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**Holy Trinity Sunday**

**May 26<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

Welcome to worship! All the elements of our worship are projected but they are also printed here in this bulletin (with music) for you. No one is an audience here today; we are all participants in worship where God gives us the blessings of Christ Jesus and we pour out our praise to God. In the entry there are activity bags for young worshippers. We have “Listen” earpieces available for the hearing impaired—simply ask one of the ushers. For those using their iPad or tablet: <http://bit.ly/SLCworship>.

### Prelude

### Confession and Forgiveness

*(Please stand as you are able)*

P: We gather in the name of the Father +, Son, and Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

P: Dear members of God’s family and of one another, let us come before God with honesty and humility, confessing our sin and seeking God’s forgiveness

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

P: Holy God,

C: we recognize that we live in a world that is broken by sin that we have caused and that has been caused by others. Our fundamental trust is turned inward toward ourselves rather than outward toward you. We blame others in order to convince ourselves we are innocent. We harm ourselves or others because of the hurt or guilt we will not let go. The more we struggle to break free, the more entangled we become. And so we come to you, confessing all that we have done and left undone, laying the broken pieces at your feet, and seeking the freedom only you can give. Amen

P: In the midst of our broken world, God makes us whole again, freeing us from sin and raising us up as a new creation in Jesus Christ. 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.

C: Amen.

# Gathering Hymn

# Holy Holy Holy

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God Al - might - y!  
 2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! All the saints a - dore thee,  
 3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Though the dark - ness hide thee,  
 4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.  
 cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;  
 though the eye made blind by sin thy glo - ry may not see,  
 All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!  
 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,  
 on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,  
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!

God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!  
 which wert and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.  
 per - fect in pow'r, in love and pu - ri - ty.  
 God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

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## 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

*Refrain*



Ky-ri-e e - lei - son, on our world and on our way.



Ky-ri - e e - lei - son, ev-'ry day.



- 1 For peace in the world, for the health of the church, for the
- 2 That we may live out your im - passioned re - sponse to the
- 3 For peace in our hearts, . . . for peace in our homes, . . for
- 4 For your Spir - it to guide; that you cen - ter our lives in the



u - ni - ty of all; for  
hun - gry and the poor; that  
friends and fam - i - ly; for  
wa - ter and the word; that you



this ho - ly house, for all who wor-ship and praise,  
we may live out . . . . . truth and jus - tice and grace,  
life and for love, . . . . . for our work and our play,  
nour-ish our souls . . . with your bod - y and blood,

*Refrain*



let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord.

## Prayer of the Day

L: Let us pray

Almighty Creator and ever-living God: we worship your glory, eternal Three-in-One, and we praise your power, majestic One-in-Three. We give thanks that you share your Triune love with us so that we may share it with the world. Keep us steadfast in this faith, defend us in all adversity, and bring us at last into your presence, where you live in endless joy and love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

*(Please be seated)*

## Children's Sermon

Kids Word (11am only)

### THE WORD

#### First Reading

Isaiah 6:1-8

<sup>1</sup>In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of his robe filled the temple. <sup>2</sup>Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. <sup>3</sup>And one called to another and said:

“Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts;  
the whole earth is full of his glory.”

<sup>4</sup>The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. <sup>5</sup>And I said: “Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!”

<sup>6</sup>Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. <sup>7</sup>The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: “Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out.” <sup>8</sup>Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?” And I said, “Here am I; send me!”

