

#### BILL TIMM, PASTOR MINISTERS: ALL OF OUR PEOPLE CHURCH PHONE: 928-342-6002

### MISSION STATEMENT

"WALKING WITH JESUS TO BRING NEW LIFE AND HOPE TO EVERY PERSON"

WE ARE A STEPHEN MINISTRY CONGREGATION

# **SUNDAY, JUNE 16, 2024**



We welcome you to the worship of this community of faith. As we sing, pray and study God's word together may we strengthen each other's faith in the saving power of Jesus Christ. It is difficult to be a Christian by yourself!

#### When you enter this church, it may be possible that you hear "the call of God". However, it is unlikely that He will call you on your cell phone. Thank you for turning off your phones. If you want to talk to God, enter, choose a quiet place and talk to Him. If you want to see God, send Him a text while driving.

**<u>VISITORS.</u>** Welcome! Please sign our Guest Book located in the Narthex. Pastor Timm would love to meet you!

**PLEASE REMEMBER...** to contact the church office if you or a loved one are hospitalized, in rehab facility, or facility other than your home. Pastor and Stephen Ministers will make a visit.

**DID YOU KNOW..** Perfume and cologne can trigger life-threatening breathing emergencies in persons with asthma, allergies and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) Hospitals and schools are becoming 'scent-free' due to this increasing health hazard. Please be sensitive to this concern when coming to church. Thank You.

**LITTLE FOLKS..** Parents... please remember that there are 'busy bags' hanging on the coat tree in the Narthex to occupy the little ones during worship. Simply return the bags to the tree on your way out of church. Thank you.

**<u>BE COMFORTABLE.</u>** There are shawls in the Narthex that you can use if chilled during worship. Just ask one of the ushers and they will get you one. Simply return the shawl to the narthex on your way out of the church.

**Hearing Devices:** The older hearing devices have been moved to the Narthex. They are located next to the far right entrance door to the sanctuary.

We now offer the T-Coil hearing device with the new sound system. Individuals will need to contact their provider to find out if their hearing aid is telecoil-equipped. If so, they need to ask how to turn on the T-Coil or if it is automatically linked once the loop is around their neck.

**FLOWERS** for the altar today are given by Jeanie Volpe in memory of her parents, William & Nina Thomas and her sister, Ellen Copeland.

**PRAYERS:** Mary Zieman, Ami Gudjohnsen, Jerri Palmer, Tom Zimmerman brother of Marie Ritten), Tammie Melby (friend of Marie Ritten), Forrest Marsh, Cheryl Preul, Marlene Miller, Carolyn Smith, Cheryl Perkins (friend of Glorious Quilters), Becky Scheller, Rita (sister of Marlene Miller), Tony Cegon, Angela Butler (daughter of David Donaldson/sister of Michelle Cegon), Henry Carey, Mason Fletcher, Iva Pennell(Paul Ehler's Sister)

### PLEASE NOTE that we'll be using the Traditional version of the Lord's Prayer for the month of June God blesses our prayers.

Is Your Phone Turned Off?

#### PRELUDE

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

- P God Is Good!
- C All the time
- P All the time
- C God Is Good!

# **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

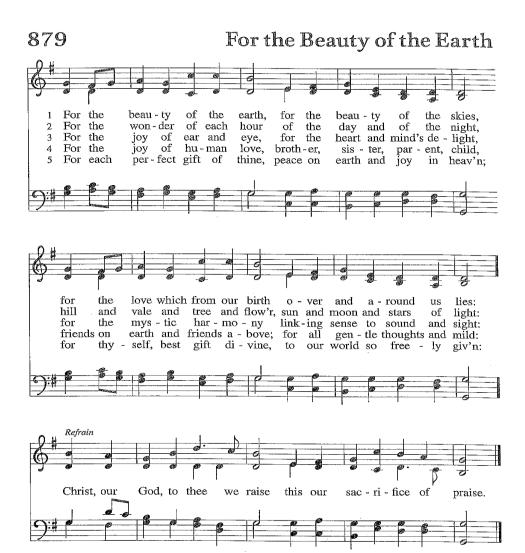
P Blessed be the Holy Trinity, 🕂 one God, full of compassion and mercy, abounding in steadfast love.

C Amen.

P We confess our sins before God and one another.

