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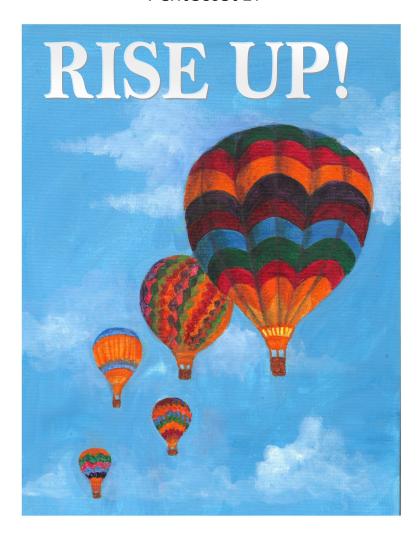
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PRELUDE: "Rise Up Lazarus"

GATHERING SONG: ELW 679 "For the Fruit of All Creation" (all verses)

For the Fruit of All Creation



Text: Fred Pratt Green, 1903-2000

Music: AR HYD Y NOS, Welsh traditional

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WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Confession and Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, whose teaching is life, whose presence is sure, and whose love is endless.

A: Amen.

- P: Let us confess our sins to the one who welcomes us with an open heart.
- P: God our comforter:
- A: like lost sheep, we have gone astray. We gaze upon abundance and see scarcity. We turn our faces away from injustice and oppression. We exploit the earth with our apathy and greed. Free us from our sin, gracious God. Listen when we call out to you for help. Lead us by your love to love our neighbors as ourselves.
- A: Amen.
- P: All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God. By the gift of grace in + Christ Jesus, God makes you righteous. Receive with glad hearts the forgiveness of all your sins.
- A: Amen.



GREETING

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

Stewardship Hymn ELW 678 "God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending" (all verses)

God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending



- God, whose giv-ing knows no end-ing, from your rich and end less store:
- Skills and time are ours for press-ing toward the goals of Christ, your Son: Trea-sure, too, you have en-trust-ed, gain through pow'rs your grace con-ferred;



na-ture's won-der, Je - sus' wis-dom, cost-ly cross, grave's shat - tered door, peace in health and free-dom, rac - es joined, the church made one. ours to use for home and kin-dred, and to spread the gos - pel word.



gift - ed by you, we turn to you, of - f'ring up our - s Now di - rect our dai - ly la - bor, lest we strive for gift - ed our - selves in praise; self a - lone; O - pen wide our hands in shar-ing, as we heed Christ's age-less call,



of our thank-ful song shall rise for - ev - er, gra-cious do - nor days. ser - vants fit to born with tal - ents, make us an - swer at your throne. heal-ing, teach-ing, and re - claim-ing, serv-ing you by lov-ing all.

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

- **P:** Let us pray.
- **P:** Sovereign God, you turn your greatness into goodness for all the peoples on earth. Shape us into willing servants of your kingdom, and make us desire always and only your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
- A: **Amen**



WORD

PSALM: Psalm 91: 9-16

You have made the LORD your refuge, and the Most High your habitation. (Ps. 91:9)

- P: ⁹Because you have made the LORD your refuge, and the Most High your habitation,
- A: ¹⁰no evil will befall you, nor shall affliction come near your dwelling.
- P: ¹¹For God will give the angels charge over you, to guard you in all your ways.
- A: ¹²Upon their hands they will bear you up, lest you strike your foot against a stone.
- P: ¹³You will tread upon the lion cub and viper; you will trample down the lion and the serpent.
- A: ¹⁴I will deliver those who cling to me; I will uphold them, because they know my name.
- P: ¹⁵They will call me, and I will answer them; I will be with them in trouble; I will rescue and honor them.
- A: ¹⁶With long life will I satisfy them, and show them my salvation.

GOSPEL (Please stand as you are able)



Gospel: Mark 10: 35-45

R: The Gospel of Mark, in the tenth chapter.

A: Glory to you, O Lord.

On the way to Jerusalem the disciples ask Jesus to grant them seats of honor. Jesus responds by announcing that he and his followers will "rule" through self-giving service.

³⁵James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." ³⁶And he said to them, "What is it you want me to do for you?" ³⁷And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory." ³⁸But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?" ³⁹They replied, "We are able." Then Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; ⁴⁰but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared."

⁴¹When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. ⁴²So Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. ⁴³But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, ⁴⁴and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. ⁴⁵For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many."

R: The Gospel of the Lord.

A: Praise to you, O Christ.

Special Music: Sunday School Kids

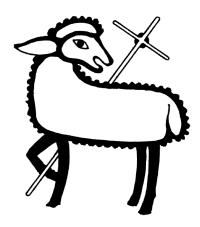
Message: Pastor Sue

SONG OF THE DAY: ELW 793 "Be Thou My Vision" (all verses)

Be Thou My Vision



Text: Irish, 8th cent.; vers. Eleanor H. Hull, 1860–1935, alt.; tr. Mary E. Byrne, 1880–1931 Music: SLANE, Irish traditional



NICENE CREED (ELW p. 152)

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven. was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate: he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son,* who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

P: Set free from sin and death and nourished by the word of truth, we join in prayer for all of God's creation.

Hear Us, O God.

A: Your Mercy is great.

