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6TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 20, 2025
8:30am, 10:00am, 5:00pm

WELCOME TO WORSHIP! Guests, please sign in at the "Welcome Table" and receive a gift. For young children, a nursery is available. Sign in and grab a pager. We also love children in worship!

This summer, we're looking at Martin Luther's *Small Catechism* - 10 Commandments, Apostles' Creed, The Lord's Prayer, the Sacraments, etc. - **Vintage Faith!** May the Spirit speak to you through these core passages and fill you with hope and strength to serve in Jesus' name.

PRELUDE:

Micaela Lum, Pianist/Organist (8:30am/10am)
Harrison Michael, Worship Leader (5pm)

WELCOME AND INVOCATION

(People read/sing **bold** words.)

GATHERING HYMN: Christ Be Our Light

#715 vv1-4

**Longing for light, we wait in darkness.
Longing for truth, we turn to you.
Make us your own, your holy people,
light for the world to see.**

Refrain: **Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts.
Shine through the darkness. Christ, be our light!
Shine in your church gathered today.**

**Longing for peace, our world is troubled.
Longing for hope, many despair.
Your word alone has pow'r to save us.
Make us your living voice. (Refrain.)**

**Longing for food, many are hungry.
Longing for water, many still thirst.
Make us your bread, broken for others,
shared until all are fed. (Refrain.)**

**Longing for shelter, many are homeless,
Longing for warmth, many are cold.
Make us your building, sheltering others,
walls made of living stone. (Refrain.)**

THE CONFESSION

APOSTOLIC GREETING

THE KYRIE by Matt Maher

PRAYER OF THE DAY

THE FIRST LESSON: Genesis 18:1-8

The Lord appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the entrance of his tent in the heat of the day. He looked up and saw three men standing near him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent entrance to meet them and bowed down to the ground. He said, "My lord, if I find favor with you, do not pass by your servant. Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree. Let me bring a little bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant." So they said, "Do as you have said." And Abraham

hastened into the tent to Sarah and said, "Make ready quickly three measures[c] of choice flour, knead it, and make cakes." Abraham ran to the herd and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to the servant, who hastened to prepare it. Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared and set it before them, and he stood by them under the tree while they ate. (Word of God. Word of Life. **Thanks be to God.**)

THE SECOND LESSON: Colossians 1:15-20

He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation, for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross. (Word of God. Word of Life. **Thanks be to God.**)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: (Please stand for the Gospel.)

#169



Leader: Speak, O Lord, Your servant is listening. You have the words of eternal life. (People sing Alleluia again.)

(The Holy Gospel according to Saint John, the 10th chapter. **Glory to You, O Lord.**)

THE GOSPEL: Matthew 6:9-13

Jesus said, "Pray, then, in this way: Our Father in heaven, may your name be revered as holy. May your kingdom come. May your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And do not bring us to the time of trial, but rescue us from the evil one."

(The Gospel of our Lord. **Praise to You, O Christ!**)

THE SMALL CATECHISM by Martin Luther - The Lord's Prayer - Intro-3rd Petition

Our Father in heaven. What does this mean?

With these words God wants to attract us, so that we come to believe he is truly our Father and we are truly his children, in order that we may ask him boldly and with complete confidence, just as loving children ask their loving father.

The First Petition - Hallowed be your name. What does this mean?

It is true that God's name is holy in itself; but we ask in this prayer that it may also become holy in and among us.

How does this come about?

Whenever the word of God is taught clearly and purely and we, as God's children, also live holy lives according to it. To this end help us, dear Father in heaven! However, whoever teaches and lives otherwise than the word of God teaches, dishonors the name of God among us. Preserve us from this, heavenly Father!

The Second Petition - Your kingdom come. What does this mean?

In fact, God's kingdom comes on its own without our prayer; but we ask in this prayer that it may also come to us.

How does this come about?

Whenever our heavenly Father gives us His Holy Spirit, so that through the Holy Spirit's grace we believe God's holy word and live godly lives here in time and hereafter in eternity.

The Third Petition - Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. What does this mean?

In fact, God's good and gracious will comes about without our prayer; but we ask in this prayer that it may come about in and among us.

How does this come about?

