

Welcome to Bethany's time of
PRAISE & WORSHIP
The 14th Sunday after Pentecost
September 11, 2022

“Welcome Holy Spirit”

Welcome Holy Spirit
I am in Your presence
Fill me with Your power
Live inside of me. *Repeat*

You're my living water
Ever flowing fountain,
You're my comforter my counselor
Take complete control

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REMEMBERING BETHANY'S MISSION

P: As a community, gathered by God's great grace,
we seek to live our mission of:

C: **being, living as, and making disciples of
Jesus Christ.**

**WELCOME!
MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS,
& ATTENDANCE REGISTRATION**

TEMPLE TALK
Hattie Allen, Director of The Grace Center

“Hallelujah”

Your love is amazing steady and unchanging
Your love is a mountain firm beneath my feet
Your love is a mystery how You gently lift me
When I am surrounded Your love carries me

Refrain

Hallelujah Hallelujah
Hallelujah Your love makes me sing
Hallelujah Hallelujah
Hallelujah Your love makes me sing.

Your love is surprising I can feel it rising
All the joy that's growing deep inside of me
Every time I see You, all Your goodness shines through
I can feel this God song rising up in me. *Refrain*

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PRAYER FOR TODAY

O God, overflowing with mercy and compassion,
you lead back to yourself all those who go astray.
Preserve your people in your loving care, that we
may reject whatever is contrary to you and may
follow all things that sustain our life in your Son,
Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

BIBLE READINGS

*Exodus 32: 7-14
1 Timothy 1: 12-17*

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SPECIAL MUSIC: Agape Road
“Cornerstone”

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

L: Eternal God our creator,
C: **in you we live and move and have our
being. Look upon us, your children,
the work of your hands.
Forgive us all our offenses,
and cleanse us from proud thoughts
and empty desires.
By your grace draw us near to you,
our refuge and our strength;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*The leader announces
Good News of Forgiveness*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*Petitions end, “Lord, hear our prayers.
Congregation sings:*

**Messiah we offer You our prayers.
Messiah we offer You our prayers**

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THE 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.

“Jesus, Come and Fill Your Lambs”

Jesus, O Jesus, Come and fill Your lambs.
Jesus, O Jesus, Come and fill Your lambs

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GOSPEL READING

Luke 15: 1-10

MESSAGE

COMMUNION THANKSGIVING

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts!

C: **We lift them to the Lord!**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

*The pastor continues with thanksgiving
and Jesus' "Words of Institution"*

HOLY COMMUNION

“Messiah”

Verse 1

Someone's shouting from the dessert,
Someone's shouting from the sea,
Someone's shouting from the mountain
Someone's shouting from the valley.

Refrain

Messiah, come and be our King.
Messiah, come and be our King.

Verse 2

Someone's shouting from the city
“I am young and I am cold.”
Someone's shouting from the country,
“I am lonely, I am old.” *Refrain*

Verse 3

Someone's shouting, “I am broken.”
Someone's shouting, “Make me whole.”
Someone's shouting, “Come and change me.”
Someone's shouting, “Save my soul.” *Refrain*

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BLESSING

“For the Lord Our God Reigns”

Refrain

Jesus, Emmanuel; He has set us free.
Hopeless souls redeemed to tell
For the Lord, our God reigns;
for the Lord, our God reigns.

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DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord. With enthusiasm!

C: **Thanks be to God! And we will!**