

Third Sunday after Pentecost

June 21, 2020

**WE WILL CONTINUE TO ZOOM OUR 10:00 a.m. WORSHIP
IN ADDITION TO BEING IN-PERSON**

Zoom Worship

To join a worship service, click on the URL provided or copy and paste it into your internet browser. Please mute your phone and turn off video when you join the meeting. This will ensure everyone can hear Pastor.

We will celebrate holy communion. Have a piece of bread or cracker and a small amount of wine or juice ready for consecration.

To join us in worship contact the church office for instructions.

Welcome to Worship

God does not promise that the path of the disciple will be easy. Jeremiah feels the pain of rejection from those who do not want to hear what he has to say. Jesus declares that his words may bring stark division. Even so, we need not be afraid for God accounts for each hair on our heads. Though we may experience rejection, frustration, division, and death, God's grace and love make us a new creation each day. Marked with the cross and filled with holy food, we are sent from worship to witness to Christ in the world.

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Prelude

Vanessa Hebrank

You are invited to use this time of musical offering to prepare for worship, to open yourself to God, our Father, his Son, Jesus Christ, and the Holy Spirit, present in this place.

Welcome

Call to Worship

P: Praise the Lord, O my soul!

C: I will praise the Lord as long as I live. I will sing praises to my God all my life long.

P: Do not put your trust in princes, in mortals, in whom there is no help.

C: When their breath departs, they return to the earth.

P: Happy are those whose help is the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the Lord their God, who keeps faith forever; who executes justice for the oppressed; who gives food to the **hungry**.

C: The Lord will reign forever. Praise the Lord.

Confession and Forgiveness

P: Blessed be God, who chose us in Christ. Let us come to the fountain of mercy.

C: Almighty God, in the light of the resurrection we rejoice to see our Lord Jesus, by whose wounds we have been healed. Trusting in your promise of mercy, we repent of our sins. Forgive our quickness to turn from you and our slowness of heart to believe. Renew in us the grace of baptism and guide us in the way of truth and life. Amen.

P: In great mercy God has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ. In obedience to our Lord's command, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

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.

Liturgy (spoken)

Kyrie

L: In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

L: For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

L: 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.

C: Lord, have mercy.

L: For this holy house and for all who offer their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

L: Help, save, comfort and defend us, gracious Lord.

C: Amen.

Canticle of Praise

L: Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.

C: Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father, Amen.

Prayer of the Day

All: Teach us, good Lord God, to serve you as you deserve, to give and not to count the cost, to fight and not to heed the wounds, to toil and not to seek for rest, to labor and not to ask for reward, except that of knowing that we do your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Special Music (10am)

Did You Remember to Pray?

Joyce Burke

First Reading

Jeremiah 20:7-13

Bible p. 741 Old Testament

L: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 69:7-18 (*Congregation reads responsively*)

⁷Surely, for your sake I have suffered reproach,
and shame has covered my face.

⁸**I have become a stranger to my own kindred,
an alien to my mother's children.**

⁹Zeal for your house has eaten me up;
the scorn of those who scorn you has fallen upon me.

¹⁰**I humbled myself with fasting,
but that was turned to my reproach.**

¹¹I put on sackcloth also,
and became a byword among them.

¹²**Those who sit at the gate murmur against me,**

and the drunkards make songs about me.

¹³But as for me, this is my prayer to you, at the time you have set, O LORD:

“In your great mercy, O God, answer me with your unfailing help.

¹⁴**Save me from the mire; do not let me sink;**

let me be rescued from those who hate me and out of the deep waters.

¹⁵Let not the torrent of waters wash over me, neither let the deep swallow me up;

do not let the pit shut its mouth upon me.

¹⁶**Answer me, O LORD, for your love is kind;**

in your great compassion, turn to me.

¹⁷Hide not your face from your servant;

be swift and answer me, for I am in distress.

¹⁸**Draw near to me and redeem me;**

because of my enemies deliver me.

Second Reading

Romans 6:1b-11

Bible p. 148 New Testament

L: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Announcement

Pastor Carl Gauck

P: The gospel according to Matthew, the tenth chapter

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

Gospel Reading

Matthew 10:24-39

Bible p. 10 New Testament

P: The Gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to you, O Christ

Sermon

Pastor Carl Gauck

Special Music (8am)

Did You Remember to Pray?

