

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST JUNE 28, 2020

WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

Prelude “Leaning on the Everlasting Arms” *Showalter*
Jan Mauck, Church Pianist

Welcome and Announcements

Opening “Holy Spirit” *Worship Team*
Matthew Smith, Music Director

*Call to Worship

Welcome to worship. Welcome to community. Welcome to a place of peace and grace.

All are welcome here. All are invited to be part of the family of God.

Welcome to the Word. Welcome to the Spirit. Welcome to a place of fellowship and love.

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Welcome to hope. Welcome to transformation. Welcome to this place in Jesus' name.

All are welcome here. All are invited to be part of the family of God. Amen and Amen.

Adapted from a Call to Worship written by Karyn L. Wiseman.

*Invocation Prayer

*Song “Welcome” *Worship Team*

WE HEAR THE WORD OF THE LORD

A Reading from the Old Testament **Genesis 22:1-14**

A Reading from the Psalter **Psalm 13**

How much longer, Lord, will you forget about me? Will it be forever?

How long will you hide? How long must I be confused and miserable all day?

How long will my enemies keep beating me down? Please listen, Lord God, and answer my prayers.

Make my eyes sparkle again, or else I will fall into the sleep of death.

My enemies will say, “Now we’ve won!” They will be greatly pleased when I am defeated.

I trust your love, and I feel like celebrating because you rescued me.

You have been good to me, Lord, and I will sing about you.

A Reading from the New Testament **Romans 6:12-23**

*A Reading from the Gospels **Matthew 10:40-42**

*Response “Good Good Father” *Worship Team*

The Prayers of the People and The Lord’s 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. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever.

Offertory “Daily Praise” **Jan Mauck, Church Pianist**

Message “You are Welcome in this Place”
The Reverend Doctor Ivan E. Greuter, Senior Minister

RESPONDING TO THE HOLY SPIRIT IN FAITH & SERVICE

*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 a follower of Jesus in the waters of baptism, or encouraging you to join this Christian Church, please come forward during this song.

*Song #580 “We Are Called to Be God’s People”

