2024

## "Worship the God of Wonders"



# WELCOME TO WORSHIP SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Outdoor worshipers, tune your car radio to 106.1 FM to hear and join in today's Worship service

It is my pleasure to tell you about the miraculous signs and wonders that the Most High God has performed for me. How great are His signs, how mighty His wonders! His kingdom is an eternal kingdom; His dominion endures from generation to generation..

Daniel 4:2,3

#### **Call Statement:**

"My call is to share my Faith in Christ"

#### **Mission Statement:**

"To live my Faith in Christ I will build loving relationships so others will become disciples with Jesus as Lord and Savior."

#### THE WELCOME AND PRAYER

#### **BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

Leader: In the name of the Father, and the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Leader: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love You and worthily magnify Your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

Leader: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness....Most merciful God,

All: we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against You in thought, word and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

Pastor: Almighty God, in His mercy, has given His Son to die for you and, for His sake, forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

#### THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And also with you (Greet each other sharing Christ's

peace.)

HYMN LBW #561

For the Beauty of the Earth Verse 1

For the beauty of the earth, for the beauty of the skies,
For the love which from our birth
Over and around us lies:
Christ our Lord, to You we raise
This our sacrifice of praise.

Verse 2

For the wonder of each hour
Of the day and of the night,
Hill and vale and tree and flow'r,
Sun and moon and stars of light:
Christ, our Lord, to You we raise
This our sacrifice of praise.

Verse 3

For the joy of ear and eye,
For the heart and mind's delight,
For the mystic harmony
Linking sense to sound and sight:
Christ, our Lord, to You we raise
This our sacrifice of praise.

Verse 4

For the joy of human love, Brother, sister, parent, child, Friends on earth and friends above; For all gentle thoughts and mild: Christ, our Lord, to You we raise, This our sacrifice of praise. Verse 5

For Yourself, best gift divine
To the world so freely giv'n;
Agent of God's grand design,
Peace on earth and joy in heav'n:
Christ, our Lord, to You we raise
This our sacrifice of praise.

The APOSTOLIC GREETING LBW pg. 78

The KYRIE LBW pg. 78

The HYMN OF PRAISE LBW pg. 81

The SALUTATION LBW pg. 82

**THE PRAYER OF THE DAY** 

Pastor: Let us pray: Almighty and Eternal God,

All: By Your Son You promised us forgiveness of our sins and deliverance from eternal death. We pray that by Your Holy Spirit You will daily increase our faith in Your grace through Christ and establish us in the certain hope that we will not die, but peacefully sleep and be raised again on the last day to eternal life and salvation; through Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one true God, now and forever.

Amen. Veit Dietrich

THE LESSONS Lamentations 3:22-33

Psalm 30

THE GOSPEL Mark 5:21-43

THE MESSAGE Pastor Jeffrey J. Lee

Having Faith

#### **HYMN**

### My Faith Looks Up to Thee

LBW #479

Verse 1

My faith looks up to Thee,

Thou Lamb of Calvary, Savior divine! Now hear me while I pray; Take all my guilt away. Oh, let me from this day Be wholly Thine!

Verse 2

May Thy rich grace impart Strength to my fainting heart, My zeal inspire. As Thou hast died for me, Oh, may my love to Thee Pure, warm, and changeless be, A living fire!

Verse 3

While life's dark maze I tread. And griefs around me spread Be Thou my Guide. Bid darkness turn to day; Wipe sorrow's tears away; Nor let me ever stray From Thee aside!

Verse 4

When ends life's transient dream, When death's cold, sullen stream Shall o'er me roll; Blest Savior, then in love, Fear and distrust remove; Oh, bear me safe above, A ransomed soul!

#### **APOSTLES' CREED**

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#### THE PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Pastor: Brothers and sisters in Christ, let us be united as the Church in heart and mind as we go to our heavenly Father

in prayer.

Pastor: (After each petition. . .) Lord, in your mercy,

All: hear our prayer.

Pastor: . . . Accept, O LORD, the prayers of Your faithful people

for the well being of Your holy Church throughout the world. Govern and sanctify it, with all its pastors and ministers, by Your Holy Spirit, that we may be kept by Your Word in true

Faith and fervent love toward You and one another.

AII: Amen. The GREAT THANKSGIVING

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The HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

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#### The WORDS OF INSTITUTION

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The LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

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Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; All: 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.

#### The LAMB OF GOD

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#### The DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

#### **POST COMMUNION BLESSING**

Pastor: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you by His grace unto life everlasting.

All: Amen.

The POST COMMUNION CANTICLE "Thank the Lord" LBW pg. 92

#### THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Pastor: Let us pray. Eternal God,

We give You thanks, that You have refreshed us All: through the healing power of this gift of life; and we pray that in Your mercy You would strengthen us, through this gift, in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### THE SENDING PRAYER

Leader: Let us pray. Heavenly Father,

All:

Open my eyes, open my heart, so I see and have compassion on broken and lost people around me. Move me to bring Hope into their lives with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Give me courage. Give me patience. Guide my words. Through me I pray they experience Jesus' redeeming Love. I ask in Jesus' Name. Amen

#### THE BENEDICTION - sung

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Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

All: Amen.

#### **SONG**

#### I Believe in Jesus

Verse 1

I believe in Jesus. I believe He is the Son of God.
I believe He died and rose again.
I believe He paid for us all.

Chorus 1

I believe He is here now, standing in our midst.

Here with the power to heal now,
and the grace to forgive.

Verse 2

I believe in You, Lord. I believe You are the Son of God.
I believe You died and rose again.
I believe You paid for us all.

Chorus 2

And I believe that You're here now, standing in our midst.

Here with the power to heal now,

And the grace to forgive.

#### THE DISMISSAL

Pastor: Go and be a witness for the Lord!

All: Thanks be to God!

### **NEXT SUNDAY July 7, 2024**

## Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Readings for Next Sunday

Ezekiel 2:1-5 Psalm 123 2 Corinthians 12:1-10 Mark 6:1-13

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## Join us for Fellowship Hour following worship today



Come and share fellowship time with some coffee, cookies and conversation with your Faith in Christ family.



Tuesday Morning Bible Study will not meet this Week - we will resume Tuesday July 9<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am ~ We are in Mark Chapter 6 - we meet in the Narthex-

## "Loved and Worth Dying For" Day Camp Was Fantastic!

44 children were blessed with Bible teaching, making crafts, playing games, and lifting their hearts in worship each day. Seeds of God's Word were planted and nurtured by our wonderful team of teens and adults. Thank you to all who had a hand in bringing this blessing from the LORD into the lives and hearts of the children. The blessing was upon us all. Praise the LORD!