

Sunday, June 19th: Worship in the Park



INTRODUCTION—RUTH AND NAOMI RETURN TO ISRAEL

After experiencing great family tragedy, Ruth, a Moabite woman, goes above and beyond the call of duty to accompany Naomi, her Israelite mother-in-law, to a new life back in Israel. With loving and tender words, Ruth pledges to stay with Naomi and to adopt Naomi's land and God as her own. In doing so, Ruth exhibits God's unending and steadfast love toward Naomi.

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Worship Assistants

Purser: Jan Wittnebel
Piano/Organ: Charlie Moe
Special Music: Charlie Moe
Sound Tech: Fred Street
Greeters: Needed
Readers: Needed

Ushers: Needed
Acolytes: Needed
Counters: Joey Schmitz/Diane Hamann
Flowers: Del & Donna Liestman – In honor of their anniversary

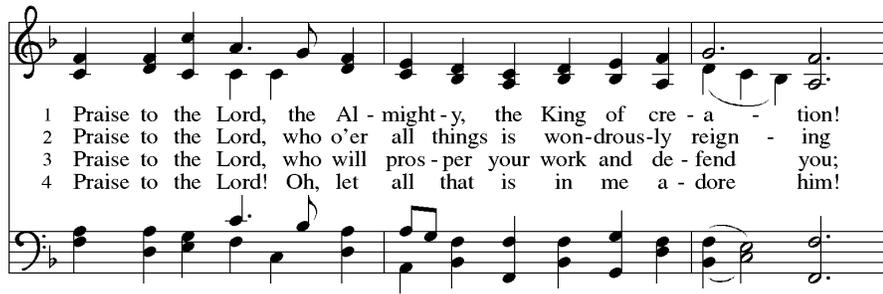
Prelude | Charlie Moe

Welcome & Announcements

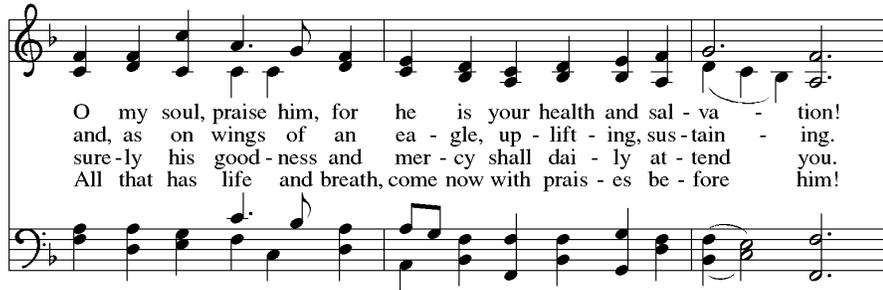
***Call to Worship**

P As we gather in this place,
C God is here!
P As we praise him in this outdoor space,
C God is here!
P Praise him all you flying birds; praise him all you digging worms
C Praise him all you lofty trees; praise him beetles, bugs and bees
P Praise him clouds, and sun, and rain
C Praise him people on your way
P Say it to each other now; say it to the world around
C All creation sings God's praise! God is here!

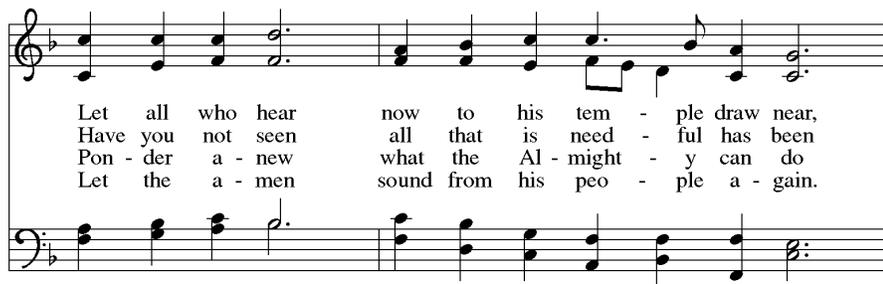
***Opening Hymn: ELW #858 "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"**



