6th Sunday after Pentecost June 30, 2024





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Gathering

Music to Prepare us for Worship

Opening Song "Love the Lord Your God"

LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART AND ALL YOUR SOUL AND ALL YOUR MIND AND LOVE ALL HUMANKIND AS YOU WOULD LOVE YOURSELF AND...

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Welcome * Welcome Pads * Post it Notes * Wherever you are on your journey of faith, we believe God meets you right where you are, and you are welcome here.

Confession and Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, 4 one God, the God of manna, the God of miracles, the God of mercy. **Amen.**

Drawn to Christ and seeking God's abundance, let us confess our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection.

God, our provider,

help us. It is hard to believe there is enough to share. We question your ways when they differ from the ways of the world in which we live. We turn to our own understanding rather than trusting in you. We take offense at your teachings and your ways. Turn us again to you. Where else can we turn? Share with us the words of eternal life and feed us for life in the world. Amen.

Beloved people of God: in Jesus, the manna from heaven, you are fed and nourished. By Jesus, the worker of miracles, there is always more than enough. Through Jesus, I the bread of life, you are shown God's mercy: you are forgiven and loved into abundant life. **Amen.**

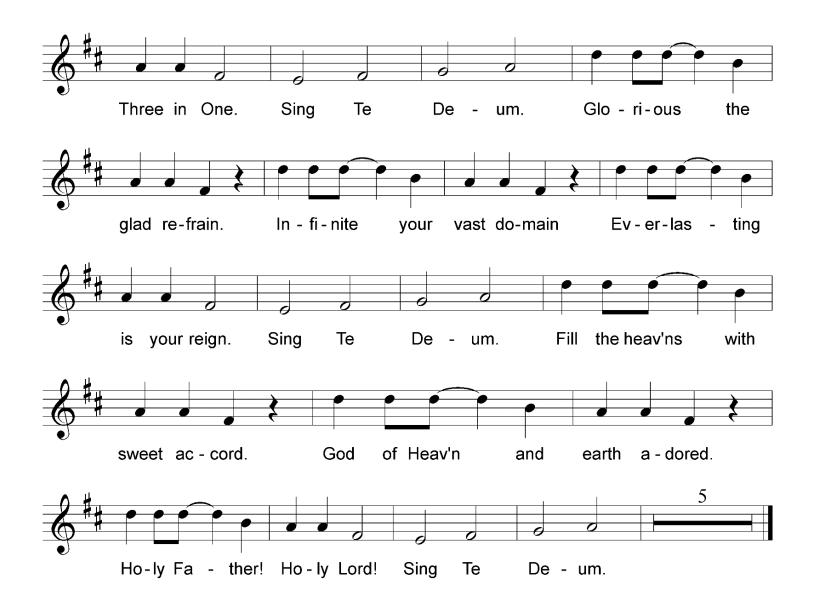
Greeting

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









Prayer of the Day:

Let us pray,

Almighty and merciful God, we implore you to hear the prayers of your people. Be our strong defense against all harm and danger, that we may live and grow in faith and hope, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen. Greet Someone New

Music to Bring Us Back Together: last 9 lines of "Te Deum" (start at "Lord spare us we pray...)

Children's Time

The Word

(Reader): Our story and God's story continues today with our Bible readings. Our first reading is from Psalm 30. Please join us as we sing responsively.

- ¹ I will exalt you, O LORD, because you have lift- ¹ ed me up and have not let my enemies triumph ¹ over me.
- ² O Lord my God, I cried I out to you, and you restored I me to health.
- ³ You brought me up, O LORD, ¹ from the dead; you restored my life as I was going down ¹ to the grave.
- ⁴ Sing praise to the LORD, | all you faithful; give thanks in ho- | ly remembrance.
- ⁵ God's wrath is short; God's favor | lasts a lifetime. Weeping spends the night, but joy comes | in the morning.

⁶ While I felt se- ¹ cure, I said,

"I shall never | be disturbed.

 7 You, LORD, with your favor, made me as strong $^{\rm I}$ as the mountains."

Then you hid your face, and I was | filled with fear.

⁸ I cried to ¹ you, O Lord;

I pleaded with 1 my Lord, saying,

⁹ "What profit is there in my blood, if I go down I to the pit? Will the dust praise you or de- I clare your faithfulness?

