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TRADITIONAL SERVICE
MAY 18/19, 2024
PENTECOST

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Welcome to Worship

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PREACHING:

Pastor Connie Tiede

ASSISTING:

8 AM Pr Mike Pancoast

9 AM Pr Sue Wallager

READER:

5 PM Kathy Johnson

8 AM Marlene Gray

9 AM Bob Fischer

ORGANIST: Mary Jo Gothmann

PRELUDE

GATHERING

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP:

God the Holy Spirit,

You are the restless breath of love that sweeps through the world.

You move where you will, breaking down barriers, stirring hearts to change, making all things possible.

Inspire each one of us to hunger and thirst for justice!

Come, Spirit of God,

Sweep through our world bringing great change.

May the bounty of your goodness be shared more justly,

So all may share in the rich blessings of your creation.

And, for us, bring transformation in our praying and living,

So that we may act justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with you all the days of our lives. Amen.



1 When in our mu - sic God is glo - ri - fied, and ad - o -
 2 How oft, in mak - ing mu - sic, we have found a new di -
 3 So has the church, in lit - ur - gy and song, in faith and
 4 And did not Je - sus sing a psalm that night when ut - most
 5 Let ev - 'ry in - stru - ment be tuned for praise; let all re -



ra - tion leaves no room for pride, it is as
 men - sion in the world of sound, as wor - ship
 love, through cen - tu - ries of wrong, borne wit - ness
 e - vil strove a - gainst the light? Then let us
 joice who have a voice to raise; and may God



though the whole cre - a - tion cried:
 moved us to a more pro - found
 to the truth in ev - 'ry tongue: Al - le - lu - ia!
 sing, for whom he won the fight:
 give us faith to sing al - ways:

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GREETING:

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

And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY:

Gracious and glorious God, you have chosen us as your own, and by the powerful name of Christ you protect us from evil. By your Spirit transform us and your beloved world, that we may find our joy in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

BAPTISM (5 PM): Harper Jean Ruhman

SPECIAL MUSIC (9 AM):

"Sin, Rejoice, Clap Your Hands" by Patterson
Kory Ratajczak, solo; Jonathan Campbell, piano

WORD

WORD FOR KIDS (9 AM)

LESSONS: Acts 2:1-21

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:



Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the
words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL

The Holy Gospel according to John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

THE SERMON: "First Responder" by Pastor Connie Tiede

Refrain



Spir - it, Spir - it of gen - tle - ness, blow through the wil - der - ness



call - ing and free; Spir - it, Spir - it of rest - less - ness,



stir me from plac - id - ness, wind, wind on the sea.



- 1 You moved on the wa - ters, you called to the deep,
- 2 You swept through the des - ert, you stung with the sand,
- 3 You sang in a sta - ble, you cried from a hill,
- 4 You call from to - mor - row, you break an - cient schemes.



then you coaxed up the moun - tains from the val - leys of sleep;
and you goad - ed your peo - ple with a law and a land;
then you whis - pered in si - lence when the whole world was still;
From the bond - age of sor - row all the cap - tives dream dreams;



and o - ver the e - ons you called to each thing:
and when they were blind - ed with i - dols and lies,
and down in the cit - y you called once a - gain,
our wom - en see vi - sions, our men clear their eyes.



“A - wake from your slum - bers and rise on your wings.”
then you spoke through your proph - ets to o - pen their eyes.
when you blew through your peo - ple on the rush of the wind.
With . . . bold new de - ci - sions your peo - ple a - rise.

Refrain



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ANTHEM OF THE DAY: (9 AM):

"Look at the World" by Rutter
Adult Choir; Jonathan Campbell, dir.; Mary Jo Gothmann, piano

Look at the world, ev'rything all around us: look at the world, and marvel ev'ry day.
Look at the world: so many joys and wonders, so many miracles along our way.

Refrain: Praise to thee, O Lord, for all creation, give us thankful hearts, that we may see:
All the gifts we share, and ev'ry blessing, all things come of thee

Look at the earth bringing forth fruit and flower; look at the sky,
the sunshine and the rain; Look at the hills, look at the trees and mountains,
valley and flowing river, field and plain: *Refrain*

Think of the spring, think of the warmth of summer bringing the harvest
before the winter's cold.

