

Sunday, July 12, 2026
7th Sunday after Pentecost
Emanuel's Summer Sermon Series:
Odd & Holy, God's Grace in Scripture's Strangest Scenes



PRELUDE

GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, whose compassion endures forever.

C: Amen.

P: Let us confess our sin to God. Compassionate God,

C: 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,

C: Amen.

P: 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.

C: Amen.

Children's Church: Kindergarten to 5th Grade gathers in the Chapel.

GATHERING HYMN

"Morning Has Broken"

ELW 556

Suggested by Ruth Ander

GREETING

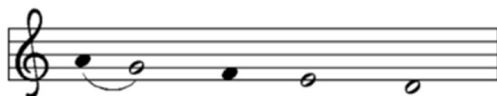
P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

KYRIE



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



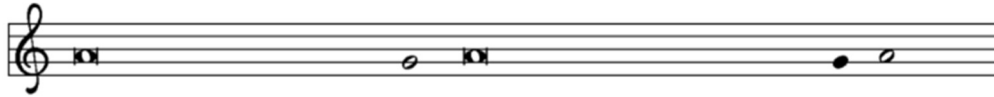
Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace from a-bove, and for our sal - vation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



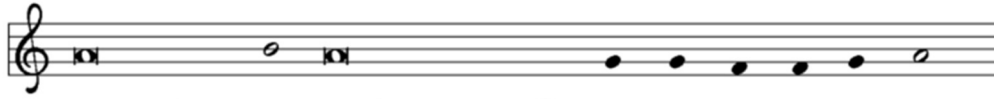
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their wor-ship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord. Lord have mer - cy.



Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gra-cious Lord. A - men.

CANTICLE OF PRAISE

Refrain

Assisting minister



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al - le - lu - ia.

All



1 Wor-thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us



free to be peo-ple of God. Pow - er and rich - es and wis - dom and



strength, and hon - or and bless-ing and glo - ry are his.

Refrain



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia.

2



Sing with all the peo - ple of God and join in the




hymn of all cre - a - tion: Bless-ing and hon - or and glo - ry and



might be to God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.

Final refrain



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God, for the Lamb who was slain



has be - gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

AM: Let us pray together.

C: Almighty God, we thank you for planting in us the seed of your word. By your Holy Spirit help us to receive it with joy, live according to it, and grow in faith and hope and love, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Jeremiah 8:13

L: A reading from Jeremiah.

¹³ I will surely gather them, says the LORD;
there are no grapes on the vine
nor figs on the fig tree;
even the leaves are withered,
and what I gave them has passed away from them.

The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God

NEW TESTAMENT READING: Galatians 5:22-25

L: A reading from Galatians.

²² By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, ²³ gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. ²⁴ And those who belong to Christ have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. ²⁵ If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit.

The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



GOSPEL READING: Mark 11:1-14

P: A reading from the Gospel of Mark.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

¹ When they were approaching Jerusalem, at Bethphage and Bethany, near the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples ² and said to them, "Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately as you enter it you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden; untie it and bring it. ³ If anyone says to you, 'Why are you doing this?' just say this: 'The Lord needs it and will send it back here immediately.' " ⁴ They went away and found a colt tied near a door, outside in the street. As they were untying it, ⁵ some of the bystanders said to them, "What are you doing, untying the colt?" ⁶ They told them what Jesus had said, and they allowed them to take it. ⁷ Then they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks on it, and he sat on it. ⁸ Many people spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut in the fields. ⁹ Then those who went ahead and those who followed were shouting,
"Hosanna!

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!

¹⁰ Blessed is the coming kingdom of our ancestor David!

Hosanna in the highest heaven!"

¹¹ Then he entered Jerusalem and went into the temple, and when he had looked around at everything, as it was already late, he went out to Bethany with the twelve.

¹² On the following day, when they came from Bethany, he was hungry. ¹³ Seeing in the distance a fig tree in leaf, he went to see whether perhaps he would find anything on it. When he came to it, he found nothing but leaves, for it was not the season for figs. ¹⁴ He said to it, "May no one ever eat fruit from you again." And his disciples heard it. The gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

"Jesus Gets Hangry: The Fig Tree and the Fruit of Faith"

Pastor Rudy

HYMN OF THE DAY

"Spirit of Gentleness"

ELW 396

Selected by Ruth Ander and Earlene Jarzombek

APOSTLES CREED

AM: Let us confess the faith of the church, using the words of the Apostles Creed.

