

**Please stand as you are able.*

PRELUDE "Morning Has Broken," *arr by Cat Stevens* Betsy Murray

WELCOME

*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, whose compassion endures forever.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin to God.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Compassionate God,

we confess to you all our sins. Our burden is heavy, and we cannot free ourselves.

In your mercy, call us back to you. Your yoke is easy and your burden is light.

Restore us to dwell in your peace. In Christ's name we pray, Amen.

Jesus says, "Come to me, all you who are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest." In the name of God, Father, ☩ Son, and Holy Spirit, your sins are forgiven. Rest in God's love.

Amen.

*GATHERING HYMN "All Are Welcome," *ELW 641*

Let us build a house where love can dwell and all can safely live,
a place where saints and children tell how hearts learn to forgive.
Built of hopes and dreams and visions, rock of faith and vault of grace;
here the love of Christ shall end divisions:

Refrain

All are welcome, all are welcome, all are welcome in this place.

Let us build a house where prophets speak, and words are strong and true,
where all God's children dare to seek to dream God's reign anew.
Here the cross shall stand as witness and as symbol of God's grace;
here as one we claim the faith of Jesus: *Refrain*

Let us build a house where all are named, their songs and visions heard
and loved and treasured, taught and claimed as words within the Word.
Built of tears and cries and laughter, prayers of faith and songs of grace,
let this house proclaim from floor to rafter: *Refrain*

Compassionate God, through the gifts of bread and wine our hearts are filled with the abundance of your love. Strengthen us that we, through this holy meal, may share your love freely, as you have shared with us. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit nourishing us now and forever. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*BLESSING

Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer, ☩ one God, bless, heal, and hold you today and always.

Amen.

*SENDING HYMN "Build a Longer Table," *ACS 1062*

Build a longer table, not a higher wall,
feeding those who hunger, making room for all.
Feasting together, stranger turns to friend,
Christ breaks walls to pieces; false divisions end.

Build a safer refuge, not a larger jail;
where the weak find shelter, mercy will not fail.
For any place where justice is denied,
Christ will breach the jail wall, freeing all inside.

Build a broader doorway, not a longer fence.
Love protects all people, sparing no expense.
When we embrace compassion more than fear,
Christ tears down our fences: all are welcome here.

When we lived as exiles, refugees abroad,
Christ became our doorway to the reign of God.
So must our tables welcome those who roam.
None can be excluded; all must find a home.

*SENDING

Heaven has come near. Go, share the good news!

Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE "Put a Little Love in Your Heart," Betsy Murray
by Holiday, Myers, and Shannon

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you for worshipping with us today!

Please join us for coffee in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the service.



Masisiwe Fundraiser Update

Thank you for the tremendous response to our Masisiwe fundraiser!

As of June 21, our total donation is \$2285.95. This is enough to finish the Tumaini church and the improvement to the Lupilo church. Donations received before July 10 will be sent to Masisiwe. Asante Sana!

CTK Congregation Camp at Wilderness Canoe Area

If you're planning on attending the CTK Congregational Camp at Wilderness Canoe Area, please sign up today! See Pastor Rebecca if you have any questions.



Save the Date: August 23rd

We will have a blessing of the Animals during outdoor worship on August 23. Bring your pet to be blessed during our outdoor worship on August 23. Dogs, cats, hamsters, photos, or stuffed animals are all welcome. Bring a friend or neighbor to worship!

This Week at CTK

OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:
Monday & Thursday 9am-3pm