Ev'rything grows, ev'rything has a season, till it is gathered to the Father's fold: *Refrain*

Ev'ry good gift, all that we need and cherish comes from the Lord in token of his love;
We are his hands, stewards of all His bounty His is the earth and His the heav'ns above:
Refrain

THE APOSTLES' CREED (8 & 9 AM):

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH:

After each petition

Breath of Life, hear our song ...

The Spir - it in - ter - cedes for us with
sighs too deep for words to ex - press. Oh, oh.

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SHARING THE PEACE:

The Peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you.

(Share the peace with a wave and word of peace.)

MEAL

OFFERING

SPECIAL MUSIC (8 & 9 AM):

“Let All that Hath Breath Praise the Lord” by Austin Ringmasters; Jonathan Campbell, dir.

MANY WAYS TO GIVE

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or



OFFERTORY: *Have You Thanked the Lord*

Refrain

Have you thanked the Lord? Have you praised God's name?
Don't you know that no to - mor - row is quite the same?
Have you thanked the Lord? Have you knelt in prayer,
and re-joyced that, rain or sun-shine, our God is there?
Hal - le - lu - jah! Thank the Lord for sun, sand, and sea,
ev - 'ry star at night that shines for you and me.
Bless - ings so man - y come our way:
Refrain
have you thanked the Lord to - day?

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OFFERTORY PRAYER:

Holy God, with astonishment, we see that you renew our strength constantly. Allow us not to forget your presence and abundance. And, in our turn, we will renew our gratitude and share what you have first given us, that we might be for the world signs of your gracious presence in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING:

The Lord be 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 our thanks and praise.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

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.

DISTRIBUTION

Lord, Be Glorified

1 In my life, Lord, be glo-ri-fied, be glo-ri-fied;
 2 In our song, Lord, be glo-ri-fied, be glo-ri-fied;
 3 In your church, Lord, be glo-ri-fied, be glo-ri-fied;
 4 In your world, Lord, be glo-ri-fied, be glo-ri-fied;

in my life, Lord, be glo-ri-fied to-day.
 in our song, Lord, be glo-ri-fied to-day.
 in your church, Lord, be glo-ri-fied to-day.
 in your world, Lord, be glo-ri-fied to-day.

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Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

Lord, lis-ten to your chil-dren pray-ing, Lord, send your Spir-it in this place;

Lord, lis-ten to your chil-dren pray-ing, send us love, send us pow'r, send us grace.

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POST COMMUNION BLESSING AND PRAYER:

Gracious God, in you we live and move and have our being. With your word and this meal of grace, you have nourished our life together. Strengthen us to show your love and serve the world in Jesus' name. **Amen.**

SENDING

BENEDICTION:

So now we leave this space of worship
and while so much of the road ahead is uncertain,
the path constantly changing,
we know some things that are as solid and
sure as the ground beneath our feet,
and the sky above our heads.

We know God is love.

We know Christ's light endures.

We know the Holy Spirit is there,
found in the space between all things,
closer to us than our next breath,

binding us to each other, until we meet,

Almighty God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit bless you and keep you.

Amen.

CHORAL BLESSING (9 AM):

"Italian Blessing" by J. Campbell

*The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord's face shine on you,
and be gracious unto you, and give you peace. Amen.*



1 Rise, shine, you peo - ple! Christ the Lord has en - tered
 2 See how he sends the pow'rs of e - vil reel - ing;
 3 Come, cel - e - brate; your ban - ners high un - furl - ing,
 4 Tell how the Fa - ther sent the Son to save us.



our hu - man sto - ry; God in him is cen - tered. He comes to
 he brings us free - dom, light and life and heal - ing. All men and
 your songs and prayers a - gainst the dark - ness hurl - ing. To all the
 Tell of the Son, who life and free - dom gave us. Tell how the



us, by death and sin sur - round - ed, with grace un - bound - ed.
 wom - en, who by guilt are driv - en, now are for - giv - en.
 world go out and tell the sto - ry of Je - sus' glo - ry.
 Spir - it calls from ev - 'ry na - tion God's new cre - a - tion.