C: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.* On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

AM: Trusting in God's steadfast love for all God has made, let us pray for the church, the world, and all of creation. God our gardener, you scatter grace like seed across the world. Continue to cultivate the garden of your church with your abundant Spirit.

Response to each petition: AM: God of grace,

C: hear our prayer.

AM: Grateful for your abundant provision and trusting in your goodness, we cast all our cares upon you, through the abundant grace of Christ Jesus.

C: Amen.

PEACE

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

C: And also with you.

MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ

OFFERING HYMN

"O Savior, Precious Savior"

ELW 820

Suggested by Judy Stollewerk

Giving information is located on the back of the bulletin.

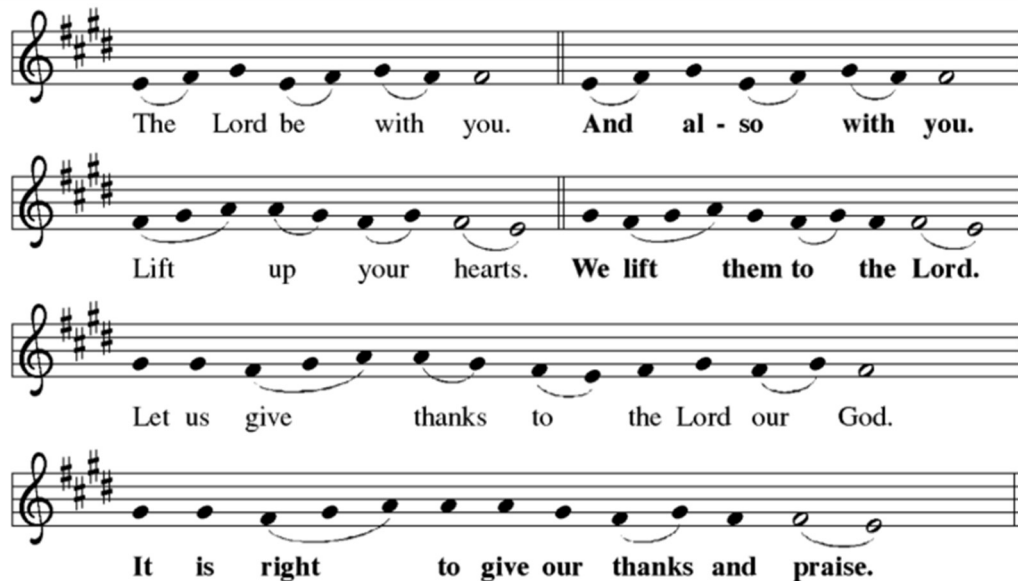
OFFERING PRAYER

AM: Let us pray.

Loving God, we offer at your table the gifts of our hearts. Help us take heart in you and share freely of your love, so that all creation can taste your abundance. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit abiding with us now and forever. |

C: Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING



The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

P: Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

C: 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.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

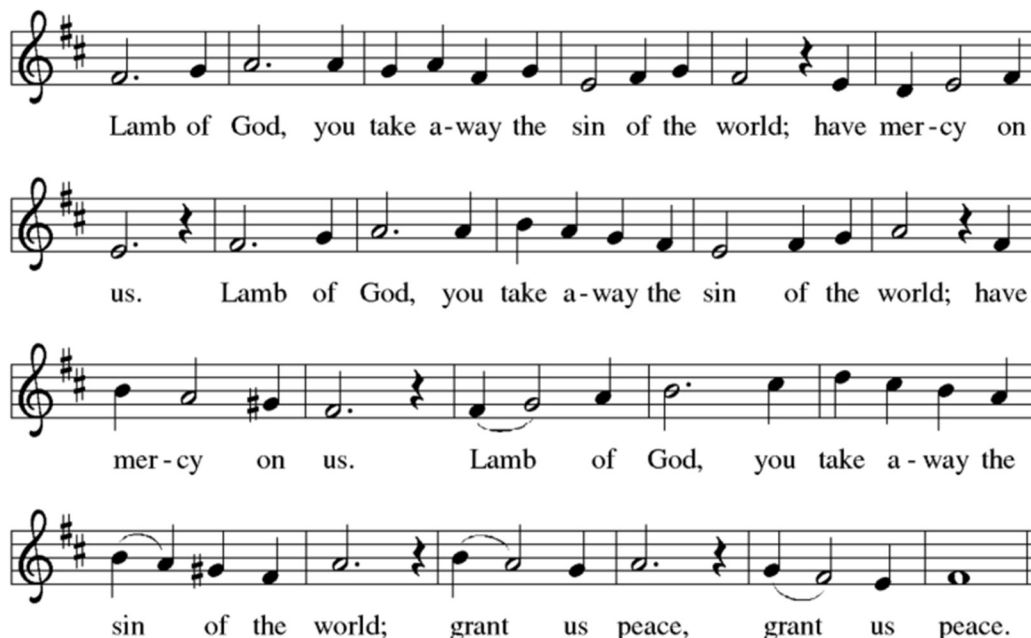
P: Heaven has come near. Come, share in the feast!