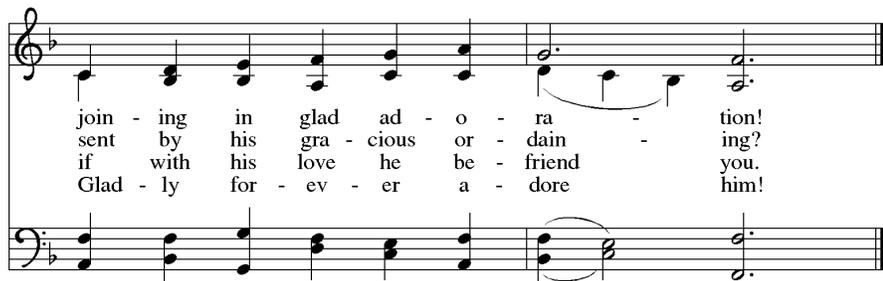
1 Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre - a - tion!
 2 Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is won-drous-ly reign - ing
 3 Praise to the Lord, who will pros - per your work and de - fend you;
 4 Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is in me a - dore him!



O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and sal - va - tion!
 and, as on wings of an ea - gle, up - lift - ing, sus - tain - ing.
 sure - ly his good - ness and mer - cy shall dai - ly at - tend you.
 All that has life and breath, come now with prais - es be - fore him!



Let all who hear now to his tem - ple draw near,
 Have you not seen all that is need - ful has been
 Pon - der a - new what the Al - might - y can do
 Let the a - men sound from his peo - ple a - gain.



join - ing in glad ad - o - ra - tion!
 sent by his gra - cious or - dain - ing?
 if with his love he be - friend you.
 Glad - ly for - ev - er a - dore him!

***Blessing Prayer for Fathers**

P Heavenly Father,

Today we ask You to bless our earthly fathers for the many times they reflected the love, strength, generosity, wisdom and mercy that You exemplify in Your relationship with us, Your children.

We thank you and pray for: those fathers who have striven to balance the demands of work, marriage, and children with an honest awareness of both joy and sacrifice.

For those fathers who, lacking a good model for a father, have worked to become a worthy and virtuous father.

For those fathers who, despite marital discord, have remained in their children's lives.

For those fathers who, as stepfathers or adoptive fathers, freely chose the obligation of fatherhood and earned their children's love and respect.

For those fathers who have lost a child to death, and continue to hold the child in their heart.

For those men who have no children, but cherish the next generation as if they were their own.

For those men who have "fathered" us in their role as mentors and guides.

And for those fathers who have died, but who live on in our memory and whose love continues to nurture us.

This Father's Day we remember the many sacrifices fathers make for their children and families, and the ways--both big and small--they lift children to achieve dreams thought beyond reach. Bless them today and every day, we ask in Jesus' name.

C Amen.

***Greeting**

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C And also with you.

***Prayer of the Day**

P Let us pray. Lord,

C In these days of senseless shootings and endless wars, come to us when the desolation of grief lies heavy upon our shoulders, listen to us when the bitterness of disappointed dreams fills our days, and wrap your compassion around us when the loneliness of empty arms haunts our nights. Comfort us in the knowledge that you go where we go, you stay where we stay, and not even death can part us from your love, through Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord. Amen.

The Word – Ruth 1:1-22

In the days when the judges ruled, there was a famine in the land, and a certain man of Bethlehem in Judah went to live in the country of Moab, he and his wife and two sons.² The name of the man was Elimelech and the name of his wife Naomi, and the names of his two sons were Mahlon and Chilion; they were Ephrathites from Bethlehem in Judah. They went into the country of Moab and remained there.

³ But Elimelech, the husband of Naomi, died, and she was left with her two sons.⁴ These took Moabite wives; the name of the one was Orpah and the name of the other Ruth. When they had lived there about ten years,⁵ both Mahlon and Chilion also died, so that the woman was left without her two sons and her husband.

⁶ Then she started to return with her daughters-in-law from the country of Moab, for she had heard in the country of Moab that the Lord had considered his people and given them food.⁷ So she set out from the place where she had been living, she and her two daughters-in-law, and they went on their way to go back to the land of Judah.⁸ But Naomi said to her two daughters-in-law, "Go back each of you to your mother's house. May the Lord deal kindly with you, as you have dealt with the dead and with me.⁹ The Lord grant that you may find security, each of you in the house of your husband." Then she kissed them, and they wept aloud.¹⁰ They said to her, "No, we will return with you to your people."¹¹ But Naomi said, "Turn back, my daughters. Why will you go with me? Do I still have sons in my womb that they may become your husbands?¹² Turn back, my daughters, go your way, for I am too old to have a husband. Even if I thought there was hope for me, even if I should have a husband tonight and bear sons,¹³ would you then wait until they were grown? Would you then refrain from marrying? No, my daughters, it has been far more bitter for me than for you, because the hand of the Lord has turned against me."¹⁴ Then they wept aloud again. Orpah kissed her mother-in-law goodbye, but Ruth clung to her.

