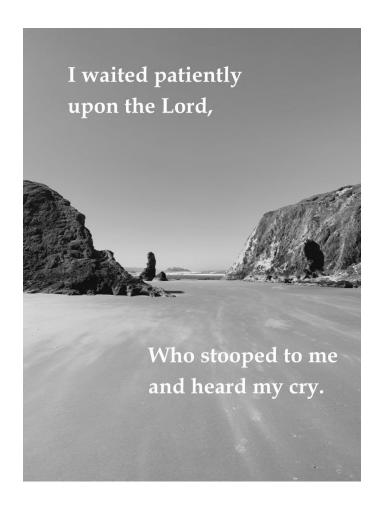
# June 30, 2019 Third Sunday after Pentecost 9:30 am





# FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

# STATEMENT OF WELCOME

We, the community of First Lutheran Church of Bothell, proclaim the message that the grace of our Lord is infinitely inclusive and that everyone is welcome. We believe that Christ calls us to reconciliation and wholeness in a world of alienation and brokenness.

As a Reconciling in Christ congregation and as disciples of Christ seeking justice and reconciliation among all peoples, we at First Lutheran Church welcome all into the fullness of God's love. We welcome everyone, without exception and regardless of sex, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, physical and mental ability, age, or station in life. We recognize that each person is a unique creation of God, and through grace, a child of God.

All are welcome at First Lutheran.

All are welcome to worship, to hear the Good News, to receive the sacraments, and to share in fellowship and service. As members of First Lutheran Church, we pledge ourselves and our congregation to exercise our faith in Christ, treasuring one another's similarities while embracing our Godgiven differences. We pledge that we will strive to live as a reconciling people, in our life together and in our outreach to the world.

# **Pastor**

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#### WORSHIP NOTES

- + Please sign the white card in the pew rack and hand it to an usher on your way forward for Holy Communion.
- + The service is printed in this bulletin. Some hymns are located in the red hymn book.
- Hearing enhancement receivers, large print bulletins are available. Feel free to ask an usher for assistance.
- + Our expectation is that children will be in worship. We understand, though, that there are times when your wiggly ones need a distraction. There is a "Pray Space" under the stairs in the inner narthex with soft toys and books. If you desire the nursery ask an usher for directions.
- + Public Wi-Fi password: MartyLuther.
- + If you would like to have a digital copy of the bulletin, go to our website and download the PDF. www.flcbothell.org

# Assisting With Today's Service: Presiding Minister: Rev. Tor K. Berg

Music Director	Lucy Kay Osborne	Ushers	Dave Richards & Carsten Thode
Piano (anthem)	June Condra	Lector	Trudy Eichelsdoerfer
Guitar	Connie Wolter	Greeter	Alain Adjorlolo
Percussion	Trent DeVerter	Sound Tech	Andrew Phelps
Ensemble	June Condra, Bob Berg, Doug Peterson & Randall Wampler	Communion Assistants	Kris Linderoth & Roger Wolter
Flute	Cheryl Miller	Pew Angel	Marcus Hodges

#### **GATHERING**

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

PRELUDE: Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus (P. Manz)

#### WELCOME

GATHERING SONG: O Beautiful for Spacious Skies (ELW 888)



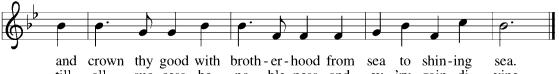
- 1 O beau-ti-ful for spa-cious skies, for am ber waves of grain,
- 2 O beau-ti-ful for he roes proved in lib er at ing strife,
- 3 O beau-ti-ful for pa triot dream that sees be-yond the years



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 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**

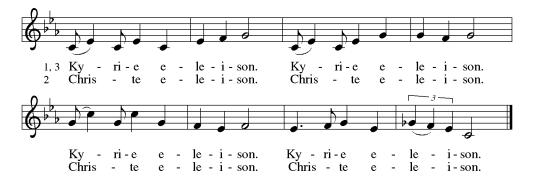
The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.** 

# PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray.

O most loving God, you want us to give thanks for all things, to fear nothing except losing you, and to lay all our cares on you, knowing that you care for us. Grant that fears and anxieties in this mortal life may not hide from us the light of your immortal love shown to us in your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

# **KYRIE**



#### 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.



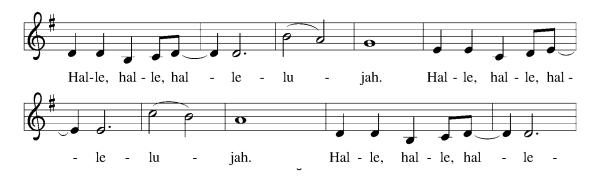
Saints and an - gels bow be - fore you; here on earth our songs we raise. Hear our prayer; re - store, for - give us; in your prom - ise firm we stand. For the peace that we in - her - it, glo - ry be to God on high!