COMMUNION

Communion will take place via continuous line (right side) and continuous kneeling (left side). We welcome all baptized persons to the Lord's Table who believe Christ is truly present in the bread and wine. Children are welcome to be brought forward to receive a blessing. Participants to the right will be

offered a wafer and invited to eat with these words, "the body of Christ given for you." Gluten free wafers are available. Next, step to the right, to the silver tray that contains glasses of white grape juice at the center and outer empty glasses for wine. Lastly, participants will step to the last assistant who will pour the wine and share these words, "the blood of Christ shed for you." Place your glass in the small silver bowl at the end of the first pew as you return to your seat. If you wish to come forward and not receive either element, simply cross your arms for a blessing.

AGNUS DEI



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on
 us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
 mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the
 sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

COMMUNION HYMNS

"When Peace like a River" *Selected by Ruth Ander*

Text: Horatio G. Spafford
 Music: Philip P. Bliss



1 When peace like a riv - er at - tend - eth my way, when
 2 Though Sa - tan should buf - fet, though tri - als should come, let
 3 He lives—oh, the bliss of this glo - ri - ous thought; my
 4 Lord, has - ten the day when our faith shall be sight, the

sor - rows like sea bil - lows roll, what - ev - er my lot, thou hast
 this blest as - sur - ance con - trol, that Christ hath re - gard - ed my
 sin, not in part, but the whole, is nailed to his cross and I
 clouds be rolled back as a scroll, the trum - pet shall sound and the



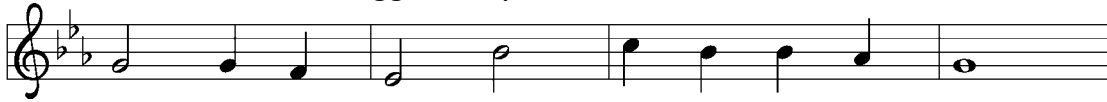
taught me to say, it is well, it is well with my soul.
 help - less es - tate, and hath shed his own blood for my soul.
 bear it no more. Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!
 Lord shall de - scend; e - ven so it is well with my soul.



It is well with my soul, it is well, it is well with my soul.

"Abide with Me"
Suggested by Bev Seidenschwarz

Text: Henry F. Lyte
 Music: William H. Monk



1 A - bide with me, fast falls the e - ven - tide.
 2 Swift to its close ebbs out life's lit - tle day;
 3 I need thy pres - ence ev - 'ry pass - ing hour;
 4 I fear no foe, with thee at hand to bless;
 5 Hold thou thy cross be - fore my clos - ing eyes,



The dark - ness deep - ens; Lord, with me a - bide.
 earth's joys grow dim, its glo - ries pass a - way;
 what but thy grace can foil the tempt - er's pow'r?
 ills have no weight, and tears no bit - ter - ness.
 shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies;



When oth - er help - ers fail and com - forts flee,
 change and de - cay in all a - round I see;
 Who like thy - self my guide and stay can be?
 Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy vic - to - ry?
 heav'n's morn - ing breaks, and earth's vain shad - ows flee;



help of the help - less, oh, a - bide with me.
 O thou who chang - est not, a - bide with me.
 Through cloud and sun - shine, oh, a - bide with me.
 I tri - umph still, if thou a - bide with me!
 in life, in death, O Lord, a - bide with me.

TABLE BLESSING

P: May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

AM: Let us pray.

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. █

C: Amen.

SENDING BLESSING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

P: Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer, † one God, bless, heal, and hold you today and always.

