

# The Fifth Sunday After Pentecost



Please join us in lifting up these brothers and sisters in prayer:

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([office@crossofglory.us](mailto:office@crossofglory.us)) or call 763-533-8602.*

*You are welcome to stop at our community prayer wall just outside the sanctuary to  
place a written prayer in the wall. Further instructions are at the prayer wall.*



**June 23, 2024**

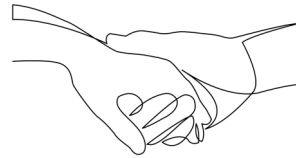
**Cross of Glory Lutheran Church  
Brooklyn Center, MN**



We are **CALLED**



We are called to **LIFE**



We are called to life **TOGETHER**

Welcome to Cross of Glory, where we work to share in the joy of life **together!** If you're visiting, we invite you to fill out a Welcome Card in your pew and put it in the offering plates so we can further extend a welcome.

## Gathering

### PRELUDE

### WELCOME

### CONFESSION + FORGIVENESS

Pastor: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, the God of manna, the God of miracles, the God of mercy.

**All: Amen.**

P: Trusting in the abundance of God's grace, let us take a moment of silence to repent of our sins--individual and collective, known and unknown, of things done and left undone....

*\*\*Silence for repentance and reflection \*\**

P: God of abundance,

**A: We struggle to believe there is enough to share.**

**We question your ways when they differ from the ways of the world.**

**We turn to our own understanding rather than trusting in you.**

**We disentangle ourselves from the lives of others,**

**and from the life that swarms in the sky, seas, and soil,**

**and in doing so, from the very life of you.**

**Have mercy on us, O God.**

**Fill us with your grace**

**and feed us for life in the world. Amen.**

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

•**Coffee Hour** - All are welcome to a time of food and fellowship in the Fellowship Hall following worship!

•**Shingle Creek Center Fair** - On June 29 from 11-2, local BC organizations are joining together to host a day of community, healthcare activities, free covid vaccines, a pop-up market, and more! Check out [www.facebook.com/ACERFair](http://www.facebook.com/ACERFair) for more info.

•**Art Gallery Talk**– Join us after worship next Sunday, June 30, in the art gallery for a talk with the artist of this season's exhibit, Kathy Swan.

•**COG Fellowship: Music in the Park** - Mark your calendar: on Tues, July 9 at 7 pm, bring a blanket or lawn chair, some snacks, and join the CoG community in Centennial Park for free live music and fellowship. Between music by the Kendra Glenn Band, the adjacent playground for kids, and the good company of one another, it will be sure to be a fun evening for all ages!

•**WELCA Summer Service Project** - WELCA is collecting items through the end of July to support MARS Animal Rescue, a local nonprofit that provides support services for animals in need. See the poster by the welcome desk for further info.

•**Wildfire VBS** - CoG kids and families, mark your calendars for the evenings of July 15-18 when we'll be joining together with other Wildfire churches for VBS at Faith Lilac Way Lutheran Church in Robbinsdale. There will be a free meal for families that begins at 5 pm, and then kids programming to follow. **\*\*ALL ARE WELCOME!** Register today by scanning the QR code at the kids table or by reaching out to the office\*\*

•**Pastoral Care & Visitation** - If you're in need of care, prayer, or conversation, reach out to the office to be connected with the pastor or our Care & Visitation Team. We also invite you to stop by our Community Prayer Wall located just outside the sanctuary.

## MUSIC

### Prayer of Good Courage

Gustavson

*\*\*Please stand as you're able and face the back doors. Join hands or put your hand on a neighbor as a reminder that we do not go alone. Kids may grab a musical instrument from the basket in the back and return to your seats to make some joyful noise as we sing! .\*\**

O God, you have called us  
to ventures where we  
cannot see the end,  
By paths never yet taken,  
Through perils unknown.  
Give us good courage.

Not knowing where we go,  
To know that your hand  
is leading us  
wherever we might go. *(Repeat)*  
Amen!

## DISMISSAL

L: Go in peace Jesus is with us.

