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We are grateful that you have chosen to worship with us this morning.

*Please 'like' our livestream to let us know you are here, and 'share' it with your friends and family. Your 'comments' are also welcome and provide a way for us to connect with one another.*

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Service of the Word with  
Chicago Folk Service  
and Communion

Prelude

Judy Knoernschild

Welcome & Prayer Requests

Act of Reconciliation

Dear members of God's family, branded in baptism and united in Christ, let us come together honestly to tell God that we have not lived as we could and ask for forgiveness:

**Our Father, we have not fulfilled the hope in which you created us. We repent and ask your mercy that our sin be forgiven and our guilt removed. Help us learn from scripture and from one another your will for our lives, so that with your help we can claim the inheritance of unlimited freedom which you have willed to us through your son. You came to our world in Jesus. Come now to us in the Holy Spirit.**

God our Father does care about us. He sent His son Jesus Christ to us, and for us Jesus gave his life. Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation. Old things have passed away and all things are new. And all things are of God who has reconciled us through Jesus Christ, and has entrusted us with the ministry of reconciliation.

Gathering Song

*Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise (vs. 1 & 2)*

Hymn #834

1 Im - mor - tal, in - vis - i - ble, God on - ly wise,  
2 Un - rest - ing, un - hast - ing, and si - lent as light,  
3 To all, life thou giv - est, to both great and small;  
4 Thou reign - est in glo - ry; thou dwell - est in light;

in light in - ac - ces - si - ble hid from our eyes,  
 nor want - ing, nor wast - ing, thou rul - est in might;  
 in all life thou liv - est, the true life of all;  
 thine an - gels a - dore thee, all veil - ing their sight;

most bless - ed, most glo - rious, the An - cient of Days,  
 thy jus - tice like moun - tains high soar - ing a - bove  
 we blos - som and flour - ish like leaves on the tree,  
 all laud we would ren - der; oh, help us to see

al - might - y, vic - to - rious, thy great name we praise!  
 thy clouds which are foun - tains of good - ness and love.  
 and with - er and per - ish, but naught chang - eth thee.  
 'tis on - ly the splen - dor of light hid - eth thee!

### Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**And also with you.**

### Kyrie

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son: Lord, have mer - cy.  
 Lord, . . . . have mer - cy:

Chri - ste e - le - i - son: Christ, have mer - cy.  
 Christ, . . . . have mer - cy:

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son: Lord, have mer - cy.  
 Lord, . . . . have mer - cy:

1  
 Glo - ry be to God on high, praise to you most  
 Ho - ly! O Lord God, Heav'n - ly King  
 2a  
 God the Fa - ther Al - might - y! O Lord God,  
 Lamb of God, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther:  
 2b  
 Christ who takes a - way our sin, have mer - cy up -  
 3  
 on us. For you on - ly Lord, O Christ,  
 with the Ho - ly Spir - it, are most high  
 in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther.  
 Glo - ry be to God on high! A - men.

Prayer of the Day

**Almighty and ever-living God, increase in us your gift of faith, that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to what lies ahead, we may follow the way of your commandments and receive the crown of everlasting joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

### First Reading: Hebrews 4:12-16

<sup>12</sup> Indeed, the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, joints from marrow; it is able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. <sup>13</sup> And before him no creature is hidden, but all are naked and laid bare to the eyes of the one to whom we must render an account. <sup>14</sup> Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession. <sup>15</sup> For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. <sup>16</sup> Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

### Responsive Reading: Psalm 90:12-17

<sup>12</sup> So teach us to count our days that we may gain a wise heart.

<sup>13</sup> **Turn, O LORD! How long? Have compassion on your servants!**

<sup>14</sup> Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love, so that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.

<sup>15</sup> **Make us glad as many days as you have afflicted us, and as many years as we have seen evil.**

<sup>16</sup> Let your work be manifest to your servants, and your glorious power to their children.

<sup>17</sup> **Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us,**

and prosper for us the work of our hands—

**O prosper the work of our hands!**

### Gospel Acclamation (2x)

Refrain

Sing praise to the Lord, all the earth!

Fine

Al - le - lu - le, Al - le - lu - ia!