### Pause for silence and reflection.

- P Merciful God,
- C Like willful children, we have turned away from you, we have refused to heed your call to love you and our neighbors as ourselves. We have wandered after other gods, and squandered your extravagant gifts to us. We have been ungrateful for all that you have provided, and refused to share these things with others. Draw us back into your embrace. Cleanse us by your unconditional love and mercy, that we might live in a state of complete trust in you, and act out of that trust on behalf of others.
- P Beloved children of God, your heavenly Father throws open his arms like the father of the prodigal son and welcomes you back always. For the sake of Jesus, your brother, God forgives you all your sins.
- C Amen.

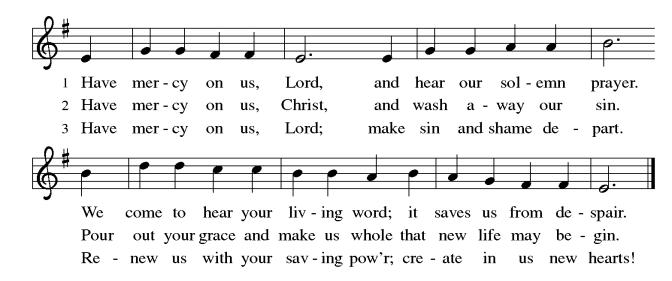


#### GREETING

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.



### **KYRIE**



#### **SONG OF PRAISE**



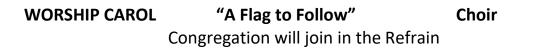
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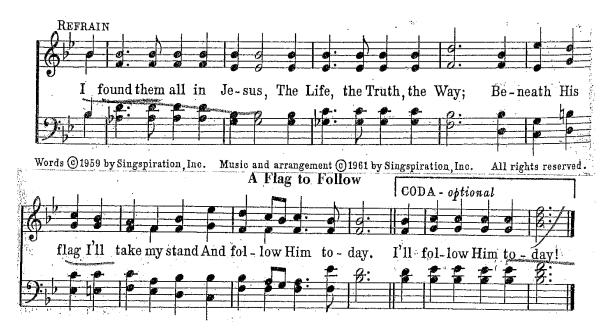
### **PRAYER OF THE DAY** together we pray:

Loving God, you taught your people to depend on you daily for manna in the wilderness – not to hoard for themselves, but to take only what was needed. Teach us to trust that you will care for our needs one day at a time, and make us generous with our possessions for the sake of those whose circumstances prevent them from receiving sufficient nutrition, housing, and other basic needs. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen

### PASSING OF THE PEACE

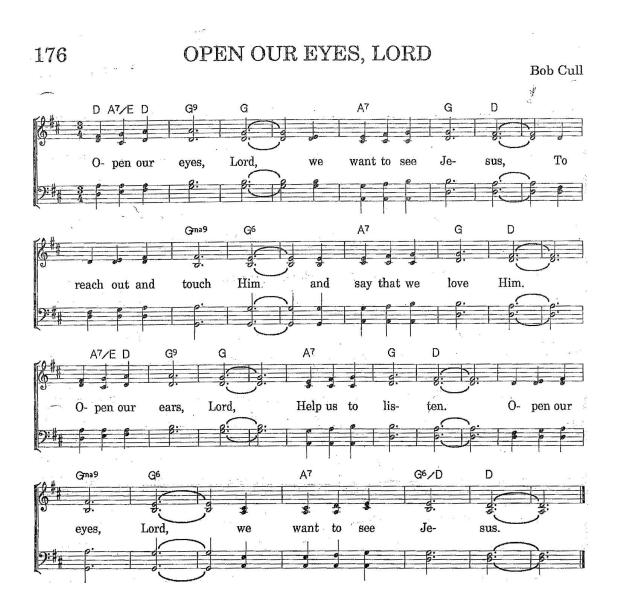
- P The peace of the Lord be with you
- C And also with you





## FIRST LESSON: PSALM 23

- R The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.
- C <sup>2</sup> He makes me lie down in green pastures; he leads me beside still waters;<sup>[a]</sup>
- R <sup>3</sup> he restores my soul.<sup>[b]</sup> He leads me in right paths<sup>[c]</sup> for his name's sake.
- C <sup>4</sup>Even though I walk through the darkest valley,<sup>[d]</sup> I fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.
- R <sup>5</sup>You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.
- C <sup>6</sup> Surely<sup>[e]</sup> goodness and mercy<sup>[f]</sup> shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD my whole life long.<sup>[g]</sup>



