

In Your Prayers

-Rick Higgins, Don Taylor, Margaret Graves-Unity, tolerance and peace in our community.-Peace in the Middle East, in our country and our world.

Happening This Week

-Sunday, August 10: Worship Committee Meeting, 11am

Mark Your Calendars

-Sunday, September 7: Rally Day and Picnic-Sunday, September 14: All Church Meeting, 11am-Sunday, October 19: Consecration Sunday

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August 10th, 2025



Rev. Jesse Larson, Pastor Bradley Meholick, Music Director Todd Suckow, Liturgist Betty Pitcher, Organist

The flowers in the sanctuary are given with thanks to God!

Our services are livestreamed and recorded. If you wish to limit use of images from today's service, please let one of our deacons know.

A warm welcome to all visitors! Please join us for refreshments after the service!



Gathering Music, Chimes, Welcome & Announcements

<u>Prelude</u>: "Te Deum" (Praise to God) - M. A. Charpentier -Karen Griffin, trumpet

Call to Worship:

Friends, we know what God desires of us: **That we do justice**, **and love kindness**, **and walk humbly with God**. We gather this morning to remind each other about that, **to remember that now is always the right time to do these things**. So with thanks in our hearts, let us worship God.

Hymn: "Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty" - Hymnal, n. 482

Prayer of the Day

<u>Passing the Peace</u>:

The peace of Christ be with you – and also with you.

Song of Praise: "How Great is Our God"

Sharing our Praises and Concerns & The Lord's Prayer:

Lord, in your mercy – **hear our prayer**Lord, with thanksgiving – **hear our prayer**

Old Testament Reading: Ecclesiastes 2:12-16; 24-26 (page 615)

Special Music: "Be Thou My Vision"

-Irish ballad, arr. James Curnow

-Karen Griffin, flugelhorn

New Testament Reading: Mark 10:17-31 (page 46)

<u>Sermon</u>

Hymn: "Just a Closer Walk with Thee" - STF, n. 2158

Sharing Our Tithes and Offerings:

Doxology: Hymnal, n. 592

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Hymn: "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" - Hymnal, n. 464

Benediction

<u>Postlude (Please remain seated)</u>: "Trumpet Voluntary" -Jeremiah Clarke

Thank you for sharing your musical gifts with us this morning, Karen Griffin! We are so grateful to have you with us!