

# Fourth Sunday After Pentecost



Sunday, July 7, 2019  
Mt. Hermon Lutheran Church  
West Columbia, SC  
9:00am Worship

## 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.  
A nursery is provided for younger children should you want to use it at  
any time. If you would like to discuss discipleship at Mt. Hermon,  
Pastor Gina would love to speak with you!*

**Again welcome...**

**PRE-SERVICE**

*Tribute to America*

Hayes

## **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**.*

**PRELUDE**

*Here In America*

Mullins

*We are silent as we prepare our hearts for worship.*

## THE GATHERING

*We stand and face the baptismal font. All may make the sign of the cross, the sign  
marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.*

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God,  
who creates us and forms us,  
who redeems us and calls us,  
who unites us and sends us.

**Amen.**

*Please turn to face the cross at the door of the Fellowship Hall. As broken children,  
we begin worship by acknowledging our sinfulness and asking for God's forgiveness.*

## CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Gathered in God's presence, let us confess our sin.

*Silence for reflection and self-examination.*

Mighty and loving God,  
***we confess that we are captive to sin  
and cannot free ourselves.  
We seek our own way.  
We divide the body of Christ.  
In your mercy, cleanse us and heal us.  
Let the words of our mouths,  
the thoughts of our hearts,  
and everything that we do  
be filled with faith, hope, and love.  
Amen.***

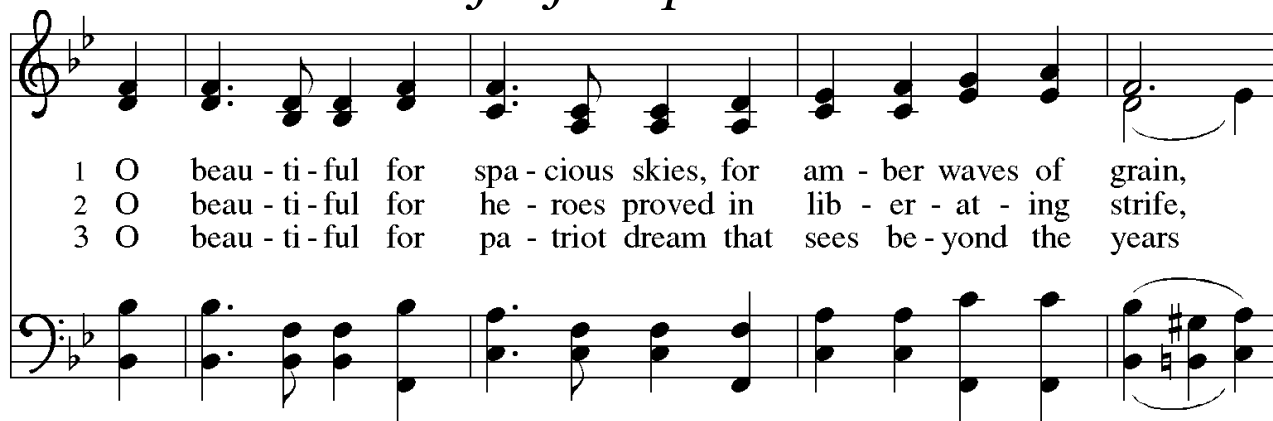
Hear the voice of Jesus:  
"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me  
to proclaim release to the captives."  
In the name of ✝ Jesus Christ,  
I proclaim to you that your  
sins are forgiven and you are released.  
The joy of the Lord is your strength,  
and the gifts of the Holy Spirit are yours forever.  
***Amen.***

*As the cross passes your seat, please turn your bodies and worship attention to the altar.*