¹⁵ So she said, "Look, your sister-in-law has gone back to her people and to her gods; return after your sister-in-law."¹⁶ But Ruth said,

"Do not press me to leave you, to turn back from following you!

Where you go, I will go; where you lodge, I will lodge; your people shall be my people and your God my God.¹⁷ Where you die, I will die, and there will I be buried. May the Lord do thus to me, and more as well, if even death parts me from you!"

¹⁸ When Naomi saw that she was determined to go with her, she said no more to her.

¹⁹ So the two of them went on until they came to Bethlehem. When they came to Bethlehem, the whole town was stirred because of them, and the women said, "Is this Naomi?"²⁰ She said to them,

"Call me no longer Naomi; call me Mara, for the Almighty has dealt bitterly with me.²¹ I went away full, but the Lord has brought me back empty; why call me Naomi when the Lord has dealt harshly with me, and the Almighty has brought calamity upon me?"

²² So Naomi returned together with Ruth the Moabite, her daughter-in-law, who came back with her from the country of Moab. They came to Bethlehem at the beginning of the barley harvest.

The word of God for the people of God.

C: Thanks be to God.

Kids' Time | Pastor Angela

Sermon | Pastor Angela

***Hymn of the Day: ELW #733 "Great is Thy Faithfulness"**

1 Great is thy faith-ful-ness, O God my Fa-ther; there is no
 2 Sum-mer and win-ter and spring-time and har-vest, sun, moon, and
 3 Par-don for sin and a peace that en-dur-eth, thine own dear

shad-ow of turn-ing with thee; thou chang-est not, thy com-
 stars in their cours-es a-bove join with all na-ture in
 pres-ence to cheer and to guide; strength for to-day and bright

pas-sions they fail not; as thou hast been, thou for-ev-er wilt be.
 man-i-fold wit-ness to thy great faith-ful-ness, mer-cy, and love.
 hope for to-mor-row, bless-ings all mine, with ten thou-sand be-side!

Refrain

Great is thy faith-ful-ness! Great is thy faith-ful-ness! Morn-ing by

morn-ing new mer-cies I see; all I have need-ed thy

hand hath pro-vid-ed; great is thy faith-ful-ness, Lord, un-to me.

***Apostle's 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.

Offering | Special Music

Charlie Moe

***Offertory Prayer**

P Let us pray together. God of all creation,

C As grains of wheat scattered upon the hills were gathered together to become one bread, so let your church be gathered together from the ends of the earth into your kingdom, for yours is the glory through Jesus Christ, now and forever. Amen.

