THE PEOPLE GATHER

GATHERING MUSIC & RINGING OF THE BELL WELCOME & GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS

* CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive)

One: Let all who would seek the will of God come together for worship. *Many*: We have heard God's promise of eternal life for all who believe.

One: Yet we struggle to know God's will in the daily matters of life. *Many*: How can we approach Almighty God with hearts that are so unsure?

- *One*: Boldly and with respect, for God honors the truly seeking heart. *All*: Blessed be the name of the Lord!
- * PRAYER OF INVOCATION FOR THE INDWELLING OF THE SPIRIT
- * **SACRED MUSIC** #12 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise" NPH
- * **PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (Unison)

God, so often we have tended to accept your mercy and grace yet we have not been willing to love and care for others. So often, God, in our own self-centered ways we have not shared your broken heart for the lost around us. Too often we have not even been concerned about their well-being. Forgive us, God, and help us love your children. In Christ we pray. Amen.

* ASSURANCE OF GRACE

* PROFESSION OF FAITH	(Unison) Apostles' Creed
	(Inside Cover of the Hymnal)
* GLORIA PATRI	(Unison)
* THE PEACE	(Response: "And also with you.")

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 14:13 - 21 Pg. 16 NT

- **SERMON** Rev. Vanessa Syvertsen
- SACRED MUSIC #630 "Fairest Lord Jesus" NPH

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

(Wave to your neighbors, and those joining via the live-stream.)

OFFERING

(Offerings may be placed in the collection basket at the top of the stairs as you exit the sanctuary following the worship.)

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER, PRAYER OF DEDICATION & LORD'S PRAYER (Debts & Debtors; Inside Cover of the Hymnal)

- * **DOXOLOGY** (Unison, Inside Cover of the Hymnal)
- * **SACRED MUSIC** #610 "O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing" NPH
- * CHARGE & BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE (Seated)

Kathleen Crecco

* Congregation standing; as each person desires.

Masks are welcome but not required, distance as you are comfortable.

Virtual fellowship via Zoom will take place at 11:30 a.m. https://zoom.us/j/6360764407

Following the worship service everyone is invited to Fellowship Hall for conversation and a light repast.

REMEMBRANCES

We remember in prayer Galen Pletcher and Helen, Judy Gibson, Bob Fraser, Nick Scelzi, Wayne Miller, Vern Aldous and Arvilla, Bill Webb, Christa Lyon, Nick Scelzi, Bill and Karen Parker, Mark Erickson, Nancy and Mark Brown, Basford/Rodee Family, Josh Holbrook, Rita Ostrander, Colleen Grant, Janet Favro, Jody Upton and all who are ill in hospitals, nursing homes or at home; and those serving our nation and their families who support them.

Pianist:	
Church School Director:	
Office Coordinator:	

Kathleen Crecco Andrea Montgomery Lynne HunterBeach

The password for our church wifi network is: Lakew00d4331a Password for the Zoom fellowship call at 11:30 a.m. is 3862570

AT OUR CHURCH THIS WEEK

Today 08/06/23	- In-Person and Live-Stream Worship (9 a.m.)
	- Deacon & Food Offering
Wednesday 08/09/23	- Women's Circle (7 p.m.) LL
Sunday 08/13/23	- In-Person and Live-Stream Worship (9 a.m.)

Birthday Vivienne Casey (Monday); Andrea Potter (Wednesday); Cassondra Chase (Thursday); Jeremy Potter (Friday); Cody Ladison, Penelope Ann Brackett (Saturday)

Anniversaries: Nicole Potter & Chris Melville (Monday)

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