# ANTHEM: Cheryl Miller Flute, June Condra, Piano

# **WORD**

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

# WELCOMING THE WORD Halle, Halle, Hallelujah





# THE WORD: Psalm 40:1-10

<sup>1</sup>I waited patiently upon the LORD, who stooped to me and heard my cry.

<sup>2</sup>The LORD lifted me out of the desolate pit, out of the miry clay, and set my feet upon a high cliff, making my footing sure.

<sup>3</sup>The LORD put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God; many shall see, and stand in awe, and they shall trust the LORD.

<sup>4</sup>Happy are they who put their trust in the LORD!

They do not turn to enemies or to those who follow lies.

<sup>5</sup>Great are the wonders you have done, O LORD my God! In your plans for us, none can be compared with you!

Oh, that I could make them known and tell them! But they are more than I can count.

<sup>6</sup>Sacrifice and offering you do not desire;

you have opened my ears: burnt-offering and sin-offering you have not required.

 $^{7}$ And so I said, "Here I am; I come.

In the scroll of the book it is written of me:

<sup>8</sup>'I love to do your will, O my God; your law is | deep within me."

<sup>9</sup>I proclaimed righteousness in the great assembly;

I have not restrained my lips, O LORD, you know.

<sup>10</sup>I have not hidden your righteousness in my heart; I have spoken of your faithfulness and our deliverance;

I have not concealed your steadfast love and truth from the great assembly.

Word of God.

Word of life.

CHILDREN'S SERMON: Roger Steinke, Director of REACH Ministries

**SERMON** 

# HYMN OF THE DAY: Here I Am, Lord (ELW 574)



# AN AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

We are not alone, we live in God's world.

We believe in God:

who has created and is creating,

who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new,

who works in us and others by the Spirit.

We trust in God.

We are called to be the Church:

to celebrate God's presence,

to live with respect in Creation,

to love and serve others,

to seek justice and resist evil,

to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us.

We are not alone. Thanks be to God.

# PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Joining our voices with God's people around the world, let us offer our prayers for those in need.

For all followers of Christ; for the church and its ministers; and for the mission of the gospel, that all will know the gifts of the Holy Spirit, let us pray. **Have mercy**, **O God**.

For the wilderness and deserts; for the rain forests and tundra; for native lands and farmland; and for all who tend the land, that God's mighty work be seen in all creation, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

For those who govern in Canada and the United States; for those responsible for peace among people and nations; and for those who strive for freedom, that all are guided by Christ's commandment to love our neighbors as ourselves, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

For refugees in need of protection; for the homeless in need of shelter; for those who work in the summer's heat; for those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit, especially, Dennis, that God provide compassionate advocates and skilled medical professionals to aid them, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

For those who travel this summer; for those celebrating significant events in their lives; and for this community of faith, that the love of Christ be present in our joy and pleasure, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

For whom do the people pray?

In thanksgiving for those who now rest in the hope of the resurrection, that with them we receive assurance that God does not abandon us in any time or place, let us pray. We especially remember Margie.

Have mercy, O God.

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.

# CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Seeking reconciliation with God and neighbor, let us remember the gift of baptism and confess our sin.

Silence for self-reflection.

God of mercy,

we confess that we have sinned against you, against one another, and against the earth entrusted to our care. We are worried and distracted by many things, and we fail to love you above all else. We store up treasures for ourselves and turn away from our neighbors in need. Forgive us, that we may live in the freedom of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

When we were laid low by sin and guilt, God made us alive together with Christ, forgiving us all our trespasses by taking our sins to the cross. For freedom Christ has set us free: Rejoice in this good news!

Amen.

# **PEACE**

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

#### MFAI

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

OFFERTORY: God of Our Fathers (M. McDonald)

# OFFERING: Take My Life, That I May Be (ELW 583)



# **OFFERING PRAYER**

Let us pray.

Blessed are you, O God, for the greening earth given for all, for the talents we are given to share, and for this bread and wine. Transform us to be the body of Christ, that, feasting on this food and drink, our lives may reflect your generosity; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

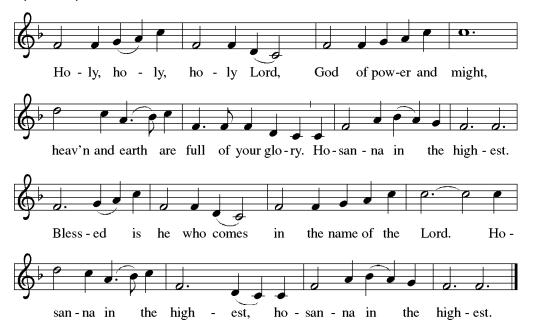
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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. 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:

# HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



# THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

Holy God, our Maker, Redeemer, and Healer, in the harmonious world of your creation, the plants and animals, the seas and stars were whole and well in your praise.

