

June 6, 2021

*This is the day that the LORD has made,
let us rejoice and be glad in it. Psalm 118:24*

Prelude

*Like A River Glorious
Just As I Am*

arr. Shaw
arr. Vandervliet

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship**

Psalm 66:1-4

***Hymn of Praise**

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

No. 616

What a fellowship, what a joy divine, leaning on the everlasting arms;
what a blessedness, what a peace is mine, leaning on the everlasting arms.
Leaning, leaning, safe and secure from all alarms;
Leaning, leaning, leaning on the everlasting arms.

Oh, how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way, leaning on the everlasting arms;
oh, how bright the path grows from day to day, leaning on the everlasting arms.
Leaning, leaning, safe and secure from all alarms;
Leaning, leaning, leaning on the everlasting arms.

What have I to dread, what have I to fear, leaning on the everlasting arms?
I have blessed peace with my Lord so near, leaning on the everlasting arms.
Leaning, leaning, safe and secure from all alarms;
Leaning, leaning, leaning on the everlasting arms.

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***Prayer of Invocation**

Scripture Reading

Gen. 39:1-23

Prayer of Confession

Our gracious Heavenly Father, you are our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. You have given to us wisdom and righteousness and sanctification in our Lord Jesus Christ. You have supplied all our needs according to your riches in glory in Christ Jesus. We can do all things through your strength. Yet we are a weak and rebellious people. WE have sinned against you in our thoughts, words, and deeds. We have sinned in what we have done, and in what we have failed to do. We have built idols in our hearts and bowed down to them. We have misused and dishonored your name. Rightfully we fall under the condemnation of your holy, righteous, spiritual, and good law. Our only hope is that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. Your kindness and love for mankind have appeared in him. Forgive the guilt of our transgressions. Purify us that we might be clean. Wash us that we might be whiter than snow, through Jesus Christ our Lord, in Jesus name, Amen.

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

Psalm 66:16-20

¹⁶ Come and listen, all you who fear God; let me tell you what he has done for me. ¹⁷ I cried out to him with my mouth; his praise was on my tongue. ¹⁸ If I had cherished sin in my heart, the Lord would not have listened; ¹⁹ but God has surely listened and heard my voice in prayer. ²⁰ Praise be to God, who has not rejected my prayer or withheld his love from me!

I know not why God's wondrous grace
to me is daily shown,
nor why, with mercy, Christ in love
redeemed me for his own.

Refrain:

But "I know whom I have believed,
and am persuaded that he is able
to keep that which I've committed
unto him against that day."

I know not how this saving faith
to me he did impart,
nor how believing in his word
wrought peace within my heart. [Refrain]

I know not how the Spirit moves,
convincing us of sin,
revealing Jesus through the Word,
creating faith in him. [Refrain]

I know not what of good or ill
may be reserved for me,
of weary ways or golden days,
before his face I see. [Refrain]

I know not when my Lord may come,
at night or noon-day fair,
nor if I'll walk the vale with him,
or meet him in the air. [Refrain]

WCF 8.5

The Lord Jesus, by his perfect obedience, and sacrifice of himself, which he, through the eternal Spirit, once offered up unto God, hath fully satisfied the justice of his Father; and purchased, not only reconciliation, but an everlasting inheritance in the kingdom of heaven, for all those whom the Father hath given unto him.

Prayer of Intercession

Offering

My Faith Looks Up to Thee

arr. Larson

*Doxology

No. 731

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

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*Hymn of Preparation

This is My Father's World

No. 111

This is my Father's world, and to my list'ning ears,
all nature sings, and round me rings the music of the spheres.
This is my Father's world: I rest me in the thought
of rocks and trees, of skies and seas; His hand the wonders wrought.

This is my Father's world, the birds their carols raise,
the morning light, the lily white, declare their Maker's praise.
This is my Father's world: He shines in all that's fair;
in the rustling grass I hear Him pass, He speaks to me everywhere.

