

Sunday, July 6, 2025 Bulletin Insert – 4th Sunday after Pentecost

We lift up in prayer:

Lila Burmeister; Rocky Scheevel; Arlys Winkelman; Patty Kruger; Tina Magner

Altar flowers given by:

Nicole Fries

Accompanist: Dave Eliason

8:30am: **Reader:** Odetta Hanson, **Ushers:** Odetta Hanson & Gloria Schemel, **Communion Servers:** Julie Knutson & Sheryl Johnson

10:00am: **Reader:** Sue Rime

GATHERING SONG

When I Survey The Wondrous Cross, ELW 803

1 When I survey the wondrous cross on which the prince of glory died, my richest gain I count but loss and pour contempt on all my pride.

2 Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast save in the death of Christ, my God; all the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to his blood.

3 See, from his head, his hands, his feet, sorrow and love flow mingled down. Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, or thorns compose so rich a crown?

4 Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were a present far too small; love so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all.

1st READING: Isaiah 66:10-14

PSALM (read responsively): Psalm 66:1-9

¹ Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth;

² **sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise.**

³ Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds! Because of your great power, your enemies cringe before you.

⁴ **All the earth worships you; they sing praises to you, sing praises to your name."**

⁵ Come and see what God has done: he is awesome in his deeds among mortals.

⁶ **He turned the sea into dry land; they passed through the river on foot. There we rejoiced in him,**

⁷ who rules by his might forever, whose eyes keep watch on the nations— let the rebellious not exalt themselves.

⁸ **Bless our God, O peoples; let the sound of his praise be heard,**

⁹ who has kept us among the living and has not let our feet slip.

2nd READING: Galatians 6:7-16

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL: Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

HYMN OF THE DAY

God's Work, Our Hands, ACS 1000

- 1 God's work, our hands: working together, building a future, repairing the world, raising up homes, planting new gardens, feeding the hungry and shelt'ring the cold. Bless, God, our hands as we work in your name, sharing the good news of your gospel.
- 2 God's work, our feet: trav'ling together, following Jesus to places unknown, walking as friends, marching for freedom, running the race with God's future the goal. Bless, God, our feet as we follow your way, sharing the good news of your gospel.
- 3 God's work, our voice: singing together, praising, proclaiming to all who will hear, praying for peace, shouting for justice, claiming God's love for the lost and the least. Bless, God, our voice as we speak in your name, sharing the good news of your gospel.
- 4 God is at work in and around us: seedlings are sprouting and bread's on the rise! Washed and set free, humbled and honored, gifted by grace, we respond in God's love. Bless, God, our lives as we answer your call, sharing the good news of your gospel.

SENDING SONG

Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ, ELW 674

- 1 Let us talents and tongues employ, reaching out with a shout of joy: bread is broken, the wine is poured, Christ is spoken and seen and heard.

Refrain: Jesus lives again, earth can breathe again, pass the Word around: loaves abound! Jesus lives again, earth can breathe again, pass the Word around: loaves abound!

- 2 Christ is able to make us one, at the table he sets the tone, teaching people to live to bless, love in word and in deed express. **Refrain**

- 3 Jesus calls us in, sends us out bearing fruit in a world of doubt, gives us love to tell, bread to share: God (Immanuel) ev'rywhere! **Refrain**

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