**A: Thanks be to God.**

## POSTLUDE

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## MUSIC CREDITS

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## WORSHIP LEADERSHIP

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Ushers: Tom Simon, Gayle Merritt  
Don Halverson, Cheryl Anderson  
Fellowship: Dan and Julie Aulwes  
Ministers: The people of Cross of Glory

P: Beloveds of God:

In God, the manna from heaven, you are fed and nourished. By God, the worker of miracles, there is always more than enough. Through God, † the bread of life, you are given the gift of mercy--forgiven and loved again into abundant life.

**A: Thanks be to God. Amen.**

## MUSIC

### Raise a Hallelujah

Helser/Skaggs/Stevens

*\*\* Please rise as you are able \*\**

#### Verse 1

I raise a hallelujah  
in the presence of my enemies.  
I raise a hallelujah  
louder than the unbelief.  
I raise a hallelujah.  
My weapon is a melody.  
I raise a hallelujah.  
Heaven comes to fight for me.

#### Chorus

I'm gonna sing  
in the middle of the storm.  
Louder and louder, you're  
gonna hear my praises roar.  
Up from the ashes, hope will arise.  
Death is defeated.  
The King is alive!

#### Verse 2

I raise a hallelujah  
with everything inside of me.  
I raise a hallelujah.  
I will watch the darkness flee.  
I raise a hallelujah

In the middle of the mystery.  
I raise a hallelujah.  
Fear, you lost your hold on me.  
*(Chorus)*

#### Bridge 1

Sing a little louder.  
Sing a little louder.  
Sing a little louder.  
Sing a little louder.

#### Bridge 2

Sing a little louder  
in the presence of my enemies.  
Sing a little louder  
louder than the unbelief.  
Sing a little louder.  
My weapon is a melody.  
Sing a little louder.  
Heaven comes to fight for me.  
*(Repeat)*

*(Chorus 2x)*

#### Ending

I raise a hallelujah...

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

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

**A: And also with you.**

P: Let us pray together... **O God, you are God of land and sea, winds and waters, sun and storm. By your hand protect us, by your wisdom instruct us, and by your power give us the gift of life, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

*\*\* Please be seated \*\**

## MUSIC

### Verse 1

Hide me now  
Under Your wings.  
Cover me  
Within Your mighty hand.

### Chorus

When the oceans rise  
And thunders roar,  
I will soar with You  
Above the storm.

## Still

Jesus, You are King  
Over the flood.  
I will be still  
and know You are God.

### Verse 2

Find rest my soul  
In Christ alone.  
Know His pow'r  
In quietness and trust.  
(Chorus 2x)

## Morgan

Word

## FIRST READING

Job 38:1-11

Then the Lord answered Job out of the whirlwind:  
'Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge?  
Gird up your loins like a man,  
I will question you, and you shall declare to me.  
'Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth?  
Tell me, if you have understanding.  
Who determined its measurements—surely you know!  
Or who stretched the line upon it?  
On what were its bases sunk,  
or who laid its cornerstone  
when the morning stars sang together  
and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?  
'Or who shut in the sea with doors  
when it burst out from the womb?—  
when I made the clouds its garment,  
and thick darkness its swaddling band,

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*\*\*During the prayers, kids are invited to come forward to the chalkboards to write and/or draw their prayer.\*\**

*\*\*Sung between petitions\*\**

## Calm The Waves

#794

Calm to the waves.  
Calm to the wind.  
Jesus whispers, "Peace, be still."  
Balm to our hearts.  
Fears at an end.  
In stillness, hear his voice.

Table

## LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered together as one body by the Holy Spirit, let us pray the prayer Jesus taught us...

**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.**

Sending

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

### SENDING BLESSING

P: The blessing of God, who provides for us, feeds us, and journeys with us, † be upon you now and forever.

**A: Amen.**

**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.**

### SHARING OF THE PEACE

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

**A: And also with you.**

P: Let's share a sign of God's peace with one another.

*\*\* Please be seated \*\**

### OFFERING

*We give thanks for the ways your generous giving empowers us to share God's gift of life together in our congregation and wider community. You may share an offering in the plates as they're passed or scan the QR code here to make a secure, online gift. Thank you!*



**Music**                      **When Peace Like a River**                      **#785**

#### **Verse 1**

When peace like a river  
attendeth my way,  
when sorrows like sea billows roll,  
whatever my lot,  
thou hast taught me to say,  
it is well, it is well with my soul.

