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WE ARE A STEPHEN MINISTRY & CHRISTCARE CONGREGATION

SUNDAY, JUNE 28, 2020

9:30 A.M.

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



**We welcome you to the worship of this community of faith.
As we sing, pray and study God's word together may we strengthen each other's
faith in the saving power of Jesus Christ. It is difficult to be a Christian by yourself!**

VISITORS.. Welcome! Please sign our Guest Book located in the Narthex. Pastor Timm would love to meet you!

PLEASE REMEMBER... to contact the church office if you or a loved one are hospitalized, in rehab facility, or facility other than your home. Pastor and Stephen Ministers will make a visit.

DID YOU KNOW.. Perfume and cologne can trigger life-threatening breathing emergencies in persons with asthma, allergies and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) Hospitals and schools are becoming 'scent-free' due to this increasing health hazard. Please be sensitive to this concern when coming to church. Thank You.

LITTLE FOLKS.. Parents... please remember that there are 'busy bags' hanging on the coat tree in the Narthex to occupy the little ones during worship. Simply return the bags to the tree on your way out of church. Thank you.

NURSERY.. The nursery assistant is available during the 9:30 a.m. worship. The nursery is located directly across from the exit right by the men's bathroom.

BE COMFORTABLE.. There are shawls in the Narthex that you can use if chilled during worship. Just ask one of the ushers and they will get you one. Simply return to the narthex on your way out of the church.

HEARING DEVICES.. Hearing assist devices are available at the sound booth. The wheel at the top adjusts the volume. When turned on, the light on top should be green. If it is red, please place the device on the counter in the sound booth and take another. Thank you!

FLOWERS for the altar today are given by Tom and Kay Lee Grunst in recognition of our 61st wedding anniversary.

PRAYERS : Joe Schaltie (friend of Gary and Sandy Raasch), Steve Sliwicki (nephew of Gary and Sandy Raasch), Paul Kassulke, Marlene Miller, Clyde Magie (friend of Tom & Dyanne Radke), Teri Stevens (friend of Marie Ritten), Bonnie Rothi, John Butler, Alyce Waverly (wife of Brian Waverly), Stacy Ries (daughter of Jan Martinez), Kayla Peoples (friend of Michelle Cegon), Bev Hodges, Ted Bird, Katrina Warren.



MILITARY: Trevor Eichelkraut serving in New Mexico; Andrew Geib deployed and serving in Iraq; Ryan. M. Dines, USMC, stationed in Okinawa; James Sander serving in Virginia., Patrick & Jamie Roseland serving with the Navy in South Africa. Robert & Meghan Storms stationed in Cheyenne, Wy.

PLEASE NOTE that we'll be using the traditional version of the Lord's Prayer for the month of June. God blesses our prayers.

PRELUDE

INTRODUCTION

When God has had enough of Job's ranting about his suffering, God reminds Job that God still is in charge!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

P God Is Good!
C **All the time**
P All the time
C **God Is Good!**

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P Blessed be the Holy Trinity, ✝ one God, full of compassion and mercy, abounding in steadfast love.

C **Amen.**

P Trusting God's promise of forgiveness, let us silently confess our sin against God and one another.

Pause for silence and reflection.

P Gracious God,

C **We are tempted to be thankful only when things are going well for us. We are tempted to take credit for all that is good in our lives. We conveniently forget that all things come from you. Forgive us for being shortsighted, arrogant and thoughtless. Cleanse our hearts and bring us back to your side, for you are all that we truly need.**

P God hears our repentance and answers our request for forgiveness. Receive the assurance of your creator's mercy and return to the loving embrace of the one who made, loved, and redeemed you. In Jesus' name, **Amen.**

Lead On, O King Eternal!

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1 Lead on, O King e - ter - nal! The day of march has come;
 2 Lead on, O King e - ter - nal, till sin's fierce war shall cease,
 3 Lead on, O King e - ter - nal: we fol - low, not with fears,

hence - forth in fields of con - quest your tents will be our home.
 and ho - li - ness shall whis - per the sweet a - men of peace;
 for glad - ness breaks like morn - ing wher - e'er your face ap - pears.

