
Traditional Worship Guide

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost ❖ July 17, 2022

WELCOME & 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.**

HYMN: "Gather Us In" # 532

- 1 Here in this place the new light is streaming,
Now is the darkness vanished away;
See in this space our fears and our dreamings,
Brought here to you in the light of this day.
Gather us in, the lost and forsaken,
Gather us in, the blind and the lame;
Call to us now, and we shall awaken,
We shall rise at the sound of our name.
- 2 We are the young, our lives are a myst'ry,
We are the old who yearn for your face;
We have been sung throughout all of hist'ry,
Called to be light to the whole human race.
Gather us in, the rich and the haughty,
Gather us in, the proud and the strong,
Give us a heart, so meek and so lowly,
Give us the courage to enter the song.
- 3 Here we will take the wine and the water,
Here we will take the bread of new birth,
Here you shall call your sons and your daughters,
Call us anew to be salt for the earth.
Give us to drink the wine of compassion,
Give us to eat the bread that is you;
nourish us well and teach us to fashion,
lives that are holy and hearts that are true.
- 4 Not in the dark of buildings confining,
Not in some heaven, light years away;
Here in this place the new light is shining,
Now is the kingdom, and now is the day. →

Gather us in and hold us forever,
Gather us in and make us your own;
Gather us in all peoples together,
Fire of love in our flesh and our bone.

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GREETING AND "KYRIE"

- P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and
the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- C: **And also with you.**
- P: Lord, have mercy. C: **Lord, have mercy.**
- P: Christ, have mercy. C: **Christ, have mercy.**
- P: Lord, have mercy. C: **Lord, have mercy.**

HYMN OF PRAISE: "Glory to God"



Glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God in the high - est;
glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God, and peace to God's peo - ple on earth.
For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,
you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly
Spir - it, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther, A - men.
Glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God in the high - est;
glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God, and peace to God's peo - ple on earth,
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PRAYER OF THE DAY

Eternal God, you draw near to us in Christ, and you make yourself our guest. Amid the cares of our lives, make us attentive to your presence, that we may treasure your word above all else, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

FIRST READING *Genesis 18: 1-10a* Bible, pg. 24

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (*stand*)



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HOLY GOSPEL *Luke 10: 38-42* Bible, pg. 1613

Say before the reading: **Glory to You, O Lord.**
Say after the reading: **Praise to You, O Christ.**

SERMON

After the sermon at the 10:30 service, the preacher goes to the Contemporary Service in the Fellowship Hall.

HYMN: “*Dearest Jesus, At Your Word*” # **520**

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS & REGISTRATION

Please sign and pass the black registration pads located near center aisle.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Response: P: ...Lord in your mercy, C: **hear our prayer.**

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS & REGISTRATION

Please sign and pass the black registration pads located near center aisle.

HYMN: “*Come, Let Us Eat*” (sts. 1, 2, 3) # **491**

GREAT 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.**

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER and THE LORD’S PRAYER

HOLY COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

Please come down the center aisle, receive communion, return by side

HYMN: “*Break Now the Bread of Life*” # **515**
HYMN: “*All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly*” # **461**

BENEDICTION

HYMN: “*Listen, God is Calling*” # **513**

Refrain

Listen, listen, God is calling, through the Word inviting,
offering forgiveness, comfort and joy.

- 1 Jesus gave his mandate: share the good news
that he came to save us and set us free. **Refrain**
- 2 Let none be forgotten throughout the world.
In the triune name of God go and baptize. **Refrain**
- 3 Help us to be faithful, standing steadfast,
walking in your precepts, led by your Word. **Refrain**

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DISMISSAL

Dearest Jesus, at Your Word

- 1 Dearest Jesus, at your word
we have come again to hear you;
let our thoughts and hearts be stirred
and in glowing faith be near you
as the promises here given
draw us wholly up to heaven.
- 2 All our knowledge, sense, and sight
lie in deepest darkness shrouded
till your Spirit breaks the night,
filling us with light unclouded.
All good thoughts and all good living
come but by your gracious giving.
- 3 Radiance of God's glory bright,
Light of light from God proceeding,
Jesus, send your blessed light;
help our hearing, speaking, heeding,
that our prayers and songs may please you,
as with grateful hearts we praise you.
- 4 Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
praise to you and adoration!
Grant us what we need the most:
all your gospel's consolation,
while we here on earth await you,
till in heav'n with praise we greet you.

Text: Tobias Clausnitzer, 1619-1684, sts. 1-3; *Gesangbuch*, Berlin, 1707, st. 4; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1829-1878, adapt. Music: Johann R. Ahle
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Come, Let Us Eat

- 1 Come, let us eat, for now the feast is spread,
come, let us eat, for now the feast is spread.
Our Lord's body let us take together,
our Lord's body let us take together.
- 2 Come, let us drink, for now the wine is poured,
come, let us drink, for now the wine is poured.
Jesus' blood poured let us drink together,
Jesus' blood poured let us drink together.
- 3 In Jesus' presence now we meet and rest,
in Jesus' presence now we meet and rest.
In the presence of our Lord we gather,
in the presence of our Lord we gather.

Text: Billema Kwillia, b. c. 1925, sts. 1-3; Gilbert E. Doan, b. 1930, st. 4,
alt.; tr. Margaret D. Miller, b. 1927, sts. 1-3, alt.

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Break Now the Bread of Life

- 1 Break now the bread of life,
dear Lord, to me,
as once you broke the loaves beside the sea.
Beyond the sacred page
I seek you, Lord;
my spirit waits for you,
O living Word.
- 2 Bless your own word of truth,
dear Lord, to me,
as when you blest the bread by Galilee.
Then shall all bondage cease,
all fetters fall;
and I shall find my peace,
my All-in-All!
- 3 You are the bread of life,
dear Lord, to me,
your holy word the truth that rescues me.
Give me to eat and live
with you above;
teach me to love your truth,
for you are love.

Text: sts. 1-2, Mary A. Lathbury, 1841-1913; st. 3, Alexander Groves, 1842-1909. Public Domain

All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly

- 1 All who hunger, gather gladly; holy manna is our bread.
Come from wilderness and wandering. Here, in truth, we will be fed.
You that yearn for days of fullness, all around us is our food.
Taste and see the grace eternal. Taste and see that God is good.
- 2 All who hunger, never strangers; seeker, be a welcome guest.
Come from restlessness and roaming. Here, in joy, we keep the feast.
We that once were lost and scattered in communion's love have stood.
Taste and see the grace eternal. Taste and see that God is good.
- 3 All who hunger, sing together; Jesus Christ is living bread.
Come from loneliness and longing. Here, in peace, we have been led.
Blest are those who from this table live their lives in gratitude.
Taste and see the grace eternal. Taste and see that God is good.

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