

June 21, 2020

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

**Prelude**

*Be Still My Soul  
If Thou But Trust in God to Guide Thee  
How Firm A Foundation*

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**Welcome and Announcements**

**\*Call to Worship**

Psalm 16:1-3

**\*Hymn of Praise**

*Come, Christians Join to Sing*

No. 302

Come, Christians, join to sing Alleluia! Amen!  
Loud praise to Christ our King; Alleluia! Amen!  
Let all, with heart and voice, before his throne rejoice;  
Praise is his gracious choice. Alleluia! Amen!

Come, lift your hearts on high, Alleluia! Amen!  
Let praises fill the sky; Alleluia! Amen!  
He is our Guide and Friend; to us he'll condescend;  
His love shall never end. Alleluia! Amen!

Praise yet our Christ again, Alleluia! Amen!  
Life shall not end the strain; Alleluia! Amen!  
On heaven's blissful shore, his goodness we'll adore,  
singing forevermore, "Alleluia! Amen!"

**\*Prayer of Invocation**

## Scripture Reading

Exodus 2:11-25

## Prayer of Confession

Our gracious Heavenly Father, forgive us from each and every one of our sins and renew our hearts and minds that we might bring all glory and honor to You. We give in to sin far too easily to our sinful desires. Help us to stand firm and guard our hearts from that which is impure and unholy. Make us more and more like our elder brother, Jesus Christ, and encourage us along through those ordinary means of grace that You have prescribed in your Word. Speak to us in and through Your holy Scriptures, grant us mercy and peace through our prayers, and enable us to be reassured through the use of Your Sacraments. Keep us ever close to You, we pray, in Jesus' name, Amen.

## Assurance of Pardoning Grace

Psalm 16:11

<sup>11</sup> You make known to me the path of life; you will fill me with joy in your presence, with eternal pleasures at your right hand.

## \*Hymn of Thanksgiving

*Blessed Assurance*

No. 693

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine! O what a foretaste of glory divine!  
Heir of salvation, purchase of God, born of his Spirit, washed in his blood.  
This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long;  
this is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.

Perfect submission, perfect delight, visions of rapture now burst on my sight:  
angels descending, bring from above echoes of mercy, whispers of love.  
This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long;  
this is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.

Perfect submission all is at rest, I in my Savior am happy and blest;  
watching and waiting, looking above, filled with his goodness, lost in his love.

This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long;  
this is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.

### **Westminster Shorter Catechism 47-48**

Q. 47 What is forbidden in the first commandment?

**A. The first commandment forbiddeth the denying, or not worshiping and glorifying, the true God as God, and our God; and the giving of that worship and glory to any other, which is due to him alone.**

Q. 48 What are we specifically taught by these words *before me* in the first commandment?

**A. These words *before me* in the first commandment teach us, that God, who seeth all things, taketh notice of, and is much displeased with, the sin of having any other god.**

### **Prayer of Intercession**

#### **\*Hymn of Preparation**

*God, Be Merciful to Me*

No. 486

God, be merciful to me, on thy grace I rest my plea,  
plenteous in compassion thou, blot out my transgressions now;  
wash me, make me pure within, cleanse, O cleanse me from my sin.

My transgressions I confess, grief and guilt my soul oppress;  
I have sinned against thy grace and provoked thee to thy face;  
I confess thy judgment just, speechless, I thy mercy trust.

I am evil, born in sin; thou desirest truth within.  
Thou alone my Savior art, teach thy wisdom to my heart;  
make me pure, thy grace bestow, wash me whiter than the snow.

Broken, humbled to the dust by thy wrath and judgment just,  
let my contrite heart rejoice and in gladness hear thy voice;  
from my sins O hide thy face, blot them out in boundless grace.

Gracious God, my heart renew, make my spirit right and true;  
cast me not away from thee, let thy Spirit dwell in me;  
thy salvation's joy impart, steadfast make my willing heart.

Sinners then shall learn from me and return, O God, to thee;  
Savior, all my guilt remove, and my tongue shall sing thy love;  
touch my silent lips, O Lord, and my mouth shall praise accord.

**Sermon**

**The Most Misquoted Passage**

**Luke 6:37-45**

Sermon Outline

1. Judgment

2. Condemnation

3. Forgiveness

## Questions for Further Consideration...

1. The word magnanimous comes from two Latin words, “magnus”, meaning ‘great or big’, and “animus”, meaning ‘soul’. What does it mean to have a “big soul”? What does a big souled person look like? How does a big souled person react when someone disagrees with him/her?
2. What would the world look like if we never judged anything, ever? Do you see the effects of this in our society today? Where?
3. Why is it important to impart a sense of purpose into our children? How can the church do a better job of this?
4. What are the first two commandments in the Ten Commandments? Give some time to think about how Jesus fulfills these two commandments.