Joyce Burke

Profession of Faith—Apostle’s Creed

**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 again 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.**

The Prayers

P: Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

Holy Communion (10am)

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

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

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Holy, Holy, Holy (spoken)

All: Holy, holy, holy Lord. God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna. Hosanna. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Words of Institution (10am)

The 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.

Holy Communion is the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ given with bread and wine, instituted by Christ himself for us to eat and drink. All believers are welcome at the Lord's table.

Post-Communion Prayer

Benediction

Announcements

The Dismissal

P: Hearing God's call and responding in love,

C: we share Jesus with all!

Postlude

Vanessa Hebrank

WORSHIP LEADERS

Transitional Pastor..... Carl Gauck
Organist/Pianist Vanessa Hebrank
Choir Director..... Tracy Garrett
Handbells Director..... Katie Heaford

8:00 AM

Greeters/Ushers Linda & Gerry Williams
Lector..... Sally Burke
Sound Technician Gail Kruse

10:00 AM

Altar Guild..... Sheryl Boos
Greeter/Usher..... Wendy Blomberg
Lector..... Jan Gauck
Zoom Technician..... Jerry Husbands, Al Mohling
Sound Technician Bill Blomberg

COMING THIS WEEK

June 21-28

Today	8:00 a.m.	Worship (outside)
	10:00 a.m.	Worship with Holy Communion (inside)
Tuesday	9:45 a.m.	Community for Christ
Thursday	9:45 a.m.	Community for Christ
	6:00 p.m.	Devotions & Donuts (Zoom)
Saturday	9:45 a.m.	Community for Christ
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Worship with Holy Communion (outside) - dedication of Lenten Ash Dispenser
	10:00 a.m.	Worship (inside)

Prayer Concerns

OUR MEMBERS

Toni Wagner – recovering from back surgery 6/18
Charles Niemann – recovering at home from pacemaker surgery
Barb Gidley – back surgery June 9
Stephanie Ballard – recovering from broken back; in rehabilitation
Shirley Clark –recovering at home
Karen Pragman – for healing
Larry Fair – recovering from stroke; radiation treatments are over
Marianne Howley—lung cancer

Christian condolences and hope are extended to Bob Brumm and the entire Brumm family on the death of Bev on June 16.

--A funeral service will be held at Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home in Laurie on Monday, June 29 at noon. Visitation with the family will be from 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Daily pray for the Call Committee and the congregation as we seek to learn God's purpose for Kent Memorial.

OUR FAMILY & FRIENDS

Joan Wilken – non-Hodgkin lymphoma (former member)
Lonnie Billings – stage 4 esophageal cancer (friend of Jane & Ron Kornfeind)
Janesch—cancer (friend of Bill & Wendy Blomberg)
Bob Stanze—esophageal cancer (Karen Stanze's brother-in-law)
Marta Kerkman—kidney cancer, surgery 6/5 (Jan Lacas' sister-in-law)
Max & Anita Durfee—condolences on the death of their son (friends of Gaucks)

CONTINUED PRAYERS

Ron A.
Butch Bayer
Delaney Brumm
J.C. Buck
Kelly Covey
Pastor Kimberley Cunningham
Theresa Duddleston
Bill Edwards
Karen Gardner
Marianne Howley
Kay Hunt
Roland & Connie Isernhagen
Linda Kimberling
Allyne Nieburgh
Diane Reams
Brian Roling
Pat Shank
Tristan Tolnay
Jack Wagner
Linda Wagner
Ron Wagner
Clarion Winzenburg
Bob Worthley

REMEMBERING THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Christopher Babcock

Eric Blomberg

Ben Brammeier

Shade Bullock

Aaron Davis

Tanner Glodt

Kristine Hubbard

Jason Ites

Jason Judge

Nathan Karls

Adam Kralina

Jordan Lindeman

Glenn Maddock

Joe Marco

Tristan Morgen

Adam Peterson

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JUNE 21

Happy Father's Day!

WELCOME TO KENT MEMORIAL Thank you for worshipping with us this morning. Communion is open to all who believe that Jesus Christ is our savior. First time here? Please introduce yourself to Pastor at the end of the service.

