

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

July 11, 2021

8:30 a.m.

WELCOME

(At this time, please take a moment to sign the red Fellowship Book in your row.)

OPENING HYMN "Crown Him with Many Crowns" LSB 525 vs. 1-4

**Crown Him with many crowns
The Lamb upon His throne
Hark how the heav'nly anthem drowns
All music but its own
Awake, my soul, and sing
Of Him who died for thee
And hail Him as thy matchless king
Through all eternity**

**Crown Him the virgin's Son
The God incarnate born
Whose arm those crimson trophies won
Which now His brow adorn
Fruit of the mystic rose
Yet of that rose the stem
The root whence mercy ever flows
The babe of Bethlehem**

**Crown Him the Lord of love
Behold His hands and side
Rich wounds, yet visible above
In beauty glorified
No angels in the sky
Can fully bear that sight
But downward bend their wond'ring eyes
At mysteries so bright**

**Crown Him the Lord of life
Who triumphed o'er the grave
And rose victorious in the strife
For those He came to save
His glories now we sing
Who died and rose on high
Who died eternal life to bring
And lives that death may die**

INVOCATION

Leader: In the name of the Father,

People: who loved us, and sent the Good Shepherd.

Leader: In the name of the Son,

**People: Jesus, the Good Shepherd, who became the Lamb of God
for us.**

Leader: In the name of the Holy Spirit,

People: who brings to us the voice of our Good Shepherd.

All: Amen.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Leader: Lord Jesus, our Good Shepherd, You have promised us that we shall not be in want;

People: but we confess that we are stubborn, and often do not want for ourselves what You want to give us. Forgive us, Lord.

Leader: As the Good Shepherd, You have promised us peace in green pastures by quiet waters;

People: but too often, we wander and stray, missing out on Your blessings. Forgive and restore us, Lord.

Leader: As our Good Shepherd, You promise to restore our souls;

People: we confess our sinning against You. We deserve nothing more than Your eternal wrath and judgment. Forgive us, Lord.

Leader: You promise to be with us, even when we walk through the valley of the shadow of death;

People: we confess, O Lord, that we do things in that valley that make us easy prey for predators. We sin against You in thought, word, and deed. Forgive us, Lord.

Leader: You have promised to comfort us with Your rod and Your staff;

People: and we confess that we are helpless to save ourselves. We need You to save us, Lord!

Leader: The Good Shepherd, Jesus Christ, became the Lamb of God, shedding His blood on Calvary's altar for our forgiveness. Our sins--all of them---have been forgiven in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

HYMN OF RESPONSE "I Am Jesus' Little Lamb" *LSB 740*

**I am Jesus' little lamb, ever glad at heart I am
For my Shepherd gently guides me, knows my need and well provides me
Loves me ev'ry day the same, even calls me by my name**

**Day by day, at home, away, Jesus is my staff and stay
When I hunger, Jesus feeds me, Into pleasant pastures leads me
When I thirst, He bids me go where the quiet waters flow**

**Who so happy as I am, even now the Shepherd's lamb?
And when my short life is ended, By His angel host attended
He shall fold me to His breast, There within His arms to rest**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

EPISTLE READING Romans 8:31-39

³¹ What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? ³² He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things? ³³ Who shall bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. ³⁴ Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us. ³⁵ Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or danger, or sword? ³⁶ As it is written,

“For your sake we are being killed all the day long;
we are regarded as sheep to be slaughtered.”

³⁷ No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. ³⁸ For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, ³⁹ nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

THE PSALM Psalm 23

(please rise)

Leader: The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

**People: He makes me to lie down in green pastures;
He leads me beside the still waters.**

Leader: He restores my soul; He leads me in the paths of
righteousness For His name's sake.

**People: Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil; For You are with me; Your rod and Your
staff they comfort me.**

Leader: You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; You
anoint my head with oil; My cup runs over.

**People: Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my
life; And I will dwell in the house of the LORD Forever.**

GOSPEL READING John 10:11-18

¹¹ I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. ¹² He who is a hired hand and not a shepherd, who does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and flees, and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. ¹³ He flees because he is a hired hand and cares nothing for the sheep. ¹⁴ I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, ¹⁵ just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for the sheep. ¹⁶ And I have other sheep that are not of this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. ¹⁷ For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life that I may take it up again. ¹⁸ No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have authority to lay it down, and I have authority to take it up again. This charge I have received from my Father.”

HYMN OF THE DAY

"The Lord's My Shepherd"

LSB 710

**The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want
He makes me down to lie
In pastures green; He leadeth me
The quiet waters by.**

**My soul He doth restore again
And me to walk doth make
Within the paths of righteousness
E'en for His own name's sake.**

**Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale
Yet will I fear no ill
For Thou art with me, and Thy rod
And staff me comfort still.**

**My table Thou has furnished
In presence of my foes
My head Thou dost with oil anoint
And my cup overflows.**

**Goodness and mercy all my life
Shall surely follow me
And in God's house forevermore
My dwelling place shall be.**

THE MESSAGE *"My Shepherd"* Pastor Ken Garazin

CONFESSION OF FAITH from the Apostle's Creed- First Article

Pastor: Shepherds provide for all the needs of their flock. Out of His love, our creating God provides not only for our spiritual needs of faith and forgiveness, but also for all that we need for our physical, emotional, and social well-being. In the First Article of the Apostles' Creed, we state our faith in God the Father as creator of all:

People: **I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

Pastor: What does this mean?

