

The Chapel in the Pines

June 25, 2023

**Serving our Community by Preaching, Teaching,
and Living the Gospel of Jesus Christ**

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost



**The flowers on the Communion table this week are given
to Glory of God by Alice McPheeters
in loving memory of family and friends.**

Gathering Music

The Chiming of the Trinity

The Prelude

Concerns, Celebrations, and Prayers of our Chapel Family

***The Call to Worship**

Sometimes we get down; we wonder if we will ever feel happy again.
We need something to lift us up.

Congregation singing... #505 Love Lifted Me (Refrain)

Love lift-ed me! Love lift-ed me!

When noth-ing else could help, Love lift-ed me.

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That's it! Jesus reminds us of God's love!
That love surpasses all our troubles!

Congregation singing... #505 Love Lifted Me (Verse #1)
I was sink-ing deep in sin far from the peaceful shore.
Ver-y deep-ly stained with-in, sink-ing to rise no more.
But the Master of the sea heard my de-spar-ing cry,
from the wa-ters lift-ed me, now safe am I.

Love lift-ed me! Love lift-ed me! (Refrain)
When noth-ing else could help, Love lift-ed me.
Love lift-ed me! Love lift-ed me!
When noth-ing else could help, Love lift-ed me.

We are forgiven and made new in Jesus Christ.
He reaches out and lifts us up! ALLELUIA!

Congregation singing...#505 Love Lifted Me (Verse #2)
All my heart to Him I give, ev-er to Him I'll cling.
In His bless-ed presence live, ev-er His prais-es sing.
Love so might-y and so true mer-its my soul's best songs.
Faith-ful lov-ing service too, to Him be-long.

Love lift-ed me! Love lift-ed me! (Refrain)
When noth-ing else could help, Love lift-ed me.
Love lift-ed me! Love lift-ed me!
When noth-ing else could help, Love lift-ed me.

The Invocation and Lord's Prayer.

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.

Hymn #529 Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

Lord, lis-ten to your chil-dren pray-ing.
Lord, send Your Spi-rit in this place.
Lord, lis-ten to Your chil-dren pray-ing.
Send us love, send us pow'r, send us grace. (Repeat)

***The Psalm of Thanksgiving and Praise** Adapted from Psalm 86

O Eternal One, lend an ear to my prayer and answer me,
for I am weak and wanting.
Safeguard my soul, for I remain loyal to you.
Save me, your servant, who trusts in you.

O Lord, please be merciful to me, as all day long I cry out to you.
Bring joy into the life of your servant,
for it's only to you, O Lord, that I offer my soul.

O Lord, you are good and ready to forgive;
your loyal love flows generously over all who cry out to you.
O Lord, all the peoples of earth will come to you,
bowing low to worship and rightly honor your great name.

For you are great, and your works are wondrous.
You are the one true God.

***Hymn** #231 Jesus Shall Reign

1 Jesus shall reign where'er the sun
Does His successive journeys run;
His kingdom stretch from shore to shore,
Till moons shall wax and wane no more.

2 To Him shall endless prayer be made,
And endless praises crown His head;
His name like sweet perfume shall rise
With ev'ry morning sacrifice.

3 People and realms of ev'ry tongue
Dwell on His love with sweetest song;
And infant voices shall proclaim
Their early blessings on His name.

4 Let ev'ry creature rise and bring
His grateful honors to our King;
Angels descend with songs again,
And earth repeat the loud "Amen!"

***The Passing of the Peace**

The grace and peace
of our Lord and Savior Jesus the Christ be with you all...
and also with you.

The Passing of the Welcome Pads

The Prayer of Illumination

A Reading from the Old Testament Genesis 21:8-21
*So she said to Abraham, "Cast out this slave woman with her son,
for the son of this slave woman shall not inherit along with my son Isaac."*

***Hymn** #451 O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee

1 O Master, let me walk with Thee
In lowly paths of service free;
Tell me Thy secret; help me bear
The strain of toil, the fret of care.

2 Help me the slow of heart to move
By some clear, winning word of love;
Teach me the wayward feet to stay,
And guide them in the homeward way.

