

Email Blast for July 10



5th Sunday after Pentecost

Kent Memorial Lutheran Church

184 Sunset Hill Drive
Sunrise Beach, Missouri 65079

The Rev. Edward L. Foster, Pastor

July 10, 2022

Hearing God's Call & Responding in Love,
We Share Jesus With All!

FROM PASTOR ED

Love God. Love your neighbor. That, Jesus says, is what is needful, that we love. But who is our neighbor that we should love and what does that love really look like? The parable of the Good Samaritan seems so simple, but after 2000 years we are still struggling to love, either like Jesus commanded us, or as He loved us himself. How can we love, truly and with the reckless abandon with which we have been loved? How can we love those who need our love the most?

OUR 10:00 a.m. WORSHIP & WEDNESDAY MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY are available on Zoom.

Contact the church office for the link.

Welcome to Worship

To love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, strength, and mind is to reflect God's mercy in responding to one's neighbor. That mercy found its most profound expression in the "gospel that has come to you"—namely the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. That gospel mercy comes to us again today: at the font, at the table, and from the pulpit. It is very near to you.

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Prelude

In Christ Alone

Joyce Wanamaker

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

Invocation and Opening Dialog

P: As a deer longs for flowing streams, so my soul longs for you, O God.

C: My soul thirsts for the living God.

P: When shall I come and behold the face of God?

C: My tears have been my food day and night, while people say to me continually, "Where is your God?"

P: Why are you cast down, o my soul, and why are you disquieted within me?

C: Hope in God; for I shall again praise you, my help and my God.

Confession and Forgiveness

P: Blessed be the Holy Trinity, + one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

C: Amen.

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Gracious God,

C: have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

P: God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

C: Amen.

Sharing of the Peace (We share the words, "Peace be with you" with one another)

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

Gathering Hymn

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

ELW # 807, v. 1 & 3

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 Setting 4

ELW p. 147

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 here 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: Glory to God in the highest

ELW p. 148

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 sins 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: O Lord God, your mercy delights us, and the world longs for your loving care. Hear the cries of everyone in need, and turn our hearts to love our neighbors with the love of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Children's Sermon

Pastor Ed Foster

Special Music

Higher Ground

Chuck Wanamaker

First Reading

Deuteronomy 30:9-14

Bible p. 189 Old Testament

L: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 25:1-10 (*Congregation reads responsively*)

¹To you, O LORD, I lift up my soul.

²**My God, I put my trust in you; let me not be put to shame,
nor let my enemies triumph over me.**

³Let none who look to you be put to shame;
rather let those be put to shame who are treacherous.

⁴**Show me your ways, O LORD, and teach me your paths.**

⁵Lead me in your truth and teach me,
for you are the God of my salvation; in you have I trusted all the day long.

⁶**Remember, O LORD, your compassion and love,
for they are from everlasting.**

⁷Remember not the sins of my youth and my transgressions;

remember me according to your steadfast love and for the sake of your goodness, O LORD.

⁸**You are gracious and upright, O LORD;
therefore you teach sinners in your way.**

⁹You lead the lowly in justice and teach the lowly your way.

¹⁰**All your paths, O LORD, are steadfast love and faithfulness
to those who keep your covenant and your testimonies.**

Second Reading

Colossians 1:1-14

Bible p. 191 New Testament

L: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Announcement

Pastor Ed Foster

P: The gospel according to Luke, the tenth chapter

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

Gospel Reading

Luke 10:25-37

Bible p. 67 New Testament

P: The Gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to you, O Christ

Sermon

Pastor Ed Foster

Hymn of the Day

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

ELW # 742, v. 1 & 2

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: God of grace,

C: hear our prayer.

Congregation may be seated

Reception of Offerings *Please fill out the red friendship pad and pass it to your neighbor*

Offertory

Jesus Loves Me

Joyce Wanamaker

Offering Prayer

Holy Communion

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.

P: It is indeed our right, our duty and our joy...

Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.

Words of Institution

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.

Congregation may be seated

Distribution

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. Communion is open to all who believe that Jesus Christ is our Savior. Children who do not commune may come forward for a blessing. You may commune in place using a communion kit, if preferred.

Communion Hymns	<i>Spirit of Gentleness</i>	ELW # 396
	<i>Just As I Am</i>	ELW # 592
	<i>Amazing Grace</i>	ELW # 779

Post-Communion Prayer

Benediction

Announcements

Sending Hymn	<i>All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name</i>	ELW # 634, v. 1 & 3
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The Dismissal

P: Hearing God's call and responding in love,
C: we share Jesus with all!

Postlude	<i>No, Not One</i>	Joyce Wanamaker
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WORSHIP LEADERS

PastorEd Foster

Organist/PianistJoyce Wanamaker
 Choir Director.....Tracy Garrett
 Handbells Director..... Katie Heaford

10:00 a.m.

