

June 30, 2024 – Livestream Sixth Sunday After Pentecost

WORDS OF WELCOME Brandon Wallace **ANNOUNCEMENTS** *SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST PRELUDE Depth of Mercy arr. R. G. te Velde *CALL TO WORSHIP Leader: The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases, God's mercies never come to an end; People: they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness Leader: "The God is my portion," says my soul, "therefore I will hope in the Lord." People: The Lord is good to those who wait, to the soul who seeks God. *OPENING HYMN #340 *Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy* Come, ye sinners, poor and needy, weak and wounded, sick and sore; Jesus ready stands to save you, full of pity, love, and power. Refrain: I will arise and go to Jesus; he will embrace me with his arms; in the arms of my dear Savior, O there are ten thousand charms. *Come, ye thirsty, come, and welcome, God's free bounty glorify;* true belief and true repentance, every grace that brings you nigh. [Refrain]

Come ye weary, heavy laden, lost and ruined by the fall; if you tarry till you're better, you will never come at all. [Refrain]

Let not conscience make you linger, nor of fitness fondly dream; all the fitness he requireth is to feel your need of him. [Refrain]

OPENING PRAYER

GATHERING

God our Healer, who has woven life with wisdom and mercy. May we be empowered to participate in the great work of your grace, by the remedy of the Holy Spirit, for the transformation of the world,

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

| ANTHEM Prayer Before Singing D. Hustace A song is a beautiful thing! Voices join in full-throated melody, and lift to blend in glorious harmony, our hearts are moved, even lifted to ecstasy, with a song; for a song is a beautiful thing. But when I sing, Lord, let it not be for me alone lest fruitless I be when day is done; touch Thou my lips, Thy beauty let me see, and fill my heart with love eternally, that all may come to know and adore Thee, Lord, this prayer I bring; Lord, to Thee I sing! | | | |
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| *CANTICLE OF PRAISE #762 Psalm 30 Darren Cushman Wood Leader: I will extol you, O Lord, for you have lifted me up and did not let my foes rejoice over me. | | | |
| People: O Lord my God, I cried | - | | |
| and you healed me. | | | |
| Leader: O Lord, you brought up my soul from Sheol, | | | |
| People: restored me to life from among those gone down to the pit. | | | |
| Leader: Sing praises to the Lor | d, O his faithful ones, | | |
| and give thanks to his holy name. | | | |
| People: Surely the Lord's ange | er is but for a moment; | | |
| the Lord's favor is for | a lifetime. | | |
| Leader: Weeping may tarry for | r the night, | | |
| but joy comes in the n | norning. | | |
| People: As for me, I said in pro | osperity, | | |
| "I shall never be mov | ed." | | |

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST LESSON

2 Corinthians 8:7-15

⁷Now as you excel in everything— in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in utmost eagerness, and in our love for you— so we want you to excel also in this generous undertaking. ⁸I do not say this as a command, but I am, by mentioning the eagerness of others, testing the genuineness of your love. ⁹ For you know the generous act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich. ¹⁰ And in this matter I am giving my opinion: it is beneficial for you who began last year not only to do something but even to desire to do something. ¹¹ Now finish doing it, so that your eagerness may be matched by completing it according to your means. ¹² For if the eagerness is there, the gift is acceptable according to what one has, not according to what one does not have. ¹³ For I do not mean that there should be relief for others and hardship for you, but it is a question of equality between ¹⁴ your present abundance and their need, so that their abundance may also supply your need, in order that there may be equality. ¹⁵ As it is written,

"The one who had much did not have too much, and the one who had little did not have too little."

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God. **People: Thanks be to God.**

HYMN OF PRAYER #2136

Out of the Depths

Out of the depths, O God, we call to you. Wounds of the past remain, affecting all we do. Facing our lives, we need your love so much. Here in this community, heal us by your touch. Out of the depths of fear, O God, we speak. Breaking the silences, the searing truth we seek. Safe among friends, our grief and rage we share. Here in this community, hold us in your care.

God of the loving heart, we praise your name. Dance through our lives and loves; anoint with Spirit flame. Your light illumines each familiar face. Here in this community, meet us with your grace.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER #895

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. Amen.