3 Teach me Thy patience! still with Thee
In closer, dearer company,
In work that keeps faith sweet and strong,
In trust that triumphs over wrong;

4 In hope that sends a shining ray
Far down the future's broadening way,
In peace that only Thou canst give,
With Thee, O Master, let me live.

Amen.

A Reading from the New Testament Matthew 10:24-39
*"Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth;
I have not come to bring peace but a sword.*

Homily The Blessing of a Shared Inheritance

The Prayers of the People

The Call to the Offering

The Offertory

***The Doxology**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God all creatures here below.
Praise God above ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

***The Prayer of Dedication**

***Hymn** #369 O Jesus, I Have Promised

1 O Jesus, I have promised
To serve Thee to the end;
Be Thou forever near me,
My Master and my Friend;
I shall not fear the battle
If Thou art by my side,
Nor wander from the pathway
If Thou wilt be my guide.

2 O let me feel Thee near me,
The world is ever near;
I see the sights that dazzle,
The tempting sounds I hear:
My foes are ever near me,
Around me and within;
But, Jesus, draw Thou nearer,
And shield my soul from sin.

3 O Jesus, Thou hast promised
To all who follow Thee,
That where Thou art in glory
There shall Thy servant be;
And, Jesus, I have promised
To serve Thee to the end;
O give me grace to follow,
My Master and my Friend.

***The Charge and Benediction**

***Hymn** #304 Lift High the Cross

**Lift high the Cross, the love of Christ pro-claim,
till all the world a-dore His sa-cred name.**

**Set Up Thy throne that earth's de-spair may cease
beneath the shad-ow of its heal-ing peace.**

**Lift high the Cross, the love of Christ pro-claim,
till all the world a-dore His sa-cred name.**

***The Postlude**

Prayers for Chapel Friends:



Patty and Jackie Madden, Jack Sealey, Phyllis Mahin, Anthony Tuliano, Janet Hegeman, Ellie Lyons, Evangeline Caliandro, Laurie Stevens, Little Daniel Auman, Koran Sanders, Mary Faas, Macey Duncan, Olivia McDonald, Leric Racine, Joe Currie, Kevin Carter, Neida Crow, Kerra Paduano, Kathy Steele, Harry Wahlquist, Walter Hundley, Scott Olson, Norma McKeithan, Esther Robinson's sister Judy, Cindy Hess, Nell Ostby, Bob Macdonald, Rev. Bill and Marty Bruner, Elsie Keeshen, Michelle Kraus, Elaine Bertino, Mary Farley, Abe Wells, Kitty Price, Kerri Klein, Kate Halus, Nancy Campbell, the people of Ukraine, Turkey, and Syria, and the people devastated by tornados in the south.

Prayers for Chapel Family:

Bud Holzerland, Nancee Letter, Dave Westerman, Meta Evans, Mary Tuft, Charles Hinson, Tamara Lee, Butch and Mary Kay Allen, George Hoffman, Esther Robinson, Glenda Clendenin, Jon Tichenor, Jean Lawrence, Bob Dantzer, Lore Olsen, Jane and Jeff Lowe.

July Announcements



Monday-July 3

John Golzio



Friday-July 7

Jim & Chris Beck

Saturday-July 8

Jimmy & Marilyn McCaskill

Altar Flowers

July

7-2

Kathy Hilton

7-9

Tracey Olsen &
Frank Carney

7-16

Jon & Dorene Tichenor

7-23

Wendy Tetreault

7-30

Rev. Paul & Julie James

Looking Ahead!



Sunday-July 2

9:00 am

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Thursday-July 6

3:00 pm

Fran's Friends

Saturday-July 8

8:00 am

Men's Fellowship

Sunday-July 9

9:00 am

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Tuesday-July 11

6:30 pm

BUNCO FOR MISSIONS

Thursday-July 13

5:30 pm

The Gathering-Holy Communion

Sunday-July 16

9:00 am

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday-July 23

9:00 am

Chapel Board Meeting

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Holy Communion

Sunday-July 30

9:00 am

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Coffee Fellowship

Contact Us:



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7-2 Mike & Sue Barry

7-9 Dennis & Sandy Cifranic/
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7-16 Volunteer Needed

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Dillon Corral

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