Altar Guild.....Ingrid Niemann
 Greeter/Usher..... Dennis & Sheryl Boos
 LiturgistPastor Ed Foster
 Lector..... Toni Wagner
 Sound & Zoom Technician..... Dan Garrett

COMING THIS WEEK

July 10-17

Today	8:00 a.m.	Worship with Holy Communion (outside)
	9:00 a.m.	Bev Kidder's 90 th birthday celebration (cake and coffee)
	10:00 a.m.	Worship with Holy Communion (inside, livestreamed)
Monday	9:00 a.m.	Social Ministry
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Women's Bible Study
	10:00 a.m.	Worship & Music
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Bible Study
Thursday	10:00 a.m.	Men's Devotions & Bible Study
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Worship (outside)
	9:00 a.m.	Fellowship (coffee & donuts)
	10:00 a.m.	Worship with Holy Communion (inside, livestreamed)

† Prayer Concerns †

OUR MEMBERS

Don Stout—recovering from successful back surgery
 Ken Gerardy

OUR FAMILY & FRIENDS

Judy Mohling—serious health concerns (Al & Cindy Mohling's sister-in-law)
 Ron Wagner—car accident (Michael Wagner's father)
 Baby Harlow
 Melissa Wiles—medical concerns (Gary & Carolyn's daughter-in-law)
 Karen Tischnor—breast cancer (friend of Karen Mellody)
 Steve Hoskins—leukemia, on home care (Peggy Worker's brother)

Christian condolences & hope are extended to LaRoy Vinkavich on the death of his brother-in-law last week.

CONTINUED PRAYERS

Pam Babcock
 Shirley Clark
 Evelyn & Dick Clements

Ezra Elcock
Mary Beth Fair
Barbara & Bob Gislason
Shirley Hamm
Jerry Hansen
Linda Harris
Bryan Hastings
Mike Holmes
Marianne Howley
Tom Howley
Linda Kimberling
Kayla LeBarge
Terry Miller
Steve O'Connor
Mike Page
Rev. Bill Peterson
Ron Roberts
Ellie Torres
Bernie Wiegel
Larry Wilson

REMEMBERING THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Christopher Babcock
Eric Blomberg
Ben Brammeier
Shade Bullock
Aaron Davis
Tanner Glodt
Kristine Hubbard
Jason Ites
Jason Judge
Adam Kralina
Matt Lee
Jordan Lindeman
Glenn Maddock
Tristan Morgan
Adam Peterson
Trent Simmons

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JULY 10

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. Personal hearing assistance devices are available in the sound room. If you are visiting for the first time or searching for a church home, please include your address and phone number on the Red Friendship Pad and let us know. First time here? Please introduce yourself to Pastor at the end of the service.

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR are given by Charlie & Marilyn Peterson in celebration of their 66th wedding anniversary (6/24).

CARE CORE for July is Linda Williams, 573-374-9147.

IN-HOUSE BAKE SALE JULY 17 WELCA's next in-house bake sale is next Sunday, July 17, between services. Bring your wallet and a sweet tooth!

JULY CRUISE WORSHIP will be Wednesday, July 20. We'll meet at 4pm at Franky & Louie's, mile marker 10, main channel. The sign-up sheet is in the fellowship hall. Contact Barb Yount with questions.

2022 FESTIVAL OF SHARING is a cooperative response to world hunger, poverty, and injustice. When people of faith come together and share, we can make a positive and powerful difference in the lives of people in need. Social Ministry is accepting donations for this worthy cause. Any amount is appreciated. Donations will be accepted through July 31. Envelopes will be handed out at services in July. Checks should be made to Kent Social Ministry. Questions? Contact Sharon Ballard, 374-8974

RUMMAGE SALE Our Rummage Sale is Friday, August 5 (8am-4pm), and Saturday, August 6 (8am-noon). We are ready to have your treasures brought in. As of right now there is room in all three of the upstairs rooms. We are requesting that everything be to Kent by Wednesday, August 3. If you have larger items, there will be men there to help that day. More important..... we need help! On Monday the 1st we will bring stuff up from the basement. (Scouts should be here.) Not much can be done on Tuesday as there is an election. We'll need men on Wednesday the 3rd to help set up tables and empty the rooms. On Thursday the 4th we will sort and price, and of course we need workers for Friday and Saturday. Don't forget we also have to take everything down and box it up. Hoping for some young help on Saturday, August 6 at 12:00 p.m. to carry things to the basement. As you can see there is plenty to do. Please consider helping out. There are sign-up sheets on the bulletin board. We need everyone to help to make this a success. Thank you! Wendy & Eldeen

PICTURE-TAKING TIME There's still time to get your picture into our new pictorial directory at Kent. Pastor Ed will be taking pictures by appointment now. Please call the church office to schedule yours, 573-374-5267.

HURRICANE DECK ELEMENTARY HEALTH FAIR AUGUST 11 Hurricane Deck Elementary will again be having their Health Fair on August 11. I have received a Thrivent Action Team for School Supplies. If you are interested, I can use some help with some of the more expensive items so that I can stretch the \$250. School Supplies usually go on sale the end of July. Thank You! Wendy Blomberg

- White 1-inch Binders with Clear View Front
- Black Dry Erase Markers
- Wide line Bound Composition Books
- Gallon Zip Top Bags
- Headphones
- Kleenex

Examples of the Binder and Composition Books are on the table in the Entryway.

COMMUNITY FOR CHRIST NEEDS FOR JULY:

- Cleaning supplies for floor, bath or kitchen
- Canned chicken
- Cake mixes and frosting
- Taco seasoning
- Chef Boyardee-type canned food
- Ketchup
- Mustard
- Mayonnaise
- Pickles