

#139 “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

1. Praise to the Lord,
the Almighty, the King of creation.
O my soul, praise him,
for he is thy health and salvation!
All ye who hear,
now to his temple draw near;
join me in glad adoration!
2. Praise to the Lord,
who o’er all things so wondrously reigning
bears there on eagle’s wings,
o’er in his keeping maintaining.
God’s care enfolds
all, whose true good he upholds.
Hast thou not known his sustaining?
3. Praise to the Lord,
who doth prosper thy work and defend thee;
surely his goodness
and mercy here daily attend thee.
Ponder anew
what the Almighty can do,
who with his love doth befriend thee.
4. Praise to the Lord,
who doth nourish thy life and restore thee,
fitting thee well
for the tasks that are ever before thee.
Then to thy need
God as a mother doth speed,
spreading the wings of grace o’er thee.
5. Praise to the Lord!
O let all that is in me adore him!
All that hath life and breath,
come now with praises before him!
Let the amen
sound from his people again;
gladly forever adore him.

#384 “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”

1. Love divine, all loves excelling,
joy of heaven, to earth come down;
fix in us thy humble dwelling;
all thy faithful mercies crown!
Jesus thou art all compassion,
pure, unbounded love thou art;
visit us with thy salvation;
enter every trembling heart.
2. Breathe, O breathe thy loving Spirit
into every troubled breast!
Let us all in thee inherit;
let us find that second rest.
Take away our bent to sinning;
Alpha and Omega be;
end of faith, as its beginning,
set our hearts at liberty.
3. Come, Almighty to deliver,
let us all thy life receive;
suddenly return and never,
nevermore thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing,
serve thee as thy hosts above,
pray and praise thee without ceasing,
glory in thy perfect love.
4. Finish, then, thy new creation;
pure and spotless let us be.
Let us see thy great salvation
perfectly restored in thee;
changed from glory into glory,
till in heaven we take our place,
till we cast our crowns before thee,
lost in wonder, love, and praise.

#430 “O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee”

1. O Master, let me walk with thee
in lowly paths of service free;
tell me thy secret; help me bear
the strain of toil, the fret of care



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Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

July 19, 2020, 9:00AM

PRELUDE

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

- L: In the midst of strife,
God is with us!
- P: **Come, O Lord, and pour your word into our hearts.**
- L: In the anguish and grief of everyday living,
God is with us!
- P: **Hear our cries, O Lord, and quiet our spirits!**
- L: Come, let us open our hearts and spirits to the Lord.
- P: **We come, with confidence and hope
in the presence of God. AMEN.**

*OPENING HYMN

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*OPENING PRAYER Psalm 139, of David. Common English Bible

- L: ¹Lord, you have examined me. You know me.
- P: ²**You know when I sit down and when I stand up.
Even from far away, you comprehend my plans.**
- L: ³You study my traveling and resting.
You are thoroughly familiar with all my ways.
- P: ⁴**There isn’t a word on my tongue, Lord,
that you don’t already know completely.**
- L: ⁵You surround me—front and back.
You put your hand on me.
- P: ⁷**Where could I go to get away from your spirit?
Where could I go to escape your presence?**
- L: ⁸If I went up to heaven, you would be there.
If I went down to the grave, you would be there too!
- P: ⁹**If I could fly on the wings of dawn,
stopping to rest only on the far side of the ocean—**
- L: ¹⁰even there your hand would guide me;
even there your strong hand would hold me tight!
- P: ²³**Examine me, God! Look at my heart!
Put me to the test! Know my anxious thoughts!**
- (all) ²⁴**Look to see if there is any idolatrous way in me,
then lead me on the eternal path!**

JOYS CONCERNS PRAYERS

In Our Prayers ...

Ron Della Croce
Noah Kollasch
Janice Kassel
Deb Weir
Louise Sackett
Mary King
Betty Hiatt
Steve & Lynne Farnsworth
Sharon Hobart
Jane Stevens
Devin Morey
Irene Goff
Richard Henrichs
Carol Ensley
Joyce Muller
Lois Lowman
Ted Strohmman
Deb Nissen
(sister-in-law of Deb Wickman)
Marjorie Solberg
Vi Sampson

**The loved ones of those who passed away, including:*

Bob Henderson
Lyle Muller
Louie Gallo
Mardell Truog
Rick Jones

**Those who have been hospitalized, hospital & nursing/assisted care facility*



***SCRIPTURE READINGS Roman 8:12-25**

12 Therefore, brothers and sisters, we have an obligation—but it is not to the flesh, to live according to it. 13 For if you live according to the flesh, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the misdeeds of the body, you will live. 14 For those who are led by the Spirit of God are the children of God. 15 The Spirit you received does not make you slaves, so that you live in fear again; rather, the Spirit you received brought about your adoption to sonship. And by him we cry, “Abba, Father.” 16 The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God’s children. 17 Now if we are children, then we are heirs—heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ, if indeed we share in his sufferings in order that we may also share in his glory. 18 I consider that our present sufferings are not worth comparing with the glory that will be revealed in us. 19 For the creation waits in eager expectation for the children of God to be revealed. 20 For the creation was subjected to frustration, not by its own choice, but by the will of the one who subjected it, in hope 21 that the creation itself will be liberated from its bondage to decay and brought into the freedom and glory of the children of God. 22 We know that the whole creation has been groaning as in the pains of childbirth right up to the present time. 23 Not only so, but we ourselves, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for our adoption to sonship, the redemption of our bodies. 24 For in this hope we were saved. But hope that is seen is no hope at all. Who hopes for what they already have? 25 But if we hope for what we do not yet have, we wait for it patiently.

MESSAGE OF LIFE Hojin Shin

Nothing Shall Separate Us; 2. “Creation Waits”

***CLOSING HYMN**

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***BLESSING**

***SONG OF SENDING FORTH**

430 O Master, Let Me walk with Thee (verse 1)

POSTLUDE

God is Good!

At the end of the service

Please leave in your family group

You may leave your offering in the plate by the door

Thank you

God Bless You as you go into the world this week



**The Next
Outdoor
Drive Way
Service**

July 26, 2020

8:00 AM

Ted & Vicki Ellis

29 N Huron, Emmetsburg



**This Summer!
Pastor Hojin
will be performing a
Worship Service**

in the drive ways

of some of our members.

**Call us if you would like to volunteer
your driveway for a Sunday!!**

712-852-2154

In Person Worship Service

July 26, 2020 @ 9:00 AM

Church Sanctuary



We ask that when you attend:

Practice social distancing for your own health & safety

Please wear a mask

To protect others

Est. Attendance ...

7/12/2020

In Person 17
Facebook 87
Driveway 13

Birthdays...

20 Danielle Ditch
Janet Nielson
21 Aidyn Fehr-Opheim
26 LJ Gonzales
Kysen Kogel

Anniversaries...

20 Rick & Johnny Hurley
22 Jeremy & Jodi Ward
24 Tony & Bev Salas
25 Jay & Jackie Black
26 Bill & Barb Goodlaxson

Empowering EFUMC Ministry...

7/12/2020

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