When sin had scarred the world, you sent your Son to heal our ills and to form us again into one.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

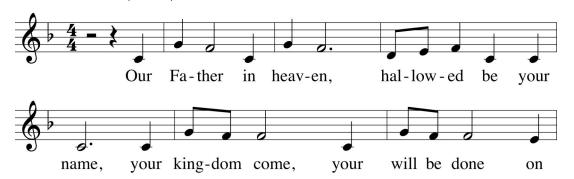
Remembering, therefore, his acts of healing, his body given up, and his victory over death, we await that day when all the peoples of the earth will come to the river to enjoy the tree of life.

Send your Spirit upon us and this meal: as grains scattered on the hillside become one bread, so let your Church be gathered from the ends of the earth, that all may be fed with the Bread of life, your Son.

Through him all glory and honor is yours, Almighty Father, with the Holy Spirit, in your holy Church, both now and forever.

# LORD'S PRAYER (HAAS)

Amen





# INVITATION TO COMMUNION

God invites you to this table of bounty. Come, the banquet is ready.

**COMMUNION:** We will receive the body of Christ as gluten-free bread with these or similar words: The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ will be received as either red wine or white grape juice with these or similar words: The blood of Christ, shed for you.

WHO MAY COMMUNE? All are welcome at the Lord's Table. It is a free gift given to all for the forgiveness of sins. The words "for you" really mean FOR YOU! Children may commune at the discretion of their parents. If you wish to receive a blessing: cross your arms over your chest as a sign for the communion assistants.

**DIRECTIONS FOR COMMUNION:** Please come forward by the center aisle at the direction of the ushers to receive the sacrament and return to your seat down the side aisle. Please register each person taking communion on a pew card.

# AGNUS DEI: Lamb of God: Your Only Son (ELW 336)



# **COMMUNION HYMNS:**

Let Us Break Bread Together (ELW 471) Here Is Bread (ELW 483)

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Let us pray.

O God, in this holy communion you have welcomed us into your presence, nourished us with words of mercy, and fed us at your table. Amid the cares of this life, strengthen us to love you with all our heart, serve our neighbors with a willing spirit, and honor the earth you have made; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### **SENDING**

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **BLESSING**

Live your lives in Christ, rooted and built up in him, and abound in thanksgiving; and the blessing of the holy Trinity, one God, be upon you and remain with you forever.

Amen.

# SENDING SONG: Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory (ELW 890)



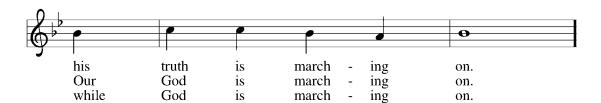
- 1 Mine eyes have seen the glo ry of the com ing of the Lord; 2 He has sound - ed forth the trum - pet that shall nev - er call re - treat;
- 3 In the beau ty of the lil ies Christ was born a cross the sea,



he is tram-pling out the vin-tage where the grapes of wrath are stored; he is sift-ing out the hearts of men be-fore his judg-ment seat. with a glo-ry in his bos-om that trans-fig-ures you and me.



he has loosed the fate - ful light-ning of his ter - ri-ble swift sword: Oh, be swift, my soul, to an - swer him; be ju - bi-lant, my feet! As he died to make men ho - ly, let us live to make men free,







# **DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Christ is sending you.

Thanks be to God.

# **POSTLUDE:**

# July 7, 2019 Fourth Sunday after Pentecost Genesis 33:1-12

# **Weekly Financial Report**

June 23, 2019 Attendance: 138

General Offerings:\$5,714 Mortgage Fund:\$625

**Amount needed per Sunday:** 

**General Offerings:** \$9,907 **Mortgage Fund:** \$1,098

#### IN OUR PRAYERS

Prayers of sympathy for Jerry and Cindy Bannister and family in the death of Jerry's mother, Marjory Bannister on June 20th, and prayers of thanksgiving for the birth of their fourth grandchild, Frances Marie Knox to Kelsey & Chris Knox on June 21st in Williston, ND.

