

September 27, 2026

Sunday - 18th Sunday After Pentecost

10:30 a.m.



We are glad that you are here!

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Order of Service
September 27, 2026 at 10:30 a.m.
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*Stand in body or spirit.

Prelude

Youssef El Yakine

Welcome & *Passing of the Peace

Rev. Magloire K. Kaneng

Announcements

Susan Spaulding

***Opening Hymn**

"God of Grace and God of Glory"

UMH #577 v 1,3 & 4

***Call to Worship**

Susan Spaulding

Friends, the apostle Paul calls us to "let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus." What is the mind of Jesus?

The mind of Jesus is to love God, neighbor, self, and all creation.

Paul reminds us that "it is God who is at work in you." How is God at work in us?

God enables us through grace to love God, neighbor, self, and all creation.

Paul exhorts us to "work on your own salvation with fear and trembling." How do we work on our own salvation?

We cooperate with grace to love God, neighbor, self, and all creation.

Beloved, come, gather to worship God who, through Jesus, shows us how to love and enables us to love as Christ loves us.

We gather to learn how to live in full accord through our love of God, neighbor, self, and all creation.

***Opening Prayer**

Rev. Magloire K. Kaneng

Most wonderful God,
the beauty we see in Jesus
is your beauty veiled in human flesh,
the love we witness from Bethlehem to Golgotha is your love contracted to a span.

If Christ's life is so holy as to fill us with wonder,
how much more would your unveiled beauty
leave us overwhelmed and trembling?

You are more than the eye could bear,
more than the mind can ever fathom.
Yet you have so carefully made us
that although we cannot fathom you,
we can yet love you.

Gratefully, we bring our little lives to you,
asking that our worship may arise from love and be shaped by love,
and be directed towards that larger love which is our soul's desire.
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

***Prayer of Confession**

Susan Spaulding

Holy God, we know that in so many ways

We have run from you,

We have ignored your call,

We have closed our eyes to your presence,

We have disbelieved your mercy,

We have disregarded your words,

We have belittled ourselves,

We have forsaken others.

**So we ask, once again, for your forgiveness. We ask you to stay with us as
we turn away from what is wrong and hurtful to what is bright and life-
giving now and always through Jesus Christ. We humbly pray, Amen.**

Silent Prayer

***Words of Assurance**

Susan Spaulding

Friends, hear now the good news: God's love abounds for us,

Forgiving us and restoring us to

Community with God and one another.

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

Glory to God! Amen.

Joys and Concerns

Rev. Magloire K. Kaneng

Prayer of the People

Rev. Magloire K. Kaneng

***The Lord's Prayer** Rev. Magloire K. Kaneng
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 the evil one. For thine is
the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Children's Time Carol Thorsen
Anthem "You Are Mine" arr. M. Hayes Chancel Choir
Featuring Alithea Kundanis on Flute

Scripture Reading Philippians 2:1-7 Susan Spaulding

Sermon "The Roads' rules!" Rev. Magloire K. Kaneng

Invitation to Offering September Mission Links Susan Spaulding
Roselle Community Food Pantry

Offertory Youssef El Yakine

***Doxology** "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH #95

***Prayer of Dedication** Rev. Magloire K. Kaneng

***Closing Hymn** "The Power of Your Love" See the Monitor

***Benediction** Rev. Magloire K. Kaneng

***Postlude** Youssef El Yakine

Worship Leadership

Senior Pastor: Rev. Magloire K. Kaneng Liturgist: Susan Spaulding
Pianist: Youssef El Yakine Choir Director & Song Leader: Holley McKee
Anthem: Chancel Choir Acolyte: John Walters
Children's Time: Carol Thorsen Greeters & Ushers: Worship Committee
Attendance: Dianne Niemann & Donna Taylor Tech Director: Nick Monteleone
Childcare: Cindy Sheely & Vekinna McClinton Sound/AV: Mike McKee
Computer: Heidi Parsons Worship Aide Prep: Chris Wachna

Worship Resources: CCLI #: 2595335
2025 Revised Common Lectionary Scriptures: New Revised Standard Version

Sunday Worship Attendance September 20, 2026:

In-person: 64 Facebook: 59 YouTube: 37