Sunday 6/28
Outdoor Worship 9am

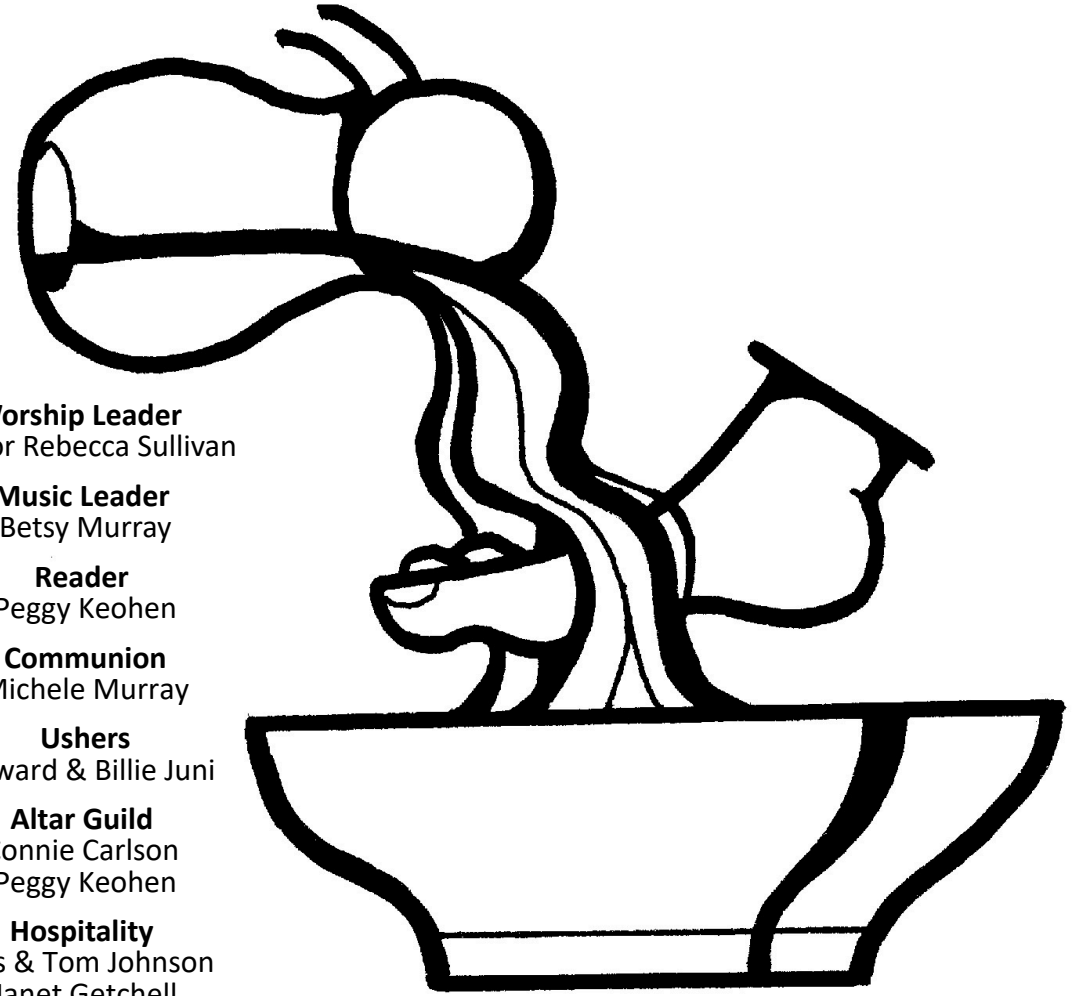
Saturday 7/4
Bread Ministry 7am

For pastoral care or other needs please contact the Pastor or the church office at 651-429-4828.

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Fifth Sunday after Pentecost
June 28, 2026



Worship Leader
Pastor Rebecca Sullivan

Music Leader
Betsy Murray

Reader
Peggy Keohen

Communion
Michele Murray

Ushers
Howard & Billie Juni

Altar Guild
Connie Carlson
Peggy Keohen

Hospitality
Lois & Tom Johnson
Janet Getchell
Bill Hughes

Pour out your Spirit on us, your gathered people, and on this meal, your gifts of bread and cup. Through a holy mystery, let this become for us the body and blood of Christ. Let it strengthen us, that we will become the body of Christ for the world you so love.

Amen.

*THE 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.

DISTRIBUTION

"Lamb of God," ELW p 191, setting 8

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace,

Lamb of God.

"Let us Break Bread Together," ELW 471

Let us break bread together on our knees;

Let us break bread together on our knees.

Refrain

When I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sun, O Lord, have mercy on me.

Let us drink wine together on our knees;

let us drink wine together on our knees. *Refrain*

Let us praise God together on our knees;

let us praise God together on our knees. *Refrain*

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING & PRAYER

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in God's grace.

Amen.

*GREETING

The grace of our Lord...

...and also with you.

*CANTICLE OF PRAISE "Now the Feast and Celebration," ELW 167

Refrain

Now the feast and celebration, all of creation sings for joy to the God of life and love and freedom; praise and glory forevermore!

Now is the feast of the Lamb once slain, whose blood has freed and united us to be one great people of God. *Refrain*

Power and riches, wisdom and might, all honor and glory to Christ forever. *Refrain*

For God has come to dwell with us, to make us people of God; to make all things new. *Refrain*

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray,

O God, you direct our lives by your grace, and your words of justice and mercy reshape the world. Mold us into a people who welcome your word and serve one another, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

LESSON

Genesis 22:1-14

PSALM

Psalm 17:1-7, 15

How long, O Lord? Will you forget me forever? How long will you hide your face from me?

How long shall I have perplexity in my mind, and grief in my heart, day after day? How long shall my enemy triumph over me?

Look upon me and answer me, O Lord my God; give light to my eyes, lest I sleep in death;

lest my enemy say, "I have defeated you," and my foes rejoice that I have fallen.

But I trust in your unfailing love; my heart is joyful because of your saving help.

I will sing to the Lord, who has dealt with me richly.