R: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God

Musical Meditation

“Lord of the Dance” *by John Rutter*

## Second Reading

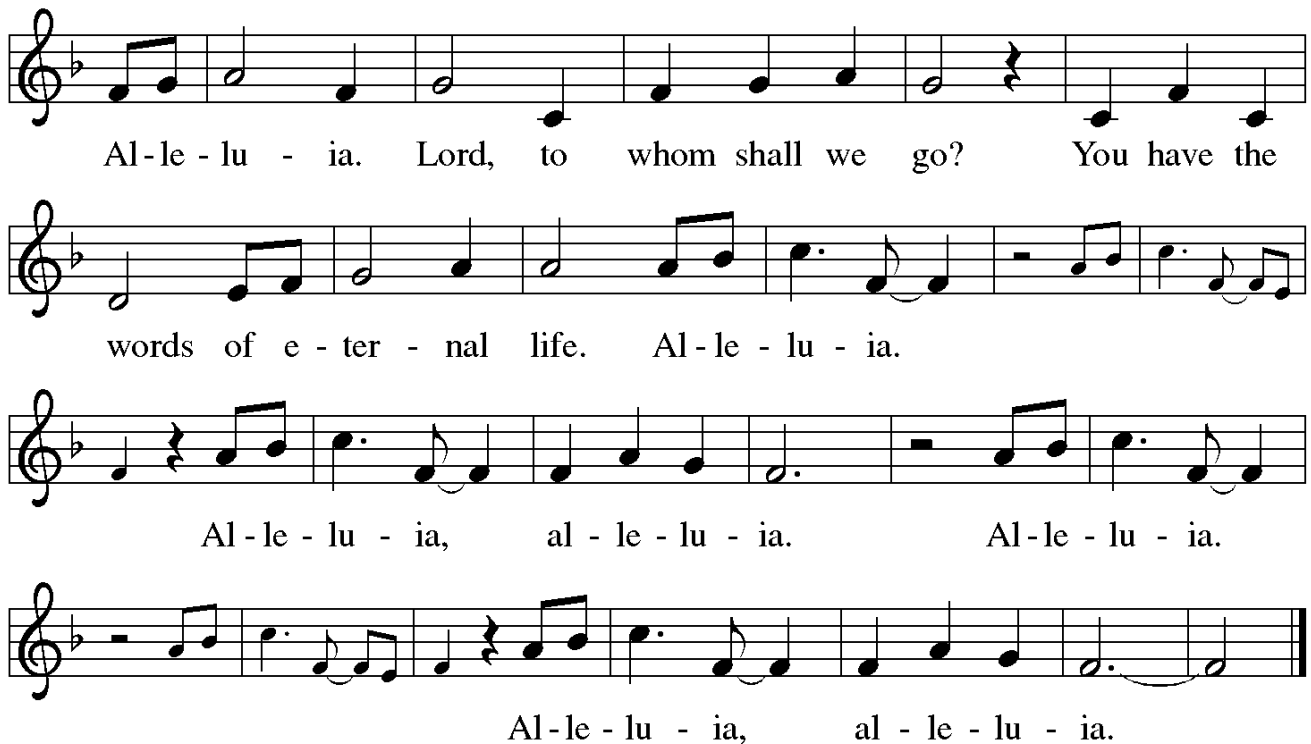
Romans 8:12-17

<sup>12</sup>Brothers and sisters, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh—<sup>13</sup>for if you live according to the flesh, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. <sup>14</sup>For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. <sup>15</sup>For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, “Abba! Father!” <sup>16</sup>it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, <sup>17</sup>and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ—if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

R: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God

## Gospel Acclamation



Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the  
words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

*(Please Stand)*

R: The Holy Gospel according to John, the 3<sup>rd</sup> Chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

## Gospel

John 3:1-17

<sup>1</sup>Now there was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. <sup>2</sup>He came to Jesus by night and said to him, “Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do apart from the presence of God.” <sup>3</sup>Jesus answered him, “Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above.” <sup>4</sup>Nicodemus said to him, “How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother’s womb and be born?” <sup>5</sup>Jesus answered, “Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. <sup>6</sup>What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. <sup>7</sup>Do not be astonished that I said to you, ‘You must be born from above.’ <sup>8</sup>The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.” <sup>9</sup>Nicodemus said to him, “How can these things be?” <sup>10</sup>Jesus answered him, “Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things?

<sup>11</sup>“Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen; yet you do not receive our testimony. <sup>12</sup>If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? <sup>13</sup>No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. <sup>14</sup>And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, <sup>15</sup>that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.

<sup>16</sup>“For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

<sup>17</sup>“Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.”

R: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

*(Please be seated)*

Sermon

“Centrifugal Force”

by Kim Holmes-Grasmick

*(After a brief period of reflection, please stand for the hymn of the day)*

## Hymn of the Day

## Wash, O God, Our Sons and Daughters



- 1 Wash, O God, our sons and daughters, where your cleans-ing wa-ters flow.
- 2 We who bring them long for nur-ture; by your milk may we be fed.
- 3 Oh, how deep your ho-ly wis-dom! Un-im-ag-ined, all your ways!



