

# MOE PARISH WORSHIP

## September 3, 2023

### Prelude Music

### Welcome & Announcements

### Opening Prayer & Invocation

#### Hymn “Break Thou the Bread of Life” (Trinity #274)

1. Break Thou the Bread of Life, Dear Lord to me,  
As Thou didst break the loaves beside the sea.  
Beyond the sacred page, I seek you, Lord;  
My spirit waits for you, O living Word.
2. Bless Thou the truth, dear Lord, To me, to me,  
As Thou didst blest the bread by Galilee.  
Then shall all bondage cease, all fetters fall;  
And I shall find my peace, My All-in-All.
3. Thou art the bread of life, O Lord, to me,  
Thy holy Word the truth that rescues me.  
Give me to eat and live, With Thee above;  
Teach me to love Thy truth, For Thou art love.
4. Oh, send Thy Spirit, Lord, Now unto me,  
That He may touch my eyes and make me see.  
Show me the truth concealed, within Thy Word,  
And in Thy book revealed, I see my Lord.

#### Confession of Sins

**ALL: Almighty and Everlasting Father, We come before you to seek your mercy and grace. We have sinned against you, and against others with wrong attitudes of selfishness and pride. We have not obeyed you completely and so have broken your Holy Law. Grant us forgiveness, for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Create in us a clean heart, that we might serve you in righteousness and holiness. In Jesus' Name, Amen.**

**First Lesson Isaiah 55:1-7** 1 "Ho! Everyone who thirsts, Come to the waters; And you who have no money, Come, buy and eat. Yes, come, buy wine and milk Without money and without price. 2 Why do you spend money for what is not bread, And your wages for what does not satisfy? Listen carefully to Me, and eat what is good, And let your soul delight itself in abundance. 3 Incline your ear, and come to Me. Hear, and your soul shall live; And I will make an everlasting covenant with you-- The sure mercies of

David. 4 Indeed I have given him as a witness to the people, A leader and commander for the people. 5 Surely you shall call a nation you do not know, And nations who do not know you shall run to you, Because of the Lord your God, And the Holy One of Israel; For He has glorified you. 6 Seek the Lord while He may be found, Call upon Him while He is near. 7 Let the wicked forsake his way, And the unrighteous man his thoughts; Let him return to the Lord, And He will have mercy on him; And to our God, For He will abundantly pardon.

**Second Lesson 2 Corinthians 4:16-18** 16 Therefore we do not lose heart. Even though our outward man is perishing, yet the inward man is being renewed day by day. 17 For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, is working for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory, 18 while we do not look at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen. For the things which are seen are temporary, but the things which are not seen are eternal.

#### Children's Lesson

**Passing of the Peace (Greet as you are comfortable)**

#### Gospel Matthew 13:24-30

**Sermon “Scattered to Shine” Matthew 13:24-30 Pastor Chris**

**Apostles' Creed** I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. 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. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

#### Words of Institution and Holy Communion

#### **Offering Hymn “Beautiful Savior” (Tune is Hymn # 88)**

1. Beautiful Savior, King of Creation,  
Son of God and Son of Man!  
Truly I'd love Thee, Truly I'd serve Thee,  
Light of my soul, my joy, my crown.
2. Fair are the meadows, Fair are the woodlands,  
Robed in flow'rs of blooming spring;  
Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer,  
He makes our sorrowing spirit sing.

**3.** Fair is the sunshine, Fair is the moonlight,  
Bright the sparkling stars on high;  
Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer,  
Than all the angels in the sky.

**4.** Beautiful Savior, Lord of the nations  
Son of God and Son of Man!  
Glory and honor, Praise, adoration,  
Now and forevermore be Thine!

### **Prayers and The 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.

### **Benediction**

**THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR:** Sep. 3<sup>rd</sup>-Sep. 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023

**TODAY:** Holy Communion

8:30 a.m. Outdoor Worship-Moe Parish Prayer Garden

10:30 a.m. Parish Worship at Trinity

**MON:** Labor Day

**WED:** 7:00 p.m. Parish Council at Lands

**SUN:** Sep. 10<sup>th</sup> FALL SCHEDULE BEGINS

8:30 a.m. Worship at Lands

9:45 a.m. Parish Sunday School at Romsdal

9:45 a.m. Adult Bible Study at Romsdal and Lands

11:00 a.m. Worship at Romsdal

### **Please remember in prayer**

Marlys Anderson, Sue Sandvig, Orville & Carol Sorlie, Allen  
Perry, Cliff Sorum, Gary Johnson, Lynn Rodway, nursing  
homes, hospitals, schools, and all those who are mourning the  
loss of loved ones.

**Thank you** to all of you who supported the mission of serving  
The Banquet last Wednesday evening. Your prayers, financial  
support, and volunteering to prepare/serve were all greatly  
appreciated. Approximately 357 guests were served.

**Our Daily Bread** devotional booklets are now available for  
September/October/November. Copies are at each church.



## **Moe Parish Worship Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost Outdoor Worship Trinity Lutheran Church September 3, 2023**

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