

## Sunday, August 1, 2021

Prelude Schmücke dich, o liebe Seele (Deck thyself, my soul, with gladness)
Velda Graham Bell, organ

J.S. Bach

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Jeanine Alexander

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\* Call to Worship

One: As a fire is meant for burning,
All: we are meant for mission.
One: As a fire is meant for burning,
All: we are meant for giving.

One: Through our loving actions, we show that Christ is light.

All: May our lives reflect the radiance of God's new and glorious dawn.

\* Hymn As a Fire is Meant for Burning

The Faith We Sing #2237

**Morning Prayer** 

Prayers of Concern and Celebration

Pastor Jeanine Alexander

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, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Children's Message

Jojo Coffin-Langdon, director of family ministries

Scripture Reading Geoff Bell

## Luke 5:1-11

One day, Jesus was standing beside Lake Gennesaret when the crowd pressed in around him to hear God's word. Jesus saw two boats sitting by the lake. The fishermen had gone ashore and were washing their nets. Jesus boarded one of the boats, the one that belonged to Simon, then asked him to row out a little distance from the shore. Jesus sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. When he finished speaking to the crowds, he said to Simon, "Row out farther, into the deep water, and drop your nets for a catch." Simon replied, "Master, we've worked hard all night and caught nothing. But because you say so, I'll drop the nets." So they dropped the nets and their catch was so huge that their nets were splitting. They signaled for their partners in the other boat to come and help them. They filled both boats so full that they were about to sink. When Simon Peter saw the catch, he fell at Jesus' knees and said, "Leave me, Lord, for I'm a sinner!" Peter and those with him were overcome with amazement because of the number of fish they caught. James and John, Zebedee's sons, were Simon's partners and they were amazed too. Jesus said to Simon, "Don't be afraid. From now on, you will be fishing for people." As soon as they brought the boats to the shore, they left everything and followed Jesus.

## Isaiah 43:1

But now, says the Lord –
the one who created you, Jacob,
the one who formed you, Israel:
Don't fear, for I have redeemed you;
I have called you by name; you are mine.

Sermon You're Good Enough

Rev. Jesse Bale

\* Hymn

Gather Us In

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The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Pastor Jeanine Alexander and Jojo Coffin-Langdon

**Communion Music** 

Bread of Heaven

Karen Marrolli

Brandon Veale, tenor; Velda Graham Bell, piano

**Benediction** 

Pastor Jeanine Alexander

Postlude

Postlude in D

Velda Graham Bell, organ

Healey Willan

\* Please stand as you are comfortable.



## Announcements

**Please fill out the attendance cards** each week. At least for now, they are replacing the pew pads. Keeping attendance and making sure the church has your current contact information is an important part of the church records. On the back of the card, you will find a list of ministry opportunities, places where your help can make a difference! These opportunities will change often, so check them out each week and please sign up where you can.

Fellowship, coffee and doughnuts will be available following the service in Lakeview Social Hall, on the lower level.

**Thank you** to Jesse Bale for preaching this morning. Jesse is ordained United Methodist clergy who holds his charge conference relationship with our congregation. He serves as the chaplain at the Arrowhead Regional Correction Center.

Mark your calendars for the next parking lot concert Wednesday, August 18: Acoustic Ingeborg (you may know her as Hillside UMC's Emma Rustan) will be performing at 6:30 pm. Paul Sapyta's Room at the Table food truck will serve a special menu beginning at 6:00. Freewill offerings will be taken for both the concert and the food. Chairs available, or bring your own. Raindate is Wednesday, August 25.

**Thank you** to Ann Gumpper, Sue Kurth, Kelby Werner, and Tom Wiig for leading hymns today.

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