### Gospel: Mark 10:17-31

<sup>17</sup> As he was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, "Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" <sup>18</sup> Jesus said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. <sup>19</sup> You know the commandments: 'You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honor your father and mother.'" <sup>20</sup> He said to him, "Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth." <sup>21</sup> Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, "You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me." <sup>22</sup> When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions. <sup>23</sup> Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, "How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!" <sup>24</sup> And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, "Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! <sup>25</sup> It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God." <sup>26</sup> They were greatly astounded and said to one another, "Then who can be saved?" <sup>27</sup> Jesus looked at them and said, "For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible." <sup>28</sup> Peter began to say to him, "Look, we have left everything and followed you."

<sup>29</sup> Jesus said, "Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, <sup>30</sup> who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age-- houses, brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields with persecutions-- and in the age to come eternal life. <sup>31</sup> But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first."

The Gospel of Our Lord,  
**Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon

Pastor Roy Nelson

Song of the Day

*The Creed*

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1

1. We all be - lieve\_\_ in one true  
 2. (And) we be - lieve\_\_ in Je - sus  
 3. (And) we in the Ho - ly Ghost be -

God\_\_\_\_\_ Mak - er of Earth\_\_ and Heav -  
 Christ, his Son our\_\_ Lord\_\_ and Sav -  
 lieve, who Grace and\_\_ Com - fort giv -

en, the Fa - ther who\_\_ to  
 ior, who with the Fa - ther  
 eth, and with the Fa - ther

us in love, hath the name of  
 e - qual might,\_\_\_\_ hath pow'r and  
 and the Son in e - ter - nal

2

chil - dren giv - en, He in  
 glo - ry for - ev - er. Born of  
 glo - ry liv - eth. Who all

soul and bod - y feeds us.  
 Mar - y Vir - gin Moth - er  
 Chris - tian peo - ple e - ven

All we need his hand pro -  
 by the work - ing of the  
 keeps in u - ni - ty of

vides us, through all snares and  
 Spir - it, he be - came our  
 Spir - it, sins are tru - ly for -

per - ils leads us sees no  
 el - der broth - er, that Heav'n we  
 giv - en through the Blest Re -

harm be - tides us.  
 might in - her - it.  
 deem - er's mer - it.

He cares for us by day and  
 Was cru - ci - fied by sin - ners  
 All flesh shall rise a - gain and

night, all things are gov - erned by  
 all, and raised by God to life  
 we shall live with God e - ter -

His might. And  
 a - gain. And  
 nal -

ly.

## Prayers of Intercession

After each portion of the prayers, the response is...

*Lord in your mercy,*

**Hear our prayer.**

Prayer requests may be submitted by sending an email before Sunday to [revroy@aslcwales.org](mailto:revroy@aslcwales.org).

You may also call the church office during the week at 262-968-3322

or submit a prayer request on our website [here](#).

## Peace

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**And also with you.**

## Offering

*Create In Me*

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*The offering is an opportunity for us to take a portion of what God has blessed us with and offer it for the purpose of doing God's work in the world through the church. Please place your offering in the basket in the center aisle or use our online or text options.*

2  
Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O,  
God, and re - new a right spir - it with - in me.  
— Cast me not a - way from your pres - ence and  
take not your Ho - ly Spir - it from me. Re -  
3  
store un - to me the joy of your sal - va - tion, and up -  
hold me with your spir - it free. Cre -  
4  
ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
new a right spir - it with - in me.

Or click here: [Donate Now](#)

Please be sure to:

- ▶ indicate which account the money goes to
- ▶ click on the drop-down box to specify if your gift is a one time donation, or the frequency with which you would like to give.

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Simply text the phone number 262-233-1776 and follow the prompts. The first time you will need to get set up and register your phone. For future donations, simply text 'give' to this number.

### Offering Prayer

**Jesus, Bread of life, you have set this table with your very self, and called us to the feast of plenty. Gather what has been sown among us, and strengthen us in this meal. Make us to be what we receive here, your body for the life of the world. Amen.**

### Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

### Words of Institution

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: "Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.

**Do this in remembrance of me."**

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: "This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.

**Do this in remembrance of me."**

### The Lord's Prayer

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us:

**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,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**



## Invitation to Holy Communion

We are using individual sealed communion sets. Please remain seated as you share in the Lord's Supper. Those of you online may find some sort of bread and wine/juice at home to use and share during Communion. Feel free say to one another, "The body and blood of Christ given and shed for you."

