

Participating in Worship Today

Piano:	Julie von Eschen
Song Leaders:	Steven & Kelly Brumm
Greeter:	Florence Beutler
Ushers:	Mark & Joyce Landmark
Reader:	Judy Hale
Audio Tech:	Karl Klopotic
Communion Bread:	Judy Hale
Serving Communion:	Judy Hale & Margy Murray
Coffee Hour:	Jim & Gert Bigler
Ministers:	All the people
Pastor:	Brad Brookins

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father 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 sins,

As we forgive those who sin against us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For yours is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever.

Amen

so that all may
understand...

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PENTECOST!!

June 4, 2017

Greeting

Into Silence

Prelude

Like a River Glorious

* Call to Worship

(AnneMarie Kneebone)

L: Come, sing a new song of worship.

P: Come, sing a new song of praise.

L: Today is a day of a promise fulfilled.

P: With joy we celebrate Pentecost.

L: Pentecost – a day when power and comfort flowed.

P: Pentecost – a day of hope and inspiration.

L: A day when the Holy Spirit was revealed in flaming glory

P: and the glory was given to the people.

L: The fire of the Holy Spirit lives on in us. Sing praises!

All: We sing praises, indeed!

* 1st Song

He Touched Me

* Prayer

God, our Creator, we come to you this Pentecost full of joy and wonder at the world you have given us, thankful for the Son you sent, and grateful for your Holy Spirit that brings your presence to us all. You have given us so much, yet we sometimes forget to show you thanks. Renew in us today a sense of appreciation, that we may show the world the glory of your Grace and presence of your love. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

Any one who is in Christ is a New Creation altogether. The old is finished and gone; everything is made new. This is grace. In grace we are seen and by grace we are forgiven and made whole. This is why we say:

Thanks Be to God!

* And so we sing...

Halle, Halle, Halle-lujah

What's Happening!

Offering

Isaiah 55:10, 11

For as the rain and the snow come down from heaven, and do not return there until they have watered the earth, making it bring forth and sprout, giving seed to the sower and bread to the eater, so shall my word be that goes out from my mouth; it shall not return to me empty, but it shall accomplish that which I purpose, and succeed in the thing for which I sent it.

Offertory

Ancient of Days

* Response

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

* Prayer of Dedication (Unison)

We bring these gifts out of gratitude, Loving God, for your bountiful Creation and your boundless generosity. Use what is given to bless your people everywhere. Use all of us to be the blessing you desire all the world to know. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

1st Scripture

Ezekiel 39. 28-29

2nd Scripture

Acts 2. 1-4

Sermon

...so that all may understand...

The Table of Our Lord

We are invited

Our Prayer of Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer

Every Time I Hear the Spirit

* Song

Glorious Impossible

* Benediction

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Please remember with your prayers, cards, and calls:

- Jon and Marijane Beutler and boys
- Ed Ristow (Charmaine Ristow's brother) dealing with Alzheimer's
- Roger Stoll dealing with continuing medical issues.
- Donna Stoll, recovering from surgery
- Don Losenegger, home from the hospital

Serving in Worship on June 11, 2017

Greeter:

Ushers:

Audio Tech: Karl Klopotic

Reader:

Communion Bread:

Serving Communion:

Coffee Hour: Phil Leavenworth

The first Brat Fry for this summer is coming up on July 15. There will be a sign up sheet going around this Sunday. Please join in the fun and help out. See Phil Leavenworth for details.

4th of July Chicken Barbecue coming up. See Jim Fletcher to find out how you can help. Showing up to help is good. Signing up to help so we know who is coming is even better. Thanks to everyone who will once again accomplish the impossible!

If you don't have a name tag yet, see Aimee Gauger and she will arrange to have one made for you. If you do have a name tag, be sure to wear it every Sunday. When you see someone you don't know who does not have a name tag, introduce yourself and then introduce them to Aimee.

Summer worship schedule begins today, June 4. Church service will begin at 9:30 from June 4 till the Sunday after Labor Day.

The Sunday School is providing materials and space downstairs in the children's area over the summer for kids who need to do something else during the worship time. There will be no adult supervision so please do not send your kids downstairs unless you are going with them, but feel free to use the space if you need it.

He Touched Me

Shackled by a heavy burden,
'Neath a load of guilt and shame.
Then the hand of Jesus touched me,
And now I am no longer the same.

He touched me, Oh He touched me,
And oh the joy that floods my soul!
Something happened and now I know,
He touched me and made me whole.

Since I met this blessed Savior,
Since He cleansed and made me whole,
I will never cease to praise Him,
I'll shout it while eternity rolls.

He touched me, Oh He touched me,
And oh the joy that floods my soul!
Something happened and now I know
He touched me and made me whole.

See the Virgin is delivered
In a cold and crowded stall
Mirror of the Father's glory
Lies beside her in the straw

He is Mercy's incarnation
Marvel at this miracle!
For the Virgin gently holds
The Glorious Impossible

Love has come to walk on water
Turn the water into wine
Touch the leper, bless the children
Love both human and divine

Praise the wisdom of the Father
Who has spoken through His Son
Speaking still, He calls us to
The Glorious Impossible

Hallelujah
Hallelujah
Hallelujah
Glorious Impossible

He was bruised for our transgressions
And He bears eternal scars
He was raised for our salvation
And His righteousness is ours

Praise, oh praise Him, praise the glory
Of this lavish grace so full
Lift your souls now and receive the Glorious Impossible!

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