

families (5-5:45 pm). Cost is \$25 per child for the week, and scholarships are available. Reach out to Rachel for more info ([office@crossofglory.us](mailto:office@crossofglory.us)). If you're interested in lending a hand as an adult leader, please let Kirsten Edstrom know.

- **Kids at Camp Wapo** - Continue to hold in prayer our kids at Camp Wapo this last week and next. Thanks to Kris Simon for accompanying them as our adult leader! Pastor Ali will be visiting kids on Sunday and Monday. She will be back in the office on Tuesday.

- **Bible Studies** - Bible Study will continue on a bi-weekly basis on the first and third Tues mornings at 9:30 onsite & online throughout the summer months (note: the week of July 4th, our gathering is moved to Thursday morning, July 7). You're also invited to attend the WELCA (Women of the ELCA) Bible Study on the third Wed of the month at 1 pm. For more info about WELCA, reach out to Carol Stejskal.

- **Care & Visitation** - If you're interested in receiving a visit from Pastor Ali or a CoG friend, or would be willing to serve as a visitor (who makes either in-person or phone call visits to our homebound members), please let Pastor Ali know.

- **Want to Know More About COG?** - We're so glad you're worshiping with us! If you're interested in learning more about life together at Cross of Glory, reach out to Pastor Ali ([atranvik@crossofglory.us](mailto:atranvik@crossofglory.us)).

# Third Sunday after Pentecost



**June 26, 2022**

**Cross of Glory Lutheran Church  
Brooklyn Center, MN**

## PRELUDE

## WELCOME

### CONFESSION + FORGIVENESS

Pastor: Let us confess our sins before God and one another...

If we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. Let us confess our sin to God who is faithful and just and who has promised to forgive our sin and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

*\*\* Silence for confession and repentance \*\**

P: Most merciful God, **All: have mercy on us. We confess to you that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not trusted you with our whole heart; we have not loved one another in deed and in truth. In your compassion forgive our sin and uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in the newness of life through Jesus Christ our light and our truth. Amen.**

P: With joy, I proclaim to you that Almighty God, rich in mercy, abundant in love, forgives you all your sin and grants you newness of life in Jesus Christ. **A: Thanks be to God!**

*\*\* Please stand as you are able \*\**

### MUSIC

#### Everyday

#### (Houston)

#### Verse 1

What to say, Lord,  
It's You who gave me life  
And I can't explain  
Just how much You mean to me;  
Now that You have saved me, Lord,  
I give all that I am to You,

That everyday I can  
Be a light that shines Your name,

#### Verse 2

Everyday, Lord,  
I'll learn to stand upon Your Word,  
And I pray that I,  
I may come to know You more,

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Coffee Fellowship** - Please stick around after worship for coffee, donuts, and conversation in Fellowship Hall! Thanks to the many hands that have helped make fellowship time possible this spring. A sign-up for the summer months is now available at the usher's table. We invite you to add your name (or call the church office) to help set-up or clean-up so that we can keep offering this time of food and fellowship.

- **Live Music at Centennial Park** - On Tues, June 28th at 7 pm, bring some family, friends, and neighbors and join the CoG community for an evening of live music at Centennial Park in Brooklyn Center. Monroe Crossing--a local bluegrass band known to play in church worship services too!--will be performing. Bring your own lawn chair or blanket, CoG will provide the snacks!

- **Community Garden** - If you're interested in tending a free garden plot at the CoG community garden (at the corner of Ewing and Admiral), reach out to Dan Jacobson.

- **Prayer Service**— As John Thomson continues to grieve the death of his brother Heath. We invite you to surround John and Barb during a short prayer service following worship on Sunday, July 3.

- **Mutual Aid Supply Collection** - As we prepare for SummerFest--a neighborhood block party in the CoG parking lot on Sat, July 23 from 12-2 hosted in conjunction with CAPI--we are collecting (non-food) supplies for distribution. Donations of feminine hygiene products, toilet paper, paper towel, dish soap, bath soap, laundry detergent, toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo, diapers and pull-ups (all sizes) can be dropped off in the grocery cart by the Welcome Desk. Thank you!