#### **Our Ministry Partners:**

Lutheran Disaster Response, Lutheran Immigration & Refugee Services, Lutheran Counseling Network, Lutheran World Relief, Northwest Washington Synod

#### Those living with cancer:

Juanita (Bonnie & Bob Ahlstedt's sister-in-law), Barbara (Clint Bastin's mother), Richard (Sherrill Baker's uncle), Donna (Del Benson's friend), Joyce (David Osborne's aunt), Cynthia (Ginny & Jim Conricode's sister-in-law), Patricia (Stephanie Almeida's aunt), Linda (Paul Ehe's mother), Russel (Karey Coble's cousin), Edith Holbrook (member), Susan (Cathy Tanner's friend), Richard (Ruth Neitzel's brother), Aly (David Osborne's niece), Pam (Marlis Pehling's niece), Don (Doug Peterson's brother), Mary Beth (Cathy Tanner's friend), Rita (Ruth Neitzel's sister), Teresa (Michelle Tuck's friend), Roger (Michelle Tuck's brother-in-law), Tim (Neil McGee's friend), Ted (Sue Toyoda's friend), Kip (Paul Desilet's uncle), Joanne (Carolyn Becker's sister-in-law) & Clara (Pat Daane's cousin).

#### Those who are ill, have an injury or who are recovering from surgery:

Jeff Almeida (Stephanie Almeida's husband), Cameron Anderson (former member), Marilyn Anderson (member), Paul Anderson (member), Ashley (Chris Martin & Tom Agnew's friend), Iris (Nancy Funsinn's granddaughter), Janice (frequent visitor), Lou (Cathy Edwards' friend), Katie (Darlene Robare's granddaughter), Nancy Davis (member), Henry (Beth Bowers' firend), Jay (Pat Daane's cousin), Judy (Judy Richards' friend), Marcie (Dan Hendricks' friend), Karen (Darlene Robare's daughter), Sherri Gordon (member), Barb (Stacy Souriall's friend), Jackie (Stacy & Mike Souriall's friend), Ryan (Cathy Edwards' grandson), Dorothy (Johannes Skjonsby's mother), Lorretta Rapp (member), Dennis Shogren (Dave Shogren's brother), Terry Straka (member), Lola (Bob Berg's aunt), Sadako (Sue Toyoda's mother-in-law), Darlene (Andrea Faubion's mother), Zoe (Ian Anderson's sister), & Harriet (Eleanor Walters' mother)

#### Those who are homebound or in extended care facilities:

Margie Bannister (member), Phyllis Enger (member), Lillian & Lawrence (Leon Romaniuk's parents), Fran Tazuma (member), Sigrid (Carsten Thode's mother) & Phyllis Watters (member).

#### Please remember to pray for peace in these war torn areas:

Israel/Palestine, Syria, Afghanistan, North Korea, Somalia and Iraq.

#### Those Serving Our Country:

AIR FORCE: Tyler Ripley (Jeanne Koruga's nephew) and Erin Siebert (Linda & Joe Siebert's daughter)

ARMY: Shaun Cunningham (Cris Sherman's son-in-law), Lucas Peters (Jim & Vernita Steege's grandson), Asis Montalvo (Adjorlolo family friend), Ben Souriall (Stacy & Mike Souriall's son)

MARINES: James Bacon (Jeanne Koruga's friend) and Olav Wampler (Elizabeth & Randall Wampler's son)

NAVY: Karl Krueger (Karin Ulvin's husband), Kelsey Schunk (Jack Schunk's granddaughter), Kyle Warner (Karen and Paul Gabrielsen's grandson) & Christopher Whipple (Carolyn & Richard Whipple's son)

We are honored to be able to pray for your family members and close friends in need. Our policy is to publish immediate concerns for 2 weeks, unless we hear from you that an illness or situation is ongoing.

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#### INFORMATION For the Week!

Sunday, June 30 Third Sunday after Pentecost

9:30 Am Worship

10:45 am Lutheran World Relief School Kits Work Party & Brunch—All are

welcome to help with this summer project! Contact Lucy Kay

Osborne for more info!

11:00 am Pride Parade—all are invited to walk with the First Lutheran

Church group! Contact Tom Payne for more info.

Monday, July 1

10:00 am Friends Supporting Friends

Tuesday, July 2

9:30 am Lectionary11:00 am Staff Meeting

6:00 pm Property Committee

7:00 pm IT/Communications Committee

Social Ministries Committee
Brass Ensemble Rehearsal

Wednesday, July 3

11:00 am Worship Team Meeting

Thursday, July 4

Happy 4th of July—Church Office Closed

Friday, July 5

**Church Office Closed** 

Saturday, July 6

9:00 am Altar Guild

Garden Guild

Sunday, July 7 Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

9:30 Am Worship