Through days of prep - a - ra - tion your grace has made us strong;
 for not with swords loud clash - ing, nor roll of stir - ring drums,
 Your cross is lift - ed o'er us; we jour - ney in its light;

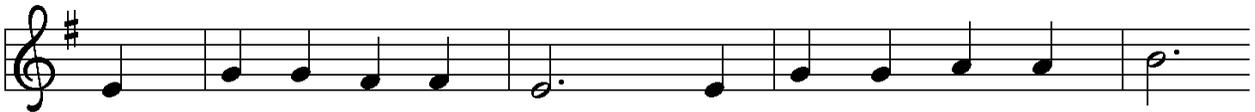
and now, O King e - ter - nal, we lift our bat - tle song.
 but deeds of love and mer - cy the heav'n - ly king - dom comes.
 the crown a - waits the con - quest; lead on, O God of might!

GREETING

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

C **And also with you.**

KYRIE



- 1 Have mer - cy on us, Lord, and hear our sol - emn prayer.
- 2 Have mer - cy on us, Christ, and wash a - way our sin.
- 3 Have mer - cy on us, Lord; make sin and shame de - part.



We come to hear your liv - ing word; it saves us from de - spair.
Pour out your grace and make us whole that new life may be - gin.
Re - new us with your sav - ing pow'r; cre - ate in us new hearts!

PRAISE HYMN

Majesty

Jack W. Hayford

Ma - jes-ty wor-ship His ma - je- sty,
4 Un - to Je - sus be all hon - or, glo-ry and
7 praise. Ma - jes-ty king-dom au -
11 thor - i- ty, flow from His throne, un - to His
14 own, His an-them raise. So ex - alt, lift up on
18 high, the name of Je - sus. Mag-ni - fy, come glo-ri-
22 fy Christ Je-sus the King. Ma - jes-ty
26 wor-ship His ma - je- sty, Je-sus who
29 died, now glo-ri- fied, King of all Kings.

PRAYER OF THE DAY *together we pray:*

C **Almighty God, You created all and know all, and yet you care about each one of us. Humble us with grateful hearts for all that you have done, through Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen**

WORSHIP OFFERING *"Psalm 29" (words on insert)* **ENSEMBLE**

LESSON: Job 31: 35-37; 38: 1-11 [25-27]

³⁵ O that I had one to hear me!

(Here is my signature! Let the Almighty^[a] answer me!)

O that I had the indictment written by my adversary!

³⁶ Surely I would carry it on my shoulder;

I would bind it on me like a crown;

³⁷ I would give him an account of all my steps;

like a prince I would approach him.

38 Then the LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind:

² "Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge?"

³ Gird up your loins like a man,

I will question you, and you shall declare to me.

⁴ "Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth?"

Tell me, if you have understanding.

⁵ Who determined its measurements—surely you know!

Or who stretched the line upon it?

⁶ On what were its bases sunk,

or who laid its cornerstone

⁷ when the morning stars sang together

and all the heavenly beings^[a] shouted for joy?

⁸ "Or who shut in the sea with doors

when it burst out from the womb?—
9 when I made the clouds its garment,
and thick darkness its swaddling band,
10 and prescribed bounds for it,
and set bars and doors,
11 and said, ‘Thus far shall you come, and no farther,
and here shall your proud waves be stopped’?
25 “Who has cut a channel for the torrents of rain,
and a way for the thunderbolt,
26 to bring rain on a land where no one lives,
on the desert, which is empty of human life,
27 to satisfy the waste and desolate land,
and to make the ground put forth grass?

R The word of the Lord

C **Thanks be to God**

GOSPEL: John 6: 16-20

16 When evening came, his disciples went down to the sea, 17 got into a boat, and started across the sea to Capernaum. It was now dark, and Jesus had not yet come to them. 18 The sea became rough because a strong wind was blowing. 19 When they had rowed about three or four miles,^[a] they saw Jesus walking on the sea and coming near the boat, and they were terrified. 20 But he said to them, “It is I;^[b] do not be afraid.”