¹⁰ Hear, O Lord, and have mer- | cy upon me; O Lord, | be my helper."

You have turned my wailing | into dancing; you have put off my sackcloth and clothed | me with joy.

¹² Therefore my heart sings to you | without ceasing; O LORD my God, I will give you | thanks forever.

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SERMON - Pastor Hans Peterson

SONG OF THE DAY - "Dance with Me"



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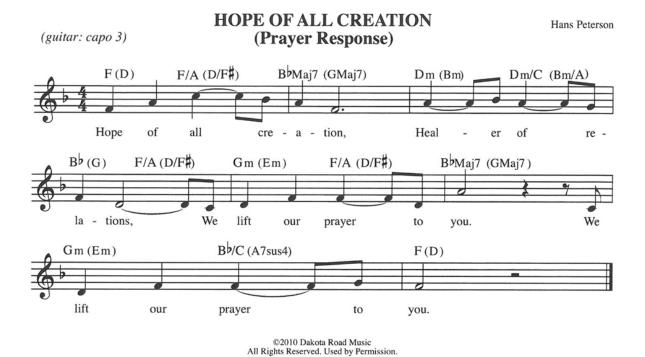
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Prayers for the World

PRAYERS:

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Offering

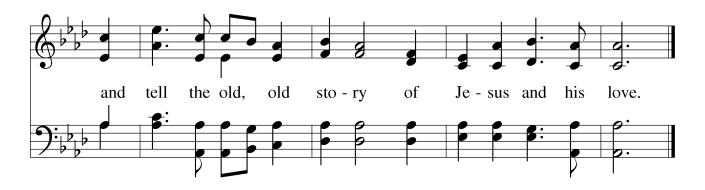
Worship Leader: Thank you for your continued generosity and for all the ways you support God's ministry here at River of Hope. You can contact the church office and sign up for simply giving or give online or drop a check off at the church office. The watering can during June is for "Habitat for Humanity". Any children willing to help are Invited to meet Pastor Hans in the back to bring forth the Communion elements.

Offering Song: "I Love to Tell the Story"









Text: Katherine Hankey, 1834–1911 Music: HANKEY, William G. Fischer, 1835–1912

The Feast

Setting the Table the children lead us as we sing together: Hark to the chimes come bow your head. Lord, we thank you for daily bread (daily bread). Amen (6x)

Thanksgiving at the Table We gather as a community, around this table of plenty, trusting in the Spirit to nourish us as we share God's love with our neighbors.

The Lord is 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 God thanks and praise.

As we gather in this place, we remember, that in the night when Jesus was betrayed by his best friends, he took bread. He blessed it and broke it and gave it to these same friends 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. Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray:

The Lord's Prayer – version by Parker J. Palmer

Heavenly Father, heavenly Mother, Holy and blessed is your true name. We pray for your reign of peace to come, We pray that your good will be done, Let heaven and earth become one. Give us this day the bread we need, Give it to those who have none. Let forgiveness flow like a river between us, from each one to each one. Lead us to holy innocence, Beyond the evil of our days – Come swiftly Mother, Father, come. For yours is the power and the glory and the mercy: Forever your name is All in One. Amen.

This is Christ's table. It's a table of love and welcome. It's a table of fellowship with the poor and communion with the earth. So, come, those of you with great faith and those of you who wish you had more. Come, those of you who have tried to follow Jesus and those of you who have failed. Come, those of you who depend on this meal for your lives, and those of you for whom it is a strange thing.

The gifts of God are...

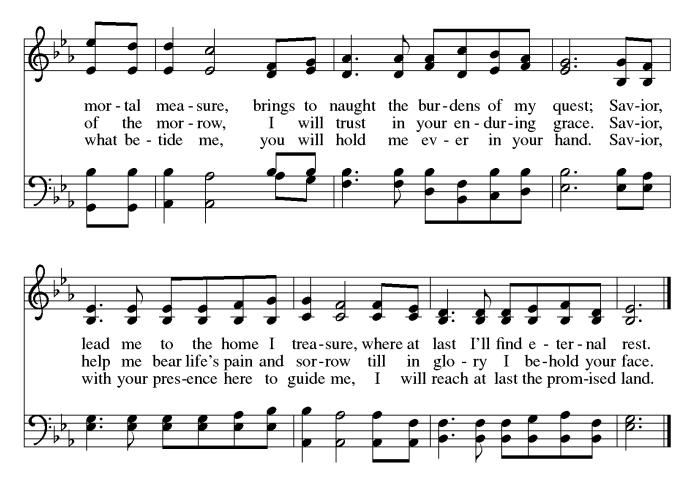
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Free indeed. And all are welcome to receive the sacrament.