Num-ber them a-mong your peo-ple; bless as Christ blessed long a-go.  
Let us join your feast, par-tak-ing cup of bless-ing, liv-ing bread.  
To your name be glo-ry, hon-or! With our lives we wor-ship, praise!



Weave them gar-ments bright and spark-ling; com-pass them with love and light.  
God, re-new us, guide our foot-steps; free from sin and all its snares,  
We your peo-ple stand be-fore you, wa-ter-washed and Spir-it-born.



Fill, a-noint them; send your Spir-it, ho-ly dove and heart's de-light.  
one with Christ in liv-ing, dy-ing, by your Spir-it, chil-dren, heirs.  
By your grace, our lives we of-fer. Re-cre-ate us; God, trans-form!

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## 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,  
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 Church

P: ...Lord, in your mercy,  
C: Hear our prayer.

### Sharing of the Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.  
C: And also with you.

*(Please be seated following Sharing of the Peace)*

### Community Time

**The Offering** *(Please pass the black friendship pads down the pew – guests we would love to send you a thank you for worshiping with us, please provide your email or address.)*



## Offering Music

## "Indescribable" *by Laura Story*

### Verse 1

From the highest of heights to the depths of the sea  
Creation's revealing Your majesty  
From the colors of Fall to the fragrance of Spring  
Ev'ry creature unique in the song that it sings  
All exclaiming

### Chorus 1

Indescribable uncontainable  
You placed the stars in the sky  
And You know them by name  
You are amazing God  
All powerful untamable  
Awestruck we fall to our knees  
As we humbly proclaim  
You are amazing God

### Verse 2

Who has told ev'ry lightning bolt where it should go  
Or seen heavenly storehouses laden with snow  
Who imagined the sun and gives source to its light  
Yet conceals it to bring us the coolness of night  
None can fathom

### Interlude

You are amazing God

### Chorus 2

Indescribable uncontainable  
You placed the stars in the sky  
And You know them by name  
You are amazing God  
Incomparable unchangeable  
You see the depths of my heart  
And You love me the same  
You are amazing God

### Ending

You see the depths of my heart  
And You love me the same  
You are amazing God  
(REPEAT)

You see the depths of our hearts  
And You love us the same  
You are amazing God

*Jesse Reeves, Laura Story*

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## Offering Response *(Please stand)*



The musical score is written on a single treble clef staff in G major (one sharp) and common time. It consists of six lines of music with lyrics underneath. The lyrics are: "Come now and see the works of God. How wonderful he is in his doing toward all people. Our humble offering. Our joyous praise we sing to you and your glory alone. 1. glo - ry a - lone. 2. glo - ry a - lone. 1." The first line starts with a whole rest followed by a half note G4, then quarter notes A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4, and a final whole note G4. The second line starts with a whole rest, then quarter notes G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4, and a final whole note G4. The third line starts with a quarter note G4, then quarter notes A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4, a whole rest, then quarter notes G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. The fourth line starts with a quarter note G4, then quarter notes A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4, a whole rest, then quarter notes G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. The fifth line starts with a quarter note G4, then quarter notes A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4, a whole rest, then quarter notes G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. The sixth line starts with a quarter note G4, then quarter notes A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4, a whole rest, then quarter notes G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. There are first and second endings indicated by brackets and numbers 1 and 2.

Come now and see the works of God.

How won - der - ful he is in his

doing toward all peo - ple. Our hum - ble

off - er - ing. Our joy - ous praise we sing to

you and your glo - ry a - lone.

1.

2. glo - ry a - lone. 1.

## Offering Prayer

P: Let us pray...

C: Blessed are you, O God, ruler of heaven and earth. Day by day you shower us with blessings. As you have raised us to new life in Christ, give us glad and generous hearts, ready to praise you and to respond to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.



## The Lord's Prayer *(All)*

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,  
now and forever.

Amen.