P The Gospel of the Lord

C **Praise to the Lord**

THE TEACHING: “Contending with God” Pastor Ross Logan

HYMN OF THE DAY: “*This Is My Father’s World*” ELW 824 (on next page)

This Is My Father's World

824

1 This is my Fa-ther's world, and to my lis-t'ning ears all
 2 This is my Fa-ther's world; the birds their car-ols raise; the
 3 This is my Fa-ther's world; oh, let me not for-get that,

na - ture sings, and round me rings the mu - sic of the spheres.
 morn - ing light, the lil - y white, de - clare their mak - er's praise.
 though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the rul - er yet.

This is my Fa-ther's world; I rest me in the thought of
 This is my Fa-ther's world; he shines in all that's fair. In the
 This is my Fa-ther's world; why should my heart be sad? The

rocks and trees, of skies and seas; his hand the won - ders wrought.
 rus - tling grass I hear him pass; he speaks to me ev-'ry-where.
 Lord is king, let heav - en ring; God reigns, let earth be glad!

THE NICENE CREED

**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;
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the virgin Mary,
and was made man.**

**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.
 With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
 He 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**

PRAYER INVOCATION

Holy Spirit, Come

Ho - ly Spi - rit come. Ho - ly
 Spi - rit come. Heal our hearts, our lives.
 Cleanse our thoughts our minds Ho - ly Spi - rit
 come. Come to us.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

P We pray for the church, the world, and all those in need.

A brief silence.

P We speak about things of which we know nothing and assert our understanding without basis, and yet you endure our foolishness, O Lord. Give us perspective and help us focus on the things that matter and the places where we can make a difference. God of all,

C Hear our prayer.

P In the midst of warm weather, keep us mindful of those who may be in danger of harm from high temperatures, that we might help them find relief and safety. God of all,

C Hear our prayer.

P You have the power to rein in the sea, yet the waters continue to rise in the wake of our negligence and greed. Give us your deeper wisdom to turn in our tracks and repent of our sins against the planet. God of all,

C Hear our prayer.

P Be with all who have lost their homes to disasters of nature, comfort them in loss and help them establish new lives after tragedy. Send your healing to all those whom we know are in need of it, especially those suffering and grieving or serving the needs of others during this pandemic. God of all,

C Hear our prayer.

P We remember the witness of Bishop Irenaeus of Lyons, who spread your word and expanded your earthly kingdom. May we also raise up your gospel for any and all who long to hear it. God of all,

C Hear our prayer.

P We pray for all of our mission congregations, Araby Acres in Yuma, Crossroads Lutheran in San Tan Valley, Maricopa Lutheran in Maricopa, San Juan Bautista Lutheran in Tucson, and Vida Nueva Lutheran in Glendale. God of all,

C Hear our prayer.

Here other petitions may be offered. Together we pray

C Lord, you know what is best for our church family. Give us what you will, when you will, and as much as you will. Do with us as you think best, and as it pleases you and brings you the most honor. Place each of us where you will, and use us according to your wisdom. We are in your hand as your servants, ready to do all that you command. We want to live, not for ourselves, but for you. We want to serve you fittingly and faithfully, through Jesus Christ, Our Lord.

P You are the God of the universe, but also of your beloved children. Hear our prayers and hold us close to your side, in the mercy of Jesus Christ, Amen.

THE OFFERING (will be received in the offering plates at each door at the end of service)

OFFERING RESPONSE (please stand)

Stand

AS THE GRAINS OF WHEAT

Refrain

Congregation:

As the grains of wheat once scat-tered on the hill were
gath-ered in - to one to be - come our bread;
so may all your peo-ple from all the ends of earth be
gath-ered in - to one in you.

Verses

1. As this cup of bless-ing is shared with-in our midst when
2. Let this be a fore-taste of all that is to come *to Refrain*
may we share the pres - ence of your love.
all cre - a - tion shares this feast with you.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Communion is open to all baptized believers who know Jesus as Savior and seek to live with him as Lord of all areas of life. You receive the wafer in your hand and choose from the individual cup of wine or white grape juice. Those who do not commune may come forward for a blessing, simply cross your arms in front of your chest to request a blessing. Simply complete a slip found in the pew box and place it in the offering. Consider the options on reverse side as to how you may serve this congregation.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

C 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.

HYMNS DURING COMMUNION

LAMB OF GOD

Congregation: *Congregation or Assistant:*



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
you break the chains of ha - tred and
you are the way of jus - tice and
you are the way of mer - cy and

Congregation:



world: have mer - cy on us, mer - cy on us,
fear:
peace:
love.