The body and blood of Christ, given and shed for you.

## Communion Song

### Lamb of God

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Christ, O Lamb of God, who takes a - way the  
sin of the world,\_\_\_ have mer - cy on us.

Christ, O Lamb of God,  
who takes a - way the sin of the world,\_\_\_ have mer - cy on  
us. Christ, O Lamb of  
God, who takes a - way the sin of the world,\_\_\_  
give us your peace.

May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. **Amen.**

## Prayer after Communion

**Lord of life, in the gift of your body and blood you turn the crumbs of our faith into a feast of salvation. Send us forth into the world with shouts of joy, bearing witness to the abundance of your love in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

## Blessing

The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.  
**Amen.**

## Announcements

### Sending Song

### *Gather Us In* (vs 1 & 4)

Hymn #532



1 Here in this place the new light is stream-ing, now is the dark - ness  
2 We are the young, our lives are a mys - t'ry, we are the old who  
3 Here we will take the wine and the wa - ter, here we will take the  
4 Not in the dark of build-ings con - fin - ing, not in some heav - en,



van - ished a - way; see in this space our fears and our dream-ings  
yearn for your face; we have been sung through - out all of his - t'ry,  
bread of new birth, here you shall call your sons and your daugh - ters,  
light years a - way— here in this place the new light is shin - ing,



brought here to you in the light of this day.  
called to be light to the whole hu - man race.  
call us a - new to be salt for the earth.  
now is the king - dom, and now is the day.



Gath - er us in, the lost and for - sak - en, gath - er us in, the  
Gath - er us in, the rich and the haugh - ty, gath - er us in, the  
Give us to drink the wine of com - pas - sion, give us to eat the  
Gath - er us in and hold us for - ev - er, gath - er us in and



blind and the lame; call to us now, and we shall a - wak - en,  
proud and the strong; give us a heart, so meek and so low - ly,  
bread that is you; nour - ish us well, and teach us to fash - ion  
make us your own; gath - er us in, all peo - ples to - geth - er,



we shall a - rise at the sound of our name.  
give us the cour - age to en - ter the song.  
lives that are ho - ly and hearts that are true.  
fire . . of love in our flesh and our bone.

### Dismissal

Go in peace, serving God by serving others.

**Thanks be to God.**

### Postlude

Judy Knoernschild

## Prayers of Concern and Celebration

Dear Lord,

We bring to you the burdens we carry, and our prayers for healing and comfort. We remember people suffering around the world, amid the turmoil of political strife, and those often wounded or killed for the sake of their Christian belief. We pray for the leaders around the world that, regardless of their religious belief, the Holy Spirit works in their hearts and minds to instill a sense of freedom and justice for all, especially those who are unable to advocate for themselves. Keep those who are suffering in mind and body close to you. Heal the sick, injured and those suffering with other medical conditions. Wrap them, their caregivers and their families in your tender embrace, so that they feel the grace, love, and comfort which only you can provide. For all, we pray that your will be done.

We especially pray for:

- \* *Tracy Paul - hip replacement - DeAnn Behnke*
- \* *Family of Trent Nienas - upon his passing - Barb & Rebecca and Christine*
- \* *Jim and Sally Grybush - tested positive for COVID*
- \* *Family and friends of Chris Calvert upon her passing - Christine*
- \* *Mike, Ron, Gertrude, Mark, Max, Jim, Jeff, Nancy, Jacob, Kathi, Dick, Jon, Kimberly, Judy, Millie*

Lord, we thank you for all the wonderful gifts which you bestow on us. Let us be a blessing to others, using what you have so freely given us... our time, our talents, our empathy... Thank you for today, and I pray your Holy Spirit continue to guide me on my journey, and that your light continues to shine through us.

Today, we especially remember and thank you for:

- \* *Birthdays - Jeff, Hasely, Taylor, Nayeli, Elijah, Ryan, Kathy, Elizabeth*
- \* *Anniversaries - Tom & Christine/45 years; Jim & Ginny/47 years; Tom & Debbie/42 years; Dan & Christine/31 years; Sean & Tina/16 years; Greg & Brenda/38 years*

All of this we bring to you in prayer, confident that you will hear us. This we ask, in Jesus' name. Amen



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