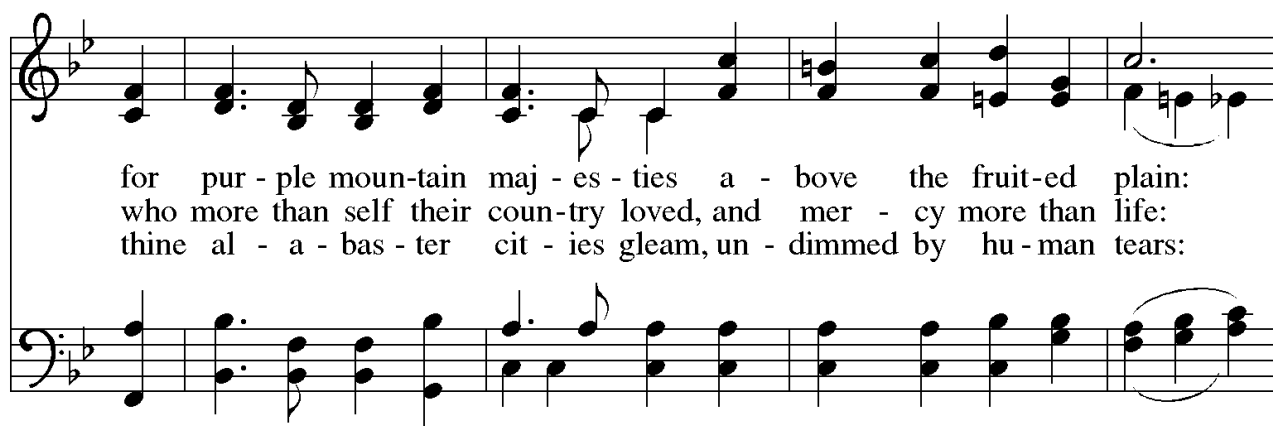
## HYMN

*O Beautiful for Spacious Skies*

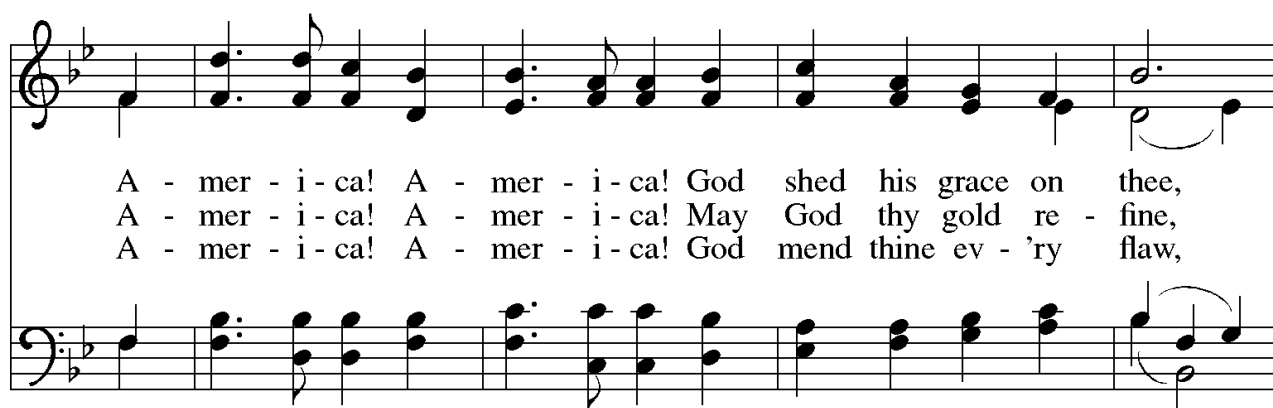
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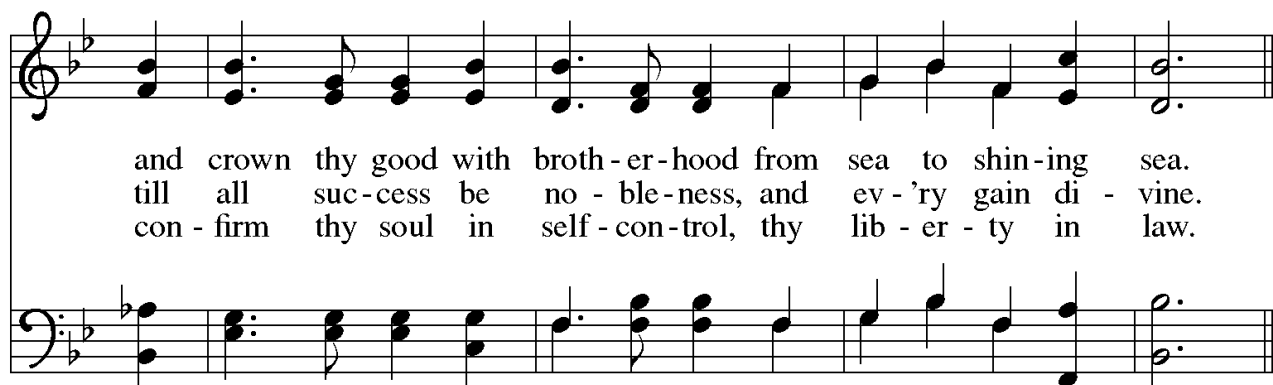
1 O beau - ti - ful for spa - cious skies, for am - ber waves of grain,  
2 O beau - ti - ful for he - roes proved in lib - er - at - ing strife,  
3 O beau - ti - ful for pa - triot dream that sees be - yond the years