Final Stanza
Congregation or Assistant:



mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you

Congregation:



take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace,



grant us peace, grant us peace.

HYMNS DURING COMMUNION (CON'T)

"Blessed Assurance"

ELW 638

HOPE, ASSURANCE

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Blessed Assurance

1 Bless-ed as-sur-ance, Je-sus is mine! Oh, what a fore-taste of glo-ry di-vine!
2 Per-fect sub-mis-sion, per-fect de-light, vi-sions of rap-ture now burst on my sight;
3 Per-fect sub-mis-sion, all is at rest; I in my Sav-ior am hap-py and blest,

Heir of sal - va - tion, pur - chase of God, born of his Spir - it, washed in his blood.
an - gels de - scend - ing bring from a - bove ech - oes of mer - cy, whis - pers of love.
watch - ing and wait - ing, look - ing a - bove, filled with his good - ness, lost in his love.

Refrain

This is my sto - ry, this is my song, prais - ing my Sav - ior all the day long:

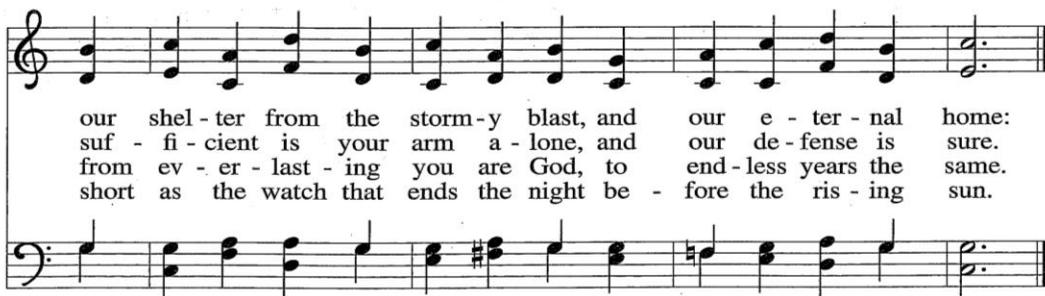
this is my sto - ry, this is my song, prais - ing my Sav - ior all the day long.

O God, Our Help in Ages Past

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1 O God, our help in a - ges past, our hope for years to come,
2 Un - der the shad - ow of your throne your saints have dwelt se - cure;
3 Be - fore the hills in or - der stood or earth re - ceived its frame,
4 A thou - sand a - ges in your sight are like an eve - ning gone,



our shel - ter from the storm - y blast, and our e - ter - nal home:
suf - fi - cient is your arm a - lone, and our de - fense is sure.
from ev - er - last - ing you are God, to end - less years the same.
short as the watch that ends the night be - fore the ris - ing sun.

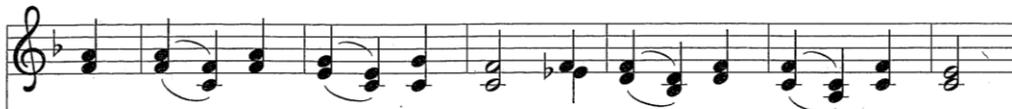
5 Time, like an ever-rolling stream,
bears all our years away;
they fly forgotten, as a dream
dies at the op'ning day.

6 O God, our help in ages past,
our hope for years to come,
still be our guard while troubles last
and our eternal home.

COMMUNITY IN CHRIST

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Blest Be the Tie That Binds



1 Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Chris - tian love;
2 Be - fore our Fa - ther's throne we pour our ar - dent prayers;
3 We share our mu - tual woes, our mu - tual bur - dens bear,
4 From sor - row, toil, and pain, and sin we shall be free;



the u - ni - ty of heart and mind is like to that a - bove.
our fears, our hopes, our aims are one, our com - forts and our cares.
and of - ten for each oth - er flows the sym - pa - thiz - ing tear.
and per - fect love and friend - ship reign through all e - ter - ni - ty.



POST COMMUNION BLESSING *(please stand)*

P The Body and Blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you safe in His Grace until everlasting life.