Whenever God breaks and hinders every evil scheme and will—as are present in the will of the devil, the world, and our flesh—that would not allow us to hallow God's name and would prevent the coming of his kingdom, and instead whenever God strengthens us and keeps us steadfast in his word and in faith until the end of our lives. This is God's gracious and good will.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (8:30am/10am)

Pastor David Mattson

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYMN OF THE DAY: Our Father, God in Heaven Above

#747 vs. 1-4

**Our Father, God in heav'n above,
Pour out on us the Spirit's love
That we unite in word and deed
And call to you in ev'ry need;
Help us no thoughtless words to say,
But, as our Savior taught, to pray.**

**Your name be hallowed. Help us, Lord,
In faithfulness to keep your word,
That to the glory of your name**

**We walk before you free from blame.
Let no false teaching make us stray;
Lead all the lost to find your way.**

**Your kingdom come: yours will it be
In time and in eternity.
Let your good Spirit from on high
Our hearts with gifts of grace supply.
Break Satan's reign of hate and rage;
Preserve your church from age to age.**

**Your gracious will on earth be done
As there in heav'n before your throne,
That firm in faith we may remain
In time of joy and time of pain.
Curb flesh and blood and ev'ry ill
That sets itself against your will.**

THE MESSAGE: *Vintage Faith #5 - The Lord's Prayer*

Deacon Daneen Pysz

OFFERTORY MUSIC: *Let Us Pray* by Steven Curtis Chapman

Harrison Michael

OFFERTORY RESPONSE: In the Lord I'll Be Ever Thankful (Taizé) (Sing 2x)
**In the Lord I'll be ever thankful.
In the Lord, I will rejoice.
Look to God, do not be afraid,
Lift up your voices, the Lord is near.
Lift up your voices, the Lord is near.**

OFFERTORY PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH (Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**)

WORDS OF INSTITUTION FOR HOLY COMMUNION

(All who believe Christ is present in this sacrament are welcome. Non-communing children and adults who choose not to receive, may come forward for a blessing. Please cross your arms as a signal you would prefer a blessing. Juice is located in the center of each tray, and gluten-free wafers are available upon request.)

HOLY COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION MUSIC:

Lamb of God (Agnus Dei by Matt Maher)

Lamb of God - **Lamb of God,**
You take away - **You take away,**
The sins of all - **The sins of all,**
The world - **The world**
Miserere nobis - **Miserere nobis**

Agnus Dei - **Agnus Dei,**

You take away - **You take away,**
The sins of all - **The sins of all**
The world - **The world**
Dona nobis pacem - **Dona nobis pacem.**

Give Me Jesus

#770 vs. 1-5

**In the morning when I rise, in the morning when I rise,
in the morning when I rise, give me Jesus.**

Refrain: **Give me Jesus, give me Jesus.
You may have all the rest, give me Jesus.**

**Dark mid-night was my cry, dark mid-night was my cry,
dark mid-night was my cry, give me Jesus. (Refrain.)**

**Just about the break of day, just about the break of day,
just about the break of day, give me Jesus. (Refrain.)**

**Oh, when I come to die, oh, when I come to die,
Oh, when I come to die, give me Jesus. (Refrain.)**

**And when I want to sing, and when I want to sing,
and when I want to sing, give me Jesus. (Refrain.)**

I am the Bread of Life

#485 vs. 1-5

**"I am the Bread of life.
You who come to me shall not hunger,
and who believe in me shall not thirst.
No one can come to me unless the Father beckons."**

Refrain:

**"And I will raise you up, and I will raise you up,
and I will raise you up on the last day."**

**"The bread that I will give
is my flesh for the life of the world,
and if you eat of this bread,
you shall live forever, you shall live forever." (Refrain.)**

**"Unless you eat
of the flesh of the Son of Man
and drink of his blood, and drink of his blood
you shall not have life within you." (Refrain.)**

**"I am the resurrection, I am the life.
If you believe in me, even though you die,
you shall live forever." (Refrain.)**

**Yes, Lord, I believe that you are the Christ,
the Son of God, who have come into the world.** (Refrain.)

POST COMMUNION PRAYER AND BLESSING

THE BENEDICTION

THE SENDING HYMN: “Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing” #886 vs. 1, 3, 6
**Oh, for a thousand tongues to sing my great Redeemer’s praise,
the glories of my God and King, the triumphs of his grace!**

**The name of Jesus charms our fears and bids our sorrows cease,
sings music in the sinner’s ears, brings life and health and peace.**

**To God all glory, praise, and love Be now and ever giv’n
By saints below and saints above, the Church in earth and heav’n.**

SENDING WORDS

POSTLUDE: Micaela Lum (8:30/10am)
Harrison Michael (5pm)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALTAR FLOWERS are provided by Dianne and Greg Blanda in celebration of their 27th wedding anniversary.

SUMMER WORSHIP THEME: “*Vintage Faith*” (A New Look at Martin Luther’s *Small Catechism*). We’ll look at the basics of the Christian life (Sacraments, Creeds, 10 Commandments, and more).

ADULT KICKBALL LEAGUE - Gloria Dei will have a team in local league (18+). Games Wednesdays, July 16-Aug. 27 (Del Obispo Fields). \$20/person. See sign-up. Questions, speak to the team captain Matt Dubow.

