

# Sunday, June 14, 2026 Bulletin Insert – The 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Pentecost

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***We lift up in prayer:*** Lila Burmeister, Darlene Lind, Joyce Paulson, Janet Hillstrom, Roger & Bev Valentine, Gloria Schultz, Ron Lunz, Marnie Osmond, Peggy Morrison; Jerrod Quade, grandson of Pastor Katherine & Les Rood; Mary Jo deCathelineau (friend of Phil & Lisa Quam) for health concerns; Laurie Brothen, mother of Joy White, for health and healing; Rondi Adams & family on the death of her son-in-law, Timothy Moore

***Altar Flowers given by:*** Sandy & Jim George in honor of their 59<sup>th</sup> Anniversary!!

**GATHERING SONG:** *God Is Here!* ELW 526

1 God is here! As we your people meet to offer praise and prayer, may we find in fuller measure what it is in Christ we share. Here, as in the world around us, all our varied skills and arts wait the coming of the Spirit into open minds and hearts.

2 Here are symbols to remind us of our lifelong need of grace; here are table, font, and pulpit; here the cross has central place. Here in honesty of preaching, here in silence, as in speech, here, in newness and renewal, God the Spirit comes to each.

3 Here our children find a welcome in the Shepherd's flock and fold; here as bread and wine are taken, Christ sustains us as of old. Here the servants of the Servant seek in worship to explore what it means in daily living to believe and to adore.

4 Lord of all, of church and kingdom, in an age of change and doubt, keep us faithful to the gospel; help us work your purpose out. Here, in this day's dedication, all we have to give, receive; we, who cannot live without you, we adore you! We believe!

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Let us pray: **God of compassion, you have opened the way for us and brought us to yourself. Pour your love into our hearts, that, overflowing with joy, we may freely share the blessings of your realm and faithfully proclaim the good news of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

**1<sup>st</sup> READING:** Exodus 19:2-8a

**PSALM** (read responsively): Psalm 100

<sup>1</sup> Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.

<sup>2</sup> **Serve the Lord with gladness; come into his presence with singing.**

<sup>3</sup> Know that the Lord is God. It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

<sup>4</sup> **Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise. Give thanks to him; bless his name.**

<sup>5</sup> For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever and his faithfulness to all generations.

**2<sup>nd</sup> READING:** Romans 5:1-8

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

**GOSPEL:** Matthew 9:35–10:8

**HYMN OF THE DAY:** *In Christ Called to Baptize*, ELW 575

1 In Christ called to baptize, we witness to grace and gather a people from each land and race. In deep, flowing waters, we share in Christ's death, then, rising to new life, give thanks with each breath.

2 In Christ called to banquet, one table we share, a haven of welcome, a circle of care. Although we are many, we share in one bread. One cup of thanksgiving proclaims Christ, our head.

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3 In Christ called to witness, by grace we will preach the life-giving gospel; God's love we will teach. By grace may our living give proof to our praise in costly compassion reflecting Christ's ways.

4 Unite us, anoint us, O Spirit of love, for you are within us, around us, above. Equip us for service with gifts you bestow. In Christ is our calling. In Christ may we grow.

## BAPTISM OF JOHN MATHEW SNIDER (8:30am)



*Parents: Anna Cook & Mathew Snider Sponsors: Melissa Chadborn, Isaac & Lexie Linder*

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People of God, do you promise to support and pray for him in his new life in Christ? **We do.**

Do you renounce the devil and all the forces that defy God, the powers of this world that rebel against God, and the ways of sin that draw you from God? **I renounce them.**

Do you believe in God the Father? **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God? **I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit? **I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

**Blessed be God, the source of all life, the word of salvation, the spirit of mercy.**

Let us welcome the newly baptized. **We welcome you into the body of Christ and into the mission we share: join us in giving thanks and praise to God and bearing God's creative and redeeming word to all the world.**

## SENDING SONG: *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, arching 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.

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