This is my Father's world, O let me ne'er forget
that though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the Ruler yet.
This is my Father's world: the battle is not done;
Jesus who died shall be satisfied, and earth and heav'n be one.

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1. Assurance

2. Adoration

3. Angst

Questions:

1. Can a Christian lose his/her salvation? Why or why not?
2. What did the pastor mean when he said, "what seemingly starts well for Roman Catholics and Arminians concerning our salvation quickly turns sour"?
3. Why is the imagery of feasting so often used in the Bible when talking about heaven? What does this teach us about glory? How does this imagery guide us in how we should live today?
4. Why does Jesus lament over Jerusalem? What does this angst teach us about the true intentions of his heart? How can you model that?

The Lord's Supper

Sursum Corda

Leader: Lift up your hearts!

People: **We lift them up to the Lord!**

Music : Selections from Hymnal

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*Hymn of Response

It Is Well with My Soul

No. 691

When peace, like a river, attendeth my way;
when sorrows like sea billows roll;
whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say,
"It is well, it is well with my soul."

Refrain: It is well (It is well) with my soul, (with my soul).
It is well, it is well with my soul.

Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come,
let this blest assurance control,
that Christ has regarded my helpless estate,
and has shed His own blood for my soul. **(Refrain)**

My sin, O the bliss of this glorious thought!
my sin, not in part, but the whole,
is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more;
praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul! **(Refrain)**

Refrain: It is well (It is well) with my soul, (with my soul).
It is well, it is well with my soul.

O Lord, haste the day when the faith shall be sight,
the clouds be rolled back as a scroll,
the trump shall resound and the Lord shall descend,
"Even so," it is well with my soul. **(Refrain)**

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***Benediction**

***Gloria Patri**

No. 735

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

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***Postlude**

Jesus, What a Friend for Sinner!

arr. Payne

*** Congregation:** Please stand as able.

Piano & Organ
Intercessory Prayer

Sandy Schoon
Yon Lindborg

Weekly Calendar

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>EVENT</u>
SUN 6/6	10:30 AM	Worship Service – LORD’s Supper (available YouTube & Facebook) Set up for VBS (immediately after service)
MON 6/7- 6/11	6:00-8:00 PM	VBS Week
TUE 6/8	1:00 PM	Senior Care Group
SUN 6/13	10:30 AM 3:00 PM	Worship Service (available YouTube & Facebook) Cordelia's Graduation Open House (at church)

Serving the Lord

	6/6	6/13	6/20	6/27
AM Nursery	Felicia	Ashley	Lorrie	Kathleen
Greeters	Lash Fam	Matt, Ash, Kyah	Alice	Phyllis
Treats	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Serve/Cleanup	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Audio	B. Armstrong	B. Schoon	J. Martin	B. Armstrong
Elder of the Week	Lindborg	Hrivnak	Nelson	Gretzinger
Deacon of the Week	Jim	Jason	Matt	Jim
Communion Prep	6/6 Yon	N/A	N/A	N/A

Announcements

- **VBS Decorating :** Immediately after the service, please stick around to help decorate for VBS this week.
- **Missions prayer inserts:** Please take with you the weekly missions prayer sheets included in the bulletin. We are using these inserts as a means for you and your family to become more familiar with our missionaries and to encourage your ongoing prayer for them during the week.
- **Senior Care Group:** Join with other seniors in a study of the book of Ephesians (chapter 1) and a time of fellowship, led by Pastor Andrew. This Tuesday, 1-2 pm at the church building.
- **Cookout with Missionaries:** Join us on **Saturday evening, June 19**, to hear from Chuck & Barb Angert, career missionaries with MTW in South Asia. GSPC has supported them for several years and they have just recently retired. Gretzingers have graciously offered to host a cookout, so join us for this time of fellowship. All are welcome. (More details to follow.)
- **Church Brunch:** June 24th @ 11AM Brunch will resume at Viking Chili Bowl.
- **Summer Christian Biography & Missionary Reading Program** will begin next week. (Details to follow.)