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#### GOSPEL Luke 11:2-4

<sup>2</sup> [a]</sup>He said to them, "When you pray, say:

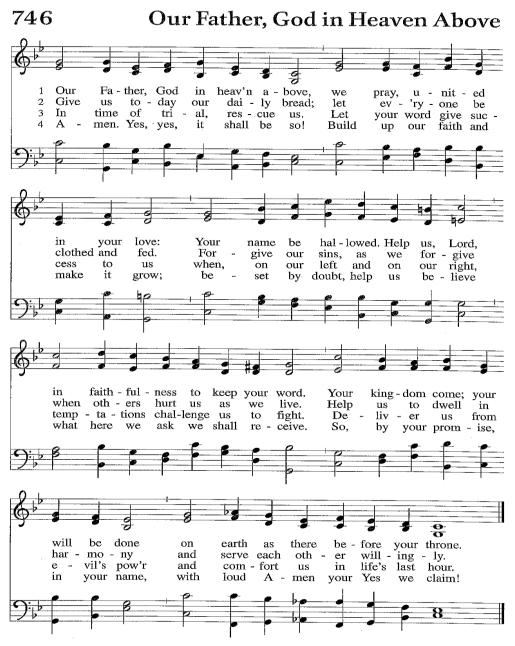
Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come.

- <sup>3</sup> Give us each day our daily bread<sup>[b]</sup>
- and forgive us our sins for we ourselves forgive everyone in debt to us, and do not subject us to the final test."
- P The Gospel of the Lord

### C Praise to the Lord

TEACHING: *"PRAYING BACKWARDS???!!!"* Pastor Jack Williams

**HYMN OF THE DAY:** "Our Father, God in Heaven Above ELW 746 (sung to an alternate tune) **The last phrase of each verse is repeated.** 



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# THE NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the virgin Mary and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son,\* With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.



"Hear Our Prayer, O Lord"

### PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

P Together with our brothers and sisters in Christ throughout the world, we pray for the needs of all that God has made.

# A brief silence.

- P Generous God, you know our every need, physical, emotional, and spiritual. Help us to trust in your care, that we might, in turn, be a channel of that care for others. God, our shepherd,
- C In mercy, hear our prayer.
- P You know the needs of the world you created the delicate balance of ecosystems, of habitats and individual creatures. Help us to be good stewards of our environment, for the benefit of all. God, our shepherd,
- C In mercy, hear our prayer.
- P You teach us how to care for one another. Help our leaders to act out of a deep desire to meet the needs of all whom they serve. God, our shepherd,
- C In mercy, hear our prayer.

## Here other petitions may be offered. Together we pray

C We pray for each of our mission congregations, local partners, and care ministries. We also pray for the congregation's vision and call process. May we continue to work toward our mission and uphold our values while we support the call committee in moving toward a pastoral transition. We also pray for that pastor whom God calls to Gloria de Cristo to work with us to move this congregation forward in mission. Enlarge our hearts toward people far from God while we "Walk with Jesus to bring new life and hope to every person."

- P You created our bodies and minds, and know what is needed for us to be healthy and happy. Guide all medical professionals and caregivers so that they might best meet the needs of all who experience infirmity of any kind, especially those we remember in our hearts. God, our shepherd,
- C In mercy, hear our prayer.

P You made us to be in relationship with you and with others. Bless all marriages, that we might experience love and trust in our human relations as well as with you. God, our shepherd,

