



Welcome to worship!

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

Lectors: Duane Holst

Theatrical Reading: Duane Holst & Randi Kirchner

Greeters: Bennett Kittelson & Family

Acolyte:

Communion Assistants: Nolan Kohrs & Klara Schmidt

Ushers: Kim Ask-Carlson &

Altar: Marcia Holst & Esther Gullixson

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

Sounds Visual Student Assistant: Mason Eggenberger

Coffee: Ross & Sandy Bendickson

Prelude

Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross arr. by Becky Waters & J. Bert Carlson

GATHERING

Welcome/Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

C: Amen.

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.
Silence for reflection.

Most merciful God,

C: we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.
Amen.

P: God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

C: Amen.

Gathering Hymn

Jesus, Keep me Near the Cross

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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

Senior Choir Anthem

They Carried My Lord Away

WORD

Reading

Romans 5:1-11

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Nothing in all creation...

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Gospel Reading

John 4:5-42

P: The Holy Gospel according to John, the 4th chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C. Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

Pastor Paul

Hymn of the Day

I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

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Blessing of First Communion

Aubrey Chavez
Brooklyn Denzer
Willow Dudley
Britton Johnson
Evie Johnson

Logan Kramer
Felix Larson
Rowan Larson
Alaina Meyer
Rory Pfeilsticker

Prayers of Intercession

P: Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

Peace

Offering / Offertory

I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

arr. by Bob Moore

Offering Response

Create in Me a Clean Heart

Offering Prayer

MEAL

Great Thanksgiving

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Holy, Holy, Holy

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Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

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Lamb of God

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Communion

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

Communion Hymns

O Bread of Life from Heaven

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O Jesus, Joy of Loving Hearts

#658

Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me

#623

SENDING

Blessing & Benediction

Sending Hymn

Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer

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Dismissal

P: Go in peace. Believe the good news.

C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer

arr. By David Christiansen

Thank You Quilters! *A huge thanks for the beautiful surprise of a soft and cozy quilt made by the quilters! Makes me feel so loved!* ~ Audrey Watson

Keep in prayer: LeAnn Fuchs (niece of Arlene Johnson), Carl Kozlowski, Wayne & Monica Schmidt (cousin of Dale Nibbe), Cheryl Goudy (Sue Benson's sister), Patricia A. McMahon (cousin of Dale Nibbe), Lucy Youngren (great-niece of Mavis Hawkins), Tom Gerken, Gary Pederson (brother of Brad Pederson)