C: Amen

SENDING HYMN

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

ELW 733

Selected by Barbara McCall and Jacqueline Springs

DISMISSAL

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

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

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MUSICIANS: Ed Workmon, Clavinova; Scott Sims, piano

WORSHIP LEADERS for Sunday, July 12, 2026: Preaching: Pastor Rudy; **Presiding,** Pastor Marcus; **Assisting Minister:** Marsha Schroeder; **Communion Assistants:** Bill Salt, Linda Salt, Elizabeth Jandt, Rissa Springs, Bill Elley; **Reader:** Emily Prochow; **Ushers:** Doug Parker, Debbie Parker, Hughlene Micheli, **NEEDED;** **Altar Guild:** Sandra Schneider, Nancy Meier, Natalia Almquist; **A/V Tech:** **TBD;** **Council Greeter:** Bill Salt; **Safety Attendants:** **TBD;** **Hospitality:** Cathy Anderson, Carol Hamilton, Rachel Abrameit

WORSHIP LEADERS for Sunday, July 19, 2026: Preaching and Presiding: Pastor Marcus; **Assisting Minister:** Stephanie Robbins; **Communion Assistants:** Dave English, Fran Vinyard, Liz Witten, Janelle Leon-Weinman, Bev Seidenschwarz; **Reader:** Keith Vinyard; **Ushers:** Sheila English, Rissa Springs, Ilene Cherry, Darlene Zies; **Altar Guild:** Marsha Schroeder, Dave English, Sheila English; **A/V Tech:** **TBD;** **Council Greeter:** Darlene Zies; **Hospitality:** Gloria Hanna, Barbara Haas, Doris Jefferies; **Safety Attendants:** **TBD**

EMANUEL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY WORSHIP is in the sanctuary, online, and aired on KWED AM 1580 radio at 10:30 a.m.

ANNOUNCEMENT TO SHARE? Submit a brief, yet detailed description of your event to info@elcsequin.org on Mondays for consideration in the Weekly News and bulletin.

ODD & HOLY: GOD'S GRACE IN SCRIPTURE'S STRANGEST SCENES: God's grace meets us not in curated spirituality, but in real humanity – fearful, tired, sarcastic, stubborn, laughing, and sulking, where Christ makes us new through baptism. Join us for this 10-week sermon series each Sunday at 10:30am, **June 14 - August 16**, as we learn, laugh, and grow together!

SUNDAY STUDIES:

- **THE HERITAGE CLASS.** Room 307 at 9:15am. Seeking to unlock the wisdom of the Bible through fellowship and robust group discussion. Summer Study: "Spirit, Boldness, Opportunities"
- **DISCIPLES CLASS June 14-July 19: Old Testament, New Testament, and Jesus.** Family Life Center at 9:00am. This comparative study, grounded in Lutheran theology, explores the deep connection between the Old and New Testaments as one continuous story of God's saving work centered in Jesus Christ and sends us into the world as witnesses to that good news.
- **JOY CLASS:** Bible stories and songs for adults with intellectual disabilities. Class meets one Sunday a month in the WMR at 9:00am.
- **CHILDREN'S CHURCH:** During worship Children's Ministry volunteers lead our PK to 5th graders to the Children's Church room, down the hall from the sanctuary, returning as we share the peace.
- **THE COMPASS COOPERATIVE** will resume Sunday gatherings on August 30 with our church partners- Emanuel's, St. Andrew's, and Spirit of Joy - at Spirit of Joy campus. Let Hannah know if you aren't on her email list to find out about Middle School and High School events this summer: Hannah@elcsequin.org

WEEKLY AND MONTHLY STUDIES AND PROGRAMS:

Line Dancing with Handsome Rob (Fellowship Hall): Mon. at 2pm

Chair Yoga with Gina (Family Life Center): Wednesdays at 9:00am

3C: Community-Connection-Conversation (Church Lawn): Tuesdays at 7:30am

The Wired Word (Family Life Center): Resumes in September

Sweet Hour of Prayer (Family Life Center): Thursdays at 10am

Pathways to Healing Grief Support (Family Life Center): 2nd Sunday at 2:00pm

Pub Theology (1916 Bar & Bistro): 3rd Thursday at 5:30pm

Caregiver Café (Family Life Center): 3rd Sunday at 2:00pm

Iron & Ember Men's Group (Various places): 2nd Thursdays at 6:30pm, not in July

Unwind Women's Group (Various places): 3rd Fridays at 6:00pm

Faith Circle (Women's Ministry Rm): 3rd Tuesdays at 2:00pm

Joy Circle (Women's Ministry Rm): 2nd Thursday at 9:30am

Ladies Aid (Women's Ministry Rm): 1st Wednesdays at 2:00pm, not in July

SANCTUARY FLOWERS are given to the glory of God in memory of Hazel Dalton by Carroll Dalton.

