

MOE PARISH WORSHIP
Fifth Sunday after Pentecost
July 13, 2025

Prelude Music

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer & Invocation

Hymn “Battle Hymn of the Republic” (Romsdal #569)

1. Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord;
He is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath are stored;
He has loosed the fateful lightning of his terrible swift sword;
His truth is marching on.

Refrain: Glory, Glory! Hallelujah! Glory, Glory! Hallelujah!
Glory, Glory! Hallelujah! His truth is marching on.

2. He has sounded forth the trumpet that shall never call retreat;
He is sifting out the hearts of men before his judgment seat;
Oh, be swift, my soul, to answer him; be jubilant, my feet!
Our God is marching on. **Refrain**

3. In the beauty of the lilies Christ was born across the sea;
With a glory in his bosom that transfigures you and me.
As he died to make men holy, let us live to make men free,
While God is marching on. **Refrain**

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 1 Samuel 2:12-21 [12](#) Now the sons of Eli were worthless men. They did not know the LORD.[13](#) The custom of the priests with the people was that when any man offered sacrifice, the priest's servant would come, while the meat was boiling, with a three-pronged fork in his hand,[14](#) and he would thrust it into the pan or kettle or cauldron or pot. All that the fork brought up the priest would take for himself. This is what they did at Shiloh to all the Israelites who came there.[15](#) Moreover, before the fat was burned, the priest's servant would come and say to the man who was sacrificing, "Give meat for the priest to roast, for he will not accept boiled meat from you but only raw."[16](#) And if the man said to him, "Let them burn the fat first, and then take as much as you wish," he would say, "No, you must give it now, and if not, I will take it by force."[17](#) Thus the sin of the young men was very great in the sight of the LORD, for the men treated the offering of the LORD with contempt.[18](#) Samuel was ministering before the LORD, a boy clothed with a

linen ephod.[19](#) And his mother used to make for him a little robe and take it to him each year when she went up with her husband to offer the yearly sacrifice.[20](#) Then Eli would bless Elkanah and his wife, and say, "May the LORD give you children by this woman for the petition she asked of the LORD." So then they would return to their home.[21](#) Indeed the LORD visited Hannah, and she conceived and bore three sons and two daughters. And the young man Samuel grew in the presence of the LORD.

Second Lesson 1 Corinthians 10:1-11 [1](#) For I want you to know, brothers, that our fathers were all under the cloud, and all passed through the sea,[2](#) and all were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea,[3](#) and all ate the same spiritual food,[4](#) and all drank the same spiritual drink. For they drank from the spiritual Rock that followed them, and the Rock was Christ.[5](#) Nevertheless, with most of them God was not pleased, for they were overthrown in the wilderness.[6](#) Now these things took place as examples for us, that we might not desire evil as they did. [7](#) Do not be idolaters as some of them were; as it is written, "The people sat down to eat and drink and rose up to play."[8](#) We must not indulge in sexual immorality as some of them did, and twenty-three thousand fell in a single day.[9](#) We must not put Christ to the test, as some of them did and were destroyed by serpents,[10](#) nor grumble, as some of them did and were destroyed by the Destroyer.[11](#) Now these things happened to them as an example, but they were written down for our instruction, on whom the end of the ages has come.

Children’s Lesson

Pastor Chris

Gospel Luke 4:23-30 [23](#) And he said to them, "Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, 'Physician, heal yourself.' What we have heard you did at Capernaum, do here in your hometown as well."[24](#) And he said, "Truly, I say to you, no prophet is acceptable in his hometown."[25](#) But in truth, I tell you, there were many widows in Israel in the days of Elijah, when the heavens were shut up three years and six months, and a great famine came over all the land,[26](#) and Elijah was sent to none of them but only to Zarephath, in the land of Sidon, to a woman who was a widow.[27](#) And there were many lepers in Israel in the time of the prophet Elisha, and none of them was cleansed, but only Naaman the Syrian."[28](#) When they heard these things, all in the synagogue were filled with wrath.[29](#) And they rose up and drove him out of the town and brought him to the brow of the hill on which their town was built, so that they could throw him down the cliff.[30](#) But passing through their midst, he went away.

Sermon “Circumventing a Tradition of Trouble” 1 Sam. 2:12-21 **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.

Offering Hymn “Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus” (Romsdal #477)

1. Stand up, stand up for Jesus, Ye soldiers of the cross,
Lift high His royal banner, It must not suffer loss;
From vict’ry unto vict’ry, His army He shall lead,
Till every foe is vanquished, and Christ is Lord indeed.

2. Stand up, stand up for Jesus, The trumpet call obey;
Forth to the mighty conflict, In this His glorious day.
Ye that are men, now serve Him, Against un-numbered foes;
Let courage rise with danger, And strength to strength oppose.

3. Stand up, stand up for Jesus, Stand in His strength alone;
The arm of flesh will fail you – Ye dare not trust your own;
Put on the gospel armor, Each piece put on with prayer;
Where duty calls, or danger, Be never wanting there.

4. Stand up, stand up for Jesus, The strife will not be long;
This day the noise of battle, The next, the victor's song.
To him who over-cometh, A crown of life shall be;
He with the King of glory, Shall reign eternally.

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: July 13th-July 20th, 2025

Today: SUN: July 13th Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

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

Coffee & Donuts following worship

10:15 a.m. Parish Worship at Romsdal

WED: 9:30 a.m. Trinity Women meet at Trinity

1:30 p.m. Romsdal Women's Group meets at Romsdal

SAT: Lands Ladies Skip Day Brunch/Shopping at The Church-Alvord, IA

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Please remember in prayer Sue Sandvig, Orville & Carol Sorlie, Alan
Perry, Judy Perry, Gary Johnson, Barb Gillespie, Don Paulson, special prayers for
Emmerson Paulson, Cassandra Sunderland (Niece of Mary Eliason), all those
experiencing natural disasters, our Nation, nursing homes, hospitals, schools, and
all those who are mourning the loss of loved ones.

SAVE THE DATE Moe Parish serves at **The Banquet** on Wed., Aug. 20th.

Watch for sign-up sheets in the Moe Parish Center. Volunteer to help and/or
donate to help offset the expenses. Thanks for your support!

Upcoming 7th Annual "Praising in the Prayer Garden" Fundraiser and Concert
Sunday, August 10th 4:00-7:00 p.m. Join us for great food and entertainment. All
proceeds support future projects and maintenance of the garden. Watch for
posters and announcements!



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