



Welcome to worship!

Keep in prayer: LeAnn Fuchs (niece of Arlene Johnson), Carl Kozlowski; Wayne & Monica Schmidt (cousin of Dale Nibbe); Wally and Susan Dailey, Loren Walters (brother of Diane Keyport), Cheryl Goudy (Sue Benson's sister), Barb Follstad (Kris Pichelman's mother), Kathy Walstrom (daughter of Eloise Blattner), Emma (grand-daughter of Barb Gifford)

Thank you to those who shared their time and talents this morning:

Lector: Ava Carlson-Penn

Greeters: Fick Family

Communion Assistants: Rick & Edie Sward

Ushers: Rylee Thieren

Altar: Kathy Hollman, Liz Enger

Sound/Video: Heath Oeltjen, Cheryl Luettinger, Julie Deschneau, Randy Zanto

Coffee: LuAnn & Bill Otto

Acolyte: Will Stolzenberg

Prelude

Light Dawns on a Weary World

Arr. By Sherri Hansen

The Holy Spirit Calls Us Together as the People of God

Welcome / Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, our creator, our protector, our wellspring of life.

C: Amen.

P: Trusting that God receives our words and the meditations of our hearts, let us confess our sin.

Merciful God,

C: you speak blessing and compassion into the world.

Forgive us for the ways we act with judgment, cruelty, or indifference. We ignore the needs of our neighbors; we resist your call to oppose injustice; we give in to scarcity and fear; we assume the worst about one another.

Cleanse us from our faults and release us from their grasp. Show us your lovingkindness. Restore our hearts and repair your world, that we may live in Christ's ways.

Amen.

Gathering Song

Here and Now

vv. 1-3 (insert)

From Peace of the Prairie

Greeting

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

C: And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

Choir Anthem

Praise the Everlasting King

Senior Choir

God Speaks to Us in Scripture Reading, Preaching & Song

Reading

Jeremiah 17:5-10

L: Word of God, word of life.

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 1

L: Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel of the wicked, nor lingered in the way of sinners, nor sat in the seats of the scornful!

C: Their delight is in the law of the Lord, and they meditate on God's teaching day and night.

L: They are like trees planted by streams of water, bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that do not wither; everything they do shall prosper.

C: It is not so with the wicked; they are like chaff which the wind blows away.

L: Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when judgment comes, nor the sinner in the council of the righteous.

C: For the Lord knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked shall be destroyed.

Gospel Acclamation

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Gospel Reading

Luke 6:17-26

P: The Holy Gospel according to Luke, the 6h chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

P: [Jesus] came down with [the twelve]...

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

Pastor Kary

Hymn of the Day

Light Dawns on a Weary World

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Prayers of Intercession

P: God of grace,

C: hear our prayer.

The Peace

Offering

Let All Things Now Living

Bell Choir

Offering Response

*Enough for Today vv. 1, 4-5 (insert)
From Peace of the Prairie*

Offering Prayer

God Feeds Us with the Presence of Jesus Christ

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Words of Institution

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Communion

All who desire to receive the body and blood of Christ are welcome at the table.

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Distribution Hymns

We Come to the Hungry Feast #479

Jesus, the Very Thought of You #754

God Blesses Us and Sends Us in Mission to the World

Blessing

Sending Hymn *God of Shalom* (insert)
From Peace of the Prairie

Dismissal

Postlude *Send Forth by God's Blessing*
Arr. By John Helgen

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