

SHARING THE MEAL



All are welcome at the Lord's Table.

Ingredients and nutrition information for the communion bread are available on the bulletin board in the Narthex. **Gluten-free wafers are available—simply ask an usher.**

Verse 1: **You are My All in All**
You are my strength
When I am weak
You are the treasure
That I seek
You are my all in all
Seeking You as a precious jew'l
Lord to give up I'd be a fool
You are my all in all

Chorus: Jesus Lamb of God
Worthy is Your name
Jesus Lamb of God
Worthy is Your name

Verse 2: Taking my sin
My cross my shame
Rising again I bless Your name
You are my all in all
When I fall down You pick me up
When I am dry You fill my cup
You are my all in all (chorus)

COMMUNION BLESSING

L: May the body and blood of our precious Lord and Savior, strengthen you and keep you to life everlasting.

C: Amen.

PRAYER AFTER HOLY COMMUNION

L: Compassionate God, through the gifts of bread and wine our hearts are filled with the abundance of your love. Strengthen us that we, through this holy meal, may share your love freely, as you have shared with us. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit nourishing us now and forever.

C: Amen.

BLESSING

L: Receive this blessing: Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer, one God, bless, heal, and hold you today and always.

C: Amen.

SENDING SONG

I'm So Glad Jesus Lifted Me

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DISMISSAL

L: Heaven has come near. Go, share the good news!

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

I'm So Glad Jesus Lifted Me

SUNDAY WORSHIP

September 13, 2026 †



*Created for relationship with God, all people everywhere and creation itself.
Called to equip people to serve by growing disciples of Jesus Christ.*

Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Rally Sunday - 9:45am Worship

SERVING AT WORSHIP TODAY

Rev. Leland Armbright

Kate Sanderson, Accompanist

Chancel Singers Choir

Cornerstone

Special music by Arriana Stone & Beto Farias

OSLC Youth

PRELUDE

How Great Thou Art

(special music)

WELCOME

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

L: God of reconciliation,

C: we confess that we do not trust your abundance, and we turn from your presence in our lives. We place our hope in ourselves and rely on our own efforts. We fail to believe that you provide enough for all. We abuse your good creation for our own benefit. We fear difference and do not welcome others as you have welcomed us. We sin in thought, word, and deed. By your grace, forgive us; through your love, renew us; and in your Spirit, lead us; so that we may live and serve you in newness of life. Amen.

L: Beloved people of God, by the radical abundance of God's grace we have peace with God through Christ Jesus, through whom we have obtained grace upon grace. Our sins are forgiven and we are called to live in hope because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

GATHERING SONG

10,000 Reasons

Chorus: Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name

Verse 1: The sun comes up it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing when the evening comes (chorus)

Verse 2: You're rich in love and You're slow to anger
Your name is great and Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find (chorus)

Verse 3: And on that day when my strength is failing
The end draws near and my time has come
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending
Ten thousand years and then forevermore (chorus)

GREETING

Children are invited to come forward to lead this portion of the service.

L: 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

L: Let us pray. O God,

C: enliven and preserve your church with your perpetual mercy. Without your help, we mortals will fail; remove far from us everything that is harmful, and lead us toward all that gives life and salvation, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

HYMN OF PRAISE

Awake, O Sleeper, Rise from Death
verses 1 - 3

ELW#452

SCRIPTURE READINGS - Reader: Ruel Carpenter

PSALM 103: [1-7] 8-13

L: Bless the LORD, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless God's holy name.

C: Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all God's benefits—

L: who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases;

C: who redeems your life from the grave and crowns you with steadfast love and mercy;

L: who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like an eagle's.

C: O LORD, you provide vindication and justice for all who are oppressed.

L: You made known your ways to Moses and your works to the children of Israel.

C: LORD, you are full of compassion and mercy, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love;

L: you will not always accuse us, nor will you keep your anger forever.

C: You have not dealt with us according to our sins, nor repaid us according to our iniquities.

L: For as the heavens are high above the earth, so great is your steadfast love for those who fear you.

C: As far as the east is from the west, so far have you removed our transgressions from us.

L: As a father has compassion for his children, so you have compassion for those who fear you, O LORD.

MATTHEW 18:21-35

Peter came and said to [Jesus,] "Lord, if my brother or sister sins against me, how often should I forgive? As many as seven times?" Jesus said to him, "Not seven times, but, I tell you, seventy-seven times. "For this reason the kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who wished to settle accounts with his slaves. When he began the reckoning, one who owed him ten thousand talents was brought to him, and, as he could not pay, the lord ordered him to be sold, together with his wife and children and all his possessions and payment to be made. So the slave fell on his knees before him, saying, 'Have patience with me, and I will pay you everything.' And out of pity for him, the lord of that slave released him and forgave him the debt. But that same slave, as he went out, came upon one of his fellow slaves who owed him a hundred denarii, and seizing him by the throat he said, 'Pay what you owe.' Then his fellow slave fell down and pleaded with him, 'Have patience with me, and I will pay you.' But he refused; then he went and threw him into prison until he would pay the debt. When his fellow slaves saw what had happened, they were greatly distressed, and they went and reported to their lord all that had taken place. Then his lord summoned him and said to him, 'You wicked slave! I forgave you all that debt because you pleaded with me. Should you not have had mercy on your fellow slave, as I had mercy on you?' And in anger his lord handed him over to be tortured until he would pay his entire debt. So my heavenly Father will also do to every one of you, if you do not forgive your brother or sister from your heart."

L: The Gospel of the Lord!

C: Praise to you, O Christ!

SERMON

Pastor Leland Armbricht

HYMN OF THE DAY

Where Charity and Love Prevail
verses 1 - 4

ELW#359

APOSTLES CREED

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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

After each intercession, please respond to the words

L: "Lord in your mercy," with the words,

C: "Hear Our Prayer."

RECONCILIATION

L: The peace of the Lord be with you all.

C: And also with you.

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OFFERING PRAYER

L: Loving God, we offer at your table the gifts of our hearts. Help us take heart in you and share freely of your love, so that all creation can taste your abundance. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit abiding with us now and forever.

C: Amen.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

L: The Lord be with you!

C: And also with you.

L: Lift up your hearts!

C: We lift them to the Lord.

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

C: It is right to give him thanks and praise!

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread, Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.