UNWIND WOMEN'S MINISTRY is gathering to unwind, grow in faith, friendship, and encouragement at the **Blue Lotus Winery on Friday, July 17** from 6-8pm Each month, we meet for a time of fellowship, connection, and prayer, creating space to share life together and support one another in every season. Join us as we discuss thoughtfully curated materials for women ages 21-49. Whether you are new to church or have followed Jesus for many years, you are invited to come as you are.

CHILI & CORNBREAD COOKOFF! You're invited to an epic showdown on **Sunday, July 26** following worship in the Fellowship Hall. The most anticipated culinary competition of the summer! STAKES ARE HIGH! Think you've got what it takes? Bring your BEST chili recipe. Are you a slow-simmered traditionalist? A daring spice master? A secret -ingredient wizard? This is YOUR moment to shine! The prize is NOT just bragging rights - you'll take home: THE GOLDEN LADLE or THE IRON SKILLET!!!

LWR SCHOOL SUPPLY & PERSONAL CARE KIT items are now being collected. These Lutheran World Relief kits will be assembled at "God's Work. Our Hands." Sunday, September 13 and distributed across the globe to our neighbors in need. Collection bins are in the Narthex, Mountain Street entrance, and church office. School supplies are starting to go on sale now. To complete 100 school kits we need:

LWR School Supply Kits

- 70 sheet spiral notebooks, wide or college rule (300)
- 30 cm rulers, or inches on one side and centimeters on the other (88)
- Unsharpened #2 pencils (430)
- Ball point pens, blue or black ink (470)
- Box of 16 or 24 crayons (91)
- Pink erasers 2.5" (71)
- Pencil sharpeners (77)
- Scissors, blunt (92)

LWR Personal Care Kits

- Sturdy wide-toothed combs
- Metal nail clippers
- Adult size toothbrushes in original packaging
- Bath size bar soaps, original wrap, 8-9 oz ea.
- Bath size towels, light weight, dark color (between 20"x40" and 27"x50")

2026 ALL CHURCH RETREAT is **August 14-16**. The Gather & Grow Ministry Team is excited to invite you to the upcoming retreat at Lutheran Camp Chrysalis in Kerrville. This two-night experience includes: Canoeing • Archery • Pool Swim • Arts & Crafts • S'mores • Hiking • Sing-a-longs • Worship & Devotions. All are welcome — individuals, couples, and families! **Register online by Monday, July 20, 2026!** Final payment must be submitted by check, cash, or online by Sunday, August 9, 2026.



MISSION WEEK AT CAMP CHRYSALIS UPDATE: Scheduling changes are in the works. Anyone interested in volunteering with this project may still complete the form from the QR code here. We will keep you posted with up-to-date notifications. All who are interested are invited to join us for a week of mission and service at Camp Chrysalis in Kerrville as we help rebuild the deck on the dining hall. Service days are to be determined. Come for the full week, a day or two, or even just an afternoon—every helping hand is welcome! There is no cost to participate, aside from personal expenses such as packing needs, transportation to Camp Chrysalis, or any snacks and drinks you may wish to bring. To help with planning, **complete the interest form.** Please reach out to Pastor Marcus with any questions.



EMANUEL'S CONGREGATION COUNCIL And Ministry Team Liaisons

President, Bryce Kennedy, *Outreach & Service Team*
Vice President, Sheila English, *Fellowship & Feast Team*
Secretary, Paul Sims, *Education Team*
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Charles Jobe, *Safety and Property Team*
Tim Kent, *Fellowship & Feast Team*
Janelle Leon-Weinman, *Gather & Grow Team*
Bill Salt, *Education Team*
Rissa Springs, *Worship Team*
Darlene Zies, *Outreach & Service Team*

ALL TEAM MEETING NIGHT

Wednesday, July 29

5:30pm in the Women's Ministry Room

All of Emanuel's Ministry Teams gather on a single evening to share a meal, collaborate, plan, and schedule upcoming events and ministry projects.

