

THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



PRAISE WORSHIP SERVICE

JUNE 25, 2023 | 10:45 AM

WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

Parents of small children: Children can and do encounter Jesus during worship. For your convenience, please know that our entryway and a nursery (Room 113) are equipped with a video reception of the service. We also have activity bags available for their use during worship. Please see an usher for more information.

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“Welcome one another, therefore, as Christ has welcomed you.”

Romans 15:7

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church warmly welcomes people of any age, race, nationality, sexual orientation, life circumstance, and physical or mental capability.

If you are visiting with us, we welcome you and we are blessed you are here! If you need any assistance during worship or otherwise, please seek out one of our ushers. If this is your first time with us, please introduce yourself so we can give you a token of our appreciation for spending the morning with us.

Gathering

Gathering Music

Praise Team

Welcome

Confession and Forgiveness *(insert page 1)*

*Gathering Song

“Holy Spirit”

Words and Music by Ken Canedo
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Chorus

Holy Spirit come into our lives

Holy Spirit make us truly wise

Verse 1

Give us a spirit of courage

And judgment that is wise

Give us a spirit of rev'rence

Of wonder and of awe

(CHORUS)

Verse 2

Spirit of love and compassion

Give hope to all the poor

Spirit of justice

and mercy

Come open ev'ry door

(CHORUS)

Verse 3

Spirit of strength and of healing

Bend stubborn heart and will

Spirit of trust and of caring

O melt us warm our chill

(CHORUS)

Greeting

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

G **And also with you.**

Word

Prayer of the Day

P Let us pray. O God, you are the source of life and the ground of our being. By the power of your Spirit bring healing to this wounded world and raise us to the new life of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

G **Amen.**

First Reading: Jeremiah 20:7-13

Pew Bible, pg. 708

P The word of the Lord. **G** **Thanks be to God.**

Second Reading: Romans 6:1b-11

Pew Bible, pg. 1028

P The word of the Lord. **G** **Thanks be to God.**

Children's Sermon

Gospel: Matthew 10:24-39

Pew Bible, pg. 886

☞ The holy gospel according to Matthew the 9th chapter. ☞ **Glory to you, O Lord.**

At the conclusion of the reading:

☞ The gospel of the Lord. ☞ **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon

Pastor Mike Bovingdon

Gospel Song

"Our God"

Words and Music by Matt Redman, Jonas Myrin, Chris Tomlin and Jesse Reeves
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Verse 1

Water You turned into wine
Opened the eyes of the blind
There's no one like You
None like You

God You are higher than any other
Our God is healer
Awesome in power our God our God

Verse 2

Into the darkness You shine
Out of the ashes we rise
There's no one like You
None like You

Bridge

And if our God is for us
Then who could ever stop us
And if our God is with us
Then what could stand against
And if our God is for us
Then who could ever stop us
And if our God is with us
Then what could stand against
(Then) what could stand against

Chorus

Our God is greater
Our God is stronger

Apostles' Creed (insert page 1)

Prayers of Intercession (As the Minister closes each petition with the words, "God, in your mercy" worshipers respond with the words, "Hear our prayer.")

Peace

☞ The peace of Christ be with you always. ☞ **And also with you.** *(you may greet each other with a sign of God's peace)*

Offering

Offertory Song

"Whom Shall I Fear God Of Angel Armies"

Praise Team

-By Chris Tomlin, Ed Cash and Scott Cash

Offering Prayer

Meal

☞ God of field and forest, sea and sky, you are the giver of all good things. Sustain us with these gifts of your creation, and multiply your graciousness in us, that the world may be fed with your love, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. ☞ **Amen.**

Great Thanksgiving, Words of Institution and Lord's Prayer (insert page 1)

Invitation to Communion

☞ All people are called to Christ's table. Come, eat what is good.

Communion

Communion Songs

"Send Me"

Words and Music by Jenn Johnson, Brandon Lake and Kari Jobe
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Verse 1

If it's bandaging the broken or washing filthy feet
Here I am Lord send me
If it's loving one another even when we don't agree
Here I am Lord send me

Verse 2

If I'm poor or if I'm wealthy
I'll serve You just the same
Here I am Lord send me
On the mountain or the valley
I will choose to praise
Here I am Lord send me

Chorus

If I'm known by how I love let my life reflect
How much I love You I love You
And before You even ask oh my answer will be yes
'Cause I love You I love You

"Graves Into Gardens"

Verse 1

I searched the world but it couldn't fill me
Man's empty praise and treasures that fade
Are never enough
Then You came along and put me back together
And every desire is now satisfied here in Your love

Chorus

Oh there's nothing better than You
There's nothing better than You
Lord there's nothing
Nothing is better than You

Verse 2

I'm not afraid to show You my weakness
My failures and flaws
Lord You've seen them all

"Praise The Father Praise the Son"

Verse 1

O sov'reign God O matchless King
The saints adore the angels sing
And fall before the throne of grace
To You belongs the highest praise

Verse 2

These sufferings this passing tide
Under Your wings I will abide

Verse 3

If the truth cuts like an arrow I will say it anyway
'Cause here I am Lord send me
If it's means that they'll reject me
Lord I will still obey
Here I am Lord send me

Verse 4

When I'm standing in Your glory
I'll be glad I chose to say
Here I am Lord send me
Well done good and faithful I live to hear You say
Here I am Lord send me

