

CONTEMPORARY

10:45 SUNDAY WORSHIP
Faith Lutheran Church . Topeka KS



REFRESH

my

HEART

in

CHRIST.



PHILEMON 1:20

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

SEPTEMBER 4, 2022 . 10:45am

It brings us joy that you are joining us today in worshiping our Lord

We pray that the worship service is meaningful for you

- **Recording attendance:** Please take a moment to fill out the red Book of Fellowship with your name and if you are taking communion today. If you are a visitor, please add any contact information you are willing to share. This booklet is found on the pew near the center aisle and can be passed down to others in the pew.
- **Offering:** Donations may be placed in the plate up front as you come forward for communion; online giving options are also available at FaithLutheranTopeka.com, tap 'donate now' or scan code. This an opportunity to invest tangibly in what God is doing here.



✚ WELCOME

✚ SHARING OF THE PEACE



10,000 Reasons

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*Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul Worship His holy name
Sing like never before O my soul I'll worship Your holy name*

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing when the evening comes

*Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul Worship His holy name
Sing like never before O my soul I'll worship Your holy name*

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger Your name is great and Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness I will keep on singing Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul Worship His holy name
Sing like never before O my soul I'll worship Your holy name (INTERLUDE)

And on that day when my strength is failing The end draws near and my time has come
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending Ten thousand years and then forevermore

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul Worship His holy name
Sing like never before O my soul I'll worship Your holy name

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul Worship His holy name
Sing like never before O my soul I'll worship Your holy name

Worship Your holy name Lord I'll worship Your holy name
Sing like never before O my soul I'll worship Your holy name
Worship Your holy name Worship Your holy name



I Could Sing of Your Love Forever

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Over the mountains and the sea Your river runs with love for me
And I will open up my heart And let the Healer set me free
I'm happy to be in the truth And I will daily lift my hands
For I will always sing of when your love came down

I could sing of Your love forever I could sing of Your love forever
I could sing of Your love forever I could sing of Your love forever

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⊕ CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

The River

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To the river I am going bringing sins I cannot bear
Come and cleanse me Come forgive me Lord I need to meet You there

In these waters healing mercy flows with freedom from despair
I am going to that river Lord I need to meet You there

*Precious Jesus I am ready to surrender ev'ry care
Take my hand now lead me closer Lord I need to meet You there*

Come and join us in the river Come find life beyond compare
He is calling He is waiting Jesus longs to meet You there

*Precious Jesus I am ready to surrender ev'ry care
Take my hand now lead me closer Lord I need to meet You there*

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⊕ WORDS OF INSTITUTION & COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

Prior to communing, we should all examine our hearts... Do you acknowledge your kinship with your brothers and sisters in Christ at this communion rail and do you set aside any refusal to forgive? Do you desire to live a God pleasing life? Are you aware of your sin and your need of God's forgiveness? If so, and you believe that Jesus is really present in the bread and wine through his body and blood, you may commune. Communion is given 'by station' in the front of the sanctuary. You will be ushered by pew. Clear grape juice is available in the center of the tray. Children are welcome to come up for a blessing. You may also bring your offering and place in the plate near the front, as you come forward for communion.

Bless the Lord

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You give and take away for my good For who am I to say what I need
For You alone see the hidden parts of me That need to be stripped away
And as You begin to refine I'm learning to let go and rely
On One who walks with me As hard as it may be You're teaching me all the while to say

*Bless the Lord O my soul All that's in me bless Your name
Forget not Your power untold Not Your glory or Your fame
For You came to heal the broken To redeem and make me whole Bless the Lord O my soul*

Lord You give and take away for my good For who am I to say what I need
For You alone see the hidden parts of me That need to be stripped away
And as You begin to refine I'm learning to let go and rely
On One who walks with me As hard as it may be You're teaching me all the while to say

*Bless the Lord O my soul All that's in me bless Your name
Forget not Your power untold Not Your glory or Your fame
For You came to heal the broken To redeem and make me whole Bless the Lord O my soul*

Though my faith may falter My strength may fail
I pray for eyes to see The richness of Your mercy shown to me

*Bless the Lord O my soul All that's in me bless Your name
Forget not Your power untold Not Your glory or Your fame
For You came to heal the broken To redeem and make me whole
Bless the Lord Bless the Lord O my soul*

Here I Am, Lord

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I the Lord of sea and sky I have heard my people cry
All who dwell in deepest sin My hand will save
I who made the stars of night I will make their darkness bright
Who will bear my light to them Whom shall I send

*Here I am Lord Is it I Lord I have heard You calling in the night
I will go Lord If You lead me I will hold Your people in my heart*

I the Lord of snow and rain I have borne my people's pain
I have wept for love of them They turn away
I will break their hearts of stone Give them hearts for love alone
I will speak My word to them Whom shall I send

*Here I am Lord Is it I Lord I have heard You calling in the night
I will go Lord If You lead me I will hold Your people in my heart*

I the Lord of wind and flame I will tend the poor and lame
I will set a feast for them My hand will save
Finest bread I will provide Till their hearts be satisfied
I will give My life to them Whom shall I send

*Here I am Lord Is it I Lord I have heard You calling in the night
I will go Lord If You lead me I will hold Your people in my heart*

✚ MESSAGE

✚ CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

✚ PRAYERS & THE LORD'S PRAYER

✚ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: THE NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

✚ ANNOUNCEMENTS

✚ BLESSING & SENDING

Sing and Shout

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Your cross, Your cross it draws me to Your heart
It makes my spirit sing It makes my spirit sing
Your grace Your grace oh I hear it call my name
I'm waking up to sing I'm waking up to sing

Oh oh oh oh

Your cross, Your cross it draws me to Your heart
It makes my spirit sing It makes my spirit sing
Your grace Your grace oh I hear it call my name
I'm waking up to sing I'm waking up to sing

*We will sing and shout yeah Sing and shout
Open up our hearts and pour Your praises out
We will sing and shout yeah Sing and shout
Open up our hearts and pour Your praises out*

Oh oh oh oh Oh oh oh oh

Because, because, because Your love came down
It makes me want to sing It makes me want to sing
Because, because, because You call my name
I'm waking up to sing I'm waking up to sing

*We will sing and shout yeah Sing and shout
Open up our hearts and pour Your praises out
We will sing and shout yeah Sing and shout
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*We will sing and shout yeah Sing and shout
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✚ SENDING

Grow in faith, share Christ's love! **Thanks be to God.**



**"If anyone
would come after me,
he must deny himself and
take up his cross
and follow me."**

MARK 8:34, NIV



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Jacob Heine . *senior pastor*

Martin Albrecht . *assistant pastor*

Jeff Lane . *vicar*

Heather McCormick . *director of family & youth*

Hannah Elsey . *DCE Intern*

Serving in worship today: Preacher & leader: Pastor Jacob Heine Children's Message: Heather McCormick

Service Team: led by Larry & Jolene Saunders

Praise Team: Dave & Brenda Schwartz, Judy Hamilton, Caylen McCoy

Praise Band: Diane Taylor (keyboard), Scott Leonard (guitar), Jesse Thacker (bass),
Mike Jennings & Oliver Snethen (percussion)

Today's Lessons: Psalm 1; Deuteronomy 30:15-20; Philemon 1-21; Luke 14:25-35

Next Week's Lessons: Psalm 119:169-176; Ezekiel 34:11-24; 1 Timothy 1:12-17; Luke 15:1-10