

2022

“With a Firm Reliance on Divine Providence”



WELCOME TO WORSHIP
SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER
PENTECOST

**Please tune your car radio to 106.1 FM to Worship
with us today!**

*And we know that in all things God works for the good of those
who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose.*

Romans 8:28

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.”*

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**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. (*Share the peace of the LORD*)**

### **SONG**

#### **Let It Rise**

##### **Verse 1**

Let the glory of the Lord Rise among us,  
Let the glory of the Lord Rise among us,  
Let the praises of the King Rise among us,  
Let it rise.

##### **Verse 2**

Let the songs of the Lord Rise among us,  
Let the songs of the Lord Rise among us,  
Let the joy of the King Rise among us,  
Let it rise.

##### **Chorus**

Oh, let it rise. Oh, let it rise.

##### **Verse 1**

##### **Chorus**

##### **Verse 1**

**Chorus (repeats)**

### **APOSTOLIC GREETING**

Pastor: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**All: And also with you.**

### **THE PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Pastor: Let us pray: Lord God, Heavenly Father,

**All: You gave up Your Son for our offenses and raised Him**

again for our justification. Give us Your Holy Spirit, that He may rule and govern us according to Your will, graciously keep us in the true Faith, defend us from all sins and after this life raise us to eternal life; through Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, One True God, now and forever. Amen. *Veit Dietrich Reformation Theologian*

### **LESSON**

**Psalm 146**

### **GOSPEL**

**Luke 16:19 - 31**

### **THE MESSAGE**

**Pastor Jeffrey J. Lee**

## **Created to Live Eternally**

### **SONG**

#### **God Of Wonders**

##### **Verse 1**

Lord of all creation, Of water earth and sky;  
The heavens are Your tabernacle. Glory to the Lord on high!

##### **Chorus 1**

God of wonders beyond our galaxy, You are holy, holy.  
The universe declares Your majesty, You are holy, holy.  
Lord of heaven and earth, Lord of heaven and earth.

##### **Verse 2**

Early in the morning, I will celebrate the light.  
When I stumble in the darkness  
I will call Your name by night.

##### **Chorus 1**

##### **Bridge**

**Hallelujah, to the Lord of heaven and earth. (3x)**

## Chorus 2

God of wonders beyond our galaxy, You are holy, holy.  
Precious Lord, reveal Your heart to me.  
Father hold me, hold me.  
The universe declares Your majesty,  
You are holy, holy, holy, holy!

## Ending

Hallelujah, to the Lord of heaven and earth. (6x)

## APOSTLES' CREED (in unison)

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again 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 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 Father, 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.

**All: Amen.**

## THE LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

**All:** 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.

## 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

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

### Jesus Saves

#### Verse 1

Hope is here. Shout the news to ev'ryone,  
It's a new day, peace has come; Jesus saves.  
Mercy triumphs at the cross, Love has come to rescue us;  
Jesus saves.

#### Pre-chorus 1

Hope is here, What a joyful noise we'll make,

### Chorus 1

As we join with heaven's song  
To let all the world know that Jesus saves.  
Raise a shout to let all the world know  
That Jesus saves.

### Verse 2

Free at last. Every debt has been repaid,  
Broken hearts can be remade; Jesus saves.  
Sing above the storms of life,  
Sing it through the darkest night; Jesus saves.

### Pre-chorus 2

Free at last, What a joyful noise we'll make,

### Chorus 1

### Chorus 2

Sing it out, To let all the world know that Jesus saves.  
Raise a shout To let all the world know that Jesus saves.

### BRIDGE

You save, You heal, restore, reveal,  
The Father's heart to us.  
You rose to raise us from the grave;  
Your Spirit lives in us.

**Chorus 2** (repeats)  
(then listen as song ends)

### THE DISMISSAL

Pastor: Go and be a witness for the Lord!

All: Thanks be to God!

*Praise God  
from whom all blessings flow*



**NEXT SUNDAY October 2, 2022**

**Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost**

**Service of Holy Communion**

**Children's Sunday School and Confirmation at 9:00 am**

**Worship Service at 10:15 am**

**Scripture Readings for Next Sunday**

**Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4 Psalm 62 2 Timothy 1:1-14**

**Luke 17:1-10**

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Sep 18, 2022

Attendance 30

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**Join us for Fellowship Hour following  
worship today**

You are invited to come to our fellowship hall and  
sit down for some coffee, cookies and conversation  
with your Faith in Christ family.

*Please sign up to help provide the treats to eat.*

### **Cookie Sunday Next Sunday**

Please help stock up our cookies for Sunday Fellowship time by  
bringing a packages of cookies next Sunday October 2<sup>nd</sup>. You  
may set the cookie packages in the kitchen.