SUMMER BIBLE STUDY led by Pastor David begins Wednesday, July 23, 5:30pm (dinner), 6pm study begins with a brief video by N.T. Wright (Univ. St. Andrews) introducing the topic and then a discussion on a Bible passage. Everyone is welcome! (Donation for dinner)

MICAELA LUM CONCERT & TALK - July 26 at 2pm in the sanctuary. Join Micaela for an afternoon of music as she gives a lecture-concert on Olivier Messiaen’s *Vingt Regards sur l’Enfant-Jésus*.

YOUNG ADULT GROUP (20/30s) email - contact list. If you’d like to be contacted related to activities, sign-up at the Welcome Table. Questions, call the office or speak with Lindsey Engel.

LAUNDRY LOVE - Next month of volunteer service will be August 1, 2pm - 5:30pm. Sign-up at the Welcome Table. For more info: deacondaneen@mygloriadei.org.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY has given 525 shawls away! They could use another 2-3 experienced knitters to join. If interested, please call the church office for details.

ANGELS’ GAME & tailgating - Saturday, August 2. \$25. Tailgating begins at 4pm (near the “Big A.”) Church will provide hotdogs/bratwurst/utensils. Bring something to share and lawn chair. Game begins at 7pm (fireworks). See sign-up.

EMPTY NESTER GROUP - Mexican themed gathering (Home of Dave & Judy Ross-24902 Monte Verde, Laguna Niguel). Friday, August 8, 5pm. Bring something to share: salad, drinks, dessert. Mexican platter will be provided. Sign-up.

KINTSUGI SESSIONS - Come learn about kintsugi as we use a contemporary method to mend our own vessels together. Two upcoming sessions - August 14 from 12:30-3:30pm and August 16 from 9:30-12:30 pm in Bankson Hall. Limited spaces available, the cost & sign up sheet are at the welcome table.

SERRA’S PANTRY - The next volunteer opportunity is Saturday, August 16, 8:30am-12pm. Email Paul Dubow with any questions at dubowpaul@gmail.com.

SUNDAY SCHOOL (preschool-5th grade) is now on summer break. We love children in worship! For young children, there’s a nursery at morning services. Grab a kid’s bag or bring a special church bag from home.

OFFERING - Thank you for supporting Gloria Dei! Please place check/money in donation boxes or give electronically - Venmo app - @GloriaDei-DanaPoint or Zelle - gloriadei@mygloriadei.org. You can also donate via credit/ debit card through Vanco, our secure site: mygloriadei.org/donate.

THANKS TO OUR WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY!

8:30am: Coffee Prep: Bill & Kathy Sieck; Communion: Barbara Keim & Sonja Krafcik; Lector: David Zylstra; Ushers: Lynn & Wes Morgan; Welcome Table: Sharon Derr
10am: Coffee Clean-up: Liz Flippin; Communion: Dennis Pysz & Lisa Mers; Lector: Lisa Mers; Ushers: Donna Combe & Susan Behnke; Welcome Table: Rebecca Horner
5pm: Lector & Communion: Gary Bridge

OPPORTUNITIES FOR JULY 20-26, 2025

Today: Worship (8:30am, 10am & 5pm); Nursery (8:30am & 10am)
Monday: South Coast Literacy (10am); RIOT Book Club (2pm); Al Anon (5:30pm); Alateen (5:30pm); AA Coed (7pm)
Tuesday: AA Men (7am); Men’s Book Club (6pm); Heart Lifters (6:30pm); Al Anon (7pm)
Wednesday: AA Men (7am); Summer Bible Study (5pm); Mission Hospital AA (6pm); 12 Step Couples (7:30pm)
Thursday: AA Men (7am); AA Women (9:30am); Al Anon Coed (5:30pm); AA Men (7pm)
Friday: Al Anon (10am); Kenny’s Music Rehearsal (2pm)
Saturday: AA Men (7am); ACA Group (11:30am); Micaela Lum Concert (2pm)

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Fantasy Football Draft Day (August 23) ✚ 60th Anniversary of Party and Dinner (September 19) ✚ Rally Sunday (September 21) ✚ Women's Retreat (October 3-5) ✚ Oktoberfest (October 11)

GLORIA DEI STAFF: Rev. David R. Mattson (pastordavid@mygloriadei.org); Minister of Art & Music Michelle Lum (michellelum@mygloriadei.org); Preschool Director Shelli Parajekas (preschool@mygloriadei.org); Administrative Assistant Susie Boland (gloriadei@mygloriadei.org); Deacon Daneen Pysz (deacondaneen@mygloriadei.org); Youth Director Paige Gulck (youth@mygloriadei.org); Pianist/Organist Micaela Lum (pianist@mygloriadei.org); 5pm Worship Leader Harrison Michael

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