

# *WELCOME HOME!* **BAY VIEW** **LUTHERAN CHURCH** ELCA



May 22, 2022  
Sixth Sunday of Easter  
10:30 AM  
Pastor Jeff Greathouse

## **PRELUDE: *I Saw the Light***

### **OPENING PRAISE SONGS**

#### *Forever*

##### Verse 1

Give thanks to the Lord  
Our God and King  
His love endures forever  
For He is good He is above all things  
His love endures forever  
Sing praise sing praise

##### Verse 2

With a mighty hand  
And an outstretched arm  
His love endures forever  
For the life that's been reborn  
His love endures forever  
Sing praise sing praise

##### Pre-Chorus

Sing praise sing praise

##### Chorus

Forever God is faithful  
Forever God is strong  
Forever God is with us  
Forever forever

##### Verse 3

From the rising to the setting sun  
His love endures forever  
And by the grace of God  
We will carry on  
His love endures forever  
Sing praise sing praise

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## *Your Grace is Enough*

### Verse 1

Great is Your faithfulness O God  
You wrestle with the sinner's restless heart  
You lead us by still waters into mercy  
And nothing can keep us apart

### Pre-Chorus

(So) remember Your people  
Remember Your children  
Remember Your promise O God

### Chorus 1

Your grace is enough  
Your grace is enough  
Your grace is enough for me

### Verse 2

Great is Your love and justice God of Jacob  
You use the weak to lead the strong  
You lead us in the song of Your salvation  
And all Your people sing along

### Chorus 2

Yeah Your grace is enough  
Heaven reaches out to us  
Your grace is enough for me  
God I sing Your grace is enough  
I'm covered in Your love  
Your grace is enough for me for me

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## **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Let us pray. Bountiful God,

**you gather your people into your realm, and you promise us food from your tree of life. Nourish us with your word, that empowered by your Spirit we may love one another and the world you have made, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.**

**Amen.**

## **CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE**

In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

God of all mercy and consolation, come to the aid of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that, attentive to your Word, we may confess our sins, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

*Silence for reflection and self-examination.*

Gracious God,

**have mercy on us. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone. Uphold us by your Spirit so that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

**Amen**

**RESPONSE:** *Sanctuary*

Lord prepare me

To be a sanctuary  
Pure and holy  
Tried and true  
With thanksgiving  
I'll be a living  
Sanctuary for You

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## **FIRST READING: Acts 16:9-15**

A reading from Acts.

<sup>9</sup>During the night Paul had a vision: there stood a man of Macedonia pleading with him and saying, "Come over to Macedonia and help us." <sup>10</sup>When he had seen the vision, we immediately tried to cross over to Macedonia, being convinced that God had called us to proclaim the good news to them.

<sup>11</sup>We set sail from Troas and took a straight course to Samothrace, the following day to Neapolis, <sup>12</sup>and from there to Philippi, which is a leading city of the district of Macedonia and a Roman colony. We remained in this city for some days. <sup>13</sup>On the sabbath day we went outside the gate by the river, where we supposed there was a place of prayer; and we sat down and spoke to the women who had gathered there. <sup>14</sup>A certain woman named Lydia, a worshiper of God, was listening to us; she was from the city of Thyatira and a dealer in purple cloth. The Lord opened her heart to listen eagerly to what was said by Paul.

<sup>15</sup>When she and her household were baptized, she urged us, saying, "If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come and stay at my home." And she prevailed upon us.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM: Psalm 67** *read responsively*

<sup>1</sup>May God be merciful to us and bless us;  
may the light of God's face shine upon us.

<sup>2</sup>**Let your way be known upon earth,  
your saving health among all nations.**

<sup>3</sup>Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you.

<sup>4</sup>**Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,  
for you judge the peoples with equity and guide all the  
nations on earth.**

<sup>5</sup>Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you.

<sup>6</sup>**The earth has brought forth its increase;  
God, our own God, has blessed us.**

<sup>7</sup>May God give us blessing,  
and may all the ends of the earth stand in awe.

**SECOND READING: Revelation 21:10, 22--22:5**

A reading from Revelation.

<sup>10</sup>And in the spirit [one of the angels] carried me away to a great, high mountain and showed me the holy city Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God.

<sup>22</sup>I saw no temple in the city, for its temple is the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb. <sup>23</sup>And the city has no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God is its light, and its lamp is the Lamb. <sup>24</sup>The nations will walk by its light, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it. <sup>25</sup>Its gates will never be shut by day—and there will be no night there. <sup>26</sup>People will bring into it the glory and the honor of the nations. <sup>27</sup>But nothing unclean will enter it, nor anyone who practices abomination or falsehood, but only those who are written in the Lamb's book of life.

<sup>22:1</sup>Then the angel showed me the river of the water of life, bright as crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb

<sup>2</sup>through the middle of the street of the city. On either side of the river is the tree of life with its twelve kinds of fruit, producing its fruit each month; and the leaves of the tree are for the healing of the nations. <sup>3</sup>Nothing accursed will be found there any more. But

the throne of God and of the Lamb will be in it, and his servants will worship him; <sup>4</sup>they will see his face, and his name will be on their foreheads. <sup>5</sup>And there will be no more night; they need no light of lamp or sun, for the Lord God will be their light, and they will reign forever and ever.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **GOSPEL: John 14:23-29**

The holy gospel according to John.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>23</sup>Jesus answered [Judas (not Iscariot),] “Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. <sup>24</sup>Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; and the word that you hear is not mine, but is from the Father who sent me.

<sup>25</sup>“I have said these things to you while I am still with you. <sup>26</sup>But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. <sup>27</sup>Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid. <sup>28</sup>You heard me say to you, ‘I am going away, and I am coming to you.’ If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father, because the Father is greater than I. <sup>29</sup>And now I have told you this before it occurs, so that when it does occur, you may believe.”

The gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

## **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

### **PEACE**

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**And also with you.**

*The ministers and congregation may greet one another with a gesture of peace, using these or similar words:*

**Peace be with you.**

**SERMON:** Pastor Jeff Greathouse

**HYMN OF THE DAY :** *I'm So Glad Jesus Lifted Me*

Verse 1

I'm so glad Jesus lifted me  
I'm so glad Jesus lifted me  
I'm so glad Jesus lifted me  
Singing glory hallelujah  
Jesus lifted me

Verse 2

I was lost in sin Jesus rescued me  
I was lost in sin Jesus rescued me  
I was lost in sin Jesus rescued me  
Singing glory hallelujah  
Jesus lifted me

Verse 3

Now I'm heaven bound Jesus set me free  
Now I'm heaven bound Jesus set me free  
Now I'm heaven bound Jesus set me free  
Singing glory hallelujah  
Jesus lifted me

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**CREED**

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

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.**

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the virgin Mary.  
He 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,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again 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**

### **MUSIC FOR PRAYERS: *Hear My Prayer***

Hear my prayer O Lord  
From the ends of the earth I cry  
Your peace will lead me  
To the Rock that is higher than I

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### **THE PRAYERS**

God, in your mercy,  
**hear our prayer.**

Remembering in our prayers: **Paul** (Jacobson), **Donovan** (Antholt), **Mimi** (Zinngarbe), **Janet** (Mickelson), **Kevin** (Clark), **Steven** (Leek), **Sasha** (Hill), **Fred** (Kirch), **Rusty** (Feld), **Tysha** (Osborne), **Michael** (Cassity), **Larry** (Uecker), **Lois** (Krueger), **Chuck** (Dull), **Dan** (Knutson), **Cletus** (Schwoerer), **Vincent**

(Michaud), **Sally** (Treichel), **Gary** (Anderson), **Gordy** (Haen), **Rich** (Meyer), **Adele** (Douglas), **Pete & Adie** (Hegrenes), **Mary** (Honold), **Dick** (Russell), **Stacey** (Greathouse), **Patrick** (Bentley).

We also pray for those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries this week: **Charles** (Dull), **Andy** (Michaud), **Susan** (Bosman), **Emily** (Rouer), **Lucy** (Gilbert), **Rick** (Townsend), **Paula** (Eggert), **Natalie** (Townsend), **Paula** (Wendland), **Christine & Scott** (Paptham), **Wendy & Steve** (Kase), **Tracy & Perry** (Andropolis), **Katie & Jim** (Gray).

## OFFERING

### **MUSIC DURING OFFERING:** *Soon and Very Soon*

#### Verse 1

Soon and very soon  
We are going to see the King  
Soon and very soon  
We are going to see the King  
Soon and very soon  
We are going to see the King

#### Chorus

Hallelujah hallelujah  
We're going to see the King

#### Verse 2

No more crying there  
We are going to see the King  
No more crying there  
We are going to see the King  
No more crying there  
We are going to see the King

#### Verse 3

No more dying there  
We are going to see the King  
No more dying there  
We are going to see the King

No more dying there  
We are going to see the King

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## **OFFERTORY PRAYER**

Living God,  
you gather the wolf and the lamb to feed together  
in your peaceable reign,  
and you welcome us all at your table.  
Reach out to us through this meal,  
and show us your wounded and risen body,  
that we may be nourished and believe  
in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.  
**Amen.**

## **DIALOGUE**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## **GREAT THANKSGIVING**

In the night in which he was betrayed,  
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;  
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:  
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.  
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,

and gave it for all to drink, saying:  
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,  
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.  
Do this for the remembrance of me.

## **LORD'S PRAYER**

Lord, remember us in your kingdom, and teach us to pray:

**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.**

## **INVITATION TO COMMUNION**

The risen Christ dwells with us here.  
All who are hungry, all who are thirsty, come.

## **COMMUNION**

*As the ministers give the bread and cup to each communicant,  
they say these words:*

The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ, shed for  
you.

*The communicant may say: **Amen***

## **HYMN DURING DISTRIBUTION: *Breathe***

### Verse

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

### Chorus

And I I'm desperate for You  
And I I'm lost without You

### Ending

This is the air I breathe  
This is the air I breathe

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## **BLESSING AFTER COMMUNION**

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. **Amen**

## **POST-COMMUNION PRAYER**

We give you thanks, generous God,  
for in this bread and cup  
we have tasted the new heaven and earth  
where hunger and thirst are no more.  
Send us from this table as witnesses to the resurrection,  
that through our lives, all may know life in Jesus' name.  
**Amen.**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **SENDING BLESSING**

God, the Author of life,  
Christ, the living Cornerstone,  
and the life-giving Spirit of adoption,  
+ bless you now and forever.

**Amen.**

## **SENDING SONG:** *Go Make a Difference*

Chorus

Go make a difference  
We can make a difference  
Go make a difference in the world  
Go make a difference  
We can make a difference  
Go make a difference in the world

Verse 1

We are the salt of the earth  
Called to let the people see  
The love of God in you and me  
We are the light of the world  
Not to be hidden but be seen  
Go make a difference in the world

Verse 2

We are the hands of Christ  
Reaching out to those in need  
The face of God for all to see  
We are the spirit of hope  
We are the voice of peace  
Go make a difference in the world

Verse 3

So let your love shine on  
Let it shine for all to see  
Go make a difference in the world  
And the Spirit of Christ  
Will be with us as we go  
Go make a difference in the world

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## **DISMISSAL**

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

**Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

Go in peace. Tell what God has done.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **POSTLUDE**

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