

NEWS AND EVENTS

PASTOR LORI'S SCHEDULE:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday – Office 10am to noon

WEDNESDAY DEVOTIONS – 10 AM via zoom. Join in each Wednesday for a time of learning, prayer and sharing. Check your newsletter for the link, or call the church for assistance

IN-PERSON WORSHIP

Please see Pastor Lori's insert in either the newsletter or the document Prayers, Readings and Message. We will return to in person worship starting Sunday October 31. The insert provides information necessary in order for you to register to attend. Space is still limited.



22ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST OCTOBER 24, 2021

Can we pray the way Bartimaeus prays? People try to hush him up because by addressing Jesus as "Son of David" he is making a politically dangerous claim that Jesus is the rightful king. Could our prayers ever be heard as a threat to unjust powers that be? Bartimaeus won't give up or go away quietly, but repeats his call for help more loudly. Do we ask so boldly? And are our prayers an honest answer to Jesus' question, "What do you want me to do for you?"

WELCOME AND GATHERING

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Presider: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, whose teaching is life, whose presence is sure, and whose love is endless.

People: Amen.

Presider: Let us confess our sins to the one who welcomes us with an open heart. [pause]

God our comforter:

People: like lost sheep, we have gone astray. We gaze upon abundance and see scarcity. We turn our faces away from injustice and oppression. We exploit the earth with our apathy and greed. Free us from our sin, gracious God. Listen when we call out to you for help. Lead us by your love to love our neighbours as ourselves. Amen.

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Presider: All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God. By the gift of grace in + Christ Jesus, God makes you righteous. Receive with glad hearts the forgiveness of all your sins.

People: Amen.

GATHERING HYMN God Whose Almighty Word
blue book # 560

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

People: And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Presider: Let us pray together, the prayer of the day.

People: Eternal light, shine in our hearts. Eternal wisdom, scatter the darkness of our ignorance. Eternal compassion, have mercy on us. Turn us to seek your face, and enable us to reflect your goodness, through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord. Amen.

STORY

Reading: Job 42: 1-6, 10-17 Anne Ewaschuk

ACCLAMATION HYMN Thy Word – purple book #143

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Presider: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according Mark

People: Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.
Mark 10: 46-52

Presider: The Gospel of Christ

People: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

ACCLAMATION HYMN Thy Word – purple book #143

RESPONDING

Homily: Pastor Lori

HYMN OF THE DAY Amazing Grace – red book # 779
Brent Mayhew & Angela Lipp

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Sandy Donald

RESPONSE: We lift our prayer to you.

OFFERTORY HYMN

Lord of Light – red book # 688

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Presider: Gracious God, we feel your joy and delight as we celebrate this glorious day. With a sense of happiness and gratitude, we eagerly offer you our time, our talent, and our treasures for your ministry in this community and beyond. May all who call upon your name be filled with the gift of the Holy Spirit. All praise and glory be unto you. Amen.

People: Amen.

Presider: And now as our Saviour taught us, let us pray singing:

People: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread; give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever.

Presider: Glory to God,

People: whose power working in us can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, forever and ever. Amen.

BLESSING

Presider: The blessing of God, who provided for us, feeds us, and journeys with us, + be upon you now and forever.

People: Amen.

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SENDING HYMN The Spirit Sends us Forth – red book # 551

Presider: Go in peace. You are the body of Christ.

People: Thanks be to God.

Verse 4

By the prayers of faithful watchers, never silent day or night;
by the cross of Jesus, bringing peace to all and healing light;
by the love that passes knowledge, making all your children one:
Father, as in highest heaven, so on earth your will be done.

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SENDING

THE SPIRIT SENDS US FORTH – red book # 551

Verse 1

The spirit sends us forth to serve; we go in Jesus name to bring
glad tidings to the poor, God's favour to proclaim.

Verse 2

We go to comfort those who mourn and set the burdened free
where hope is dim to share a dream and help the blind to see.

Verse 3

We go to be the hands of Christ, to scatter joy like seed and,
all our days, to cherish life, to do the loving deed.

Verse 4

Then let us go to serve in peace, the gospel to proclaim.
God's Spirit has empowered us; we go in Jesus name.

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SUNDAY OCTOBER 24. 2021

GATHERING HYMN

GOD WHOSE ALMIGHTY WORD – blue book # 560

Verse 1

God, whose almighty Word chaos and darkness heard,
and took their flight:
hear us, we humbly pray, and where the gospel day
sheds not its glorious ray, let there be light!

Verse 2

Saviour, who came to bring on your redeeming wing
healing and sight,
health to the sick in mind, sight to the inly blind:
now for all human kind let there be light!

Verse 3

Spirit of truth and love, life giving, holy Dove,
speed on your flight!
Move on the water's face bearing the lamp of grace,
and in earth's darkest place let there be light!

Verse 4

Gracious and holy Three, glorious Trinity,
wisdom, love, might,
boundless as ocean's tide rolling in fullest pride:
through the world far and wide let there be light!

Text: John Marriott (1780-1825)
Music: Felice de Giardini (1716-1796)
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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

THY WORD – purple book # 143 – chorus, v1 chorus, before the

gospel; ch, v2, ch after

Chorus

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

Verse 1

When I feel afraid, think I've lost my way,

still You're there right beside me.

And nothing will I fear as long as You are near.

Please be near me to the end.

Chorus

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

Verse 2

I will not forget Your love for me,

and yet my heart forever is wandering.

Jesus, be my guide and hold me to Your side,

and I will love You to the end.

Chorus

Amy Grant & Michael W Smith @1983 Bug & Bear Music

HYMN OF THE DAY

AMAZING GRACE – red book # 779

Verse 1

Amazing grace how sweet the sound,
that saved a wretch like me!

I once was lost, but now am found
was blind, but now I see.

Verse 2

T'was grace that taught my heart to fear,
and grace my fears relieved;

how precious did that grace appear
the hour I first believed.

Verse 3

Through many dangers, toil and snares,
I have already come;

'tis grace has brought me safe thus far,
and grace will lead me home.

Verse 4

The Lord Has promised good to me,

his work my hope secures;

he will my shield and portion be

as long as life endures.

Verse 5

When we've been there ten thousand years

bright shining as the sun,

we've no less days to sing God's praise

than when we'd first begun.

Text: John Newton, 1725-1807, alt. sts.1-4; anonymous, st. 5

Music: W. Walker, Southern Harmony, 1835, arr. Edwin O Excell, 1851-1921 alt.

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OFFERTORY

LORD OF LIGHT – red book # 688

Verse 1

Lord of light, your name out shining all the stars and suns of space,

use our talents in your kingdom as the servants of your grace;

use us to fulfill your purpose in the gift of Christ your Son.

Father, as in highest heaven, so on earth your will be done.

Verse 2

By the toil of faithful workers in some far out lying field,

by the courage where the radiance of the cross is still revealed,

by the victories of meekness, through reproach and suffering won:

Father, as in highest heaven, so on earth your will be done.

Verse 3

Grant that knowledge, still increasing, at your feet may lowly kneel;

with your grace our triumphs hallow, with your charity our zeal;

lift the nations from the shadows to the gladness of the sun:

Father, as in highest heaven, so on earth your will be done.

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