

OFFERING

OFFERTORY: "We Are an Offering" ELW, #692

HOLY COMMUNION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

Give us today 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.**

SONGS DURING COMMUNION:

"Take My Life, That I May Be" ELW, #583

"I Love You Lord" *see insert*

"Breathe" *see insert*

"Change My Heart, O God" ELW, #801

POST COMMUNION BLESSING & PRAYER

BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG: "I'm So Glad, Jesus Lifted Me" ELW, #860

CORPORATE PRAYER:

"Into Your hands we commit our lives. Into Your hands we commit Your church."

GO IN PEACE

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Worship Team for today:

Presider: Pastor Barb Lemke

Pianist: Cindy Josephson **Hymnists:** Sheila Kelley

Reader: Kevin Malle **Greeter:**

Usher: Marv & Ev Kelley **Communion Asst.:** &

Screen/Sound: Travis Kleven **Video FaceBook:** Ron Freund **YouTube:** Jamie Villante

Sunday Worship Service



**"See, I am setting
a plumb line in
the midst of
my people
Israel ..."**

Amos 7:8, NRSV

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Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

July 14, 2024

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SUNDAY WORSHIP

July 14, 2024

9:30 A.M.

PRELUDE: Cindy Josephson

GATHERING: “Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus” (chorus only) *see insert*
“Come into the Holy of Holies” *see insert*
“The Steadfast Love” (chorus, repeat ad lib) *see insert*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CORPORATE PRAYER:
“Into Your hands we commit our lives. Into Your hands we commit Your church.”

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS ELW, pp. 94–96

OPENING HYMN: “Be Thou My Vision” ELW, #793

GREETING

HYMN OF PRAISE: “Praise, Praise the Lord” ELW, #875

PRAYER OF THE DAY

1ST READING: Amos 7:7–15

PSALM: Psalm 85:8–13

2ND READING: Ephesians 1:3–14

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: ELW, p. 188

GOSPEL: Mark 6:14–29

HYMN: “Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service” ELW, #712

SERMON “How Are We Measured?” Pastor Barb Lemke

APOSTLES’ CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,

**who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended into hell.***

**On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,**

and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Ukraine and Israel, our prayers are with you

John & Casey Howshar

Delores Rasmussen & Dan Rasmussen

Eyes: Marvin Bohrer & Bonnie Frank

Robert McBride – Patti Schoenfeld – Mike Lemke – Susan Riley (Lorraine Chambers’ friend) – Ashlyn (daughter of friend Wade and Lynn Hampton) – Alicia Jerrup (friend of Mary Katherine Smith) – Leisa Mortenson (friend of Lynn Hampton) – Gary (Andrea Newport’s brother-in-law) – Scott Petrock (Carol Einertson’s son-in-law) – Tammy Hawley (Sheila Kelly’s boss) – Trudi (Debbie Diedrich’s friend) – Donna (Debbie Diedrich’s friend) – Lola Wertz – Lilly (2 yr. old, neuroblastoma) – Linda Hardy – Naomi Petro (Delores Rasmussen’s niece) – Ganell (Janell Hetrick’s sister)

Ray Johnson

Danny Cowan

Bob and Margaret Zenn

Carol Kirkegaard

Al Ryberg, Sylvia Cowan’s brother

Linda Washington (stroke, surgery recovery)

Dan Dunn, friend of Hamptons

Kaylee, friend of Hamptons

Carol Smith

Randy Feakes

Josh Armor

Virginia Miller, Marv Kelley’s sister (growth on shoulder)

Sydney, Vicki Florer’s granddaughter (heart transplant recovery)

Breanna, friend of Kim Gednalske Evancho

Scott Close (Parkinson’s)

Susan Armor (healing of broken legs)

Matthew Zenn, Bob and Margaret Zenn’s 22-year-old grandson (heart issues)

Teresa Linkem, Judy Arffman’s sister (pneumonia)

Frank Ruhs, Ev Kelley’s brother (hospitalization)

Janey, Eddie Garcia’s mom (surgery to remove tumor)

Angel Torres, friend of Prs. Barb & Mike (hospitalization)

Larry Septrick, health

Homebound members: Wil Wertz – Jim Craig – Josh Carter

Thanksgiving for Families:

Heidi Davison, Blake Stockdale, Kiera Davison-Wilkinson

Randy & Diann Feakes

Ron & Doris Freund


Welcome!

We welcome all who gather for worship on this day and pray God's blessing on our time together!

Guests are invited to record their visit by signing the Guest Book located at the entrance to the worship space.

All worshippers are invited to sign the red attendance folder in the pew and pass it on to their neighbor to sign.

Upcoming Events

 **Water Games & Potluck** – Fellowship Committee invites all to stay after worship today to enjoy a potluck meal, along with water games for the young and young at heart. We will play Farkle with those adults who want to stay dry.

Missions for July – Donations to Missions in July will support Rainbow Trails.

“The Chosen” Bible Study Resumes This Month – We would love to have you join us on either Sundays (11 a.m. at church), Tuesdays (6:30 p.m. on Zoom), or Thursdays (1 p.m. at church) We are starting Season 2; if you wish to have a study book, please speak to Pr. Barb.

Worship Helpers Needed – Please see sign-up sheets outside the entry to the sanctuary.

Directory – HELP! Please confirm your contact information with the Office Secretary ASAP so a new directory can be published with accurate data. Please leave a written note on the desk in the office or email Office@BethelAurora.org. *An in-progress copy of the directory is available to review and mark up on the counter by East entry.*

This Week at Bethel July 14–21, 2024

- Sun** 9:30 a.m. Worship
11:00 a.m. Water Games & Potluck
3:00 p.m. Tongans
- Mon** 6:00 p.m. TOPS
- Tue** 6:30 p.m. Bible Study (Zoom)
- Wed** 11:30 a.m. Senior Luncheon at
Mama Alvino's
- Thu** 11:00 a.m. Prayer Team
1:00 p.m. Bible Study (in-person)
- Fri** 10:30 a.m. Coffee Time w/ Pr. Barb
(Zoom)
6:00 p.m. Tongans
- Sat** 9:00 a.m. Prayer Shawl Group
(in-person)
- Sun** 9:30 a.m. Worship
11 a.m. SLT Meeting
11 a.m. Sunday School/Bible Study
3:00 p.m. Tongans

 Love &
Faithfulness

meet
together;

 Righteousness
& Peace

 kiss
each
other.

Psalm 85:10

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

CHORUS:

**Turn your eyes upon Jesus,
Look full in His wonderful face;
And the things of earth
will grow strangely dim
In the light of His glory and grace.**

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Come Into the Holy of Holies

Come into the Holy of Holies,
Enter by the blood of the Lamb;
Come into His presence with singing,
Worship at the throne of God.
Come into the Holy of Holies,
Enter by the blood of the Lamb.
Come into His presence with singing,
Worship at the throne of God.
Lifting holy hands to the King of kings,
Worship Jesus.

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The Steadfast Love

CHORUS:

(sing multiple times, ad lib)

**The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases;
His mercies never come to an end.
They are new ev'ry morning, new ev'ry morning.
Great is Thy faithfulness, O Lord!
Great is Thy faithfulness.**

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I Love You, Lord

I love You, Lord,
and I lift my voice to worship You,
O my soul, rejoice!
Take joy, my King, in what You hear:
May it be a sweet, sweet sound in Your ear.

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Breathe

This is the air I breathe;
this is the air I breathe,
Your Holy presence living in me.
This is my daily bread,
this is my daily bread,
Your very Word spoken to me.
And I, I'm desperate for you.
And I, I'm lost without you.
repeat

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