*Spoken Benediction

Postlude

Jan Mauck, Church Pianist

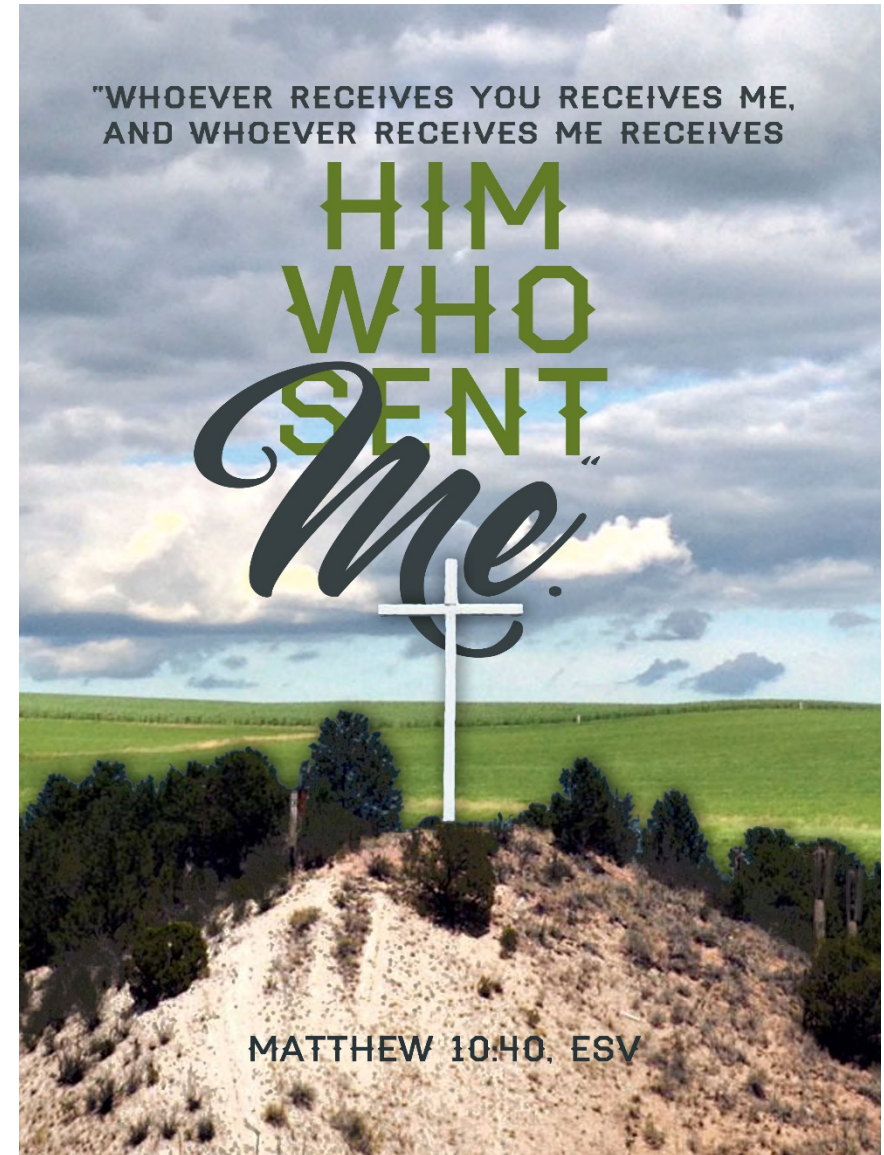
**Please stand if able*

THE LORD'S SUPPER – We celebrate the Lord's Supper (Holy Communion) on the first Sunday of each month, and on special occasions. All persons of faith, regardless of age, race, or church affiliation, are welcome to partake of the Table of the Lord. In solidarity with our brothers and sisters, we use only non-alcoholic grape juice. Please cup your hands to receive the sanitary communion wafer and juice sealed in small containers. Please hold each element until everyone is served, then we will feast together. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request. Call Pastor Ivan to receive homebound communion delivery.

BELIEVER'S BAPTISM – We practice “believer’s baptism” which is the immersion of a person in water – regardless of age – who receives Jesus Christ as his/her personal Savior and publicly professes faith to walk the Jesus way. The Council schedules baptisms on most Sunday mornings throughout the year. If you would like to be baptized, then come to the front during the last song.

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“Holy Spirit”

There's nothing worth more that will ever come close
Nothing can compare. You're our living hope.
Your presence, Lord.
I've tasted and seen of the sweetest of loves
Where my heart becomes free and my shame is undone.
Your presence, Lord.

Holy Spirit, You are welcome here.
Come, flood this place and fill the atmosphere.
Your glory, God, is what our hearts long for,
to be overcome by Your presence, Lord.
Your presence Lord.

There's nothing worth more that will ever come close
Nothing can compare. You're our living hope.
Your presence, Lord.
I've tasted and seen of the sweetest of loves
Where my heart becomes free and my shame is undone.
Your presence, Lord.

Holy Spirit, You are welcome here.
Come, flood this place and fill the atmosphere.
Your glory, God, is what our hearts long for,
to be overcome by Your presence, Lord.

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Your glory, God, is what our hearts long for,
to be overcome by Your presence, Lord.

Let us become more aware of Your presence
Let us experience the glory of Your goodness
Let us become more aware of Your presence

Let us experience the glory of Your goodness

Holy Spirit, You are welcome here.
Come, flood this place and fill the atmosphere.
Your glory, God, is what our hearts long for,
to be overcome by Your presence, Lord.

“Welcome”

Verse 1

There's a kingdom that comes
And there's a coming King
There's a day You'll return
And there's a reckoning

Pre-Chorus

Yours is the kingdom
Yours is the power
Yours is the glory God forever

Chorus

You are welcome here
Have Your way come and glorify Your name
Yes You are You are welcome

Verse 2

We're a people who love
To see Your presence here
In the chaos of life
God let Your name be near

Interlude

Oh be welcome
Oh woah woah
Ah la la la
Oh woah woah woah

Ending

Oh be welcome
Oh oh be welcome
Oh woah woah
Oh be welcome

“Good Good Father”

I've heard a thousand stories of what they think You're like,
but I've heard the tender whisper of love in the dead of night.
You tell me that You're pleased, and that I'm never alone.

You're a good, good Father;
it's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are.
And I'm loved by You; it's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am.

I've seen many searching for answers far and wide,
but I know we're all searching for answers only You provide.
Cause You know just what we need before we say a word.

You're a good, good Father;
it's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are.
And I'm loved by You; it's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am.

You're a good, good Father;
it's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are.
And I'm loved by You; it's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am.

You are perfect in all of Your ways.
You are perfect in all of Your ways.
You are perfect in all of Your ways to us.
You are perfect in all of Your ways.
You are perfect in all of Your ways.
You are perfect in all of Your ways to us.

Love so undeniable, I can hardly speak.
Peace so unexplainable, I can hardly think

as You call me deeper still, as You call me deeper still,
as You call me deeper still into love, love,

You're a good, good Father;
it's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are.
And I'm loved by You; it's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am.
You're a good, good Father;
it's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are.
And I'm loved by You; it's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am.

“We Are Called to Be God's People”

We are called to be God's people,
showing by our lives his grace,
one in heart and one in spirit,
sign of hope for all the race.
Let us show how he has changed us,
and remade us as his own,
let us share our life together
as we shall around his throne.

We are called to be God's servants,
working in his world today;
taking his own task upon us,
all his sacred words obey.
Let us rise, then, to his summons,
dedicate to him our all,
that we may be faithful servants,
quick to answer now his call.

We are called to be God's prophets,
speaking for the truth and right,
standing firm for godly justice,
bringing evil things to light.
Let us seek the courage needed,

our high calling to fulfill,
that the world may know the blessing
of the doing of God's will.