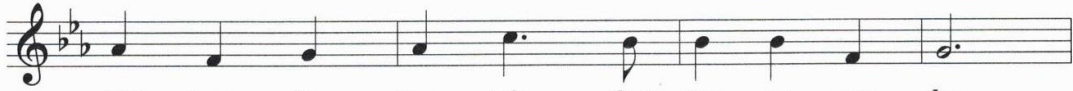
**\*Hymn of Response**

*Come to The Waters*

Boice



1. Come to the wa - ters, who - ev - er is thirst - y;  
2. Come to the Riv - er that flows through the ci - ty,  
3. Come to the Foun - tain with - out an - y mon - ey;  
4. Come to the Well of un - mer - it - ed fa - vor;  
5. Come to the Sav - ior, the God of sal - va - tion.



drink from the Foun - tain that nev - er runs dry.  
forth from the throne of the Fa - ther and Son.  
buy what is giv - en with - out an - y cost.  
stretch out your hand; fill your cup to the brim.  
God has pro - vid - ed an end to sin's strife.



Je - sus, the Liv - ing One, of - fers you mer - cy,  
Je - sus the Sav - ior says, "Come and drink deep - ly."  
Je - sus the gra - cious One, wel - comes the wea - ry;  
Je - sus is such a com - pas - sion - ate Sav - ior.  
Why will you suf - fer the Law's con - dem - na - tion?



life more a - bun - dant in bound - less sup - ply.  
Drink from the pure, in - ex - haust - i - ble One.  
Je - sus, the self - less One, died for the lost.  
Draw from the grace that flows free - ly from him.  
Take the free gift of the wa - ter of life.

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**\*Benediction**

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.

**\*Postlude**

*All for Jesus*

arr. Behnke

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

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**Organ**

Sandy Schoon

**Intercessory Prayer**

Yon Lindborg, Elder

### **Weekly Calendar**

<u><b>DATE</b></u>	<u><b>TIME</b></u>	<u><b>EVENT</b></u>
<b>SUN 6/21</b>	10:00 AM	Worship Service (also available on YouTube and Facebook) followed by a short ministry presentation
<b>SUN 6/28</b>	10:00 AM	Worship Service (also available on YouTube and Facebook)
	12:00 PM	Schoon Care Group

### **Serving the Lord**



	6/21	6/28	7/5
AM Nursery	N/A	N/A	N/A
Greeters	N/A	N/A	N/A
Treats	N/A	N/A	N/A
Serve/Cleanup	N/A	N/A	N/A
Audio	B. Armstrong	J. Martin	B. Schoon
Elder of the Week	Lindborg	Schoon	Gretzinger

**Announcements**

- **Serving God in Morocco, a short presentation immediately after worship today.** A member of our church and the daughter of our former pastor. She recently graduated from Calvin University (congratulations!), with a major in Secondary French Education and a minor in English as a Second Language. She plans to work with an organization that places teams of teachers in different countries around the world. Stay today and hear from her about this ministry and how you might support and encourage her in it. If you are interested in hearing her but are not able to be there, then please contact her can work out some alternate plan with you.
  
- **Offering:** Since the offering plate is not being passed at this time, please place your tithe in the basket at the back of the sanctuary as you enter for worship. If you forget before the service, the plate will remain for a short time after the service. Otherwise, your deposit may take a week or so to process.
  
- **Annual Congregational Meeting:** This important meeting has been rescheduled for Wednesday, July 8<sup>th</sup>, at 6:00 p.m. Committee chairs are requested to email their reports to Melissa at [info@goodshepherdpcanet.net](mailto:info@goodshepherdpcanet.net) by **Monday, June 22**. Members should receive a formal letter in the mail this week regarding this meeting.
  
- **Birthday Card Shower:** Bill Ketner's 90<sup>th</sup> birthday is June 29<sup>th</sup>. Instead of having an in-person celebration, his daughter has asked for us to send cards to help him celebrate this special milestone. Please have your cards at the church no later than next Sunday, June 28.
  
- **Church BBQ:** A church BBQ is being planned for Sunday, July 12<sup>th</sup>, following the worship service. More details will be provided soon!