## C In mercy, hear our prayer.

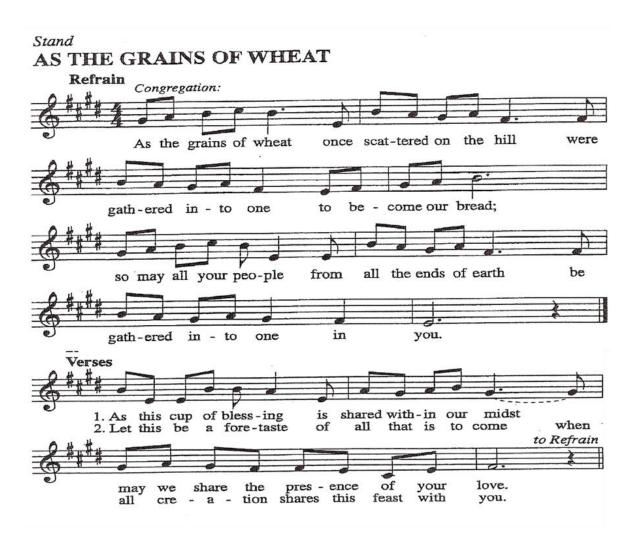
P You have nourished and upheld your beloved children throughout time. Help us to celebrate those departed saints who lived lives of trust in you. God, our shepherd.

## C In mercy, hear our prayer.

- P Confident that you care for all our needs, we lift these prayers, spoken and unspoken, into your loving hands.
- C Amen.

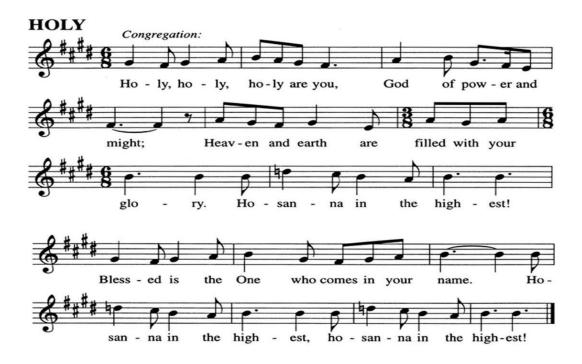
**OFFERING:** (For those watching there is a link for online giving in the description of the video. We are thankful for all the support from both in person giving as well and online giving.)

#### **OFFERING RESPONSE**



### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

- P The Lord be with you
- C And also with you
- P Lift up your hearts
- C We lift them to the Lord
- P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- C It is right to give God thanks and praise



P Blessed are you, Lord of heaven and earth. In mercy for our fallen world, you gave your only Son, that all those who believe in him should not perish, but have eternal life.
 We give thanks to you for the salvation you have prepared for us through Jesus Christ.
 Send now your Holy Spirit into our hearts, that we may receive our

Lord with a living faith as he comes to us in his holy supper.

## C Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

# THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Communion is open to all baptized believers who know Jesus as Savior and seek to live with him as Lord of all areas of life. You receive the wafer in your hand and choose from the individual cup of wine or white grape juice. Those who do not commune and children may come forward for a blessing, simply cross your arms in front of your chest to request a blessing. Simply complete a slip found in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. Consider the options on reverse side as to how you may serve this congregation.

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

С 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 evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

#### HYMNS DURING COMMUNION



### LAMB OF GOD

### HYMNS DURING COMMUNION (con't) "Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me"

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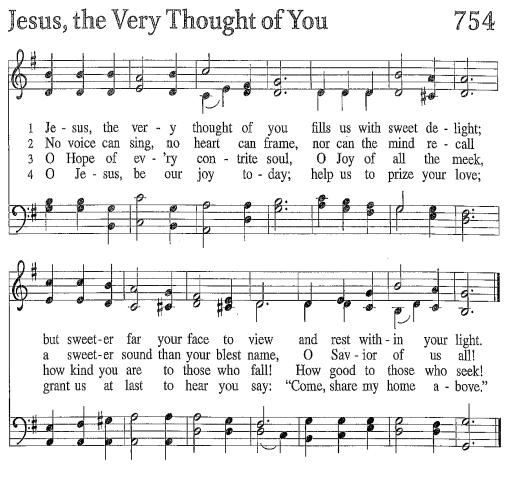


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### **POST COMMUNION BLESSING** (please stand)

- P The Body and Blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you safe in His Grace until everlasting life.
- C Amen.

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

C God of steadfast love, at this table you gather your people into one body for the sake of the world. Send us in the power of your Spirit, that our lives bear witness to the love that has made us new in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.



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RHOSYMEDRE 6666888 P Almighty God has created you and has a purpose for your life every day! Lord, Help us remember, IF YOU ARE NOT DEAD...

# C YOU ARE NOT DONE!

P Live your lives in Christ, rooted and built up in him, and abound in thanksgiving; and the blessing of the Holy Trinity, 🕂 one God, be upon you and remain with you forever.

