



Welcome to Worship!

3rd Sunday after Pentecost - June 29, 2025—9:00 a.m.

Worship Leader: Pastor Carol Garman Worship Accompanist: Lynn Wegner

Order of Worship

(ELW—Evangelical Lutheran Worship—red hymnal; WOV –With One Voice—blue hymnal)

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

*Merciful God, **We struggle to manifest the fruits of the Spirit, but often find ourselves bound by works of the flesh. We know the whole law is summed up in the single commandment to love our neighbor as ourselves. Yet we create fences around ourselves to keep neighbors outside and tell ourselves we have no responsibility. Even in our own back yard we “bite and devour” one another. We wish it were different. When Jesus calls us to follow him, we find every excuse to instead go home or to the workplace to finish something more important first. Yet we yearn to be more centered on You.***

Gathering Song

“By Our Love”

1. Brothers, let us come together

Walking in the Spirit,

there's much to be done

We will come reaching,

out from our comforts

And they will know us by our love...

2. Sisters, we were made for kindness

We can pierce the darkness

as He shines through us

We will come reaching,

with a song of healing

And they will know us by our love!

Refrain

The time is now Come Church arise...

Love with His hands See with His eyes...

Bind it around you, Let it never leave you,

And they will know us by our love...

3. Children, You are hope for justice,

Stand firm in the Truth now,

set your hearts above

You will be reaching,

long after we're gone,

And they will know you by your love!

Repeat Refrain twice

Greeting
Prayer of the Day
First Reading
Second Reading
Gospel Acclamation

c: And also with you.
c: Amen.
1 Kings 19:15-16, 19-21
Galatians 5:1, 13-25
"Listen Now for the Gospel"

Refrain
(Listen now for the gospel!) **Alleluia!**
(It is God's word that changes us!) **Alleluia!**

Come, Holy Spirit, root in us God's living word, that we may show the faithfulness of Christ our Lord. Refrain

Come, Holy Spirit, melt and break our hearts of stone, until we give our lives to God, and God alone. Refrain

Come, Holy Spirit, bind the broken, find the lost, confirm in us the fire and love of Pentecost. Refrain

Gospel
Sermon
Hymn of the Day
Apostles' Creed
Prayers of Intercession
Peace
Offertory Song

Luke 9:51-62
"Will You Come and Follow Me"
God of grace, **hear our prayer.**
"For the Wholeness of the Earth "

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1. We lift this prayer for the wholeness of the earth. (x3)
Can you feel it rising in you?
2. We turn our lives to the wholeness of the earth. (x3)
Can you feel it spinning in you?
3. Give thanks to God for the wholeness of the earth. (x3)
Can you feel it rising in you?

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Offering Prayer
Words of Institution
Lord's Prayer
Invitation to Communion
Communion Hymn
Post Communion Blessing
Prayer after Communion
Blessing
Sending Song

c: Amen.
"Here I Am Lord"
c: Amen.
c: Amen.
c: Amen.

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Dismissal
Postlude

Go in peace. Live by the Spirit. **Thanks be to God.**

"They'll Know We Are Christians"

We are one in the Spirit,
we are one in the Lord
We are one in the Spirit,
we are one in the Lord
And we pray that all unity
may one day be restored.

Refrain

And they'll know we are Christians
by our love, by our love
Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our
love (by our love)

We will walk with each other,
we will walk hand in hand
We will walk with each other,
we will walk hand in hand
And together we'll spread the news
that God is in our land. **Refrain**

In Our Prayers:

We pray for friends and family of those who
have passed: Dewey Crocker, Ray Cook,
Charles Severson, Madilyn Vang, Jeff Rose,
Ron Hanson, Rod Sutherland, Curt Nedoba,
Judy Campbell, Mike Nedoba, Raymond Lee,
Marie Jezova

We pray for Diane Jostad, Betty Bender,
Stacey Fredricks, Robin Ruhbusch, Mike and
Pat Martin, Laurie Noelke, Brooklynn Cook,
Megan Sacia Ulrich, Perry Voshage, Owen
Gilbertson, Kannon Happel, Marjorie Lee,
Jean Latham, Bob Loper, Joan Vaughn,
Bridget Ferck, Thelma Severson, Lisa Herrera
Evans, Katie Wier, Phoebe Kitzke, Gayle
Kuespert, Beulah Sanders, Cary Heyer, Eric
Erdman, Dawson Reed, Jenny Lee, Mary
Dokkebaken, Karla Johnson, Alice Fonfara,
the Coats family.

We will work with each other
we will work side by side
We will work with each other
we will work side by side
And we'll guard each one's dignity and save
each one's pride. **Refrain**

All praise to the Father,
from whom all things come,
And all praise to Christ Jesus,
His only Son,
And all praise to the Spirit
who makes us one. **Refrain**

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Announcements

Birthdays this week: Gunnar Gates, Braxtyn
Jensen-Pralle, Jeanne Atchley, Ryan Happel,
Ryan Beville, Ron Christensen, Brianna
Cook, Daryl Holley, Ann Stasiak

Noisy Offering: The June noisy offering will
support our Gardening Group! So far you've
donated \$156.76. Let's keep making some
noise!

Outreach: Join us for our card ministry on
July 8 from 11 AM—1 PM. We'll be mailing
cards to those on our prayer list and others.
All supplies provided along with a light
lunch.

God's work. Our hands. Sunday is
September 7th. We are ordering t-shirts to
wear that day. Check out the order form in
your E-news and on the table in the gather-
ing space. Orders are due July 13.

Welcome to Worship!

Thank you for being here today. We want you to feel at home when you are here at HCLC, so please remember:

As you participate

Bolded words on the screen are for you to speak.

Even though the pastor indicates when to stand up or sit down, that is not mandatory. We do not judge when it's done differently. Move around as you need to and please worship as *your* body demands it.

Offering

The offering is our way of showing that when we come to the table we bring ourselves as well as all we have been given by God to be blessed for service in God's world.

The offering plate is passed around during the offering song.

The cake pan is for our Noisy Offering. Each month we choose a cause to support.

Offerings can also be made through our website or by using this QR code. Thank you for the many ways you support HCLC and our mission.



Holy Communion

All are welcome to the table today when communion is offered. It is not our table, but Jesus is the host. So, in this place **all** are welcome to Jesus' table.

Pre-packaged communion kits, regular **and gluten-free**, are available for communing in your seats or bringing them forward with you. The ushers will have them in a basket.

Communion in the front aisle will be baked bread and both wine and juice (the wine is red, juice is clear).

Kids

We welcome kids to participate fully in any part of the service! You may pass the offering plate or noisy offering, and we have activity bags as you enter church.

An **AED is available** in case of an emergency. It is located just outside the sanctuary doors.

Please join us for coffee and fellowship each week after service. Guests and members please take a moment to fill out the Welcome Card in the pew. We want to know how we can best minister to you.

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