for pur - ple moun-tain maj - es - ties a - bove the fruit-ed plain:  
who more than self their coun-try loved, and mer - cy more than life:  
thine al - a - bas - ter cit - ies gleam, un - dimmed by hu - man tears:



A - mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! God shed his grace on thee,  
A - mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! May God thy gold re - fine,  
A - mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! God mend thine ev - 'ry flaw,



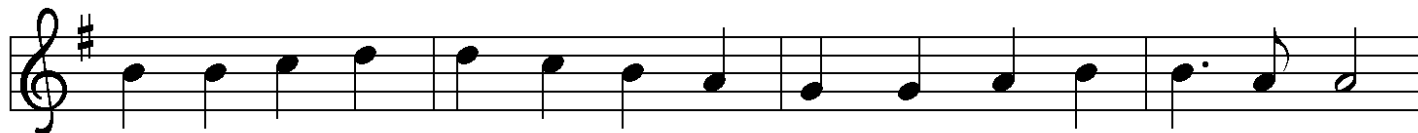
and crown thy good with broth - er-hood from sea to shin-ing sea.  
till all suc-cess be no - ble-ness, and ev - 'ry gain di - vine.  
con - firm thy soul in self - con-trol, thy lib - er - ty in law.

## 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.*

## CANTICLE OF PRAISE



- 1 Glo-ry be to God in heav-en; peace, good-will to all the earth.
- 2 Glo-ry be to Christ for - ev - er, Lamb of God and Lord of love.
- 3 Ho - ly One we now ac-claim you; Lord a - lone, to you we call;



Might-y God of all cre - a - tion, Fa - ther of sur - pass - ing worth:  
Son of God and gra-cious Sav - ior, you have come from heav'n a - bove;  
Ho - ly One in faith we name you, God most high, yet near to all:



we ex - alt you, we a - dore you, we lift high our thanks and praise.  
on the cross you died to save us; now you reign at God's right hand.  
Je - sus Christ, with God the Spir - it, in the Fa - ther's splen - dor bright.



Saints and an - gels bow be - fore you; here on earth our songs we raise.  
Hear our prayer; re - store, for - give us; in your prom - ise firm we stand.  
For the peace that we in - her - it, glo - ry be to God on high!

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

*We pray together.*

***O God, the Father of our Lord Jesus, you are the city that shelters us, the mother who comforts us. With your Spirit accompany us on our life's journey, that we may spread your peace in all the world, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.***

***Amen.***

*We sit.*

## THE WORD

### **READING: Isaiah 66:10-14**

*A reading from Isaiah.*

<sup>10</sup>Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her,  
all you who love her;  
rejoice with her in joy,  
all you who mourn over her—

<sup>11</sup>that you may nurse and be satisfied  
from her consoling breast;  
that you may drink deeply with delight  
from her glorious bosom.

<sup>12</sup>For thus says the LORD:

I will extend prosperity to her like a river,  
and the wealth of the nations like an overflowing stream;  
and you shall nurse and be carried on her arm,  
and dandled on her knees.

<sup>13</sup>As a mother comforts her child,  
so I will comfort you;  
you shall be comforted in Jerusalem.

<sup>14</sup>You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice;

your bodies shall flourish like the grass;  
and it shall be known that the hand of the LORD is with his  
servants,  
and his indignation is against his enemies.

