

and give us a foretaste of the feast to come.

Communion/Communion
Blessing

Lord’s Prayer

Prayers of the Church

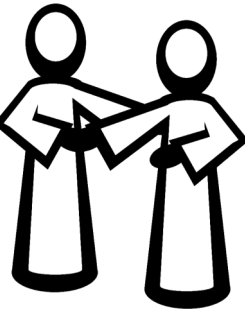
HYMN #349(Blue Hymnal) “Oh
How He Loves You and Me”

BENEDICTION

L: Go in peace and serve the
Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE



VBS will be held
July 15-18th!
Register online at:
hopelutheranfosston.com

Our church runs all year long, (even when you are away on vacation or gone for the weekend!)
As you contemplate future contributions, think about making your donation more consistent by giving electronically.
Contact the church office with any questions or to sign up.
We have simple options available!

THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO HELP
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SCHEDULE FOR THE
WEEK

SUNDAY, JULY 13
9:30 am Worship/
Communion
10:30 coffee hour
MONDAY, JULY 14-
decorate for VBS
TUESDAY, JULY 15-
5:30PM VBS
WEDNESDAY, JULY 16
530PM VBS
THURSDAY, JULY 17
5:30PM VBS
FRIDAY, JULY 18
SATURDAY, JULY 19
SUNDAY, JULY 20
9:30 am Worship/
communion
10:30 am Coffee Hour

Special Offering

A special offering will be collected during church this Sunday (July 13) for the Haugen family, who were tragically injured, lost one family member, and lost their entire home due to fire.
Donations may also be mailed to the church office:
Hope Church
Haugen Family Fund
508 N Foss Ave.
Fosston, MN 56542



HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Sunday, July 13, 2025
Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

PRELUDE

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS (Green Hymnal p. 56)

SING: “He Will Hold Me Fast” (Insert)

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Richly inspire us, O Lord, to consider and accomplish what you see is good. For we know that we cannot live without you, but that with you, we shall prevail. And so, we pray through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Reading: Leviticus 19:9-18

⁹“When you reap the harvest of your land, you shall not reap your field right up to its edge, neither shall you gather the gleanings after your harvest. ¹⁰And you shall not strip your vineyard bare, neither shall you gather the fallen grapes of your vineyard. You shall leave them for the poor and for the sojourner: I am the LORD your God. ¹¹You shall not steal; you shall not deal falsely; you shall not lie to one another. ¹²You shall not swear by my name falsely, and so profane the name of your God: I am the LORD. ¹³You shall not oppress your neighbor or rob him. The wages of a hired worker shall not remain with you all night until the morning. ¹⁴You shall not curse the deaf or put a stumbling block before the blind, but you shall fear your God: I am the LORD. ¹⁵You shall do no injustice in court. You shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great, but in righteousness shall you judge your neighbor. ¹⁶You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not stand up against the life of your neighbor: I am the LORD. ¹⁷You shall not hate your brother in your heart, but you shall reason frankly with your

Welcome to
Worship!

Our Lord says,
“Be Still and know
that I am God.”

We believe that
God led you here.
Whether you are a
visitor or a life-
long member.
we believe that
God led you here.

God gathers us,
forgives our sins,
speaks to us,
feeds us, and
sends us out to be
bearers of His
good news.

Ask God to show
Himself to you
this morning.

God is good.
All of the time.

neighbor, lest you incur sin because of him. ¹⁸You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against the sons of your own people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the LORD.”

Psalm 41 (LBW)

¹Happy are they who consider the poor and needy!

the LORD will deliver them in the time of trouble.

²The LORD preserves them and keeps them alive, so that they may be happy in the land;

he does not hand them over to the will of their enemies.

³The LORD sustains them on their sickbed

and ministers to them in their illness.

⁴I said, “LORD, be merciful to me;

heal me, for I have sinned against you.”

⁵My enemies are saying wicked things about me:

“When will he die, and | his name perish?”

⁶Even if they come to see me, they speak empty words;

their heart collects false

rumors; they go outside and spread them.

⁷All my enemies whisper together about me

and devise evil against me.

⁸“A deadly thing,” they say, “has fastened on him; he has taken to his bed and will never get up again.”

⁹Even my best friend, whom I trusted, who broke bread with me,

has lifted up his heel and turned against me.

¹⁰But you, O LORD, be merciful to me and raise me up,

and I shall repay them.

¹¹By this I know you are pleased with me,

that my enemy does not triumph over me.

¹²In my integrity you hold me fast,

and shall set me before your face forever.

¹³Blessed be the LORD God of Israel,

from age to age. Amen. Amen.

Second Reading: Colossians 1:1-14

¹Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and

Timothy our brother, ²To the saints and faithful brothers in Christ at Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father.

³We always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, when we pray for you,

⁴since we heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints,

⁵because of the hope laid up for you in heaven.

Of this you have heard before in the word of the truth, the gospel,

⁶which has come to you, as indeed in the whole world it is bearing fruit and increasing — as it also does among you, since the day you heard it and understood the grace of God in truth,

⁷just as you learned it from Epaphras our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf

⁸and has made known to us your love in the Spirit.

⁹And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding,

¹⁰so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him: bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God;

¹¹being strengthened with all power, according to his glorious

might, for all endurance and patience with joy;

¹²giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light.

¹³He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son,

¹⁴in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

“Open Our Eyes”

Open our eyes Lord

We want to see Jesus

To reach out and touch Him

And say that we love Him

Open our ears Lord

And help us to listen

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We want to see Jesus

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Gospel: Luke 10:25-37

²⁵Behold, a lawyer stood up to put {Jesus} to the test, saying, “Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?”

²⁶He said to him, “What is written in the Law? How do you read it?”

²⁷And he answered, “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself.”

²⁸And he said to him, “You have answered correctly; do this,

and you will live.”

²⁹But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, “And who is my neighbor?”

³⁰Jesus replied, “A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him and departed, leaving him half dead.

³¹Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side.

³²So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side.

³³But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was, and when he saw him, he had compassion.

³⁴He went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he set him on his own animal and brought him to an inn and took care of him.

³⁵And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, ‘Take care of him, and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.’

³⁶Which of these three, do you think, proved to be a neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?”

³⁷He said, “The one who showed him mercy.” And Jesus said to him, “You go, and do likewise.”

L: The Word of the Lord

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CHILDREN’S SERMON

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THE APOSTLES’ CREED

(Green Hymnal p.65)

HYMN #343 (Blue Hymnal)

“Amazing Grace!”

OFFERING

OFFERTORY:

“LET THE VINEYARDS”

Let the vineyards be

fruitful, Lord,

and fill to the brim our

cup of blessing.

Gather a harvest from the

seeds that were sown,

that we may be

fed with the bread of life.

Gather the hopes and

dreams of all;

Unite them with the

prayers we offer.

Grace our table with

Your presence,