Prayers of the People

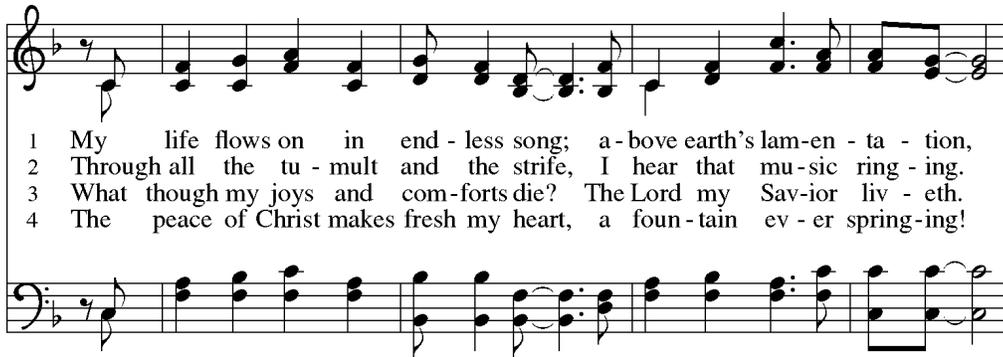
P Lord, in your mercy,

C Hear our prayer

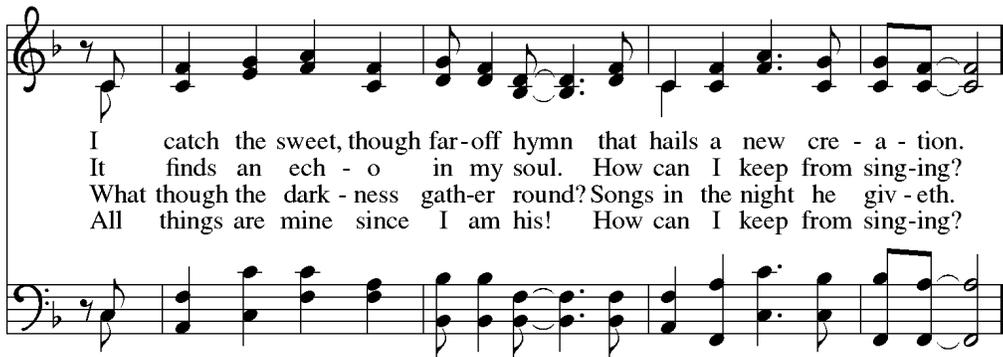
Lord's Prayer

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.

***Closing Hymn: ELW #763 "My Life Flows On in Endless Song"**

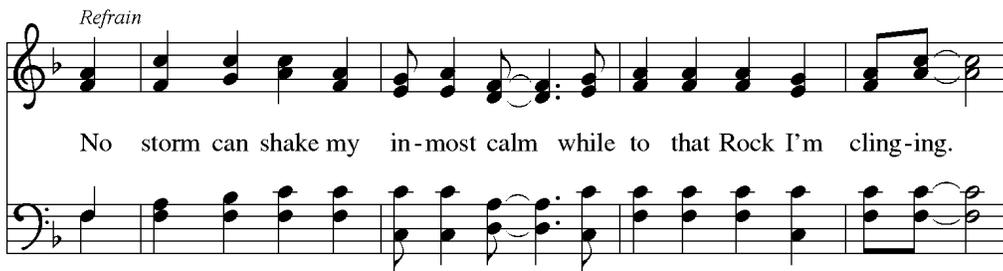


1 My life flows on in end - less song; a - bove earth's lam - en - ta - tion,
2 Through all the tu - mult and the strife, I hear that mu - sic ring - ing.
3 What though my joys and com - forts die? The Lord my Sav - ior liv - eth.
4 The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, a foun - tain ev - er spring - ing!



I catch the sweet, though far - off hymn that hails a new cre - a - tion.
It finds an ech - o in my soul. How can I keep from sing - ing?
What though the dark - ness gath - er round? Songs in the night he giv - eth.
All things are mine since I am his! How can I keep from sing - ing?

Refrain



No storm can shake my in - most calm while to that Rock I'm cling - ing.



Since Christ is Lord of heav - en and earth, how can I keep from sing - ing?

***Sending Blessing & Dismissal**

P Now may the one who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine bless you and keep you now and forever.

C Amen.

P Go in peace, serve the Lord!

C Thanks be to God!

Announcements

Thank you

** Thank you to everyone who participated in the Living IT Gala event!! Thank you for sharing your talents and works with the community!!

** Thank you From The Trinity Women Witnessing to the World to the Outreach program and the Memorial committees for their support this year and throughout the past!!

Community Table – This Thursday, June 23rd at 4:30pm

Grilling Season is HERE!!! Please join us Thursday, June 23rd from 4:30-6:30 PM at Trinity Crossing. On the menu this month are hamburgers, hotdogs, onions, pickles, chips, baked beans, coleslaw, rhubarb cake and rhubarb sauce. We'll see you on the 23rd!

We would love to have you come volunteer with us as well. Here is a link to Sign Up Genius or please call the church office at 763-389-2671.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c094facae2aa7f58-princeton>

Small Study Groups

- **Men's Breakfast**—Men's Breakfast is the 4th Saturdays, 8am at the Church. Our next session will be **Saturday, June 25th**.
- **Tuesday Morning Bible Study**— Our Tuesday morning study meets **Tuesday mornings at 10am**.
- **Women's Bible Study** – We Meet the 3rd Thursday of the month. We will gather in the fellowship hall next **on July 21st, 2022**.

AA Meetings, Open & Welcome to All--Thursdays, 7pm here at TLC

If you think you have a problem with alcohol-please attend. If you're interested in attending an AA meeting but this time doesn't work for you other meetings can be found by searching online using "AA Meeting Locator".



