



THE WORSHIP OF GOD
July 9, 2017 ❖ 10:00 a.m.
Traditions ❖ Sanctuary



WAYZATA COMMUNITY CHURCH
inspire the world

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+ Indicates invitation to rise in body or in spirit

PRELUDE

Draw Us to You
Kraig Windschitl, Organ

Michael Burkhardt

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Rustin Comer

+ OPENING HYMN

Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above

Blue #20

Sing praise to God who reigns above, the God of all creation,
The God of power, the God of love, the God of our salvation;
With healing balm my soul He fills, and every faithless murmurs stills:
To God all praise and glory.

What God's almighty power hath made, His gracious mercy keepeth;
By morning glow or evening shade, His watchful eye ne'er sleepeth;
Within the kingdom of His might, Lo! All is just and all is right:
To God all praise and glory.

Then all my gladsome way along, I sing aloud Thy praises,
That men may hear the grateful song, my voice unwearied raises;
Be joyful in the Lord, my heart, both soul and body bear your part:
To God all praise and glory.

O ye who name Christ's holy name, give God all praise and glory;
All ye who own His power proclaim, aloud the wondrous story!
Cast each false idol from His throne, the Lord is God and He alone:
To God all praise and glory.

+ RESPONSIVE PRAYER

Danielle Jones

Leader: Wrestling...struggling...resisting...
powers beyond understanding...embracing...reconciling... sacred.

All: Let us wrestle...Let us worship...that which is sacred.

Leader: As we daily search for peace and protection from our fears,

All: Let us wrestle...Let us worship...that which is sacred.

Leader: As we seek independence in ourselves, and in our own power,
may we be conquered by dependency in You.

All: Let us wrestle...Let us worship...that which is sacred.

Leader: May we not let go until we feel, know, and receive Your blessing.

All: Let us wrestle...Let us worship...that which is sacred.

Leader: As we wrestle may we be re-formed, re-named, and re-newed in You.

All: Let us wrestle...Let us worship...that which is sacred. AMEN.

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GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

+ PASSING OF THE PEACE

Danielle Jones

CALL TO OUR CHILDREN

Jodie Nyberg

HYMN OF DEVOTION

'Tis the Gift to Be Simple

Red #207

(Refrain) 'Tis the gift to be simple, 'tis the gift to be free,
'Tis the gift to come down where we ought to be,
And when we find ourselves in the place just right,
'Twill be in the valley of love and delight.

When true simplicity is gained, to bow and to bend we shan't be ashamed,
To turn, turn will be our delight, 'til by turning, turning, we come 'round right. (refrain)

COMMUNITY MOMENTS

John Ross

OFFERTORY

Faithfulness
Ashleigh Kreider, Soprano

Thomas Chisholm & Joel Raney

+ DOXOLOGY

Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen.

+ DEDICATION OF GIFTS

Danielle Jones

Leader: Please remain standing in body or in spirit, as we dedicate these gifts.

All: O God of all generosity, help us to realize the blessing we have been given, in being able to give. Accept our lives as well as our gifts.

Let the spirit in which we give them be Your spirit. Let the use that is made of them be Your use. Amen. (Please be seated)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

John Ross

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

SCRIPTURE

Genesis 32:22-32

Walt Kilmanas

Leader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

Word, Inc.

All: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Dare to Draw Near

Rustin Comer

ANTHEM *Simple Song (from Mass)* Stephen Schwartz & Leonard Bernstein
Ashleigh Kreider, Soprano

COLORADO TRIP BLESSING Clergy

CLOSING HYMN *Great is Thy Faithfulness* Thomas Chisholm & William Runyon

Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father;
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, thy compassions they fail not;
As Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be.

(Refrain) Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided;
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord unto me!

Summer and winter and spring time and harvest,
Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above,
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love. (refrain)

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine with ten thousand beside! (refrain)

+ BENEDICTION Rustin Comer

Leader: For what does the Lord require of us?

All: To do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with our God. (Micah 6:8)

POSTLUDE *Toccata on O Sons and Daughters* Lynnwood Farnam
Kraig Windschitl, Organ

...The End of Worship, the Beginning of Service...



We are Called to Care for one another. Following the Benediction,
a member of our Clergy Team will remain at the front of the Sanctuary
to receive your joys and concerns.



WORSHIP LEADERS

Preacher Rev. Rustin Comer
Liturgists Rev. Dr. John F. Ross & Rev. Danielle Jones
Music Thomas Paulson, Kraig Windschitl
Deacon Jan Ingwalson
Chancel Guild Sandy Werts
Head Usher Peggy Douglas
Ushers The Russ Carlson Team