

Second Sunday after Pentecost

June 7, 2026

* *Please stand if you are able*

Prelude: "Rondo Giocoso"

Douglas E. Wagner

Gathering

WELCOME & LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE

Acolyte: May the Holy Spirit unite us in worship, point us toward Jesus Christ, and inspire us to love mercy, do justice, and walk humbly with God. Come, let us worship God.

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Liturgist: Sing joyfully to the Lord, you righteous.

All: Praise the Lord with the harp; make music with the lyre.

Liturgist: Sing to the Lord a new song;

All: play skillfully and shout for joy.

Liturgist: For the word of the Lord is right and true; he is faithful in all he does.

All: The Lord loves righteousness and justice; the earth is full of his unfailing love.

Psalm 33:1-5 adapted

* **All Singing: 2 "O Worship the King"**

* GOD'S GREETING

* GOD'S PEOPLE GREETING ONE ANOTHER

* **All Singing: 833 "There Is a Redeemer"**

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

Children: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

Reconciliation

Liturgist: No king is saved by the size of his army; no warrior escapes by his great strength.

All: **A horse is a vain hope for deliverance; despite all its great strength it cannot save.**

Liturgist: But the eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him, on those whose hope is in his unfailing love, to deliver them from death and keep them alive in famine.

All: **We wait in hope for the Lord; he is our help and our shield. In him our hearts rejoice, for we trust in his holy name.**

Liturgist: May your unfailing love be with us, Lord, even as we put our hope in you.
Psalms 33:16-22 adapted

Silent Reflection and Confession

All Singing: 652 "I Lift My Eyes Up"

Liturgist: It was not through the law that Abraham and his offspring received the promise that he would be heir of the world, but through the righteousness that comes by faith.

All: **For if those who depend on the law are heirs, faith means nothing and the promise is worthless, because the law brings wrath.**

Liturgist: Therefore, the promise comes by faith, so that it may be by grace and may be guaranteed to all of Abraham's offspring – not only to those who are of the law but also to those who have the faith of Abraham.

All: **He is the father of us all.**

Liturgist: As it is written, "I have made you a father of many nations." He is our father in the sight of God, in whom he believed – the God who gives life to the dead and calls into being things that were not.

Romans 4:13-17 adapted

* **All Singing: 675 "By Grace We Have Been Saved"**

Liturgist: Romans 12:1-8

Proclamation

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

All Singing: 528 "Come and Fill Our Hearts"

Following lead of the leaders

Scripture: Matthew 9:9-17

Minister: The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon: Jesus Brings the Wine

Soloist: "Broken Things" Julie Miller

You can have my heart, though it isn't new
It's been used and broken, and only comes in blue
It's been down a long road, and it got dirty along the way
If I give it to you, will you make it clean
And wash the shame away?

You can have my heart, if you don't mind broken things
You can have my life; you don't mind these tears
Well, I heard that you make old things new
So I give these pieces all to you
If you want it, you can have my heart

So beyond repair, nothing I could do
I tried to fix it myself
But it was only worse when I got through
Then you walk right into my darkness
And you speak words so sweet
And you hold me like a child
'til my frozen tears fall at your feet

Dedication

BEARING WITNESS – A WORD OF TESTIMONY

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Liturgist: With joy, let us now offer our gifts, in music, heart, and resource, as a sign of our deep devotion and covenant faithfulness.

OFFERING

1. General Fund
2. Tuition Assistance Benevolence

OFFERTORY “There is a Balm in Gilead”

Joseph M. Martin

Sending

* BENEDICTION

* **All Singing:** “Be of One Mind”
Singing through twice

**Finally, all of you be of one mind
Humble and loving and tender and kind (2x)**

**Do not repay (Do not repay)
Evil for evil (Evil for evil)
Do not repay (Do not repay)
Insult for insult (Insult for insult)**

**Return instead a blessing
for you were called to blessed
Inherit the promise of Christ**

Postlude: “Gigue”


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Worship Leaders

Organist / Pianist: Dora Diephouse
Pianist: Karis Dykstra
Vocalist / Guitar: Marjie Coleman
Vocalist: Kristin Izenbart
Guitar: Jeremy Hulford
Minister: Roger Nelson

Acolyte: Casey Kostelyk
Liturgist: Kim Ottenhoff
Prayer: Nate Pettinga
Testimony: Bill Boerman-Cornell

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