P: Confident that you hear us, O God, we boldly place our prayers into your hands; through Jesus Christ, our truth and life.

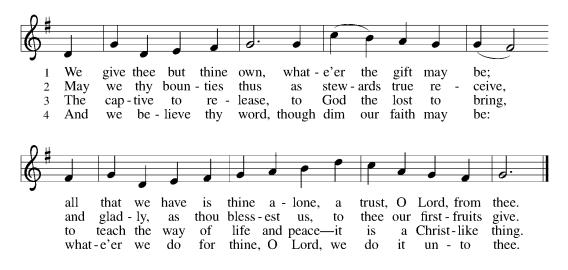
A: Amen.

OFFERING

OFFERING SONG: ELW 686
"We Give Thee but Thine Own

How you can give:
GIVE NOW on website
TEXT to 833-623-0354
Ask for help setting up electronic giving

We Give Thee but Thine Own



Text: William W. How, 1823–1897, alt. Music: HEATH, L. Mason and G. Webb, *Cantica Lauda*, 1850

OFFERING PRAYER

P: Let us pray:

God of abundance, you cause streams to break forth in the desert and manna to rain from the heavens. Accept the gifts you have first given us. Unite them with the offering of our lives to nourish the world you love so dearly; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

A: Amen

HOLY COMMUNION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:

Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying:

This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

LORD'S PRAYER (Please stand as you are able)

P: Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

A: 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.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

All who hunger and thirst, come. The table is ready.

COMMUNION HYMNS ELW 685 "TAKE MY LIFE, THAT I MAY BE"

COMMUNION

The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ, shed for you.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

- Lord of life, in the gift of your body and blood you turn the crumbs of our faith into a feast P: of salvation. Send us forth into the world with shouts of joy, bearing witness to the abundance of your love in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
- A: Amen.

BLESSING

People of God, you are Christ's L: body, bringing new life to a suffering world.

SENDING SONG: ELW 547 "Sent Forth by God's Blessing" (all verses)



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Music: THE ASH GROVE, Welsh folk tune
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DISMISSAL

- **P**: Go in peace. The living Word dwells in you.
- Thanks be to God. A:

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What's happening this week...

Sunday, October 17th

8:15 am Adult Forum

10:15 am Stewardship Meeting

10:15 am Live Nativity Meeting

Monday, October 18th

6:00 pm Emotions Anonymous

Wednesday, October 20th

5:15 Community Meal

6:00 pm Worship

6:30 pm Confirmation and Children's Church,

Adult Fellowship/Education

Prayer/Psalms group meets on Thursday mornings at 9:00 am in Pastor Sue's office. We will read through the Psalms and pray through our congregation's prayer list, for current events, for the world and all in need.

Your church council has 3 openings coming up at our next annual meeting. We invite you to pray about stepping into a leadership position for your church. The terms are 3 years. It is a great opportunity to give of your time for the ministry of LLLC. For more information, please talk to any of our current council reps listed in the bulletin.

Don't forget about Fellowship Café on Tuesdays from 9:30 am-12:00 pm! This is a wonderful opportunity to fellowship with some of your church family!

Mission quilting will resume on Tuesday Oct. 26th in the Cornerstone building. Mark your calendars for the last Tuesday of each month and join the fun. We will start at 9 am and be done by 4pm. We have morning coffee and potluck lunch, so bring something to share. Coffee is always on.

Our annual Trunk or Treat Event is coming up on Saturday, October 30th! We will need some awesome trunks and bags of candy to make this fun event work! Sign up on the kiosk, put your candy in the bucket!

Visioning will continue with the following meetings:

Wednesday, Oct. 20th 7:15 pm; Sunday, Oct. 24th 10:30 am; Monday, Nov. 1st 7:00 pm.

Come for one or come for them all! Great discussions about our needs into the future are happening. We are looking for members to become part of the building team. Please pray about giving of your time for this important calling.

Bible Study on Thursday mornings at 10:30 am in the Conference Room. We are exploring "The New Testament You Never Knew" by N.T. Wright, exploring the context, purpose, and meaning of the story of God.

PRAYER CONCERNS (Let us know how we can pray for you)

Pray for healing for: Dale Strike, Wanda Strike, Wanda's cousin Marie, Wanda's and Dale's friends Gene and William, Larry Oliver, Diane Englund, Sharon Johnson, Marcy Stoeckel's niece Erin, Karen Baker's mom Floy, Dave and Mel Ringstad's friend Sue, Ron Selix's sister Donna, Becky Agranoff's uncle Del, Shawna's dad Mike, Claudia Hanson's friend Beth, Gary Grell's brother Dave, Kent and Joanne Eittreim's friends Scott and Katie, Carol Vogtlin's husband Jim, Kate Allison, Colleen Evenson, Marvel Dahl, Karen Baker's niece Angie Bentley, Sharon Stanius' sister-in-law Jackie Englund, Aaron Gustafson, Lisa Gustafson's friend Brenda, Lynn Ulwelling, John Hass' cousin Paige Sundeen and his nephew Kevin Bagne, Julie Nielsen's cousin LaVerne, Odin Olson, Bill Sudeith's brother Russ, Gary Grell's sister-in-law Pam Grell, Joanne Eittreim, Shawna.