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

**PSALMODY SONG**      *Hold Me Jesus*      Mullins

**READING: Galatians 6:[1-6] 7-16**

*A reading from Galatians.*

[<sup>1</sup>My friends, if anyone is detected in a transgression, you who have received the Spirit should restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness. Take care that you yourselves are not tempted. <sup>2</sup>Bear one another's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ. <sup>3</sup>For if those who are nothing think they are something, they deceive themselves. <sup>4</sup>All must test their own work; then that work, rather than their neighbor's work, will become a cause for pride. <sup>5</sup>For all must carry their own loads.

<sup>6</sup>Those who are taught the word must share in all good things with their teacher.]

<sup>7</sup>Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. <sup>8</sup>If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh; but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit. <sup>9</sup>So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up. <sup>10</sup>So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith.

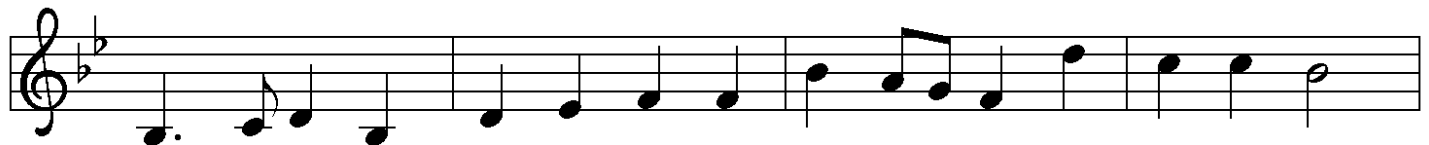
<sup>11</sup>See what large letters I make when I am writing in my own hand! <sup>12</sup>It is those who want to make a good showing in the flesh that try to compel you to be circumcised—only that they may not be persecuted for the cross of Christ. <sup>13</sup>Even the circumcised do not

themselves obey the law, but they want you to be circumcised so that they may boast about your flesh. <sup>14</sup>May I never boast of anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. <sup>15</sup>For neither circumcision nor uncircumcision is anything; but a new creation is everything! <sup>16</sup>As for those who will follow this rule—peace be upon them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God.

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

*We stand.*

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**



Al - le-lu - ia! Lord and Sav - ior: o - pen now your sav - ing word.



Let it burn like fire with - in us; speak un - til our hearts are stirred.



Al - le-lu - ia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

### **GOSPEL: Luke 10:1-11, 16-20**

The Holy Gospel according to Luke the 10<sup>th</sup> chapter.

***Glory to you, O Lord.***

<sup>1</sup>After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. <sup>2</sup>He said to them, “The harvest is plentiful, but the

laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. <sup>3</sup>Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. <sup>4</sup>Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. <sup>5</sup>Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this house!' <sup>6</sup>And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. <sup>7</sup>Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the laborer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. <sup>8</sup>Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; <sup>9</sup>cure the sick who are there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' <sup>10</sup>But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, <sup>11</sup>'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near.' "

<sup>16</sup>"Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me."

<sup>17</sup>The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!" <sup>18</sup>He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. <sup>19</sup>See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. <sup>20</sup>Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

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

*We sit.*

**CHILDREN'S SERMON**

## 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.***

## MESSAGE

*We stand.*

### HYMN

*Here I Am, Lord*

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|                                   |                                   |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 "I, the Lord of sea and sky,    | I have heard my peo - ple cry.    |
| 2 "I, the Lord of snow and rain,  | I have borne my peo - ple's pain. |
| 3 "I, the Lord of wind and flame, | I will tend the poor and lame.    |



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| All who dwell in dark and sin | my hand will save. |
| I have wept for love of them. | They turn a - way. |
| I will set a feast for them.  | My hand will save. |



|                                     |                                       |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| I, who made the stars of night,     | I will make their dark-ness bright.   |
| I will break their hearts of stone, | give them hearts for love a - lone.   |
| Fin-est bread I will pro-vide       | till their hearts be sat - is - fied. |



|                                 |                     |
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| Who will bear my light to them? | Whom shall I send?" |
| I will speak my word to them.   | Whom shall I send?" |
| I will give my life to them.    | Whom shall I send?" |

*Refrain*

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you  
 call-ing in the night. I will go, Lord, if you  
 lead me. I will hold your peo - ple in my heart.

## **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**

Trusting God's promise of new life, we pray for the renewal of the church, the world, and all of creation.