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EMANUEL'S MISSION STATEMENT: "To be the church God is calling us to be by declaring God's love, serving others, and embracing all."

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GIVING AT EMANUEL'S: Donations and tithes to the church may be given by envelopes in the pews, mailed to the church, online, or scanned with QR Code.

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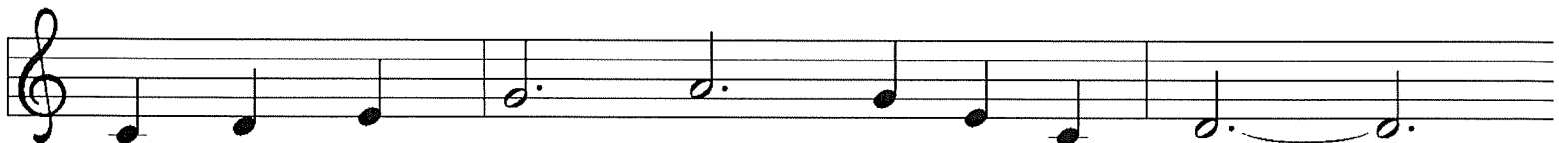
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Morning Has Broken



1 Morn - ing has bro - ken like the first morn - ing;
2 Sweet the rain's new fall, sun - lit from heav - en,
3 Mine is the sun - light! Mine is the morn - ing,



black-bird has spo - ken like the first bird.
like the first dew - fall on the first grass.
born of the one light E - den saw play!



Praise for the sing - ing! Praise for the morn - ing!
Praise for the sweet - ness of the wet gar - den,
Praise with e - la - tion, praise ev - 'ry morn - ing,



Praise for them, spring - ing fresh from the Word!
sprung in com - plete - ness where God's feet pass.
God's re - cre - a - tion of the new day!

Text: Eleanor Farjeon, 1881–1965

Music: BUNESSAN, Gaelic tune

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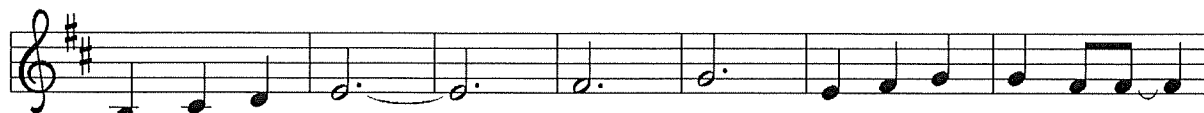
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Spirit of Gentleness

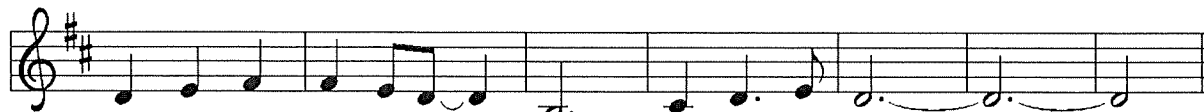
Refrain



Spir - it, Spir - it of gen - tle - ness, blow through the wil - der - ness



call - ing and free; Spir - it, Spir - it of rest - less - ness,



stir me from plac - id - ness, wind, wind on the sea.



- 1 You moved on the wa - ters, you called to the deep,
- 2 You swept through the des - ert, you stung with the sand,
- 3 You sang in a sta - ble, you cried from a hill,
- 4 You call from to - mor - row, you break an - cient schemes.



then you coaxed up the moun - tains from the val - leys of sleep;
and you goad - ed your peo - ple with a law and a land;
then you whis - pered in si - lence when the whole world was still;
From the bond - age of sor - row all the cap - tives dream dreams;



and o - ver the e - ons you called to each thing:
and when they were blind - ed with i - dols and lies,
and down in the cit - y you called once a - gain,
our wom - en see vi - sions, our men clear their eyes.



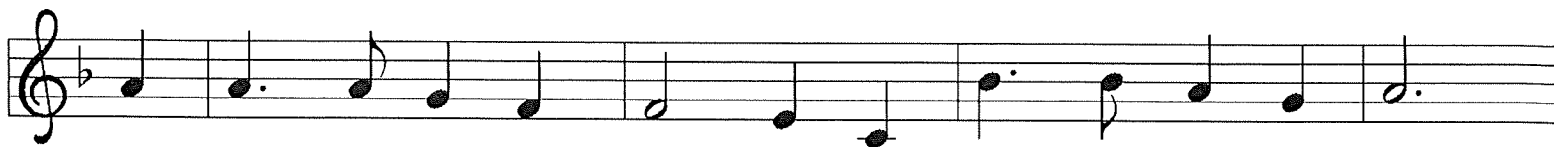
“A - wake from your slum - bers and rise on your wings.”
then you spoke through your proph - ets to o - pen their eyes.
when you blew through your peo - ple on the rush of the wind.
With . . . bold new de - ci - sions your peo - ple a - rise.

