



WORSHIP AT THE LAKE

9:00 am
Sunday, July 12th, 2020
Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

American Lutheran Church, Windom
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5:30 PM Wednesday Worship
9:00 AM Sunday Worship
Pastors Sarah Tadé and Adam Roberts
Ministers: Everyone

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Sarah Tailowright

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Noisy offering

GLOW: *School Kit Supplies*

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Blessed be God!

C: Who carries our griefs.

L: Blessed be God!

C: Who lightens our burdens.

L: Blessed be God!

C: Who gifts us with peace.

OPENING SONG:

"He Has Made Me Glad"

ALC #145

I will enter His gates with thanksgiving in my heart, I will enter His courts with praise.

I will say, "This is the day that the Lord has made, I will rejoice for He has made me glad."

He has made me glad, He has made me glad;

I will rejoice for he has made me glad.

He has made me glad, He has made me glad;

I will rejoice for He has made me glad.

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CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: We confess our sins before God and one another.

Pause for silence and reflection.

P: Loving God,

C: When our path becomes difficult, we do not always turn to you. We look for an easy way out. We escape in avoidance and addiction. We forget your promises and seek what does not satisfy. Forgive us and bring us back into the strength of your Spirit.

P: God is generous and loving and forgiving. Hear and believe that your sins are washed away and that new life is yours through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

SONG OF PRAISE

"Give Me Oil In My Lamp"

1) Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning,

Give me oil in my lamp, I pray,!

Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning,

Keep me burning till the break of day

Refrain:

Sing hosanna, sing hosanna, sing hosanna to the King of kings!

Sing hosanna, sing hosanna, sing hosanna to the King!

2) Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising.

Give me joy in my heart, I pray.
Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising.
Keep me praising till the break of day.
Refrain:

3) Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting.
Give me peace in my heart, I pray.
Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting.
Keep me resting till the break of day. [Refrain]

4) Give me love in my heart, keep me serving.
Give me love in my heart, I pray.
Give me love in my heart, keep me serving.
Keep me serving till the break of day. [Refrain]

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Compassionate God, You long for your people to find consolation within your community. Bind us together as your people that we might seek to bear one another's burdens, for the sake of Christ, Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING

2 Corinthians 1:1-11

Tera Elness, Reader

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, To the church of God that is in Corinth, including all the saints throughout Achaia: ²Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

³Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and the God of all consolation, ⁴who consoles us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to console those who are in any affliction with the consolation with which we ourselves are consoled by God. ⁵For just as the sufferings of Christ are abundant for us, so also our consolation is abundant through Christ. ⁶If we are being afflicted, it is for your consolation and salvation; if we are being consoled, it is for your consolation, which you experience when you patiently endure the same sufferings that we are also suffering.

⁷Our hope for you is unshaken; for we know that as you share in our sufferings, so also you share in our consolation. ⁸We do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, of the affliction we experienced in Asia; for we were so utterly, unbearably crushed that we despaired of life itself. ⁹Indeed, we felt that we had received the sentence of death so that we would rely not on ourselves but on God who raises the dead. ¹⁰He who rescued us from so deadly a peril will continue to rescue us; on him we have set our hope that he will rescue us again, ¹¹as you also join in helping us by your prayers, so that many will give thanks on our behalf for the blessing granted us through the prayers of many.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Melanie Shamp, CE Coordinator

MESSAGE

Pastor Sarah

I love to tell the story
 Of unseen things above
 Of Jesus and His glory
 Of Jesus and His love
 I love to tell the story
 Because I know 'tis true
 It satisfies my longings
 As nothing else can do

Chorus: I love to tell the story
 'Twill be my theme in glory
 To tell the old old story
 Of Jesus and His love

I love to tell the story
 'Tis pleasant to repeat
 What seems each time I tell it
 More wonderfully sweet
 I love to tell the story
 For some have never heard
 The message of salvation
 From God's own holy Word (Chorus)

I love to tell the story
 For those who know it best
 Seem hungering and thirsting
 To hear it like the rest
 And when in scenes of glory
 I sing the new new song
 'Twill be the old old story
 That I have loved so long (Chorus)

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APOSTLES' CREED

“I Believe, I do Believe”

Chorus:

*I believe, I do believe, truly I believe it, truly I believe it, truly I believe it,
 I believe, I do believe, truly I believe, truly I believe it, truly I believe it.*

- 1. I believe in God the Almighty Lord Creator, Mighty Lord Creator, Mighty Lord Creator.
 I believe in God the Almighty Lord Creator, Mighty Lord Creator, Mighty Lord Creator.*
- 2. I believe in Jesus the Savior of the people Savior of the people, Savior of the people.
 I believe in Jesus the Savior of the people Savior of the people, Savior of the people.*

3. *And I do believe in the power of the Spirit, power of the Spirit, power of the Spirit.
And I do believe in the power of the Spirit, power of the Spirit, power of the Spirit.*

SHARING OF THE PEACE USING SIGN LANGUAGE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERING

*We give, because God gives to us! Our ministries share God's love.
As you leave, there will be an opportunity to place your offering in the offering baskets
located on the front table.*

OFFERTORY PRAYER:

**Bless these gifts which we now bring to your altar, O Lord, and may they be
blessings for the community of your people worldwide, wherever there is need.
In Jesus' holy name we pray, Amen.**

LORD'S PRAYER

BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG

"Beautiful Savior"

ELW #838

Beautiful Savior, King of creation, Son of God and Son of Man!
Truly I'd love thee, truly I'd serve thee, light of my soul, my joy, my crown.

Fair are the meadows, fair are the woodlands, robed in flow'rs of blooming spring;
Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer, he makes our sorrowing spirit sing.

Fair is the sunshine, fair is the moonlight, bright the sparkling stars on high'
Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer than all the angels in the sky.

Beautiful Savior, Lord of the nations, Son of God and Son of Man!
Glory and honor, praise, adoration, now and forevermore be thine!

DISMISSAL

Go in Peace, Serve the Lord. / **We will! Thanks be to God!**

POSTLUDE

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The Church in Society Committee will be serving ice cream treats following the service.

Welcome to the American Lutheran Church service at Cottonwood Lake. The noisy offering collected today will help support GLOW-School Kits. All donations will go towards school supplies for the ELCA Mission in Action Backpacks filled with school supplies. Imagine having to choose between a meal or purchasing a notebook. School Kits are sent to places where even the few required school supplies may be more than a family can afford. Pencils and paper can help write a positive future. These backpacks are assembled by GLOW and are distributed internationally to children in