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DISMISSAL:

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

CAMP WAPO SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Zion has a long history of supporting kids and youth active in our children and youth programming to go to Bible camp at Camp Wapo, and we need your help to be able to continue to support our families through the Camp Wapo Scholarship Fund. Our main sources of funds for these scholarships are from Thrivent Choice Dollars and direct donations. If you are a member of Thrivent Financial, you can look into your eligibility to direct Thrivent Choice Dollars at www.thrivent.com/thriventchoice or call Thrivent at 1-800-847-4836, follow the prompts and a Thrivent representative will work with you to direct your Choice Dollars to Zion. You can also send donations to Zion for the Camp Wapo Scholarship Fund. Checks should be made out to Zion Lutheran Church and "Scholarship Fund" written in the memo line. Thank you for your continued support of our Bible camp scholarship fund at Zion!

CYF CONTINUES SUPPORT OF DINESH AND SRIMATHI

Last year, Zion's children and youth began sponsoring two children through Lutheran Partners in Global Ministry, Dinesh (age 10) and Srimathi (age 8). The program called Project Education India works with Dalit-led Arcot Lutheran Church in India and provides boarding home schools for thousands of children. We provide \$40.00 per month per child. To participate, donate to Zion Lutheran Church and indicate LPGM/Project Education India on your envelope or go to www.zionanoka.org and click the GIVE TODAY button on the home page. A display of emails exchanged between Dinesh, Srimathi and our Zion kiddos is located outside the CYF office, lower level!

SCAM ALERT

If you should receive an email or text message from a Zion pastor or staff member requesting that you donate gift cards for someone in need, please delete. It is a scam. Zion congregation, pastors or staff will not send emails requesting gift cards or money. Please be on alert for such scams.

CONGREGATIONAL GODPARENTS NEEDED

Every child needs AAA (authentic, available and affirming) adults in their lives – the more the better! At Zion we believe in "marinating" our children in prayer and being present from the beginning. That is why we have Congregational Godparents – AAA adults who are willing to be present at the baptism of a child and pray for them every day and send cards (which are provided) on their birthdays and the anniversary of their baptism. It's an easy job, but a vital one. We are in need of people who would like to be part of this ministry and be present at the baptism. Contact Kristine Johnson or Pastor Connie for more information.

WE WELCOME YOU TO WORSHIP

Hearing Assistance Units Available

Hearing assistance units are available at the sound booth at the back of the Sanctuary.

Mobility Concerns

We have areas in the sanctuary where a wheelchair or walker will fit. Ushers can assist you.

Children Welcome

Activity bags are available outside the sanctuary. We have two "pray grounds" in the sanctuary with plenty of places just outside the sanctuary as well where children can sit and play.

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HOSPITAL VISITS AND PASTORAL CARE

If you or a family member are in the hospital or have had a change in your health status and would like a pastoral visit, please call the church office at 763-421-4656, email Kristine at kjohnson@zionanoka.org or Pr. Sue at swallager@zionanoka.org or let any of the pastors know. The pastoral staff will be very happy to visit you and provide pastoral care. Thank you.

COMMUNION FOR HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

One of Zion's most important ministries is reaching out to our homebound members. We do this by radio, Cable-TV and livestreaming of worship services, visits by our Visitation Minister Ken Johnson, Zion's monthly newsletter "The Herald" and monthly services at assisted living facilities. Sharing Holy Communion is one of the most meaningful ways we connect with our homebound members. Zion has a visitation team that provides this ministry. If you or a family member would like a monthly home communion visit please call the church office at 763-421-4656. We are also looking for kind, caring souls to add to our visitation team. Please contact Pastor Sue at swallager@zionanoka.org if you would like to become part of the *Home Communion Visitation Team*.

PRAYER MINISTRY INVITATION

If you have a celebration or concern you would like the prayer team to include in their prayers, complete a green prayer card located in the Sanctuary pew racks, in Zion's Chapel and also at the front desk or you can email your celebration/concern to prayer@zionanoka.org. If you would like to be a part of Zion's Prayer Team Ministry or would like more information, contact Pastor Sue swallager@zionanoka.org.

MATTHEW BAGS

Thank you to all who have generously donated to the Matthew Bag Ministry. You may wonder "Where do these bags go?" Besides parishioners handing them out to those in need, that we see, they also go to the following: Salvation Army store at Northtown, ACBC, Hope4Youth, Anoka Metro Regional Treatment Center, Anoka Ramsey Community College, Anoka Technical College and Hennepin Technical College. Each bag contains water, food bars, personal hygiene items and socks. Again thank you for your continued support.