

 The congregation is invited to read/sing the **bold font**.  
\*Indicates the congregation may stand unannounced.  
Amplification devices to assist with hearing are available at the sound booth.

## THE APPROACH TO GOD

PRELUDE "This Is My Father's World"  
arr. by Alejandro D. Consolacion II

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 145:1-3

I will extol you, my God and King,  
**and bless your name forever and ever.**  
Every day I will bless you,  
**and praise your name forever and ever.**  
Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised;  
**God's greatness is unsearchable.**  
Together we rise to sing to our unsearchable God.

\*SONG OF WORSHIP #64 "O God Beyond All Praising"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION Adapted from *The Worship Sourcebook*

O God of shalom,  
**we confess we have built up walls  
to protect ourselves from our enemies,  
but those walls also shut us off from receiving your love.**

#375 "Lord Have Mercy"

**Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. (Repeat)**

*A brief moment of silence for personal reflection and confession.*

O God of salvation,  
**break down those walls.**  
**Help us to see that the way to your heart is through  
the reconciliation of our own hearts with our enemies.**  
**Bless them and us, that we may come to grow  
in love for each other and for you, through Jesus Christ. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS Based on Ephesians 2:14-16

Christ is our peace;  
**those who are divided, he has made one.**  
Christ has broken down the dividing wall of hostility among us.  
**Christ has created one body through his cross,  
putting hostility to death through it.**

\*SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

The peace of Christ be with you.  
**And also with you.**

## THE WORD OF GOD

WELCOMING NEW MEMBERS & THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

\*SONG OF BAPTISMAL CELEBRATION #680 "Borning Cry"

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Congregation, bless your children.  
**You are God's beloved child. With you, God is well pleased.**

\*SONG OF PREPARATION "Ancient Words"

**Holy words long preserved  
For our walk in this world  
They resound with God's own heart  
O let the ancient words impart**

**Words of life words of hope  
Give us strength help us cope  
In this world where'er we roam  
Ancient words will guide us home**

CHORUS

**Ancient words ever true  
Changing me changing you  
We have come with open hearts  
O let the ancient words impart**

**Holy words of our faith  
Handed down to this age  
Came to us through sacrifice  
O heed the faithful words of Christ**

**Holy words long preserved  
For our walk in this world  
They resound with God's own heart  
O let the ancient words impart** CHORUS

SCRIPTURE & SERMON Jonah 3:10-4:11

## THE RESPONSE TO GOD

\*SONG OF THANKSGIVING #147 "Praise God from Whom..."

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise God, all creatures high and low. Alleluia, alleluia!  
Praise God, in Jesus fully known:  
Creator, Word, and Spirit one.  
Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

*Tithes/offerings placed in the baskets at the entrance of the sanctuary  
are brought forward as a sign of our response to God's call on our lives.*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,  
now and forever. Amen.**

\*SONG OF RESPONSE #551 "As a Fire Is Meant for Burning"

\*ANNOUNCEMENTS

\*BENEDICTION

\*SENDING SONG "My Friends, May You Grow in Grace"

*The congregation is invited to stand and turn toward the center aisle,  
blessing one another in song.*

**My friends, may you grow in grace,  
and in the knowledge of our Lord, and Savior.  
My friends, may you grow in grace,  
and in the knowledge of Jesus Christ.  
To God be the glory, now and forever, now and forever, amen.  
To God be the glory, now and forever, now and forever, amen.**

\*POSTLUDE "March de Triomphe"  
by Roger C. Wilson

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THIS WILL ONLY TAKE A **SECOND**  
Actually, it may take 60 seconds, but check out the info below.

### ARE YOU A GUEST TODAY?

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## CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF June 28, 2026

### TODAY

9:45 am Worship Service

### TUESDAY

2:00 pm Coffee, Cookies, & Conversation

### NEXT SUNDAY

9:45 am Worship Service

**Greeters:** Doug & Elaine Baker, Rich Glendening, Cyndi Boertje, Mark Thompson  
Next Week: Cyndi Boertje, Sara & Jason Hefflefinger

**Nursery:** Rinnah Hardeman  
Next Week: Neriah Hardeman, Micaiah Hardeman

**Storyteller:**  
Next Week:

**Barista:** Kathy & Maggie Thompson  
Next Week:

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Fifth Sunday after Pentecost  
June 28, 2026 - 9:45 am