SEED, PLANT, PRODUCE SHARING

The annual sharing has begun and will continue into October! To get started, you are invited to bring in plants and seeds that you'd like to share! Please make sure plants are in containers sturdy enough that they can be transported to their new home. When the growing season is underway, we invite you to bring in your extra produce to share! Once again there will be a table in the narthex available to place the seeds, plants, and vegetables/fruits. Leave something you have an abundance of, and/or take something you like! Even if you don't have a garden you are

invited to partake in the bounty that our local growers produce.

Volunteer Opportunity

We are looking for your church or youth group to help pack medical supplies to send to Ukraine!

We are working with medical supplies from nonprofit Matter 360. Supplies are packed in Isanti, MN and sent to Ukraine. Groups work best with around 10 volunteers.

Having a nurse or person of medical background is helpful but not required.

For scheduling or more information, please email:

Oxlip2ukr@gmail.com



There are also some wonderful volunteer opportunities. If anyone is interested in getting a group together through Trinity and would like to coordinate – Please contact the office and we will start a list with a tentative packing day in advance. 763-389-2671 office@trinity-princeton.org

Members

Prayer List

Tony Alferness
Jeri Ann Bredemus
Joe Clemensen
Jan Dery
Jim Dery
Susan Deyle
Katey Donais
Lainey Druar
Bob Duncan
Dale Dunham
Marlys Hanson
Bruce Lacher
Greg Larsen
Del Liestman
Donna Liestman
Eric Lukkari
Chellis Matz
Jean Miller
Pastor Mike Pancoast
Ed Peterson
Bev Reed
Warren Reed
Dina Scandinato
Carol Skare
Brenda Smith
Anne Stevenson
Curtis Strombeck
Don Tessmer
Joyce Tessmer

Prudence Tessmer & family

Ardy Tourville
Barb Wicktor
Russ Wicktor
Dean Winslow
Ginny Winslow

Family Members & Friends

Ben (Judy & Bill Hilliard's nephew son's)
Peter Berry (Mary Berry's son)
Diane Boser (Friend of Dan & Jean Anderson)
Gene Brown (Pastor Mike's uncle)
David Doerfler (Pastor Mike's uncle)
Jan Gale's daughter Jamie
Joan Gessar (Courtney Hoppe's mother in-law)
Johnathan Gillette (Friend of Liz Christensen)
Pastor Karl Jacobson

(friend of the Pancoast family)
Evelyn Kingma (June Kunkel's sister in-law)
Randall Lundgren (Debi's Pederson's nephew)
Dale McLaen (Darcee Larsen/Laurel McKenney's brother in-law)
Esther Neussendorfer (Danette Scepurek's grandmother)
Janice Omtvedt (Ingrid Bavier's mother)
Elliott Pancoast (Pastor Mike's dad)
Tracy Pidde (Princeton 3rd grade teacher)
Rob Savage (Friend of the Keller family)
John Schmid (family of Mike & Linda Baumann)
Andy Struthers (Maria

Barlage's brother)
Mauricio Trujillo (friend of the Patnode and Miller families)
Patty Thul's Sister Sheri
Scott Wallin (Char Kramersmeier's son)
Ronda Wetzel (daughter of Andrea & Ron Sandusky)

Serving in the Military

Andrew Anderson
Jacob Benver
Eden Betzler
Lacee Broding
Riley Broding
Ronald Duresky
Riley Forland
Derek Hanson
Hunter Lestrud
Kenzi Lytle
Anthony Mandt
David McCarney
John McCarney
Zachary Morisset
Ben Noard
Parker Pedersen
Mario Scandinato
Jaden Thimmesch

Trintiy Calendar

Sunday, June 19

9am Worship at Mark Park
10am Coffee Hour

Monday, June 20

8am WWW *
6pm District 5 AA
7pm Council Mtg

Tuesday, June 21

10am Bible Study
11:30am Staff Mtg
12:30pm Living IT Staff Mtg

Wednesday, June 22

9am TOPS
1pm Community Meal Prep *

Thursday, June 23

4:30pm Community Meal *
7pm AA

Sunday, June 26

9am Worship
10am Coffee Hour

Monday, June 27

8am WWW *
6pm Cub Scouts
6pm Laundry Love

Tuesday, June 28

10am Bible Study
11:30am Staff Mtg
12:30pm Living IT Staff Mtg

Finances through
April 2022

Income \$118,451.77
Expenses \$140,364.42
Difference -\$21,912.65