Refrain

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O Savior, Precious Savior



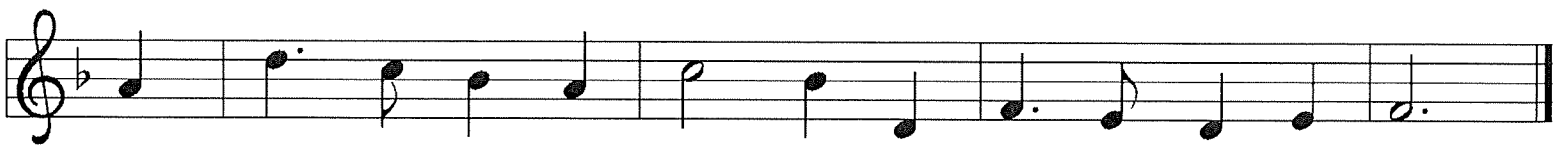
1 O Sav - ior, pre - cious Sav - ior, whom yet un - seen we love;
2 O bring - er of sal - va - tion, who won - drous - ly hast wrought,
3 In thee all full - ness dwell - eth, all grace and pow'r di - vine;
4 Oh, grant the con - sum - ma - tion of this our song a - bove,



O name of might and fa - vor, all oth - er names a - bove:
thy - self the rev - e - la - tion of love be - yond our thought:
the glo - ry that ex - cel - leth, O Son of God, is thine.
in end - less ad - o - ra - tion and ev - er - last - ing love;



we wor - ship thee; we bless thee; to thee a - lone we sing;
we wor - ship thee; we bless thee; to thee a - lone we sing;
We wor - ship thee; we bless thee; to thee a - lone we sing;
then shall we praise and bless thee where per - fect prais - es ring,

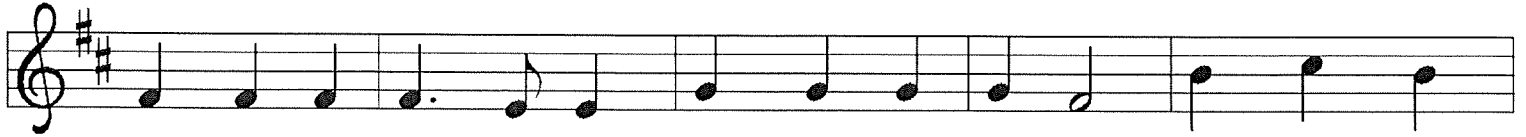


we praise thee and con - fess thee, our ho - ly Lord and King.
we praise thee and con - fess thee, our gra - cious Lord and King.
we praise thee and con - fess thee, our glo - rious Lord and King.
and ev - er - more con - fess thee, our Sav - ior and our King!

Text: Frances R. Havergal, 1836–1879

Music: ANGEL'S STORY, Arthur H. Mann, 1850–1929

Great Is Thy Faithfulness



1 Great is thy faith - ful - ness, O God my Fa - ther; there is no
2 Sum - mer and win - ter and spring - time and har - vest, sun, moon, and
3 Par - don for sin and a peace that en - dur - eth, thine own dear



shad - ow of turn - ing with thee; thou chang - est not, thy com -
stars in their cours - es a - bove join with all na - ture in
pres - ence to cheer and to guide; strength for to - day and bright



pas - sions they fail not; as thou hast been, thou for - ev - er wilt be.
man - i - fold wit - ness to thy great faith - ful - ness, mer - cy, and love.
hope for to - mor - row, bless - ings all mine, with ten thou - sand be - side!

Refrain



Great is thy faith - ful - ness! Great is thy faith - ful - ness! Morn - ing by



morn - ing new mer - cies I see; all I have need - ed thy



hand hath pro - vid - ed; great is thy faith - ful - ness, Lord, un - to me.

Text: Thomas O. Chisholm, 1866–1960

Music: FAITHFULNESS, William M. Runyan, 1870–1957

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