*(Please be seated)*



*All Baptized Christians are welcome to join with us in this meal where we believe the true body and blood of Christ are present in, with, and under the bread and wine/juice. You will be ushered forward and there will be four tables of communion in the front of the sanctuary. You will be given a piece of bread or gluten free wafer by a pastor or lay leader. On the table you will have a choice of using the chalice for intinction or a small cup of wine or juice. If you choose to use the cup, then dispose it in the baskets. Adults who do not receive the Supper or children who have not received First Communion instruction can come forward for a blessing. If you have not been baptized, one of our pastors would welcome a conversation with you about Baptism.*

## Lamb of God



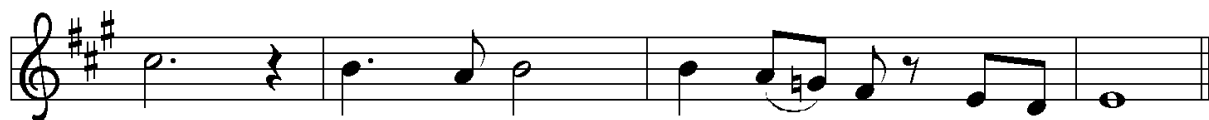
Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have



mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the



world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the



world; grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.

# Communion Hymn

# Mothering God You Gave me Birth



1 Moth - er - ing God, you gave me birth in the bright  
2 Moth - er - ing Christ, you took my form, of - fer - ing  
3 Moth - er - ing Spir - it, nur - t'ring one, in arms of



morn - ing of this world. Cre - a - tor, source of ev - 'ry  
me your food of light, grain . . . of life, and grape of  
pa - tience hold me close, so that in faith I root and



breath, you are my rain, my wind, my sun.  
love, your ver - y bod - y for my peace.  
grow un - til I flow'r, un - til I know.

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*(Please Stand)*

## Blessing

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the gifts of his body and blood, give us life and hope eternal.

C: Amen

## Post-Communion Prayer

P: Let us pray...Gracious God, in this meal you have drawn us to your heart, and nourished us at your table with food and drink, the body and blood of Christ. Now send us forth to be your people in the world, and to proclaim your truth this day and evermore, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

## Benediction

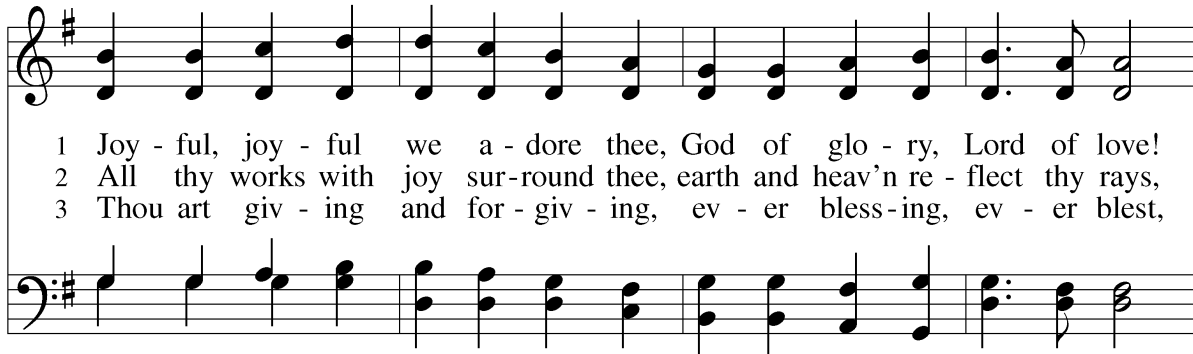
P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.

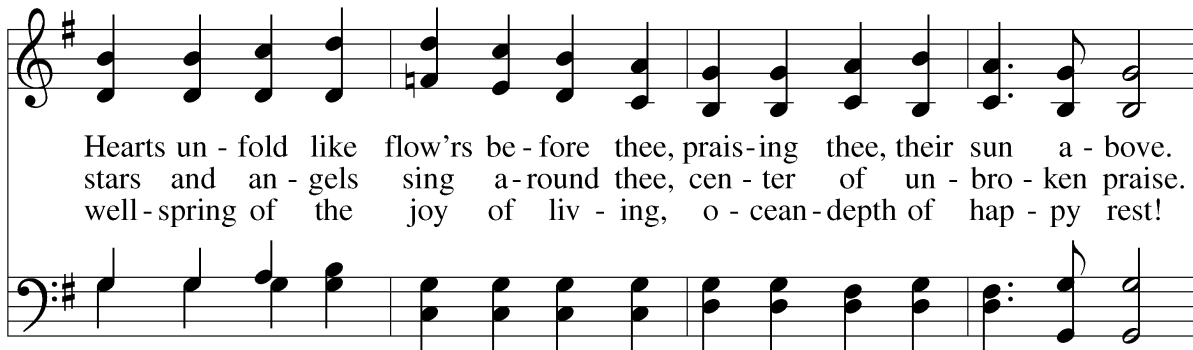
The Lord look upon you with favor and † give you peace.