Tag

Here I am Lord send me
Here I am Lord send me

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And You still call me friend
'Cause the God of the mountain
Is the God of the valley
There's not a place
Your mercy and grace won't find me again

Bridge

You turn mourning to dancing
You give beauty for ashes
You turn shame into glory
You're the only one who can

Bridge

You turn graves into gardens
You turn bones into armies
You turn seas into highways
You're the only one who can

Words and Music by Chris Tomlin and Ed Cash
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And ev'ry enemy shall flee
You are my hope and victory

Chorus 1

(Oh) praise the Father praise the Son
(And) praise the Spirit Three in One
Clothed in power and in grace
The name above all other names

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Verse 3

To the valley for my soul
 Thy great descent has made me whole
 Your word my heart has welcomed home
 Now peace like water ever flows

Bridge

Yours is the kingdom Yours is the power
 Yours is the glory forever

Yours is the kingdom Yours is the power
 Yours is the glory forever

Chorus 2

Praise the Father praise the Son
 And praise the Spirit Three in One
 Clothed in power and in grace
 The name above all other names
 The name above all other names

Post Communion Blessing

☞ May the body and blood of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, be with you always. ☞ **Amen.**

Prayer After Communion

☞ We thank you, generous God, for the refreshment we have received at your banquet table. Send us now to spread your generosity into all the world, through the one who is our dearest treasure, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. ☞ **Amen.**

Announcements

Sending

Blessing

☞ The God who calls across the cosmos and speaks in the smallest seed ✠ bless, keep, and sustain you now and to the end of the age. ☞ **Amen.**

*Sending Song

Verse 1

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness
 Whose love is mighty and so much stronger
 The King of Glory the King above all kings

Verse 2

Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder
 And leaves us breathless in awe and wonder
 The King of Glory the King above all kings

Chorus

(Yeah) (Oh) This is amazing grace
 This is unfailing love
 That You would take my place
 That You would bear my cross

"This is Amazing Grace"

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You laid down
 Your life
 That I would be set free
 Oh Jesus I sing for all that You've done for me

Verse 3

Who brings our chaos back into order
 Who makes the orphan a son and daughter
 The King of Glory the King of Glory

Verse 4

Who rules the nations with truth and justice
 Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance
 The King of Glory the King above all kings

(CHORUS)

Dismissal

☞ Go in peace. Share the harvest. ☞ **Thanks be to God.**

Sending Music

Praise Team

Attendance Last Sunday

8:30 AM - 56 | 10:45 AM - 54 | Online - 22

May Income & Expense Summary

Fiscal Year 2022-2023

Total Income: \$46,754 Total Expenses: \$43,542

Cash Flow: \$3,212

Year to Date Income & Expense Summary

Fiscal Year 2022-23

Total Income: \$500,390 Total Expenses: 503,575

Cash Flow: (\$3,185)

*If you have any questions, please contact our Financial Secretary
Sharron Ryan. Thank you!*

This Week

Sun 6/25 8:30 AM Traditional Worship Service
10:45 AM Contemporary Praise Service
Youth Service Trip: Winston-Salem

Wed 6/28 6:30 PM Theology on Tap—Game Day

Sun 7/2
8:30 AM Traditional Worship Service
10:45 AM Contemporary Praise Service



For the month of June, Good Shepherd together with our Outreach Committee is collecting brand new backpacks (\$15+ price range) and pocket folders.

The Give A Kid a Chance organization is preparing for 2,500 students at 3 locations and they hope to collect between 2,500 - 7,500 folders depending on whether they can provide 1, 2 or 3 folders to each student. A place will be designated in Fellowship Hall to collect these items. As always, thank you for your support for our local community. More information can be found at www.giveakidachance.org

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The Altar flowers this morning are dedicated to the Glory of God and are given by Paul and Cynthia Christensen in celebration of Leann's 36th birthday.

Thank you to the Westerville Family for providing the donuts for fellowship this morning. If you would like to sign up for providing donuts & snacks, the sign-up and forms are in the administrative hallway. The cost is \$30.



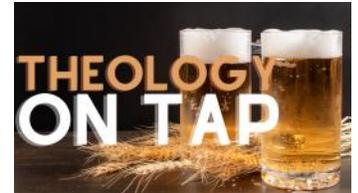
June Event Dates

Sign-up sheets are available at gslutheran.org
([Sign-up Central Online](#)) or
Sign-up Central in Fellowship Hall

- 25 Pastor Mike Bovingdon
- 25-30 Youth Service Trip to N. Carolina
- July 2 Two-Can/Hefty Sunday - Pastor Andrew Lewis
- July 4 Office Closed for Independence Day

Theology on Tap

Karen and Michael Epstein are happy to lead and continue Theology on Tap at Game Day.



If you are interested in continuing with the group or join for the first time, please add the following dates through the summer: Wednesday, June 28, July 12, July 26, August 9, and August 23. We will begin to gather around 6:30 to order food, begin our discussion around 7 PM and continue till about 8:30 PM. Stay tuned to your Sheep Buzz for additional dates into the fall as time goes by.

Next Sunday is Two-Can Sunday and Hefty Orange Bag Recycle

Please place food items to donate to our smaller local food pantries in the shopping cart next Sunday. Bring those filled up Orange Hefty Bags next week for recycling. A list of those hard to recycle items can be found in Fellowship Hall. Need more bags? Make a small donation and pick up in Fellowship Hall.

