

“Hymns - ELW” WOV Service of Word and Prayer

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You are the treasured people of the Lord.
A people holy to the Lord our God.
Keep the words of the Lord in your heart.
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Talk about them when at home or far away
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One does not live by bread alone
But by every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord.
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Prayer of the day:
**Glorious God, your generosity waters the world with
goodness, and you cover creation with abundance. Awaken in
us a hunger for the food that satisfies both body and spirit,
and with this food fill all the starving world, through your
Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen**
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We believe and are marked
With the seal of the promised Holy Spirit.
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Build yourselves up on your most holy faith
Pray in the Holy Spirit.
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Thank you to those assisting with our worship!

Accompanist: Dana Lewis
Song Leader: Mallory McMahan
Lector: Carol Lund

Radio Broadcast is given in memory of Connie Hansen from family and friends.

Following worship today, Holy Communion will be served for those who drive through the parking lot between 10:10-10:25 am. It will be offered again on Wednesday, August 5, from 6:15-6:30 pm.

Today is a day of prayer for our schools, administrators, teachers, support staff and students as we cautiously approach another school year.

Hospitalized: Sandy Schmidt

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**“Through the grace of God, we are
worshiping, sharing, growing.”**

#598 For by Grace You Have Been Saved

1. For by grace you have been saved and even faith is not your own,
It's the gift of God for you and not the works that you have done.
Don't let anybody boast for this is God's great gift. Amen
2. "So my grace is all sufficient for each child who is my own
For my strength is now made perfect for each child who is my own.
When you are weak, then you are strong, For this is God's great gift." Amen
3. So this weakness with contentment I'll accept now in myself,
All my hardships, pains, and griefs that still lie deep within myself.
When I'm weak, then I am strong, for this is God's great gift. Amen. Amen

#876 Let the Whole Creation Cry

1. Let the whole creation cry, "Glory to the Lord so high!"
Heav'n and earth, awake and sing, "Praise to our almighty king!"
Praise God, angel hosts above, ever bright and fair in love;
Sun and moon, lift up your voice; night and stars, in God rejoice.
2. Servants striving for the Lord, prophets burning with the word.
Those to whom the arts belong add their voices to the song.
Pow'rs of knowledge and of law, to the glorious circle draw;
All who work and all who wait, sing, "The Lord is good and great!"
3. Men and women, young and old, raise the anthem loud and bold,
And let the children's happy hearts in this worship take their parts;
From the north to southern pole let the mighty chorus roll'
"Holy, Holy, Holy One; glory be to God alone!"

#514 O Word of God Incarnate

1. O Word of God incarnate, O Wisdom from on high,
O Truth unchanged, unchanging, O Light of our dark sky;
We praise you for the radiance that from the hallowed page,
A lantern to our footsteps, shines on from age to age.
2. The church from you, dear Master, received the gift divine;
And still that light is lifted o'er all the earth to shine.
It is the chart and compass that, all life's voyage through,
Till clouds and darkness ended, they see you face to face.
3. Oh, make your church, dear Savior, a lamp of burnished gold
To bear before the nations your true light, as of old,
Oh, teach your wand'ring pilgrims by this their path to trace,
Till, clouds and darkness ended, they see you face to face.

#515 Break Now the Bread of Life

1. Break now the bread of life, dear Lord, to me,
As once you broke the loaves beside the sea.
Beyond the sacred page I seek you, Lord;
My spirit waits for you, O living Word.
2. Bless you own word of truth, dear Lord, to me.
As when you blessed the bread by Galilee.
Then shall all bondage cease, all fetters fall;
And I shall find my peace, my All-in-All!

3. You are the bread of life, dear Lord, to me,
Your holy word the truth that rescues me.
Give me to eat and live with you above;
Teach me to love your truth, for you are love.

#817 You Have Come Down

1. You have come down to the lakeshore
seeking neither the wise nor the wealthy,
But only asking for me to follow.

**Refrain: Sweet Lord, you have looked into my eyes;
kindly smiling you've called out my name.**

**On the sand I have abandoned my small boat;
now with you, I will seek other seas.**

2. You know full well what I have, Lord;
Neither treasure nor weapons for conquest,
Just these my fish nets and will for working. **Refrain:**

3. You need my hands, my exhaustion,
Working love for the rest of the weary-
A love that's willing to go on loving. **Refrain:**

4. You who have fished other waters;
You, the longing of souls that are yearning;
O loving Friend, you have come to call me. **Refrain:**

#856 How Great Thou Art

1. O Lord, my God, when I in awesome wonder
Consider all the works thy hand hath made,
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,
Thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed;
**Refrain: Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee,
How great thou art! How great thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee,
how great thou art! How great thou art!**

2. When through the woods and forest glades I wander,
I hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze; **Refrain:**

3. But when I think that God, his Son not sparing,
Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in,
That on the cross my burden gladly bearing
He bled and died to take away my sin; **Refrain:**

4. When Christ shall come, with shout of acclamation,
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration
And there proclaim, "My God, how great thou art!" **Refrain:**

Isaiah 55:1-5

Ho, everyone who thirsts,
come to the waters;
and you that have no money,
come, buy and eat!

Come, buy wine and milk
without money and without price.

² Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread,
and your labour for that which does not satisfy?

Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good,
and delight yourselves in rich food.

³ Incline your ear, and come to me;
listen, so that you may live.

I will make with you an everlasting covenant,
my steadfast, sure love for David.

⁴ See, I made him a witness to the peoples,
a leader and commander for the peoples.

⁵ See, you shall call nations that you do not know,
and nations that do not know you shall run to you,
because of the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel,
for he has glorified you.

Romans 9:1-5

I am speaking the truth in Christ—I am not lying; my conscience confirms it by the Holy Spirit—

²I have great sorrow and unceasing anguish in my heart. ³For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my own people, * my kindred according to the flesh. ⁴They are Israelites, and to them belong the adoption, the glory, the covenants, the giving of the law, the worship, and the promises; ⁵to them belong the patriarchs, and from them, according to the flesh, comes the Messiah, * who is over all, God blessed for ever. * Amen.

Psalm 145:8-9, 14-21

- ⁸ The LORD is gracious and merciful,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
- ⁹ The LORD is good to all,
and his compassion is over all that he has made.
- ¹⁴ The LORD upholds all who are falling,
and raises up all who are bowed down.
- ¹⁵ The eyes of all look to you,
and you give them their food in due season.
- ¹⁶ You open your hand,
satisfying the desire of every living thing.
- ¹⁷ The LORD is just in all his ways,
and kind in all his doings.
- ¹⁸ The LORD is near to all who call on him,
to all who call on him in truth.
- ¹⁹ He fulfils the desire of all who fear him;
he also hears their cry, and saves them.
- ²⁰ The LORD watches over all who love him,
but all the wicked he will destroy.
- ²¹ My mouth will speak the praise of the LORD,
and all flesh will bless his holy name for ever and ever.

Matthew 14:13-21

13 Now when Jesus heard this, he withdrew from there in a boat to a deserted place by himself. But when the crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the towns. ¹⁴When he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them and cured their sick. ¹⁵When it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, ‘This is a deserted place, and the hour is now late; send the crowds away so that they may go into the villages and buy food for themselves.’ ¹⁶Jesus said to them, ‘They need not go away; you give them something to eat.’ ¹⁷They replied, ‘We have nothing here but five loaves and two fish.’ ¹⁸And he said, ‘Bring them here to me.’ ¹⁹Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven, and blessed and broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds. ²⁰And all ate and were filled; and they took up what was left over of the broken pieces, twelve baskets full. ²¹And those who ate were about five thousand men, besides women and children.