The Chapel in the Pines

July 28, 2024

Growing into God's Call ... Together

The Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



The flowers on the Communion table this week are given to the Glory of God by Chris & Lora Hopkins in celebration of their wedding.

Gathering Music

The Chiming of the Trinity

The Concerns, Celebrations, and Prayers of our Chapel Family

The Prelude

The Invocation and the Lords' 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.

*The Call to Worship

Your creation gives thanks to you, O God. And we, your faithful bless you.

We shall speak of the glory of your realm and tell of your power. We shall let all people know of your mighty deeds and glorious splendor

*Psalm of Thanksgiving and Praise Adapted from Psalm 145

All creation will stand in awe of you, O Eternal One.

Thanks will pour from the mouths of every one of your creatures. Your holy people will bless you.

We will not be silent but talk of the grandeur of your kingdom and celebrate the wonder of your power. Until everyone on earth who has ears to hear knows your valiant acts and the splendor of your kingdom.

Your kingdom will never end; your rule will endure forever. You are faithful to your promise, and your acts are marked with grace. The Eternal sustains all who stumble on their way. God raises them up in hope.

All eves have turned toward you.

The desires of every living thing are met by your open hand.



Ephesians 3: 14-21

1 Let all things now living
A song of thanksgiving
To God our Creator triumphantly raise;

Who fashioned and made us, Protected and stayed us, By guiding us onto the end of our days.

God's banners are o'er us, Pure light goes before us, A pillar of fire shinning forth in the night:

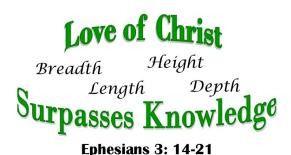
Till shadows have vanished, All fearfulness banished, As forward we travel From light into Light.

2 By law God enforces.
The stars in their courses,
The sun in its orbit obediently shine;

The hills and the mountains, The rivers and fountains, The depths of the ocean proclaim God divine.

We, too, should be voicing Our love and rejoicing With glad adoration, A song let us raise:

Till all things now living Unite in thanksgiving, To God in the highest, Hosanna and praise.



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

and also with you.

*The Passing of the Peace

The Passing of the Welcome Pads

The Prayer of Illumination

A Reading from the Old Testament 2 Samuel 11:1-15 "Set Uriah in the forefront of the hardest fighting, and then draw back from him, so that he may be struck down and die."

The Choir's Anthem

A Reading from the Epistles Ephesians 3:14-21 I pray that you may have the power to comprehend, with all the saints, what is the breadth and length and height and depth and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge...

The Homily Identity and Purpose in God's Love

The Prayers of the People

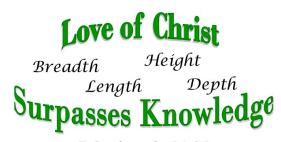
The Invitation to the Offering

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 Thanksgiving



Ephesians 3: 14-21

*Hymn #92 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling (verse 1-3)

- 1 Love divine, all loves excelling,
 Joy of heav'n, to earth come down;
 Fix in us Thy humble dwelling,
 All Thy faithful mercies crown.
 Jesus, Thou art all compassion,
 Pure, unbounded love Thou art;
 Visit us with Thy salvation,
 Enter ev'ry trembling heart.
- 2 Breathe, O breathe Thy loving Spirit Into every troubled breast!
 Let us all in Thee inherit,
 Let us find that promised rest.
 Take away our bent to sinning,
 Alpha and Omega be;
 End of faith, as its beginning,
 Set our hearts at liberty.
- 3 Come, almighty to deliver, Let us all Thy life receive; Suddenly return, and never, Nevermore Thy temples leave. Thee we would be always blessing, Serve Thee as Thy hosts above, Pray and praise Thee without ceasing, Glory in Thy perfect love.

Amen.

*The Charge and Benediction

*Hymn #92 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling (verse 4)

4 Finish then Thy new creation,
Pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see Thy great salvation
Perfectly restored in Thee:
Changed from glory into glory,
Till in heav'n we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before Thee,
Lost in wonder, love and praise!

Amen.