- **Vacation Bible School** - Mark your calendars! Wildfire churches are joining together to host VBS August 1-4 from 5-8 pm at Elim Lutheran in Robbinsdale. Evenings begin with a meal open to all



**WEEKLY PRAYER LIST**

Please join us in lifting up these brothers and sisters in prayer:

*Mavis Wold & Daughter Mary  
 Shar Lauster  
 Norma Gilbertson  
 Gayle Merritt  
 Sue Birch, daughter of Sharon Quick  
 Luella Hinnenkamp*

*Don Earnest  
 Sherry Mattfield  
 John Thomson in recent death of his  
 brother, Heath.  
 Family of Julie Aulwes in recent death  
 of her father, Sig.*

*To be added or removed from the weekly prayer list, please contact the church office  
 ([office@crossofglory.us](mailto:office@crossofglory.us)) or call 763-533-8602.*

You are also welcome to stop at our community prayer wall just outside the sanctuary to  
 add a written prayer, fold it up and place it between the wooden pieces in the wall.  
 Further instructions can be found at the prayer wall.

That You would guide me  
 In every single step I take,  
 That everyday I can be Your  
 Light unto the world.

**Chorus**

Everyday it's You I'll live for.  
 Everyday I'll follow after You.  
 Everyday I'll walk with You, my  
 Lord.

**Bridge**

It's You I live for everyday.  
 It's You I live for everyday.  
 It's You I live for everyday.

**Ending**

It's You I live for everyday.

**GREETING**

**P:** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the  
 communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**A: And also with you.**

*\*\* You may be seated \*\**

**MUSIC**

**Cry of My Heart**

**(Butler)**

**Chorus**

It is the cry of my heart  
 To follow You.

It is the cry of my heart  
 To be close to You.

It is the cry of my heart  
 To follow

All of the days of my life.  
*(Repeat)*

**Verse 1**

Teach me Your holy ways, oh Lord,  
 So I can walk in Your truth.

Teach me Your holy ways, oh Lord,  
 And make me wholly devoted  
 to You. *(Chorus)*

**Verse 2**

Open my eyes so I can see  
 The wonderful things that You do.  
 Open my heart up more and more,  
 And make it wholly devoted to You.  
*(Chorus)*

**Ending**

All of the days of my life (4X)

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

Pastor: Let us pray together...

**O God, you call us to ventures of which we cannot see the ending, by paths untrodden, through perils unknown. Give us faith to follow you with good courage, not knowing where we go, but only that your hand is leading us, and your love supporting us, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## SCRIPTURE READING

**Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20**

I cry aloud to God,  
aloud to God, that he may hear me.  
In the day of my trouble I seek the Lord;  
in the night my hand is stretched out without wearying;  
my soul refuses to be comforted  
I will call to mind the deeds of the Lord;  
I will remember your wonders of old.  
I will meditate on all your work,  
and muse on your mighty deeds.  
Your way, O God, is holy.  
What god is so great as our God?  
You are the God who works wonders;  
you have displayed your might among the peoples.  
With your strong arm you redeemed your people,  
the descendants of Jacob and Joseph.  
When the waters saw you, O God,  
when the waters saw you, they were afraid;  
the very deep trembled.  
The clouds poured out water;  
the skies thundered;  
your arrows flashed on every side.  
The crash of your thunder was in the whirlwind;

*\*\*Please stand as you're able.\*\**

## MUSIC Father, I Adore You (T. Coelho — 3 part round)

### Verse 1

Father, I adore you,  
lay my life before you,  
How I love you.

### Verse 2

Jesus, I adore you,  
lay my life before you,  
How I love you.

### Verse 3

Spirit, I adore you,  
lay my life before you,  
How I love you.

## DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace, walk with Jesus.

**A: Thanks be to God!**

## POSTLUDE

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**MUSIC                      Just a Closer Walk with Thee                      #697 vs 1-3**

**Refrain**

Just a closer walk with thee,  
grant it, Jesus, is my plea;  
daily walking close to thee,  
let it be, dear Lord, let it be.

**Verse 1**

I am weak but thou art strong:  
Jesus, keep me from all wrong;  
I'll be satisfied as long  
as I walk, let me walk close to  
thee. **Refrain**

**Verse 2**

Through this world of toil and  
snares,  
if I falter, Lord, who cares?  
Who with me my burden shares?  
None but thee, dear Lord, none  
but thee. **Refrain**

**Verse 3**

When my feeble life is o'er,  
time for me will be no more;  
guide me gently, safely o'er  
to thy kingdom shore, to thy  
shore. **Refrain**

your lightnings lit up the world;  
the earth trembled and shook.  
Your way was through the sea,  
your path, through the mighty waters;  
yet your footprints were unseen.  
You led your people like a flock  
by the hand of Moses and Aaron.

Leader: The word of the Lord.

**ALL: Thanks be to God.**

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

**Choir**

*\*\* Please stand as you are able \*\**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

P: Hear us, O God.

**A: Your mercy is great.**

**LORD'S PRAYER**

Gathered together as one body by the Holy Spirit, let us pray the  
prayer Jesus taught us...

**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.**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**SENDING BLESSING**

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

**A: Amen.**

**GOSPEL READING    Luke 9:51-62**

P: The Gospel according to Luke the ninth chapter.

**ALL: Glory to you, O Lord.**

When the days drew near for him to be taken up, he set his face to go  
to Jerusalem. And he sent messengers ahead of him. On their way  
they entered a village of the Samaritans to make ready for him; but  
they did not receive him, because his face was set towards  
Jerusalem. When his disciples James and John saw it, they said,  
'Lord, do you want us to command fire to come down from heaven  
and consume them?' But he turned and rebuked them. Then they  
went on to another village.

As they were going along the road, someone said to him, 'I will follow  
you wherever you go.' And Jesus said to him, 'Foxes have holes, and  
birds of the air have nests; but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his  
head.' To another he said, 'Follow me.' But he said, 'Lord, first let me  
go and bury my father.' But Jesus said to him, 'Let the dead bury their  
own dead; but as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of  
God.' Another said, 'I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell

to those at my home.' Jesus said to him, 'No one who puts a hand to the plough and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.'

Leader: The Gospel of the Lord.

**ALL: Praise to you, O Christ.**

*\*\* Please be seated \*\**

## SERMON

**MUSIC Will You Come and Follow Me? #798 vss 1, 2, 3, 5**

### **Verse 1**

"Will you come and follow me  
if I but call your name?  
Will you go where you don't know  
and never be the same?  
Will you let my love be shown,  
will you let my name be known,  
will you let my life be grown  
in you and you in me?"

### **Verse 2**

"Will you leave yourself behind  
if I but call your name?  
Will you care for cruel and kind  
and never be the same?  
Will you risk the hostile stare,  
should your life attract or scare?  
Will you let me answer pray'r  
in you and you in me?"

### **Verse 3**

"Will you let the blinded see  
if I but call your name?  
Will you set the pris'ners free  
and never be the same?  
Will you kiss the leper clean,  
and do such as this unseen,  
and admit to what I mean  
in you and you in me?"

### **Verse 5**

Lord, your summons echoes true  
when you but call my name.  
Let me turn and follow you  
and never be the same.  
In your company I'll go  
where your love  
and footsteps show.  
Thus I'll move and live and grow  
in you and you in me.

*\*\* Please stand as you are able \*\**

## CONFESSION OF FAITH

## Apostles 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 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

## SHARING OF THE PEACE

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

**A: And also with you.**

P: Let's share a sign of God's peace with one another.

*\*\* Please be seated \*\**

## BLESSING OF THE OFFERING

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