

11 July 9:00am Traditional Worship

Face-to-face at the church, as well as on phones and zoom:

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Welcome and Acknowledgment of Country

Introit: All people that on earth do dwell (TiS 59 v.1)

1. All people that on earth do dwell,
sing to the Lord with cheerful voice:
him serve with mirth, his praise forth tell;
come ye before him and rejoice.

Call to worship

We sing: Joyful, joyful we adore you (TiS 152)

1. Joyful, joyful, we adore you,
God of glory, God of love;
hearts unfold like flowers before you
opening to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness,
drive the dark of doubt away;
giver of immortal gladness,
fill us with the light of day.

2. All your works with joy surround you,
earth and heav'n reflect your rays,
stars and angels sing around you,
centre of unbroken praise.

Field and forest, vale and mountain,
flowery meadow, flashing sea,
singing bird and flowing fountain
call to praise you joyfully.

3. You are giving and forgiving,
ever blessing, ever blest,
well-spring of the joy of living,
ocean-depth of happy rest.
You our Father, Christ our brother,
all are yours who live in love;
teach us how to love each other,
lift us to your joy above.

Prayer of adoration

Prayer of confession

Declaration of forgiveness

Peace

Anthem: O be joyful, by Marty Haugen

Bible readings: 2 Samuel 6: 12-23

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 24

The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it,
the world, and those who live in it;

² **for he has founded it on the seas,
and established it on the rivers.**

³ Who shall ascend the hill of the Lord?
And who shall stand in his holy place?

**⁴ Those who have clean hands and pure hearts,
who do not lift up their souls to what is false,
and do not swear deceitfully.**

⁵ They will receive blessing from the Lord,
and vindication from the God of their salvation.

**⁶ Such is the company of those who seek him,
who seek the face of the God of Jacob.**

⁷ Lift up your heads, O gates!
and be lifted up, O ancient doors!
that the King of glory may come in.

**⁸ Who is the King of glory?
The Lord, strong and mighty,
the Lord, mighty in battle.**

⁹ Lift up your heads, O gates!
and be lifted up, O ancient doors!
that the King of glory may come in.

**¹⁰ Who is this King of glory?
The Lord of hosts,
he is the King of glory.**

Bible reading: Mark 6:14-29
Ephesians 1:3-14

We sing: Loving Spirit (TiS 417)

1. Loving Spirit, loving Spirit,
you have chosen me to be -
you have drawn me to your wonder,
you have set your sign on me.

2. Like a mother you enfold me,
hold my life within your own,
feed me with your very body,
form me of your flesh and bone.

3. Like a father you protect me,
teach me the discerning eye,

hoist me up upon your shoulder,
let me see the world from high.

4. Friend and lover, in your closeness
I am known and held and blessed:
in your promise is my comfort,
in your presence I may rest.

5. Loving Spirit, loving Spirit,
you have chosen me to be –
you have drawn me to your wonder,
you have set your sign on me.

Sermon

We sing: Tell out my soul (TiS 161)

1. Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord!
Unnumbered blessings, give my spirit voice;
tender to me the promise of his word;
in God my Saviour shall my heart rejoice.

2. Tell out, my soul, the greatness of his name!
Make known his might, the deeds his arm has done;
his mercy sure, from age to age the same;
his holy name - the Lord, the Mighty One.

3. Tell out, my soul, the greatness of his might!
Powers and dominions lay their glory by.
Proud hearts and stubborn wills are put to flight,
the hungry fed, the humble lifted high.

4. Tell out, my soul, the glories of his word!
Firm is his promise, and his mercy sure.
Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord
to children's children and for evermore!

Dedication of the offering
Notices and sharing
Prayers of the People
The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory
are yours
now and forever. Amen.

We sing: To God be the glory (TiS 147)

1. To God be the glory, great things he has done!
So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,
who yielded his life in atonement for sin
and opened the life-gate that all may go in.

2. O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood,
To every believer the promise of God!
And every offender who truly believes,
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

Chorus

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the earth hear his voice!
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father, through Jesus the Son,
and give him the glory! great things he has done!

3. Great things he has taught us,
great things he has done,
and great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son;
but purer, and higher, and greater will be
our wonder, our rapture, when Jesus we see.

Blessing

We sing: Now to him who loved us (TiS 771)

Now to him who loved us, gave us
every pledge that love could give,
freely shed his blood to save us,
gave his life that we might live,
be the kingdom and dominion
and the glory evermore.