

June 11, 2023

Second Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome to OSLC

THIS WEEK:

WEDNESDAY JUNE 14

7:30 Church Council Meeting

NEXT SUNDAY

10:00 Worship with Holy Communion

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Vacation Bible School

July 18-20 from 8-12:30 here at the church. To register scan QR code on the poster on front door of the church. If you are having problems with that, talk to Pastor Kayla or Molly Flaten.

Summer Book Club: (See back of bulletin for more information on this.)

Hymn Requests: Worship & Music Committee is asking you to submit requests for favorite hymns to be used for worship later this summer. Please leave them in box found on table in narthex.

Welcome to the Family!

Today we rejoice with Molly and Myles Flaten at the baptism of their daughter McKenna Georgie Flaten. McKenna was born February 7th 2023. Her sponsors are Jennifer and Travis Johnson and Quinn and Andy Thompson.

Order of Service

Welcome and Announcements

Hymn: Morning Has Broken ELW 556

Please refer to the *Now the Feast and Celebration* booklet found in the front of the Praise and Worship Hymn Book for the order of service.

Confession and Forgiveness

Kyrie

Prayer of the Day: O god you are the source of life and the ground of our being. By the power of your Spirit bring healing to this wounded world, and raise us to the new life of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

First Reading: Hosea 5:15—6:6

¹⁵I will return again to my place until they acknowledge their guilt and seek my face. In their distress they will beg my favor:

6:1"Come, let us return to the LORD; for it is he who has torn, and he will heal us; he has struck down, and he will bind us up. ²After two days he will revive us; on the third day he will raise us up, that we may live before him. ³Let us know, let us press on to know the LORD; his appearing is as sure as the dawn, he will come to us like the showers, like the spring rains that water the earth."

⁴What shall I do with you, O Ephraim? What shall I do with you, O Judah? Your love is like a morning cloud, like the dew that goes away early. ⁵Therefore I have

hewn them by the prophets, I have killed them by the words of my mouth, and my judgment goes forth as the light. For I desire steadfast love and not sacrifice, the knowledge of God rather than burnt offerings.

Psalm 50: 7-15

- ⁷"Listen, my people, and I will speak: Israel, I will bear witness against you; for I am God, your God.
- 81 do not accuse you because of your sacrifices; your burnt offerings are always before me.
- 91 will not accept a calf from your stalls, nor goats from your pens;
- ¹⁰for all the wild animals of the forest are mine, the cattle on a thousand hills.
- 11 know every bird of the mountains, and the creatures of the fields are mine.
- ¹²If I were hungry, I would not tell you, for the whole world is mine and all that is in it.
- ¹³Do you think I eat the flesh of bulls, or drink the blood of goats?
- ¹⁴Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving and make good your vows to the Most High.
- ¹⁵Call upon me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you, and you shall honor me.

Second Reading: Romans 4: 13-25

³The promise that he would inherit the world did not come to Abraham or to his descendants through the law but through the righteousness of faith. ¹⁴If it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. ¹⁵For the law brings wrath; but where there is no law, neither is there violation.

¹⁶For this reason it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his descendants, not only to the adherents of the law

but also to those who share the faith of Abraham (for he is the father of all of us, ¹⁷as it is written, "I have made you the father of many nations")—in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist. 18Hoping against hope, he believed that he would become "the father of many nations," according to what was said, "So numerous shall your descendants be." 19He did not weaken in faith when he considered his own body, which was already as good as dead (for he was about a hundred years old), or when he considered the barrenness of Sarah's womb. ²⁰No distrust made him waver concerning the promise of God, but he grew strong in his faith as he gave glory to God, ²¹being fully convinced that God was able to do what he had promised. 22Therefore his faith "was reckoned to him as righteousness." ²³Now the words, "it was reckoned to him," were written not for his sake alone, 24but for ours also. It will be reckoned to us who believe in him who raised Jesus our Lord from the dead, 25who was handed over to death for our trespasses and was raised for our justification.

Gospel Acclamation:

Now the Feast Booklet Page 7

The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, Glory to You, O' Lord. Gospel: Matthew 9: 9-13, 18-26

⁹As Jesus was walking along, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax booth; and he said to him, "Follow me." And he got up and followed him.

¹⁰And as he sat at dinner in the house, many tax collectors and sinners came and were sitting with him and his disciples. ¹¹When the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, "Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?" ¹²But when he heard this, he said, "Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who

are sick. ¹³Go and learn what this means, 'I desire mercy, not sacrifice.' For I have come to call not the righteous but sinners."

¹⁸While he was saying these things to them, suddenly a leader of the synagogue came in and knelt before him, saying, "My daughter has just died; but come and lay your hand on her, and she will live." 19 And Jesus got up and followed him, with his disciples. 20Then suddenly a woman who had been suffering from hemorrhages for twelve years came up behind him and touched the fringe of his cloak, 21 for she said to herself, "If I only touch his cloak, I will be made well." ²²Jesus turned, and seeing her he said, "Take heart, daughter; your faith has made you well." And instantly the woman was made well. ²³When Jesus came to the leader's house and saw the flute players and the crowd making a commotion, ²⁴he said, "Go away; for the girl is not dead but sleeping." And they laughed at him. ²⁵But when the crowd had been put outside, he went in and took her by the hand, and the girl got up. ²⁶And the report of this spread throughout that district.

This is the Gospel of our Lord. Praise to you, O' Christ.

Sermon Pastor Kayla

Hymn: Praise to the Lord, the Almighty ELW 858

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Prayers of the Church:

God, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Lord's Prayer

Offertory Song: As the Grains of Wheat Page 9

Offering Prayer: Everything in heaven and earth belongs to you. We joyfully release what you have entrusted to us. May these gifts be signs of our whole lives returned to you, dedicated to the healing and unity of all creation, through Jesus Christ,

Amen

BLESSING: May God bless us and keep us. May God's face shine on us and be gracious. May God look on us with favor and give us peace.

Amen.

HYMN: I'm So Glad Jesus Lifted Me ELW 860

DISMISSAL: Go in peace, Serve the Lord

Thanks be to God!

Thank you to our worship helpers this Morning
Greeters-Tina and Dawn Samdahl
Song Leaders-Emma & Sophia Markusen
Lector-Elaine Byron
Ushers-Dave Moe and Orville Kjelland
Coffee Hostess: Phyllis Loftsgard

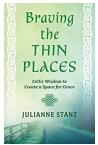
VISITOR INFORMATION

Welcome! We are so glad you are here!

Restrooms are on the first level, by the main doors. A diaper changing table can be found in the nursery.

Communion: We welcome all people at the Lord's supper, regardless of age, background, or church tradition. Grape juice and gluten free communion elements are available.

Little Lutherans: Age appropriate toys and bags are available outside the sanctuary for our younger kids. An unstaffed nursery is available for our littlest children needing a break from worship.



SUMMER BS SUMMER BOOK CLUBOOK

Pastor Kayla is inviting anyone who is interested to join in a Summer Book Club. We will read one book a month and meet at 9am on the last Sunday of the month for breakfast and discussion. The book for June is *Braving the Thin Places*. Books can be ordered on li

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