*After each petition:* Hear us, O God. ***Your mercy is great.***

*The Prayers conclude:*

Merciful God, you hear the prayers of your people even before they are spoken. We commend these and all our prayers to you, trusting in your abundant mercy; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. ***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.*

## **THE MEAL**

### **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 make a contribution any time by visiting ***www.mthlc.org*** and click on "On-line Giving." Thank you for your gifts and your stewardship.*

***Please take this time to complete the Friendship Registration Pads which are located on the first chair by the center aisle.***

### **OFFERING**

*Calling Out Your Name*

Mullins

# OFFERTORY

## *He Is Exalted*

W&P 55

### VERSE

F F/A B $\flat$  B $\flat$ /C C<sup>7</sup>

He is ex - alt - ed, the King is ex - alt - ed on \_ high, \_ I will praise \_ Him.

5 F F/A B $\flat$  C/B $\flat$  B $\flat$ /C C D<sup>sus</sup>

He is ex - alt - ed, for - ev - er ex - alt - ed, and I will praise His name! \_

### CHORUS

10 D Gm Dm/F C/E C F Am B $\flat$  F/A

\_ He is the Lord, \_ for - ev - er His truth shall reign.

15 Gm Dm/F C/E C F Am B $\flat$  F/A

Heav - en and earth \_ re - joice in His ho - ly name. \_

19 Gm B $\flat$ /F E $\flat$  B $\flat$ /C F

He is ex - alt - ed, the King is ex - alt - ed on high! \_

## OFFERING PRAYER

*We give thanks for these gifts and we pray together.*

***Risen One,***

***as you broke bread with the disciples on the shore,  
meet us now in this meal.***

***Nourish us to follow you,***

***using our gifts to feed the hungry  
and tend the weary,***

***and all for your love's sake. Amen.***

# GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

***And also 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.***

## 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, for the glorious resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ. Fulfilling the promise of the resurrection, you pour out your Spirit, uniting in one body, people of every nation and tongue. 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:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,



heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. 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, ho - san - na in the high - est.

## EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

In the night in which he was betrayed...

With this bread and cup, we remember our Lord's Passover from death to life and 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.***

All praise and glory are yours,  
Holy One of Israel, Word of God incarnate,  
Power of the Most High, one God, 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.***

## **INVITATION TO COMMUNION**

Come and taste and see that the Lord promises to accompany us in life.

*We sit.*

## **DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION**

*All are welcome to this Meal. The ushers will direct worshippers. Gluten-free wafers are also available. Those not communing, may cross their arms across their chest and come forward for a blessing. Those who desire communion but who are not able to come forward will be communed first in their chair.*

## **MUSIC DURING COMMUNION**

*Spirit of Gentleness*

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*Refrain*



Spir - it, Spir - it of gen-tle-ness, blow through the wil-der-ness



call-ing and free; Spir - it, Spir - it of rest-less-ness,



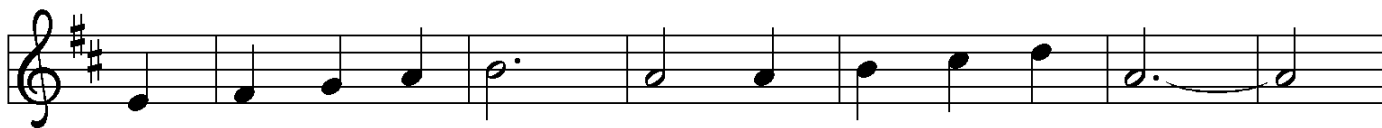
stir me from plac-id-ness, wind, wind on the sea.



- 1 You moved on the wa - ters, you called to the deep,
- 2 You swept through the des - ert, you stung with the sand,
- 3 You sang in a sta - ble, you cried from a hill,
- 4 You call from to - mor - row, you break an - cient schemes.



then you coaxed up the moun - tains from the val - leys of sleep;  
and you goad - ed your peo - ple with a law and a land;  
then you whis - pered in si - lence when the whole world was still;  
From the bond - age of sor - row all the cap - tives dream dreams;



and o - ver the e - ons you called to each thing:  
and when they were blind - ed with i - dols and lies,  
and down in the cit - y you called once a - gain,  
our wom - en see vi - sions, our men clear their eyes.