C: Amen

## Sending Hymn Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee



1 Joy - ful, joy - ful we a - dore thee, God of glo - ry, Lord of love!  
2 All thy works with joy sur-round thee, earth and heav'n re - flect thy rays,  
3 Thou art giv - ing and for - giv - ing, ev - er bless - ing, ev - er blest,



Hearts un - fold like flow'rs be - fore thee, prais - ing thee, their sun a - bove.  
stars and an - gels sing a - round thee, cen - ter of un - bro - ken praise.  
well - spring of the joy of liv - ing, o - cean - depth of hap - py rest!



Melt the clouds of sin and sad - ness, drive the gloom of doubt a - way.  
Field and for - est, vale and moun - tain, flow - 'ry mead - ow, flash - ing sea,  
Thou our Fa - ther, Christ our broth - er, all who live in love are thine;



Giv - er of im - mor - tal glad - ness, fill us with the light of day.  
chant - ing bird, and flow - ing foun - tain call us to re - joice in thee.  
teach us how to love each oth - er, lift us to the joy di - vine!

Text: Henry van Dyke, 1852–1933  
Music: HYMN TO JOY, Ludwig van Beethoven, 1770–1827, adapt.

## Dismissal

L: Christ is risen!

C: He is risen, indeed, Alleluia!

L: Go in Peace and serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

## Postlude

Special Thanks    Sanctuary Choir as they begin their summer break.

Altar Flowers:    Wayne & Shelley Ferber, in celebration of their 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

### This Week's Worship Leaders (May 26th)

Preaching Kim Holmes Grasmick | Presiding Pastor Jonathan Sansgaard

May Altar Care: Jill and Scott Slocum, Robideaux family

Liturgists: (8:30) Brian Humm (10:30) Greg Patterson

Communion Assistants: (8:30 am) Judi and Gary Blockus, Audrey Ebeling  
(10:30 am) Barb Paul, Ann Daly, Stephanie Taft

Readers: (8:30 am) Cindy Dodge (10:30 am) Jim Lamb

### Next Week's Readings: June 2<sup>nd</sup>

2 Corinthians 4:5-12, Mark 2:23—3:6

As you read the lesson, ask yourself two questions:

Why was this story told? Where do you see God at work?

**Prayer and Care:** Wayne & Shelley Ferber celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary. Ethyl Mae Nelson recovering from a silent heart attack and a blood clot in her lung. Pninit Varol Eagan's father Jacob recovering from a bone marrow transplant. Jill Slocum diagnosed with breast cancer. Clinton Sperr anticipating surgery for kidney stones. Matt Ryan hospitalized with pneumonia. Webb Rhodes recovering from a surgical procedure on his knee.

**Recovering from Surgery/Illness:**

**Facing Cancer:** Rudy Burress, Elizabeth Domahidy, Julie Enger, Kay Kersten, Ron Maddux, Jim Piatt, Gerry Randall, Randy Randolph, George Roberts, Dave Rosinbum, Dave Ryan, Amelia Seagrave, Lisa Stephens, Melissa Tippets, David Trexler, Jim Weisbrodt and Bill Yocum.

**Deployed & Military Support & Their Families:** Jared Cain, Timothy Dao, Rebecca Mackey, Andrew Quam, David Wooten and all their families.

**Continued Prayer:** Joan Bauer, Hilma Bridges, Bob Brien, Don Budden, John Daly, Ace Edwards, Randy Fossum, Gene Gierke, Dawn Hamrick, Merrill Koster, Sharron Lindkvist, Jean Locke, Chuck McClung, Matt Ryan, Jean Sherbesman, Clinton Sperr, June Stocks, Tom Taft and JoAnne Wales. Remembering all who are homebound or in ill health.



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