C **Amen.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

C O God, in this holy communion you have welcomed us into your presence, nourished us with words of mercy, and fed us at your table. Amid the cares of this life, strengthen us to love you with all our heart, serve our neighbors with a willing spirit, and honor the earth you have made; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

SENDING HYMN "My God, How Wonderful Thou Art" ELW 863

PRAISE, THANKSGIVING

863 My God, How Wonderful Thou Art



- 1 My God, how won - der - ful thou art, thy maj - es - ty how bright!
- 2 How won - der - ful, how beau - ti - ful the sight of thee must be—
- 3 No earth - ly fa - ther loves like thee; no moth - er, e'er so mild,
- 4 Yet I may love thee too, O Lord, al - might - y as thou art,
- 5 My God, how won - der - ful thou art, thou ev - er - last - ing friend!



How beau - ti - ful thy mer - cy seat in depths of burn - ing light!
thine end - less wis - dom, bound - less pow'r, and awe - some pu - ri - ty!
bears and for - bears as thou hast done with me, thy sin - ful child.
for thou hast stooped to ask of me the love of my poor heart.
On thee I stay my trust - ing heart till faith in vi - sion end.



BENEDICTION

P Almighty God has created you and has a purpose for your life every day! Lord, Help us remember, IF YOU ARE NOT DEAD...

C YOU ARE NOT DONE!

P The blessing of the living God, Father, ✝ Son, and Holy Spirit, surround and sustain you, keep you from harm, and fill you with courage.

C Amen.

DISMISSAL

P You are the body of Christ raised up for the world. Go in peace. Share the good news. Alleluia!

C Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

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WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Date	Altar	Ushers	Greeters/Comm. Assistants	Readers
6/28	Joanne		Dave & Marge Graham	Dave Graham
7/5	Joanne	Penny Scheflo	Jim Neely	D.Caldwell
7/12	Cheryl	Doreen Caldwell	Cheryl Preul	Gil Richter
7/19	Lynette	Lynette Layton	Pat Bunker	Joyce Hoeft

CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	LOCATION
6/28	1:00 pm	Foothills Social	Fellowship Hall
6/29	9:00 am	Summer Quilters	Fellowship Hall
6/29	12:00 pm	Bible Study	Fellowship Classroom
6/30	1:00 pm	Foothills Social	Fellowship Hall
7/3	1:00 pm	Foothills Social	Fellowship Hall
7/3	6:00 pm	Women's AA	Fellowship Classroom
7/5	9:30 am	Worship/Communion	Sanctuary

Pastor's Bible Study- Topic: The Psalms

(not your normal Sunday School curriculum!)

Monday afternoons at 12:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall Classroom.

ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.

Announcements

Thank you- Thank you to Pastor Andrew for leading worship, and to Pastor Ross Logan for his message today! We appreciate your ministry!

Organ Fund Update!- **Look at the display in the Narthex!** Thanks to all the donations, We are currently at \$54,624.45, so we are at 75% paid, only 25% to go! Thank you all for your support. **Keep it up, we still have \$17,875.55 left!**

Yuma Heat- The Summer heat has arrived! If you find yourself wanting to walk, but it is too hot out, our Fellowship Hall is available to use. It is airconditioned, snake and bug free and available Tuesday- Friday 8am-12pm. Stop by the office, or call 928-342-6002. The best way to stay healthy is to exercise!

Summer Sewing Group- Meets on Mondays, from 9:00am-12:00 pm unless otherwise noted in the bulletin. We are in need of sewers, but this summer we also need people to cut out pre-quilted Christmas socks, children's fabric books and also people to stuff dog beds that we are making for the humane society. Please consider joining this very fun group....and yes, we will stop at 10:00 am for fellowship, which includes coffee, tea and a treat. Any questions , call or text Nancy Richter

GriefShare- Will not meet for the next two weeks, The next meeting is Monday July 13th at 10am in the Fellowship Hall Classroom.

Men's Fellowship Breakfast- The next Men's fellowship breakfast will be July 11th at 8am at Daybreakers.

Needing Someone to talk to? – Ever felt this way? Caring communication with others is a basic human need. Stephen Ministers can help meet that need. For a listening ear, contact Pastor or the Church office to get in contact with a Stephen Minister.

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Please make a right turn out of the driveway onto 40th Street! Left turns will hold up traffic and cause people to lose any religious good that happened in the last hour!