C Amen.

### DISMISSAL

- P Go in peace. Christ is sending you.
- C Thanks be to God.

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# **Announcements**

**Thank You:** Pastor Jack leading our worship today.

#### **REMINDERS:**

**Monthly Potluck:** The 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday is our monthly Potluck following the 9:30 am worship. Mark your calendar, bring your favorite dish to share and join us for fellowship and food.

**Food Pantry:** 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month we collect food for the local Food Pantry. When doing your shopping consider picking up a couple of items to bring and donate.

<u>Men's Breakfast</u> the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of each month, 8 am at **Daybreakers**. All gentlemen of the congregation are invited to come.

Women's Breakfast Club 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of each month, 8 am at Jimmy K's Diner. All ladies of the congregation are welcome to attend.

**<u>Bible Study</u>**: Every Monday at 12:30 pm at Pastor's home (7649 E. 25<sup>th</sup> Street). Tuesday's @ 10 am via Zoom (contact the office for the link to join in)

<u>Craft Fellowship</u>: Every Thursday at 10:00 am in Fellowship Hall. Bring your own projects and fellowship with others.

**<u>Care Givers Lunch</u>**: Every Friday at 11:00 am. Contact Sandy Timm for the location. (916) 606-8068

GriefShare: Every Sunday at 12:00 pm in Fellowship Classroom.

<u>Chair Aerobics</u>: Classes are held every Wednesday at 1 pm in Fellowship Hall. A donation of \$5/session is appreciated to offset the cost of the instructor. Everyone is welcome.

**Days for Girls:** check the calendar for the next date. Come join us for the fellowship and fun.

# WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Date	Altar	Ushers	Greeter/Communion	Readers
6/16	Joanne	Bob/Judy Zeiss	Dave/Nancy Griffiths	Gary Raasch
6/23	Niki	Tony Hoffman/Donna	Gary Raasch/Joanne	Sandy Weidling
		Watkins	Ausing	
6/30	Nancy	Carolyn Wertman/Jan	Dave/Lynda Steinman	Carolyn Wertman
		Klipfel		
7/7	Jan	Brenda Taylor/Mary Marsh	Dave/Marge Graham	Nancy Griffiths
7/14	Michelle	Rick/Barbara Sherwood	Dave/Nancy Griffiths	Jeanie Volpe
7/21	Char	Larry Unger/	Yvonne Wurtele/	Judy Zeiss
		Elaine Hofslien	Donna Watkins	
7/28	Joanne	Bob/Judy Zeiss	Ted/Niki Duffy	Lois Hundtoft

### Attendance last week June 9, 2024

### <u>110 @ 9:30am.</u>

26 views on Youtube and 320 views on Facebook.

# CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK

DATE	TIME	ΑCTIVITY	LOCATION
Monday, 6/17	9:00 am	Glorious Quilters	Fellowship Hall
Monday 6/17	12:30 pm	Bible Study	Pastor's Home
Tuesday 6/18	7:00 am	TOPS	Fellowship Classroom
Tuesday 6/18	10:00 am	Zoom Bible Study	Your home
Tuesday 6/18	1:00 am	Foothills Social	Fellowship Hall
Tuesday 6/18	4:00 pm	Executive Council	Fellowship Classroom
	4:30 pm	Full Council Meeting	
Wednesday 6/19	1:00 pm	Chair Aerobics	Fellowship Hall
Wednesday 6/19	4:45 pm	Bells of Glory	Sanctuary
Wednesday 6/19	6:00 pm	Choir	Sanctuary
Thursday 6/20	7:00 am	TOPS	Fellowship Hall
Thursday 6/20	10:00 am	Craft Fellowship	Fellowship Hall
Friday 6/21	8:00am	ТОР	Fellowship Hall
Friday 6/21	10:00 am	Spanish/English Conversation	Fellowship Classroom
Friday 6/21	1:00 pm	Social Group	Fellowship Hall
Friday 6/21	6:00 pm	Women's AA	Fellowship Hall
Saturday 6/22	9:00 am	TOPS	Fellowship Classroom
Sunday 6/23	9:30 am	Worship/Communion	Sanctuary
Sunday 6/23	12:00 pm	GriefShare	Fellowship Classroom
Sunday 6/23	1:00 pm	Social Group	Fellowship Hall

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