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR are given by Phil & Melba Bangert.

CARE CORE for June is Barb Yount, 573-374-8573.

PLEASE KEEP IN MIND--

- Masks are optional at both services.
- Remember to keep some distance during and as you leave worship.
- Organized fellowship after the services will not be allowed for the time being.
- Please deposit your offering in the plate at the top of the center aisle.
- Communication to members and friends will continue via weekly email blast concerning upcoming services and associated guidelines.
- Communion will be celebrated with the pre-filled wafer/cup combination. Pick yours up as you come into the church. As you leave the service, deposit the empty cup in the receptacle at the top of the aisle.

COMMUNION EVERY WEEK AT 10:00 A.M. We will continue to share the 10:00 a.m. worship service via Zoom. Because some of us are not able to be at church in person, we will celebrate Holy Communion every Sunday at the 10:00 a.m. zoom service. We will also celebrate communion at the 8:00 a.m. service on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month.

NEW MEMBERS RECEIVED We will receive new members on Sunday, July 12. If you are interested in joining Kent, please talk with Pastor Gauck or with Tracy in the church office.

VIRTUAL BIBLE STUDY – DEVOTIONS & DONUTS

Time: Thursdays at 06:00 PM Central Time via Zoom

We will start with a short devotional and related discussion. Microphones and webcams (cameras) will be turned on so that we can see and hear each other to facilitate discussion. You may still join with your phone, too. To join D&D Zoom Meeting contact Al Mohling.

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN BEGINS TODAY The Pregnancy Help Center's annual Baby Bottle Campaign to raise funds for the center, runs today through July 26. Please pick up an empty bottle, over the next month fill it with loose change or cash or write a check, and return it by July 26. Checks should be made out to The Pregnancy Help Center.

ARTICLES FOR THE JULY NEWSLETTER must be received in the office by Monday, June 29. Thank you.

USHERS NEEDED Now that we are worshipping in person again AND we will have two services every week, we need ushers. The job has changed up a bit (it's easier), but 1 or 2 folks are needed at every service. Please sign up in the church office if you can help. The form is on the desk.

SPECIAL MUSIC Throughout the summer, we want to have special music at every service. If you'd like to sing or play a solo, please contact Tracy Garrett, 214-206-5807 or in the church office, 573-374-5267.

COMMITTEE CHAIRS Please remember to put your meetings on the church calendar. You may write them in on the wall calendar or call or email the office with the information.

VOLUNTEER HOURS TRACKING Remember to pick up a sheet from the table in the entry and track your volunteer hours. You may put multiple months on one sheet – just be sure to label them.

SUNRISE BEACH FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT are working to distribute fire and safety information to the community. They welcome the financial support of Contributing Sponsors like you. If

you would like more information, contact Tracy in the church office.

SHOWME CHRISTIAN YOUTH HOME has launched a Summer Matching Challenge. Now through June 30, every dollar given to ShowMe Home will be matched, up to \$20,000. For more information, contact Tracy in the church office.

A TABLE has been placed between the main sets of doors into the church. Individual communion servings are there for you to pick up as well as face masks, the latest newsletter and the daily devotional materials. Also, there is a basket for you to drop off your giving envelopes. If you need the door code, leave Tracy a message in the church office, 573-374-5267, or call her at 214-206-5807. Or you may mail your offering to the church:

Kent Memorial
PO Box 155
Sunrise Beach, MO 65079

COMMUNITY FOR CHRIST UPDATE (573-374-4425) Kent week at Community for Christ need your help on June 23, 25 and 27, dates that Kent has committed to assist those in need. Need is GREAT Please signup if you can by email to jjmellody@charter.net or text to 9132693375. Help is critical! The store and food pantry are open from 10:00 until 2:00 PM. Those volunteering their time please come at 9:45. CDC guidelines are being followed. Masks are required for volunteers and ALL those entering the store. If you can fold and hang clothes downstairs mask not required. A limit of 10 people allowed upstairs and 10 downstairs. A great way to show God's Love for all. Thank you for your assistance.

Items needed in June:

Paper products
Shampoo
Deodorant
Toothpaste
Fruit in lite syrup or in their own juices
Cereal