Communion Songs: "Day by Day" and "His Eye is on the Sparrow"

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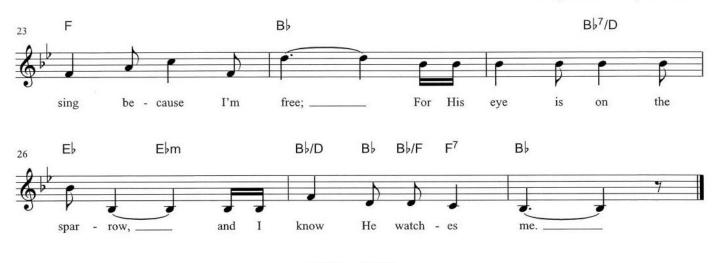
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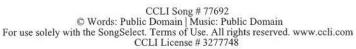
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His Eye Is On The Sparrow

Words by Music by Charles Hutchinson Gabriel Civilla Durfee Martin VERSE Bb Eb Bb Bb/Ab 1. Why should I feel dis cour - aged? _ Why should the shad - ows come? ___ 2. "Let not your heart be trou - bled," _ His ten - der words I hear; ____ when - ev - er clouds 3. When ev - er I tempt -ed, ____ a rise, ____ am G^7 G/B Cm F F/A Bb 5 when Why should my heart be lone - ly_ and long for heav'n and home _ I lose my doubt Tho' And rest - ing on His good - ness, ____ and fear. ____ when hope with - in when songs give place sigh - ing, _ dies, ___ I to me F7/C F^7 Bb Bb/D G⁷/D Cm E 9 Je por - tion? ____ My con stant friend _ is He: His sus is _ my -He lead - eth but 1_ may His by the path _ one step see: From He His draw the clos er to Him; ____ care sets _ me free: _ B°7 F⁷ Bb/D Bb Cm7 F^7 Bb F7/C Bb/D Bb7/F F/E 13 the spar - row, __ and I know He watch - es me. His eye is on the eye is on ___ the and I know He watch - es His is the eye is on ___ spar - row, ___ me. _ eye on and I know He watch - es His is the eye is on ___ the spar - row, ___ me. _ eye on CHORUS F Bb/D Bb Bb/F F7 Bb Bb/D Bb Eb Ebm 18 and I know He watch -es be-cause I'm I spar -row, ___ me. Ι sing hap - py, ____ spar - row, ____ and I know He watch -es me. ____ and I know He watch -es spar - row, ___ me. ____

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Blessing after Communion

Now may the body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ, strengthen you and keep you in God's grace. **Amen.**

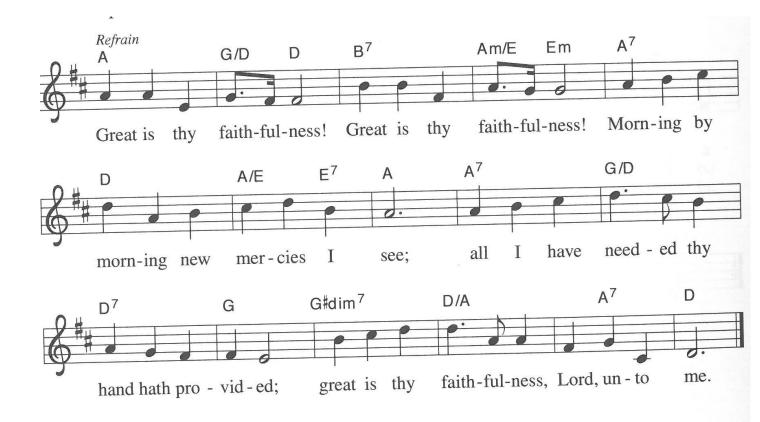
Prayer after Communion Shepherding God, you have prepared a table before us and nourished us with your love. Send us forth from this banquet to proclaim your goodness and share the abundant mercy of Jesus, our redeemer and friend. Amen.