MUSICAL RESPONSE #349

Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in his wonderful face, and the things of earth will grow strangely dim in the light of his glory and grace.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY SOLO How Can I Keep from Singing arr. J. Richards Rachelle Woolston, soprano My life flows on in endless song, above earth's lamentation. I hear the real, though far off hymn, that hails a new creation. Above the tumult and the strife, I hear its music ringing. It sounds an echo in my soul. How can I keep from singing? What though the tempest loudly roars, I hear the truth it liveth. What though the darkness around me close, songs in the night it giveth. No storm can shake my inmost calm while to that rock I'm clinging. Since Love is Lord of heaven and earth. How can I keep from singing? As God in heaven, my stay will be forever praises singing, and with the angels blend my voice, a song in heaven bringing. When to God's ear on angel's wing my song, at last, I'm bringing, my praise shall then in heaven resound! How can I keep from singing? His praises all my days I will sing!

*Doxology #94

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts!

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Amy Sell

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*GOSPEL LESSON

Mark 5:21-43

²¹ When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered around him, and he was by the sea. ²² Then one of the leaders of the synagogue, named Jairus, came and, when he saw him, fell at his feet ²³ and pleaded with him repeatedly, "My little daughter is at the point of death. Come and lay your hands on her, so that she may be made well and live." ²⁴ So he went with him.

And a large crowd followed him and pressed in on him. ²⁵ Now there was a woman who had been suffering from a flow of blood for twelve years. ²⁶ She had endured much under many physicians and had spent all that she had, and she was no better but rather grew worse. ²⁷ She had heard about Jesus and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak, ²⁸ for she said, "If I but touch his cloak, I will be made well." ²⁹ Immediately her flow of blood stopped, and she felt in her body that she was healed of her disease. ³⁰ Immediately aware that power had gone forth from him, Jesus turned about in the crowd and said, "Who touched my cloak?" ³¹ And his disciples said to him, "You see the crowd pressing in on you; how can you say, 'Who touched me?' " ³² He looked all around to see who had done it. ³³ But the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling, fell down before him, and told him the whole truth. ³⁴ He said to her, "Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease."

³⁵ While he was still speaking, some people came from the synagogue leader's house to say, "Your daughter is dead. Why trouble the teacher any further?" ³⁶ But overhearing what they said, Jesus said to the synagogue leader, "Do not be afraid; only believe." ³⁷ He allowed no one to follow him except Peter, James, and John, the brother of James. ³⁸ When they came to the synagogue leader's house, he saw a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. ³⁹ When he had entered, he said to them, "Why do you make a commotion and weep? The child is not dead but sleeping." ⁴⁰ And they laughed at him. Then he put them all outside and took the child's father and mother and those who were with him and went in where the child was. ⁴¹ Taking her by the hand, he said to her, "Talitha koum," which means, "Little girl, get up!" ⁴² And immediately the girl stood up and began to walk about (she was twelve years of age). At this they were overcome with amazement. ⁴³ He strictly ordered them that no one should know this and told them to give her something to eat.

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God. **People: Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

Your Faith Has Healed You

Emily Willson

*HYMN OF DEDICATION #2213

Healer of Our Every Ill

Refrain: Healer of our every ill, light of each tomorrow, give us peace beyond our fear, and hope beyond our sorrow.

You who know our fears and sadness, grace us with your peace and gladness; Spirit of all comfort, fill our hearts. [Refrain]

In the pain and joy beholding how your grace is still unfolding, give us all your vision, God of love. [Refrain]

Give us strength to love each other, every sister, every brother; Spirit of all kindness, be our guide. [Refrain]

You who know each thought and feeling, teach us all your way of healing; Spirit of compassion, fill each heart. [Refrain]

| Upcoming Events: | | |
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| July 7 – 12, Camp at Pine Creek | This week's worship leaders: Darren Cushman Wood Senior Pastor Amy Sell Minister of Discipleship & Formation Brandon Wallace Minister of Youth & Young Adults Emily Willson Pastoral Intern James Horton, Allen McCormack & John Hague Audio Visual Mark Gilgallon Music Director Heather Hinton | |
| Tuesdays, July 2-30, 6-7:30pm "Hearing and Doing" Book of James Study with Emily Willson at Guggman Haus Brewing Co. Farmers Market Dates July 11, July 18, Aug. 1, Aug. 15, Sept. 5, and Sept. 19, 4:00 — 6:00 pm July 14, Indianapolis Indians Game, Victory Field, 1:30pm July 28, Backpack Blessing during both services | | |
| | | August 4, Children and Youth Volunteer Training |
| | | August 17, Children, Youth, and Families Turkey Run Canoeing, Hiking, and Picnic |
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