



Service of the Word and Sacrament

THE GATHERING

Welcome, Announcements, Prayer Requests
{Congregational responses are in Bold/Italics}

CORPORATE PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray together...Almighty God, You have given us this good land as our heritage. Help us to always remember Your generosity and to constantly do Your Will. Bless our land with honest industry, sound learning, and an honorable way of life. Save us from violence, discord, confusion, and from pride and arrogance. Since "Our People" come from many nations, different languages, and cultural traditions - many worshipping false gods, or none at all - we need Your help to make us a united people. Guide "We the People", continually and support us when we must defend our liberties. Reward those to whom we entrusted the authority of government with Your Spirit of wisdom, that there'd be justice and peace in our land. Let our hearts be thankful in prosperity and, in troubled times, do not let our trust in You fail. Be with those who serve Your people in whatever capacity but especially our 'First Responders', Military Personnel, and Law Enforcement. We lay these petitions before You, along with those concerns hidden within our private souls and minds, through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord. Amen.

HYMN

"We Gather Together"

#590

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Let us pray...

Almighty God: You alone are good and holy. Forgive us all our sins, purify our lives and make us brave disciples. We do not ask you to keep us safe, but to keep us loyal, so we may serve Jesus Christ, who, tempted in every way as we are, was faithful to you. AMEN

ABSOLUTION/ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Sunday, 13 July 2025

Worship: 10.00am

Holy Scripture

NEW TESTAMENT READING - Hebrews 10.19-30

Therefore, brothers and sisters, since we have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood of Jesus, by a new and living way opened for us through the curtain, that is, His body, and since we have a great Priest over the house of God, let us draw near to God with a sincere heart and with the full assurance that Faith brings, having our hearts sprinkled to cleanse us from a guilty conscience and having our bodies washed with pure water. Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for He who promised is faithful. Let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another - and all the more as you see the Day approaching. If we deliberately keep on sinning after we have received the knowledge of the Truth, no sacrifice for sins is left, but only a fearful expectation of judgment and of raging fire that will consume the enemies of God. Anyone who rejected the Law of Moses died without mercy on the testimony of two or three witnesses. How much more severely do you think someone deserves to be punished who has trampled the Son of God underfoot, who has treated as an unholy thing the blood of the covenant that sanctified them, and who has insulted the Spirit of Grace? We know Him who said, "It is mine to avenge; I will repay," and again, "The Lord will judge His people." It is a dreadful thing to fall into the hands of the living God...

RESPONSIVE READING - Psalm 22.1-5, 22-26

My God, my God, why have You forsaken me?

Why are You so far from saving me,
so far from my cries of anguish?

My God, I cry out by day, but You do not answer;
by night, but I find no rest.

Yet You are enthroned as the Holy One;
You are the one Israel praises.
In You our ancestors put their trust;
they trusted and You delivered them.
To You they cried out and were saved;
in You they trusted and were not put to shame.
I will declare Your Name to my people;
in the assembly I will praise You!
You who fear the Lord, praise Him!
All you descendants of Jacob, honor Him!
Revere Him, all you descendants of Israel!
He has not despised or scorned
the suffering of the afflicted one;
He has not hidden His face from [that one]
but has listened to his cry for help.
From You comes the theme of my praise
in the great assembly; before those who fear You
I will fulfill my vows.
The poor will eat and be satisfied;
those who seek the Lord will praise Him;
may your hearts live forever!

EPISTLE LESSON - Colossians 1.15-20

The Son is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation; for in Him all things were created: things in Heaven and on Earth - visible and invisible - whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things have been created through Him and for Him. He is before all things and in Him all things hold together, and He is the head of the Body, the Church; He is the Beginning and the Firstborn from among the dead, so that in everything He might have the supremacy, for God was pleased to have all His fullness dwell in Him, and through Him to reconcile to Himself all things, whether things on Earth or things in Heaven, by making peace through His blood, shed on the Cross.

This is the Word of the Lord!
Thanks be to God!

SPECIAL MUSIC

Pastor Larry

SERMON

"Churchiness Is Back"

Pastor Larry

CONFESSION OF FAITH- Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and Earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, True God from True God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father; through Him all things were made; for us and for our salvation He came down from Heaven: was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and became truly human; for our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered death and was buried; on the third day He rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; He ascended into Heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and His kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the Giver of Life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. AMEN

OFFERING, DOXOLOGY, PRAYER

HYMN

"Let Us Break Bread Together"

#330

The Eucharist

THE 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 Him thanks and praise...

So we come before Him and pray...

And we raise to Him, in chorus with the heavenly host:

I've got peace like a river,

I've got peace like a river,

I've got peace like a river,
in my soul!

I've got peace like a river,

I've got peace like a river,

I've got peace like a river,
in my soul!

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

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; forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the Kingdom, and the Power, and the Glory, forever. AMEN.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION - COMMUNION

HYMN

"We Are One In The Spirit"

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BENEDICTION and SENDING

Go in Peace and Serve the Lord!

Thanks be to God!

LET THERE BE PEACE ON EARTH

*Let there be peace on Earth and let it begin with me;
Let there be peace on Earth, Peace that was meant to be;
With God as our Father, brothers all are we;
Let me walk with my brothers in perfect harmony!*

*Let peace begin with me, let this be the moment now;
With every step I take, let this be my solemn vow;
To take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally
Let there be peace on Earth and let it begin with me!*

SERVING TODAY

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Weekly Activities

Wednesdays:

Drop In to visit with Pastor 10am-2pm
Bible Study, the Gospel of Luke, 10am-?
{We are currently on Chapter 6}

Thursdays:

Always available by appointment...

CHURCH COUNCIL - - - meets every 2nd Sunday

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