The Sending

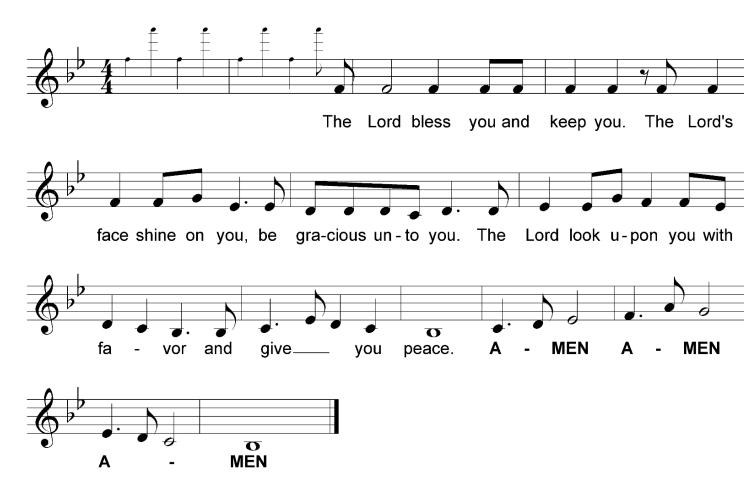
Why does our church exist? What is our purpose? **We go out to transform lives through Jesus Christ**.

Purpose Sightings

MILESTONES! Sing "Great is thy Faithfulness" Chorus It's time for sharing milestones - a time where we join together as a community to share the big, small, good, and hard milestones in our life.



Sung Blessing



(guitar: capo 5)

GO NOW WITH GOD

Hans Peterson Larry Olson



(Leader): Go in peace – you are God's beloved. Thanks be to God

Music to Send You Out

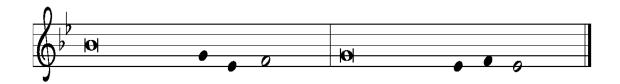
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Jim,

Here are several changes/requests...

First, let's take out the first reading. I can already sense worship going long and it ties in less with my sermon now that I am starting to work on in. Will do

Second, please switch Psalms. Will do Sorry if I did not specify in the email (or did so incorrectly) I am going to preach from Psalm 30 (NOT Psalm 130). We don't need to practice on Sunday. However, could you do a voice memo or leave me a phone message with the Psalm tone? It can be brief, that way I can practice – unless you want to cantor it.



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Third, I can't read the Kyrie in the bulletin. Maybe you saw that and were playing on fixing the layout? Not sure what this means? I can read it fine and the singers can also? Do you want words only for people at home? If some technology is not cooperating feel free to leave that out. I know some people who watch online regularly; they may be following along in the bulletin. It's okay if it just says Kyrie without any music in the bulletin if the gremlin is not cooperating when you try to clean it up.

Also, my understanding is that you are going to sing the Kyrie and me the Benediction. Yes

Fourth, it would be awesome to have you play Dance with Me on piano. OK Will do...unless you prefer to play piano in which case I can just sing or listen? It is a song that invites participation. I sent you the lead sheet in G. The full piano version is in F in the Anthology. If you feel more comfortable in F with the full score let's do that. If G works I might play harmonica. Here is a recording in case it is helpful to hear it or play along.

https://dakotaroadmusic.com/track/904403/d ance-with-me

Fifth, for prayers could you delete/modify the last half, so it simply reads:

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Also, with regards to prayers, this may be a big ask but at 10am, before I get there, could you go over Hope of All Creation with the singers, with Dan on guitar, the youth praying and the singers singing. I attached who is praying which part and you could have a copy to explain to the singers how that is going to work. The congregation is going to be invited to speak out loud oneword prayers randomly all together popcorn style...if you and the singers could say a one prayer too it would help the viewers online to feel a part of that experience. If it feels like too much I can help run the prayers when I get there. I will practice this with the singers at 10 am if they are there Sixth, could we do a different table grace before communion? If my request list is too long you can veto J "Hark to the chimes come bow your head. Lord, we thank you for daily bread (daily bread). Amen (6x) OK

Finally, would you feel comfortable leading prayer at 9:55am? Yes I will ask Kay to start creating a circle at 9:50am. If you would prefer, I can ask Kay or Allen G. to lead a prayer. I just know when I arrive around 10:10am the youth may want to go through the skit in the hall so it would be awesome if they have already run through the prayer song which may take 10 minutes once you get mics, pray-ers, and singers all coordinated. Again, if this all feels like too

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