

*Please stand as you are able.

GATHERING	“God of Wonders” by Byrd and Hindalong “Earth is Yours” by M Ganger	KHB
*CALL TO WORSHIP		Screen
*CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS		Screen
*GATHERING SONG	“God of Wonders,” by Byrd and Hindalong	Screen
*GREETING		
*PRAYER OF THE DAY		Screen
Let us pray:		
O Lord, maker of all things, you planted the trees of the Earth and raised them up to give the breath of life for all creatures. As your Son was lifted up on the tree bringing new life to all Creation, stir us by your Spirit to protect the world you have made. We join the forests in praising you, through Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord. Amen.		
CHORAL ANTHEM	“Life Tree,” by Cherwien	King’s Choir
LESSON	Genesis 2:4b-22, p. 2 NSRV	
PSALM	Psalms 96:1-13, p. 479 NSRV	Screen
*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION	“Alleluia,” Now the Feast p 7	Screen
GOSPEL	John 3:1-16, p. 864 NRSV	
SERMON		Pastor Rebecca
*HYMN OF THE DAY	“He’s Got the Whole World in His Hands,”	Screen
*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE		

After each petition: Leader: ... Hear us, O God.
 All: ... Your mercy is great.

Leader: Grant the prayers we have offered, what we have forgotten to ask, and whatever else you see that we need. We ask this in Jesus’ name.
All: Amen

*PEACE		Screen
OFFERING	“Tree Song,” by K. Medema	KHB
*OFFERTORY	“Hands and Knees,” STS 22	Screen
*OFFERING PRAYER		Screen
Loving Creator, all Creation comes from you – forests, lands and prairies, wild places, rivers and streams. As we bring our offerings to you, we ask that you bless them so that your kingdom comes on Earth as in heaven; in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.		
*EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER		Screen
*SANCTUS	“Holy Holy,” Now the Feast p 10	Screen
*WORDS OF INSTITUTION		Screen
*THE LORD’S PRAYER		Screen
DISTRIBUTION	“Lamb of God,” Now the Feast p 13 “For the Beauty of the Earth” ELW 879, Vs 1, 2 & 5	Screen
POST-COMMUNION BLESSING & PRAYER		Screen
ANNOUNCEMENTS		
*BLESSING		Screen
*SENDING HYMN	“Earth is Yours,” by M. Gungor	Screen
*DISMISSAL		Screen
POSTLUDE	“Great and Glorious,” by M. Hooper et al	KHB

Thank you for worshiping with us today!
Please join us for coffee in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the service.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS



Season of Creation

This fall we will spend four weeks engaging with God's creation as our themes for worship. Each Sunday will include an activity after worship to focus engage us in the theme of creation.

September 27 – Forest & Tree Sunday
Activity: Creating a tree theme banner

October 4 – Land & Prairie Sunday
Activity: Nature walk

October 11 – Wilderness Sunday
Activity: Sharing about Wilderness Canoe
Base congregational camp in the Boundary Waters

October 18 – River & Stream Sunday
Activity: Painting river rocks



Volunteers Needed

Do you like waking up early on Saturday mornings? We need helpers to get bread from cub for our bread ministry. Please contact Mike Wallace for more information!

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

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This Week at CTK

OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:
By Appointment Only

Sunday 9/27
Season of Creation activities
10:15am

Monday 9/28
Fellowship team 7pm

Wednesday 9/30
Bells 6:30pm
Choir 7:45pm
Youth Group 7-8:30pm

Saturday 10/3
Bread Ministry 7am
KHB 9am

Advent & Christmas 2026-27 Devotionals

Interested in using a devotional during the Advent/Christmas season this year? We'll be order copies of "Comfort and Joy," a daily devotion to help us prepare for Jesus' birth. Each day features a reading, image, reflection, and prayer. The devotional also includes household blessings and prepares to enrich your preparations and celebrations. Sign up by October 18 to indicate if you are interested.



Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost
September 27, 2026

Worship Leader
Pastor Rebecca Sullivan

Music Leader
Lyn Campbell

Reader
Michele Murray

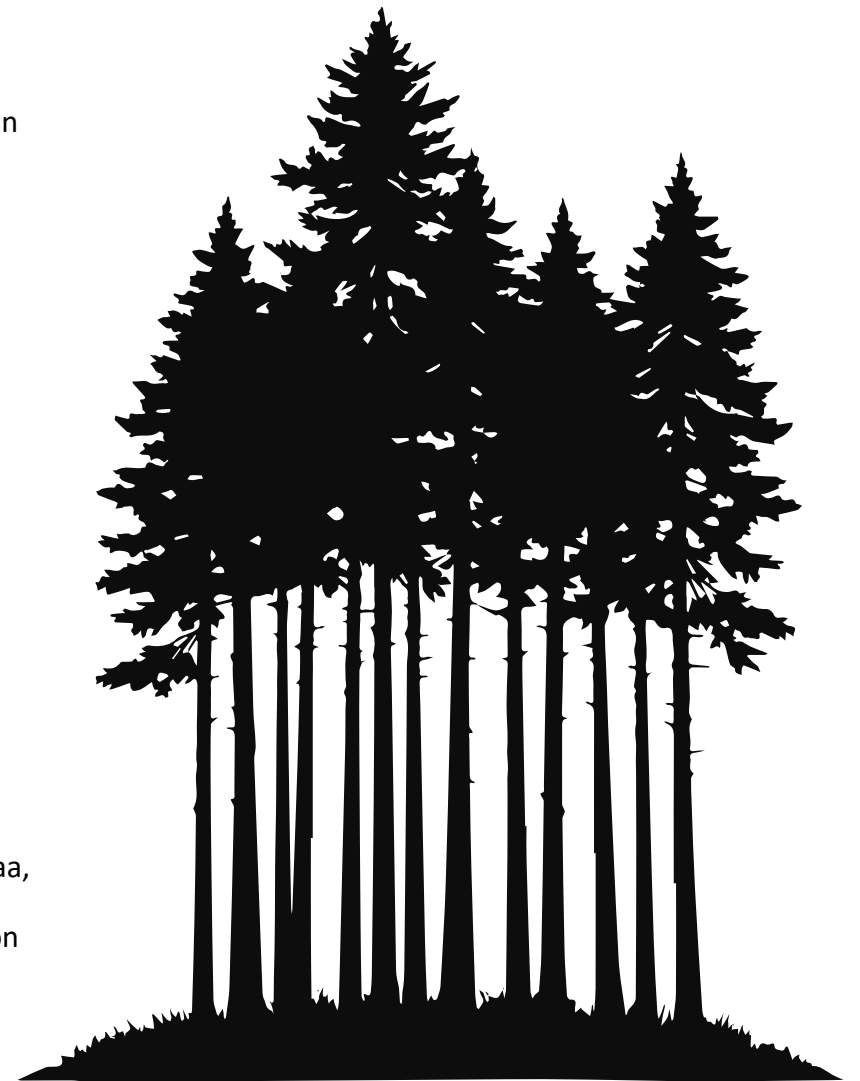
Communion
Karen Eian
Peggy Keohen

Ushers
Scott Tradup
Mike Wallace

AV
Joe Moore
Janelle VanSloun

Altar Guild
Connie Carlson
Peggy Keohen

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