## This Week's Schedule

# EVERY SUNDAY - ONLINE WORSHIP & PRINTABLE BULLETINS AVAILABLE AT FAITHLILACWAY.ORG

(AFTER THE 9:30 SERVICE HAS STREAMED, THERE MAY BE A SLIGHT DELAY)

#### SUNDAY, JULY 17

All Day: Youth Mission Trip, Arecibo, Puerto Rico

9:30 AM: Sunday Worship in Sanctuary, parking lot, and streaming

live at faithlilacway.org 10:30 AM: Fellowship Time

#### MONDAY, JULY 18

All Day: Youth Mission Trip, Arecibo, Puerto Rico

#### TUESDAY, JULY 19

All Day: Youth Mission Trip, Arecibo, Puerto Rico

2:00 PM: Afternoon social with beverages and snacks, please drop in

for fellowship and good conversation

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 20

All Day: Youth Mission Trip, Arecibo, Puerto Rico

#### THURSDAY, JULY 21

All Day: Youth Mission Trip, Arecibo, Puerto Rico

#### FRIDAY, JULY 22

All Day: Youth Mission Trip, Arecibo, Puerto Rico

#### SATURDAY, JULY 23

Youth Mission Trip returns home

#### SUNDAY, JULY 24

9:30 AM: Sunday Worship in Sanctuary, parking lot, and streaming

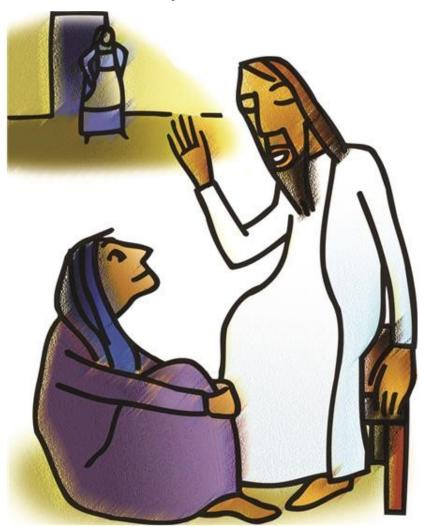
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# Sunday Worship

July 17th, 2022



## Welcome to Worship

All who believe are welcome to commune. You are invited to come forward to receive communion (wine is red and grape juice is white) and a gluten free wafer - or you may pick up a communion kit (chalices filled with grape juice and gluten free wafers) and receive it in your pew.

#### Children are welcome in worship at FLW!

Activity bags for children are in the entry. The Nursery (down the hall) is available for families with young children to use.

#### The congregational speaking parts are printed in bold.

We are now in a yellow zone - which means you are encouraged to wear a mask but it is not required.

#### Prelude Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God Getty and Townend

#### **Welcome and Announcements**

Gathering Song When Morning Gilds the Skies ELW #853 vs. 1,3-5 When morning gilds the skies, my heart awaking cries: may Jesus Christ be praised! When evening shadows fall, this rings my curfew call: may Jesus Christ be praised!

No lovelier antiphon in all high heav'n is known than "Jesus Christ be praised!" There to the eternal Word the eternal psalm is heard: oh, Jesus Christ be praised!

Let all of humankind in this their concord find: may Jesus Christ be praised! Let all the earth around ring joyous with the sound: may Jesus Christ be praised!

Sing, sun and stars of space, sing, all who see his face, sing, "Jesus Christ be praised!"

#### **Worship Leaders**

Pastor
Intern Pastor
Interim Music Director
Soloist
Usher
Lector

Rev. Pam Stalheim Lane Vicar Kyle Anderson Ann Marie Skoglund-Anderson Nancy Shallcross Larry Geer Debbie Bren

#### **Save These Dates!**

#### Wildfire Church Garage Sale Benefitting EveryMeal!

Thursday and Friday August 18-19 Host church: Elim Lutheran

#### How can I help?

Set up: Wednesday, August 17

**Donate:** Household goods, games, tools and toys! (No clothing please)

Come to the sale! Bring friends and family.

#### Big Band Bash WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24

6:00 PM: Join us for a grilled brat and a free beer (or root beer) 7:00 - 9 PM: Enjoy the music of the Brooklyn Big Band! Come and bring friends!

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#### **Prayer after Communion**

Life-giving God, through this meal you have bandaged our wounds and fed us with your mercy.

Now send us forth to live for others, both friend and stranger, that all may come to know your love. This we pray in the name of Jesus. Amen.

Sending Song Hallelujah! We Sing Your Praises ELW #535 Refrain
Hallelujah! We sing your praises,
all our hearts are filled with gladness.
Hallelujah! We sing your praises,
all our hearts are filled with gladness. (sing 2x)

Christ the Lord to us said: I am wine, I am bread, I am wine, I am bread, give to all who thirst and hunger. (sing 2x)

#### Refrain

Now he sends us all out, strong in faith, free of doubt, strong in faith, free of doubt. Tell to all the joyful gospel. (sing 2x)

#### Refrain

#### Blessing

The God of peace, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you, comfort you, and show you the path of life this day and always.