#### **Refrain**

It is well (it is well)  
with my soul, (with my soul,)  
it is well, it is well with my soul.

#### **Verse 2**

Though Satan should buffet,  
though trials should come,

let this blest assurance control,  
that Christ has regarded my  
helpless estate,  
and has shed his own  
blood for my soul. *Refrain*

#### **Verse 4**

Lord, hasten the day  
when our faith shall be sight,  
the clouds be rolled  
back as a scroll,  
the trumpet shall sound and the  
Lord shall descend;  
even so it is well with my soul.  
*Refrain*

and prescribed bounds for it,  
and set bars and doors,  
and said, "Thus far shall you come, and no farther,  
and here shall your proud waves be stopped"?

Leader: The word of the Lord.

**ALL: Thanks be to God.**

### SECOND READING

**Psalm 107:1-3, 23-32**

*\*\* Read responsively \*\**

L: Give thanks to the Lord, for the Lord is good,  
for God's mercy endures forever.

**A: Let the redeemed of the Lord proclaim  
that God redeemed them from the hand of the foe,**

gathering them in from the lands;

from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.

**Some went down to the sea in ships,  
plying their trade in deep waters.**

They beheld the works of the Lord,  
God's wonderful works in the deep.

**Then God spoke, and a stormy wind arose,  
which tossed high the waves of the sea.**

They mounted up to the heavens and descended to the depths;  
their souls melted away in their peril.

**They staggered and reeled like drunkards,  
and all their skill was of no avail.**

Then in their trouble they cried to the Lord,  
and you delivered them from their distress.

**You stilled the storm to a whisper  
and silenced the waves of the sea.**

Then were they glad when it grew calm,  
when you guided them to the harbor they desired.

**Let them give thanks to you, Lord, for your steadfast love  
and your wonderful works for all people.**

Let them exalt you in the assembly of the people;  
in the council of the elders, let them sing hallelujah!

Leader: The word of the Lord.

**ALL: Thanks be to God.**

## SPECIAL MUSIC

### Chorus

Through it all, through it all  
My eyes are on You.  
Through it all,  
through it all it is well.  
Through it all, through it all  
My eyes are on You,  
And it is well with me.

### Bridge

So, let go my soul

## It is Well

Spafford/DiMarco/Bliss

and trust in Him.  
The waves and wind  
still know His name.  
(Chorus 2x)

## GOSPEL READING

Mark 4:35-41

*\*\* Please stand as you are able \*\**

P: The Gospel according to Mark the fourth chapter.

**ALL: Glory to you, O Lord.**

On that day, when evening had come, he said to them, 'Let us go across to the other side.' And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. A great gale arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, 'Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?' He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, 'Peace! Be still!' Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. He said to them, 'Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?' And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, 'Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?'

Leader: The word of the Lord.

**ALL: Praise to you, O Christ.**

*\*\* Please be seated \*\**

## SERMON

### MUSIC

My Life Flows on in Endless Song

#763

#### Verse 1

My life flows on in endless song;  
above earth's lamentation,  
I catch the sweet,  
though far-off hymn  
that hails a new creation.

#### Refrain

No storm can shake  
my inmost calm  
while to that Rock I'm clinging.  
Since Christ is Lord  
of heaven and earth,  
how can I keep from singing?

#### Verse 2

Through all the tumult  
and the strife,  
I hear that music ringing.  
It finds an echo in my soul.

How can I keep from singing?  
(Refrain)

#### Verse 3

What though my joys  
and comforts die?  
The Lord my Savior liveth.  
What though the darkness  
gather round?  
Songs in the night he giveth.  
(Refrain)

#### Verse 4

The peace of Christ  
makes fresh my heart,  
a fountain ever springing!  
All things are mine since I am his!  
How can I keep from singing?  
(Refrain)

## CONFESSON OF FAITH

Apostles Creed

*\*\* Please stand as you are able \*\**

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

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**