

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

Lindy Purdy

**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.**

+ CLOSING HYMN

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

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 springtime 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]*

SENDING REMINDERS

Danielle Jones

+ BENEDICTION

Steve Wiens

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

Prélude (from Suite pour le Piano)
Claude Debussy

Stephen Self

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

WORSHIP LEADERS

Preacher: Rev. Steve Wiens Liturgists: Rev. Danielle Jones, Rev. Lindy Purdy
Music: Stephen Self, Alexis Reed, Ashleigh Krieder
Deacon: Lydia Botham Usher: Tracy Burlow Team



The Chancel Flowers today are given by Sylvia Sheeran, in honor of Ray and Mike.



THE WORSHIP OF GOD
November 5, 2023 ❖ 10:30 a.m.
Sanctuary

Welcome to Wayzata Community Church where different people come together for the shared purpose of worshipping God and encouraging each other through the inclusive love of Jesus. Whether you are our guest, looking for a church home, or already a member, we want you to feel welcomed by our congregation and inspired by our worship service.



WAYZATA COMMUNITY CHURCH
inspire the world

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+ Indicates an invitation to rise in body or in spirit.

PRELUDE *Prelude in C Major* Stephen Self
Johann Sebastian Bach

CHIMING OF THE HOUR Stephen Self

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP Chancel Choir

*All praise to God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. By his great mercy,
we have been born again. For God has raised Jesus Christ from the dead.*

CALL TO WORSHIP Steve Wiens

+ OPENING HYMN *For All the Saints*

For all the saints who from their labors rest,
Who Thee by faith before the world confessed;
Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest. Alleluia, Alleluia!
Thou wast their Rock, their Fortress and their Might;
Thou, Lord, their Captain in the well-fought fight;
Thou, in the darkness drear, their one true Light. Alleluia, Alleluia!

O blest communion, fellowship divine!
We feebly struggle, they in glory shine;
Yet all are one in Thee, for all are Thine. Alleluia, Alleluia!

And when the strife is fierce, the warfare long,
Steals on the ear the distant triumph song,
And hearts are brave again, and arms are strong. Alleluia, Alleluia!

But then there breaks a still more glorious day:
The saints triumphant rise in bright array;
The King of glory passes on His way. Alleluia, Alleluia!

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
In praise of Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Alleluia, Alleluia!

+ RESPONSIVE LITANY Dan Stark

Leader: Here, in this place, God welcomes all the dreamers, as well as the doubters:

All: Here, the worriers and wanderers can call on God by name.

Leader: Here, in this time, we can remember all the ways God has been faithful to us:

All: Here, in these moments, we are reminded that God is with us, always!

Leader: Here are gathered those daring enough to step out of comfort into the unknown:

All: Here, in this faith space, we will find the courage to cry out, 'God, help us!' in every situation. Amen.

+ GLORIA PATRI

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.

+PASSING OF THE PEACE

Lindy Purdy

COMMUNITY MOMENTS

Danielle Jones

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Lux Aeterna (from Requiem)
John Rutter

Alexis Reed

*I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, Blessed are the dead who
die in the Lord, for they rest from their labors. Even so saith the Spirit.*

Lux aeterna luceat eis, Domine,
Cum sanctis tuis in aeternum,
Quia pius es.
Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine,
Et lux perpetua luceat eis.

*May eternal light shine upon them, Lord,
With your saints for ever,
Because you are holy.
Grant them eternal rest, Lord,
And may eternal light shine upon them.*

+ DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise God all creatures here below.
Praise God above ye heavenly hosts, Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Danielle Jones

SCRIPTURE

1 Samuel 16:1, 6-13 (NRSVUE)

Danielle Jones

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

All: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

God Sees Within

Steve Wiens

VOCAL RESPONSE

Pie Jesu (from Requiem)
Gabriel Fauré

Ashleigh Kreider

Pie Jesu, Domine,
Dona eis requiem,
sempiternam requiem.

*Blessed Lord Jesus,
Grant them rest,
Eternal rest.*

ALL SAINTS REMEMBRANCE