Amen.

#### **Dismissal**

Go in grace, grow in faith, serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

God's whole creation o'er, today and evermore shall Jesus Christ be praised!

#### **Confession and Forgiveness**

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, whose steadfast love endures forever.

#### Amen.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another. *Silence is kept for reflection.* 

Merciful God,

we confess that we have not followed your path but have chosen our own way.
Instead of putting others before ourselves, we long to take the best seats at the table.
When met by those in need, we have too often passed by on the other side. Set us again on the path of life.
Save us from ourselves and free us to love our neighbors.
Amen.

Hear the good news!
God does not deal with us according to our sins but delights in granting pardon and mercy.
In the name of + Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven.
You are free to love as God loves.

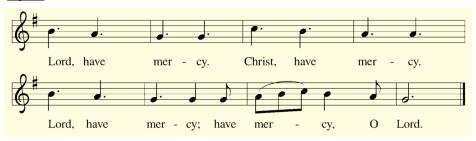
#### Amen.

#### 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** *ELW* # 154



#### Hymn of Praise How Great Is Our God

The splendor of the King Clothed in majesty Let all the earth rejoice All the earth rejoice He wraps Himself in light And darkness tries to hide

And trembles at His voice And trembles at His voice

#### Refrain:

How great is our God Sing with me How great is our God And all will see how great How great is our God

And age to age He stands
And time is in His hands
Beginning and the End
Beginning and the End
The Godhead three in one
Father Spirit Son
The Lion and the Lamb
The Lion and the Lamb

#### Refrain

Name above all names
Worthy of all praise
My heart will sing
How great is our God (sing 2x)

#### Refrain

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#### Prayer of the Day

God of justice, your word is light and truth.

Let your face shine on us to restore us, that we may walk in your way, seeking justice and doing good. Amen.

First Lesson Genesis 18:1-10a

A reading from Genesis, the 18th chapter.

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

#### **Words of Institution**

#### The Lord's Prayer

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,
forever and ever. Amen.

#### **Communion Distribution**

Lamb of God ELW #195

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Eat This Bread ELW #472
"Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to me and never be hungry.
Eat this bread, drink this cup, trust in me and you will not thirst.

Open Our Eyes Lord
Open our eyes Lord
We want to see Jesus
To reach out and touch Him
And say that we love Him
Open our ears Lord
And help us to listen
Open our eyes Lord
We want to see Jesus

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#### **Communion Blessing**

#### Offering Prayer

God of abundance: you have set before us a plentiful harvest.

As we feast on your goodness, strengthen us to labor in your field, and equip us to bear fruit for the good of all, in the name of Jesus. Amen.

#### **Offering Response** The Steadfast Love of the Lord

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases;

his mercies never come to an end.

They are new every morning, new every morning;

great is thy faithfulness, O Lord,

great is thy faithfulness.

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#### **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 our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right . . . we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

#### Holy, Holy, Holy



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 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.

They said to him, "Where is your wife Sarah?" And he said, "There, in the tent." Then one said, "I will surely return to you in due season, and your wife Sarah shall have a son."

#### Psalm 66:1-8

Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth;

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

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

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

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

### God turned the sea into dry land; they passed through the river on foot.

There we rejoiced in him, who rules by his might forever, whose eyes keep watch on the nations—let the rebellious not exalt themselves. Bless our God, O peoples, let the sound of his praise be heard.

#### Second Lesson Colossians 1:15-28 (NRSV)

A reading from Colossians, the 1st chapter.

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.

And you who were once estranged and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, he has now reconciled in his fleshly body through death, so as to present you holy and blameless and irreproachable before him — provided that you continue securely established and steadfast in the faith, without shifting from the hope promised by the gospel that you heard, which has

been proclaimed to every creature under heaven. I, Paul, became a servant of this gospel.

I am now rejoicing in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am completing what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the church. I became its servant according to God's commission that was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known, the mystery that has been hidden throughout the ages and generations but has now been revealed to his saints. To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. It is he whom we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone in all wisdom, so that we may present everyone mature in Christ.

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation ELW p. 171

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

**Gospel** Luke 10:38-42 (NRSV)

The gospel according to Luke, the 10th chapter.

Glory to you O, Lord.

Now as they went on their way, he entered a certain village, where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home. She had a sister named Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to what he was saying. But Martha was distracted by her many tasks; so she came to him and asked, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me." But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her."

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

**Sermon** Pastor Pam Stalheim Lane

Hymn of the Day Give Me Jesus ELW #770 vs. 1,2,4,5

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 midnight was my cry, dark midnight was my cry, dark midnight was my cry, 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** 

#### **Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

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.

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. Amen.

#### **Prayers of the People**

... God of grace, hear our prayer.

God of every time and place...into your holy keeping. **Amen.** 

#### <u>Offering</u>

We worship God by supporting our church and the mission we share. Our Mission of the month is Eastern Europe Crisis Response as part of the ELCA's Lutheran Disaster Response to provide support for people impacted by the conflict in the region.