People: **I believe that God has made me and all creatures; that He has given me my body and soul, eyes, ears, and all my members, my reason and all my senses, and still takes care of them.**

He also gives me clothing and shoes, food and drink, house and home, wife and children, land, animals, and all I have. He richly and daily provides me with all that I need to support this body and life.

He defends me against all danger and guards and protects me from all evil. All this He does only out of fatherly, divine goodness and mercy, without any merit or worthiness in me. For all this it is my duty to thank and praise, serve and obey Him.

This is most certainly true.

SONG OF PRAISE "You Make Me Lie Down"

**You make me lie down
in green pastures
You make me wanting for nothing
You fill my hunger with honey
From Your sweet, sweet Word**

**You let me worship before You
So I can love and adore You
You are my Shepherd
You are my Jesus
You are my Lord**

PRAYERS

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.

PREFACE

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

Pastor: It is truly good, right, and proper that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, for You sent Your only-begotten Son to be our Good Shepherd. We know His love as He laid down His life for us and set us free from sin and death. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:

**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty
God in three persons, blessed Trinity.**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Pastor: The Lord's peace always be with you.

People: **Amen.**

We believe and teach that the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ are truly present in the bread and wine of the Lord's Supper. Through these gifts the forgiveness of our sins is communicated and our faith is strengthened. If this is your faith as a baptized Christian, please join us at the altar, which is the Lord's Table. Children are encouraged to come forward for a blessing.

Individual cups contain wine.
Individual cups of juice and gluten free wafers are available –
simply ask at the table during communion

THE LORD'S SUPPER

“The King of Love My Shepherd Is”

**The King of Love my Shepherd is,
Whose goodness faileth never
I nothing lack if I am His
And He is mine forever, And He is mine forever**

**Where streams of living water flow
My ransomed soul He leadeth
And where the verdant pastures grow
With food celestial feedeth**

**Chorus: Never failing, Ruler of my heart
Everlasting Lover of my soul
On the mountain high or in the valley low
The King of Love my Shepherd is
The King of Love my Shepherd is**

**Lost and foolish off I strayed
But yet in love He sought me
And on His shoulder gently laid
And home rejoicing brought me**

**In death's dark veil I fear no ill
With Thee dear Lord beside me
Thy rod and staff my comfort still
Thy cross before to guide me (repeat chorus)**

**Oh, Hallelujah, Hallelujah
Oh, Hallelujah, Hallelujah (repeat chorus)**

**And so through all the length of days
Thy goodness faileth never
Good Shepherd, may I sing Your praise
Within Your house forever
Within Your house forever**

“Have No Fear, Little Flock” LSB 735

**Have no fear, little flock
Have no fear, little flock
For the Father has chosen
To give you the Kingdom
Have no fear, little flock!**

**Have good cheer, little flock
Have good cheer, little flock
For the Father will keep you
In His love forever
Have good cheer, little flock!**

**Praise the Lord high above
Praise the Lord high above
For He stoops down to heal you
Uplift and restore you
Praise the Lord high above!**

**Thankful hearts raise to God
Thankful hearts raise to God
For He stays close beside you
In all things works with you
Thankful hearts raise to God!**

“How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds” LSB 524 vs. 1-4

**How sweet the name of Jesus sounds
In a believer’s ear!
It soothes our sorrows, heals our wounds
And drives away our fear**

**It makes the wounded spirit whole
And calms the heart’s unrest
‘Tis manna to the hungry soul
And to the weary, rest**

**Dear name! The rock on which I build
My shield and hiding place
My never failing treasury filled
With boundless stores of grace**

**O Jesus, shepherd, guardian, friend
My Prophet, Priest, and King
My Lord, my life, my way, my end
Accept the praise I bring**

BENEDICTION

CLOSING HYMN “Crown Him with Many Crowns” LSB 525 vs. 5

**Crown Him the Lord of heav’n
Enthroned in worlds above
Crown Him the king to whom is giv’n
The wondrous name of Love
Crown Him with many crowns
As thrones before Him fall
Crown Him, ye kings, with many crowns
For He is king of all**

OFFERINGS

May be placed in the baskets at the door.

We also have the option to accept *online* offerings. A link to submit an offering online may be found in the weekly e-newsletter, or on our website: www.peacehome.org. Thank you for your faithful support!



Peace Prayer Page 7/11/2021

Peace's Prayer Ministry has a number of options available for your prayer needs: Prayer Ministers are available on an individual basis in the front of the Sanctuary after each Sunday service. During the week, you may contact the Church Office to have prayers listed on the Prayer Page and included during worship services. You may also contact the Peace Prayer Chain Ministry directly 24/7 via e-mail at prayerchain@peacehome.org which goes out to over 35 partners in prayer.

Healing & Care

...for **Lisa** (friend of Amy H.) prayers for spiritual and physical healing
...for **Judy L.** recovering from back surgery
...for **Norma Z.** (friend of Holly G.); prayers for healing and for no return of previous kidney cancer ; also wisdom for her doctors to determine treatment
...for **Everly Grace R.** (granddaughter of Jeff and Carol R.), experiencing many medical issues and being treated by a team of doctors in the NICU at Central DuPage Hospital
...for **Mike L.** (friend of Steve N.) recovering from leukemia
...for **Ben** (nephew of Debbie K.) recovering from COVID
...for **Chris T.** undergoing treatment for cancer
...for **Patty** (best friend of Diana S.) undergoing treatment for pancreatic cancer
...for **Mitch K.** (Sharon Z.'s 20-year-old great-nephew) undergoing cancer treatment
...for **Jim H.**, undergoing treatment for liver cancer
...for **Mary Anne N.** on hospice care