“A - wake from your slum - bers and rise on your wings.”  
then you spoke through your proph - ets to o - pen their eyes.  
when you blew through your peo - ple on the rush of the wind.  
With . . . bold new de - ci - sions your peo - ple a - rise.

*We stand.*

## **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.*

***Living God, you have greeted us in our brokenness  
and nourished us with the body of Christ, broken for us.  
Risen to new life with you, send us now to bear your  
healing love into the wounded world,  
in the name of our risen Savior and Lord. Amen.***

## THE SENDING

### BLESSING

The blessing of the living God,  
Father, † Son, and Holy Spirit,  
surround and sustain you,  
keep you from harm,  
and fill you with courage.

***Amen.***

*As the cross passes your seat, please turn and follow as we are sent into the world to  
proclaim the Gospel through our lives.*

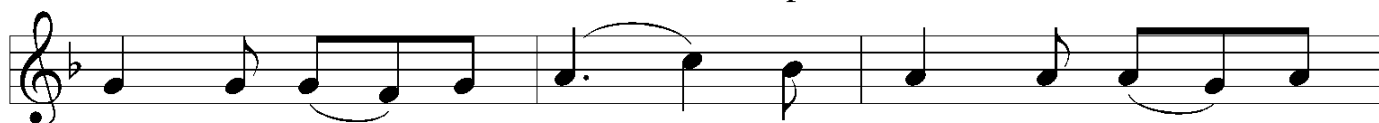
### HYMN

### *By Grace We Have Been Saved*

W&P 25



1 By grace we have been saved through faith and  
2 For all have sinned and fall - en short. God's  
3 God gave to earth a per - fect love through  
4 We know the wage of sin is death; thank  
5 Set free, we now have peace with God. Sal -

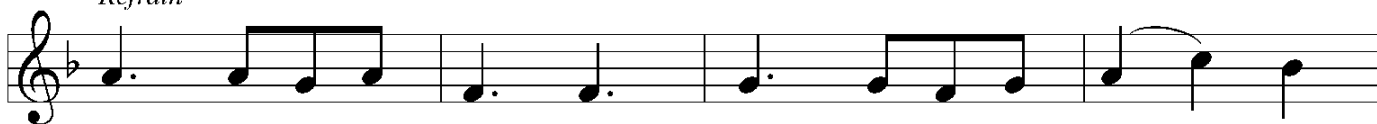


not by keep - ing law. God's saints be - lieved by  
plan, not one o - beyed. Christ has for all ful -  
Je - sus on the cross. While we were foes, Christ  
God, we shall re - vive. For just as Je - sus  
va - tion is se - cured. How beau - ti - ful the



what they heard and not by what they saw.  
filled the law. Be - lieve, con - fess, be saved.  
died for us. We gained by God's own loss.  
rose a - gain, we too are made a - live.  
feet of those who share this gos - pel word.

*Refrain*



Oh, how I love Je - sus! Oh, how I love Je - sus!



Oh, how I love Je - sus, be - cause he first loved me!

## DISMISSAL

You are the body of Christ raised up for the world.

Peace be with you. Christ is risen!

***Alleluia! Thanks be to God.***

## POSTLUDE

*Here In America (Reprise)*

Mullins

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## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

We welcome The Rev. Lance Henderson-Pastor of Our Saviour Lutheran Church to Mt. Hermon and would like to thank him for his message today.

The flowers are given today to the glory of God in memory of Clarice Scott on her birthday by Danny & Jenny Scott.



There are open dates for the upcoming Sundays:  
July 21<sup>st</sup>, August 25<sup>th</sup>, September 8<sup>th</sup> and September 15<sup>th</sup>.  
If you would like to place the flowers on the altar on any of  
these Sundays, please contact the church office.



Denali (translated “the tall one”), highest peak in North America, third highest peak in the world.  
20310 feet above sea level  
The name was officially changed from Mt. McKinley to Denali in August 2015.  
From our Alaska trip- Cyndi and Marion





Glaciers from the ship as we cruised through Glacier Bay



The top of Mt Rainier above the clouds (elevation 14,411 feet above sea level) as we flew out of SeaTac airport in Seattle.