*The Postlude Victory In Jesus

Prayers for Chapel Friends:



Patty and Jackie Madden, Anthony Tuliano, Janet Hegeman, Evangeline Caliandro, Little Daniel Auman, Koran Sanders, Lerici Racine, Kerra Paduano, Kathy Steele, Our Walter Hundley, Esther Robinson's sister Judy, Cindy Hess, Lynn Garbarino, Elaine Bertino, Mary Farley, Kerri Klein, Jean Schmidt, Ed Barry, Bob Lovin, Dwight and Faye Jessup, D.J. Kirit, Phil Westerman, Jerry Hyatt, Ann Rorie, Michael Taylor, Gerry Crowe, Rev. Bill and Marty Bruner, Marie Steensen, Mary Herold, Nancy Cecchini, Robert Allen, Mary Faas, Nell Otsby, Bill Conclin, Debbie Franklin, Sha-

ron Hacker, Barb Conrad, Bill and Bev Myers, Kate Halus, Patricia Lewin, Linda Stowe, Tom and Megan Wolfe, Holli Schweyer, Paul Infuso, Gary Sawtelle, David Tourt, Sandra Uhlig, Frankie Smith, Tom and Trish Elliott, Roger Racster, Baby Owen Phillips, Carol Huber, Ian, Edwardo, and Sammy, Kathleen & George Deignan, Clay Thomas, Dick Barry, Judy Bouroughs, Laura Sprinkle, Pat Weaver, Rachel's Refuge, Changing Destinies Ministries, and the family of Lucy Dunn Martin.

Prayers for Chapel Family:

Bud Holzerland, Dave Westerman, Butch and Mary Kay Allen, Glenda Clendenin, Mary Tuft, Phillip Thingstad, Jane and Jeff Lowe and Jenny, Katy Swain, Shirley Percival, Johanna Moran, Marilyn and Jimmy McCaskill, Charles Hinson, Bill and JoAn Moses, John Shaughnessy, Mama Dot, Mary Willetts, Bob Tourt, Tinkie Petterson, Peggy Olson, Joe Clendenin, Lee Connelly, and the family of George Hoffman.

July -August Announcements

Looking Ahead!

Wednesday-July 31	4:30 pm	Chapel Choir
Friday-August 2	12:00 pm	Gathering RSVP Deadline
Sunday-August 4	9:00 am	Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Wednesday-August 7	2:30 pm	Fran's Friends
Wednesday-August 7	4:30 pm	Chapel Choir
Thursday-August 8	5:00 pm	The Gathering
Friday-August 9	10:00 am	Mission Team
Saturday-August 10	7:45 am	CITP Men's Fellowship
Sunday-August 11	9:00 am	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Wednesday-August 14	12:30-5:00 pm	Bloodmobile Onsite
Wednesday-August 14	4:30 pm	Chapel Choir

<u>Birthdays</u>



Wednesday, July 31 Marilyn Holzerland

<u>Anniversaries</u>

Wednesday, July 31

Alicia DeLong & Steven Welch

Altar Flowers

July

7-28 Chris & Lora Hopkin

August

8-4 Alice McPheeters

8-11 Carol O'Reilly

8-18 Bob & Joan Tourt

8-25 Sue Dell'Acqua

Coffee Fellowship

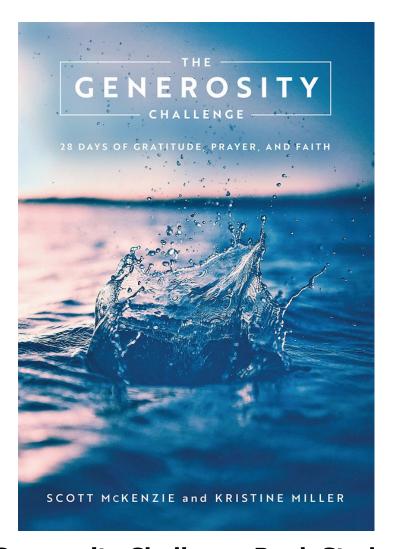
July

7-28 Kathy & Stacy Golzio

August

8-4 Bill & JoAn Moses

8-11 Volunteer Needed



Generosity Challenge Book Study Thursdays at 10:30 am Beginning August 8th

We are born in the image of a loving and generous God; we are born to be generous. In this 4-week group study, those seeking to live a more generous life will be exposed to and inspired by cultural, generational, and family attitudes towards generosity. Aimed at those who are regularly in the pews, but who have not yet committed to financial giving, the study offers a weekly reading, accompanied by seven days of challenges in the forms of self-assessment, journaling, and prayer, as well as leader helps to facilitate the group experience. After 28 days, readers will be encouraged to embrace the life-giving journey toward generosity and provided a road map on how to get there.

George Norman will be conducting an intriguing Book Study on Thursday mornings at 10:30 during the month of **August.** If you are interested, please contact our Chapel Administrator:

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