 7:00 we will watch an episode of the Chosen and discussion will follow the movie.



Father's Day Bulletin

honariums &
memorials
are due

June 13

and will go to

*Lutheran Men's
Outreach Projects*

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

06/05/2022

In-person Worship 102 + Live Stream Worship 74 = 176

Current & Benevolent	Received	N/A
Building Fund	Received	N/A
Building Improvement	Received	N/A

Honorariums and Memorials

In memory of **Clifton Addy** by Barbara P. Corley, Terry & Allison Swygert, Cindy & Joel Price, Nancy & Jamie Addison, David & Debra Butts, Tom Roof, Linda Waters-Hamilton, Annie H Frazier, John & Jamie (Mathias) Brown, Ronnie & Debbie Fulmer, Carroll's Electric, Billie & Patricia Koefe, John & Marie Lewis, Wayne & Gail Buff.

In memory of **Hazel & Lyle Bockus** by Ann Addy, Linda Waters Hamilton, Ronnie & Debbie Fulmer.

Do you shop with Amazon? This is an opportunity for additional funds to support ministries at Mt. Hermon. Whenever you are making purchases on Amazon, use smile.amazon.com and put in **Mount Hermon Lutheran Church** and it will donate a percentage to Mt. Hermon or you can click on the link from our webpage www.WeAreMtHermon.com



SERVING IN WORSHIP

	Serving Today*	Next Sunday
Greeter:	Jenny Scott	Elyse & Aaron Kinard
Crucifer:	Sydney Bucknam	Quentin Kinard
Acolyte:	Mackenzie Burns	Sam Koon
Lector:	Sheila Eargle	Alyson Price
Communion Assts:	Hayden Eargle Danny Scott Frankie Jackson	Emily Morris Bonnie Bouknight Jennifer Miller
Flowers:	Ann Addy	Joel & Cindy/ Angie Hydrick

Serving in June

Council Representative: Earl Sease

Altar Guild: Earl & Mary Frances Sease

Tabulators: Ronnie Fulmer, Mary Price



MT HERMON PRAYS

Continual Prayers

Patricia Bachman, *Generations*
Alberta Berry, *home*
Nell Buff, *NHC*
Becky Koon, *Colonial Gardens*

Tom Roof, *home*
Cyndi Thurman, *Encompass*
Linda Waters-Hamilton, *home*

Members in Special Need of Prayer

Ann Addy	Kay Bryant	James Hallman	Jerry Ellisor
Angie Hydrick	Marie Kleckley	Jean Shealy	Jerry Price III
Gene Schofield	Jane Sexton	Suzie Wattenbarger	

Family and Friends Who Have Requested Prayers

Martha Eastwood, *sister of Marie Kleckley*
David Hydrick, *family of Angie Hydrick*
Charlotte & Paul Nelson, *friends of Herb Bucknam*
Bob Eastwood, *brother-in-law of Marie Kleckley*
Molly Kate Shealy, *friend of Jean Shealy*
Chuck Bachman, *nephew of Jean Shealy*
Dawn McIlwain-Merck, *friend of Robin Ellisor*
Gary & Linda Hodgins, *friends of Herb Bucknam*
Don Freeman, *friend of Marion & Cyndi Leaphart*
Jessica Drigger's mother, *friend of Denise Thurman*
Iris Wellborn, *sister of Earl Sease*
John Catoe, *family of Ellisors*
Dr. Kay Moore, *friend and co-worker of Cyndi Leaphart*
Cindy Maples, *mother of Jennifer Miller*
Lewis Turner, *friend of Jo Leach*
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Stan Weber, *husband of Debi Weber*
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*We always thank
GOD for all of you
and continually
mention you in
our prayers.*

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NEXT WEEK'S EVENTS

Sunday, June 19th

- 9:00 am Worship
- 10:30 am Sunday School

Monday, June 20th

- 9:30 am Staff Meeting
- 6:00 pm CR: Outreach Team

Wednesday, June 22nd

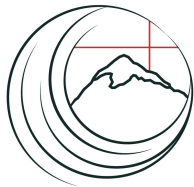
- 9:00 am Food Pantry (Fran Bouknight, Angie Hydrick)
- 10:00 am FH: EMS Meeting
- 12:05 pm One Body in Christ
- 6:30 pm Choir Rehearsal

Friday, June 24th

- 6:00 pm Food & Fellowship
- 7:00 pm Movie on the Mount (Fellowship Hall)

Saturday, June 25th

- 9:00 am Food Pantry (Koon Family)



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THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Sunday, June 12th Holy Trinity Sunday

9:00 am Worship
10:30 am Coffee, Food, & Fellowship
11:30 am Council Meeting

Sunday June 12 – Tuesday June 14: SC Synod Assembly

Monday, June 13th

9:30 am Staff Meeting
6:00 pm Lutheran Men & Women meet parking lot
7:00 om Lutheran Men & Women at Shealy's BBQ

Wednesday, June 15th

9:00 am Food Pantry (Annette Price, Ann Bouknight,
Sharon Keefe)
6:30 pm Choir Rehearsal

Friday, June 17th

6:00 pm Food & Fellowship
7:00 pm Movie on the Mount (Fellowship Hall)

Saturday, June 18th

9:00 am Food Pantry (Arron & Elyse Kinard)
10:00 am Little Lutherans