*Photos sent in by Marion Leaphart & Cyndi Crolley*



Flowers



Pitcher Plant



Rolling & Billowing Clouds before a storm

*Photos sent in by Jo Leach*

**Tithes, and Offering for 06-30-19**  
**Attendance: Worship –89; Sunday School –51**

| <b>Current &amp; Benevolent</b> |            |          |            | Over/(Under) |
|---------------------------------|------------|----------|------------|--------------|
| Needed                          | \$4,074.75 | Received | \$3,803.75 | (\$271.00)   |

| <b>Building Improvement</b> |          |          |          |          |
|-----------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Needed                      | \$346.15 | Received | \$480.00 | \$133.85 |

| <b>Building on Holy Ground</b> |            |          |            |            |
|--------------------------------|------------|----------|------------|------------|
| Needed                         | \$1,646.15 | Received | \$1,485.00 | (\$161.15) |

**Honorariums and Memorials (all funds)**

In memory of our brother-in-law Dean Speed  
by Herb & Connie Bucknam

In memory of Lib Swygert  
by Suzie Wattenbarger



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3011 Leaphart Road

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[www.mthlc.com](http://www.mthlc.com) and select Online Giving  
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# WHO IS *my neighbor?*

Sunday, July 21<sup>st</sup>–Thursday, July 25<sup>th</sup>  
Meal 5:15 VBS 6:00 – 8:00  
Fellowship Hall

In the parable of the Good Samaritan, Jesus makes it clear that “neighbor” is a relationship made possible by God’s reconciling grace. In VBS, we will explore what it means to be a neighbor, that is, what it means to be in a relationship with the people God places in our midst, to both serve and be served by them.

We have many needs for VBS so please consider how you can be a good neighbor and help!

Contact Daryl Leigh Anthony @ 803-331-6178 or  
register on the church website using the VBS Registration Link.

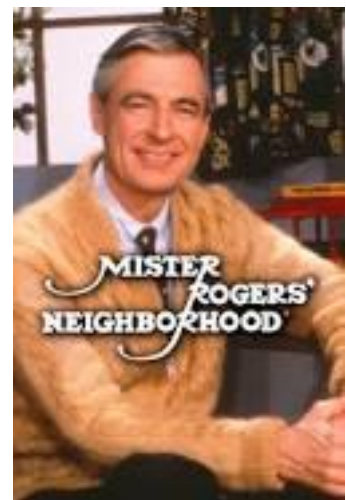
## **Adult Class during VBS.**

Pastor Gina will be presenting a bible study and discussion around the movie, Mister Rogers’ Neighborhood.

**“Snack Shack”** sign up table in office hallway!

Please sign up for your favorite snack...

Any questions, please contact Missy Addy.



## SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED



Some of our teaching groups have asked to be off for the summer so we are in need of teachers for the 4yr old – 1<sup>st</sup> grade and the 2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade classes. Please contact me if you are willing to help teach a few Sunday's this summer (through the end of August).

Daryl Leigh Anthony 803-331-6178

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**We are in need of nursery helpers during  
Sunday school,**

**10:15 - 11:15 am.**

If you are able to help, please give me a call or text  
me.

Daryl Leigh Anthony 803-331-6178

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## **Youth & Adult Service Opportunity July 14–19, 2019**

Join with church youth from around the Midlands in a  
week-long local service camp to go out and serve  
in the name of Christ!

# OUR CHURCH AT PRAYER

## ***Homebound and Care Facilities***

|                                           |                                     |
|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Nell Buff, <i>Home</i>                    | Margie Hook, <i>Home</i>            |
| Patricia Bachman, <i>Carolina Gardens</i> | Lois Watson, <i>Lexington Place</i> |
| Hazel Bockus, <i>Home</i>                 | Lena Wessinger, <i>Presby. Home</i> |
| Lynwood Crout, <i>Home</i>                | Connie Bucknam, <i>Home</i>         |

## ***Members in Special Need of Prayer***

|               |                       |                 |
|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Alberta Berry | Linda Waters-Hamilton | Tom & June Roof |
| Jim Whitaker  | Ernie Swygert         |                 |

