

# ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

## July 31, 2016

### WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

Welcome, Announcements, and Greeting Time

Prelude “Be the Centre” with *Be Thou My Vision*  
*arr. By Carol Tornquist*

**\*Call to Worship** *Thanksgiving for The Lord’s Deliverance*

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever.

**People: Let the redeemed of the Lord tell their story - those he redeemed from the hand of the foe, those he gathered from the lands, from east and west, from north and south.**

Leader: Some wandered in desert wastelands, finding no way to a city where they could settle. They were hungry and thirsty, and their lives ebbed away.

**People: Then they cried out to the Lord in their trouble, and he delivered them from their distress. He led them by a straight way to a city where they could settle.**

Leader: Let them give thanks to the Lord for his unfailing love and his wonderful deeds for mankind, for he satisfies the thirsty and fills the hungry with good things.

**People: Let the one who is wise heed these things and ponder the loving deeds of the Lord.**

**Psalm 107:1-9, 43 (New International Version)**

**\*Opening Song** “God of Wonders”

**\*Invocation Prayer**

**Song of Faith** “In the Cross of Christ I Glory” Hymn 264

### THE SERVICE OF THE WORD OF THE LORD

**Scripture Reading** Hosea 11:1-11

**\*Gospel Reading** Luke 12:13-21

**Responsorial** “The Wonderful Cross” **Chorus Only**

**Children’s Message** (Children dismissed to Junior Church)

**Community and Congregational 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. 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 glory, forever.

**Prayer Song** “Hear Our Prayer, O Lord” **Hymn 490**

**Invitation to Offering & Prayer of Dedication**

**Offertory Special** **The Greuter Family**

**\*Scripture and Prayer of Illumination:** **Galatians 6:1-10**

**Message** “Doing Good to All”  
**The Reverend Doctor Ivan E. Greuter, Senior Minister**

### RESPONDING IN FAITH & SERVICE

**\*Altar Call of Invitation to Faith and Fellowship** – If the Spirit of God is moving you to receive God’s forgiving love in Jesus, calling you to be baptized, or encouraging you to join this Christian Church, please come to Jesus during this song.

**\*Song** “Seek Ye First” **Hymn 349**

**\*Closing Prayer**

**\*Spoken Benediction**

**\*Postlude** “Leaning on the Everlasting Arms” *by D. Paxton*

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**WELCOME TO WORSHIP** – I am so happy you choose to worship with us this morning at West Side Baptist Church. We are a loving small church – we’re more than a church, we’re family. If you would like to learn more about a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, need personal prayer, want to know more about our staff and programs, or want to request a pastoral visit, please speak with me after the worship service!

Pastor Ivan

**Church Staff & Leaders**

Senior Minister . . . . . Dr. Ivan E. Greuter  
Choir Director and Organist . . . . . Janet Nyfeler  
Nursery Supervisor . . . . . Tondra Herrington  
Custodian . . . . . Ernie Longstaff  
Office Administrator . . . . . Lynda Cokeley  
Pianist . . . . . Jan Mauck  
Evangelism Counselor (July) . . . . . Steve May  
Greeters . . . . . Jim Goodnow, Virginia Mansfield  
Ushers . . . . . Ernie Longstaff, Don Morris  
Larry Dell, Doug Mauck



**VISION:** The vision of West Side Baptist Church shall be that we commit ourselves to continual personal growth, reaching out to win and nurture others in the love of Jesus Christ

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