## ***Family and Friends Who Have Requested Our Prayers***

Mary Frances Hamilton, *friend of congregation*  
Iris Wellborn, *sister of Earl Sease*  
Scott Coleman, *brother of Dennis Thurman*  
Jim & Vickie Burcham, *family of Dennis Thurman*  
W.A. "Buddy" Keller, *friend of Marion & Cyndi*  
Nellie Gantt, *mother of Mary Price*  
Jimmy Mills, *father of Tommy Mills*  
Sue Reeves, *friend of Dennis and Cyndi Thurman*  
Linda Rea, *friend of Marion & Cyndi*  
Jason Thurman, *son of Dennis & Cyndi Thurman*  
Richie Tallent, *friend of Danny Scott*  
Todd Hewitt, *friend of Missy Addy*  
Charlotte Martindle, *family of Kelli Mills*  
Kaiden Robinson, *friend of Kelli Mills*  
Mandy McLemore, *co-worker of Amanda Boyd, Kim Addy, & Alyson Price*  
Megan Sease, *granddaughter of Earl & Mary Frances*  
John Catoe, *family of Ellisors*  
Jenifer Gooding, *co-worker of Joel Price Jr. & Mary Price*  
Debbie Anderson, *daughter of Georgianna Gray*  
Dawn McIlwain-Merck, *friend of Robin Ellisor*  
Family of Dean Speed, *family of Herb and Connie Bucknam*

## **Serving Today\***

**Greeter:** Mary Frances Sease  
**Crucifer:** Perry Bouknight  
**Acolytes:** Mackenzie Burns

**Lector:** Trudy Bouknight  
**Communion Asst.**

Perry Bouknight  
Trudy Bouknight  
Angie Hydrick

### **Children's Sermon:**

Ruthie Brannen

**Nursery:** Grace Roof, Emily &  
Moises Arroyo

**Soloist:** Ryan Price

**Food Pantry:** July 10  
Becky Koon

## **Serving July 14<sup>th</sup>**

Jo Leach  
Skyler Miller  
Joshua Koon

Joey Koon

Skyler Miller  
Wynne Price  
Lynn Bouknight

Mary Koon  
Grace Roof, Brittany  
Allen, Alyson Price

July 17  
Diane Boulware

## **Serving in July\***

**Council Representative:** Ann Addy

**Altar Guild:** Ann Addy, Diane Boulware, Annette Price

**Tabulators:** Parker Boulware, Barbara Corley, Marie Kleckley,  
Alternate: Buddy Hydrick

**Ushers:** 7/7-7/28

Earl Sease, Tom Stahl, Jeff Price, Terry Swygert

*\* If you are unable to serve, please ask someone to cover for you and notify the church office of the change. If you have a responsibility in worship, please arrive no later than 8:45am*

## **NEXT WEEK'S EVENTS**

### **Sunday, July 14<sup>th</sup>**

- 9:00 am Holy Communion Worship
- 10:15 am Sunday School
- 12:00 pm Council Meets & Farming Church
- 3:00 pm Graceworks Kickoff

### **Tuesday, July 15<sup>th</sup>**

- Graceworks
- 1:00 pm Bulletin Information Due
- 6:30 pm Outreach Team Meeting – Conference Room

### **Wednesday, July 16<sup>th</sup>**

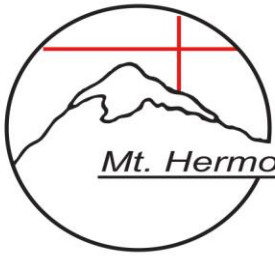
- Graceworks
- 6:30 pm Chancel Choir

### **Thursday, July 17<sup>th</sup>**

- Graceworks

### **Friday, July 18<sup>th</sup>**

- Graceworks



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### **CONGREGATIONAL OFFICERS**

President, *Terry Swygert*

Vice President, *Ronnie Fulmer*

Secretary, *Alyson Price*

Treasurer, *Parker Boulware/Emily Morris*

Financial Secretary, *Annette Price*

Sextons, *Ricky Bouknight, Allison & Terry Swygert*

## **THIS WEEK'S EVENTS**

### **Sunday, July 7<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 am Holy Communion Worship

10:15 am Sunday School

### **Tuesday, July 9<sup>th</sup>**

1:00 pm Bulletin Information Due

### **Wednesday, July 10<sup>th</sup>**

5:30 pm Executive Committee Meeting

6:30 pm Chancel Choir