# MAGNOLIA LUTHERAN CHURCH

JUNE 12, 2022



Come, Join the Dance of Trinity

# WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Holy Trinity June 12, 2022

## WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE

Come, Join the Dance of Trinity

Jacob Weber

GATHERING HYMN

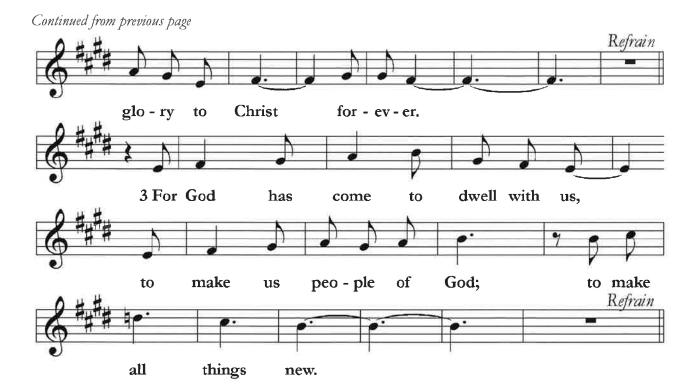
Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty #413 ELW



### GREETING

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





### PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty Creator and ever-living God: we worship your glory, eternal Three-in-One, and we praise your power, majestic One-in-Three. Keep us steadfast in this faith, defend us in all adversity, and bring us at last into your presence, where you live in endless joy and love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

## WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

### FIRST READING: Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

Does not wisdom call,

and does not understanding raise her voice?

<sup>2</sup>On the heights, beside the way,

at the crossroads she takes her stand;

<sup>3</sup>beside the gates in front of the town,

at the entrance of the portals she cries out:

To you, O people, I call,

and my cry is to all that live.

<sup>22</sup>The LORD created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of long ago.

<sup>23</sup>Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth.

<sup>24</sup>When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water. <sup>25</sup>Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth— <sup>26</sup>when he had not yet made earth and fields, or the world's first bits of soil. <sup>27</sup>When he established the heavens, I was there, when he drew a circle on the face of the deep. <sup>28</sup>when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep, <sup>29</sup>when he assigned to the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command, when he marked out the foundations of the earth, <sup>30</sup>then I was beside him, like a master worker: and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always, <sup>31</sup>rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the human race."

Holy Words. Holy Wisdom. Thanks be to God.

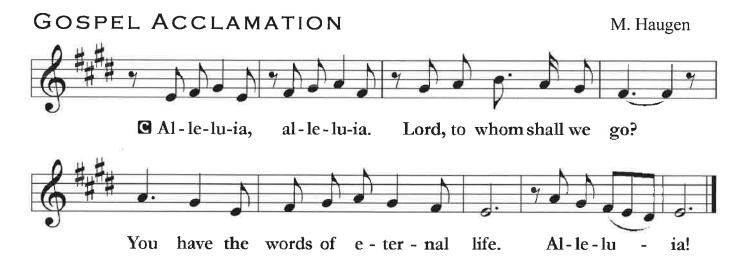
## PSALM: PSALM 8 (to be read responsively)

O LORD our Lord, how majestic is your name in | all the earth!— <sup>2</sup>you whose glory is chanted above the heavens out of the mouths of in- | fants and children: you have set up a fortress against your enemies, to silence the foe | and avenger. <sup>3</sup>When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars you have set | in their courses, 4what are mere mortals that you should be mind- | ful of them, human beings that you should | care for them? <sup>5</sup>Yet you have made them little less | than divine; with glory and hon- or you crown them. <sup>6</sup>You have made them rule over the works | of your hands; you have put all things un- | der their feet: <sup>7</sup>all | flocks and cattle, even the wild beasts | of the field. 8the birds of the air, the fish | of the sea, and whatever passes along the paths | of the sea. <sup>9</sup>O | Lord our Lord, how majestic is your name in | all the earth!

### SECOND READING: Romans 5:1-5

<sup>1</sup>Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>2</sup>through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. <sup>3</sup>And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, <sup>4</sup>and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, <sup>5</sup>and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

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GOSPEL: John 16:12-15

Before the reading: Glory to you, O Lord!

[Jesus said,] <sup>12</sup>"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. <sup>13</sup>When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. <sup>14</sup>He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. <sup>15</sup>All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you."

After the reading: Praise to you, O Christ!

# WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

SERMON



- 1 Come, join the dance of Trin i ty, be fore all worlds be gun—
- 2 Come, see the face of Trin i ty, new born in Beth le hem;
- 3 Come, speak a loud of Trin i ty, as wind and tongues of flame 4 With in the dance of Trin i ty, be fore all worlds be gun,



the in - ter-weav-ing of the Three, the blood-ied by a crown of thorns out - side Je - ru - sa - lem. set peo - ple free at Pen - te - cost to tell the Sav - ior's name. we sing the prais - es of the Three, the Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son.



The u - ni - verse of space and time did not a - rise by chance, The dance of Trin - i - ty is meant for hu - man flesh and bone; We know the yoke of sin and death, our necks have worn it smooth; Let voic - es rise and in - ter-weave, by love and hope set free,



the Three, in love and hope, made room with-in their dance. but as when fear con-fines the dance in death, God rolls a - way the stone. tell the world of weight and woe that we are free to move! joy, this life: the to shape in song this dance of Trin - i - ty.

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

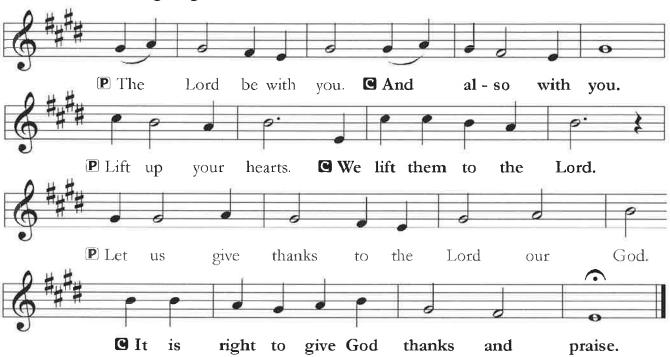
Let us pray. Have mercy, O God.

## SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

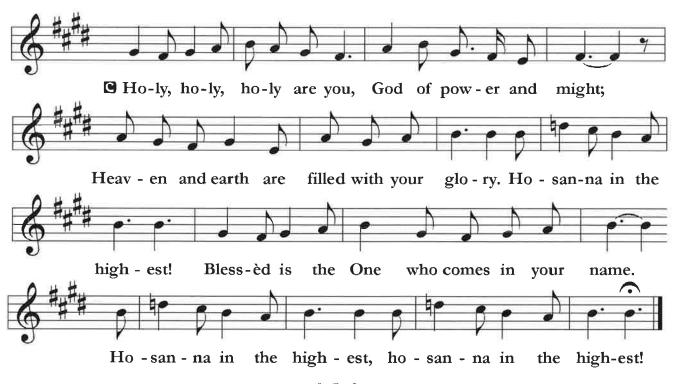
### ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CELEBRATING HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving



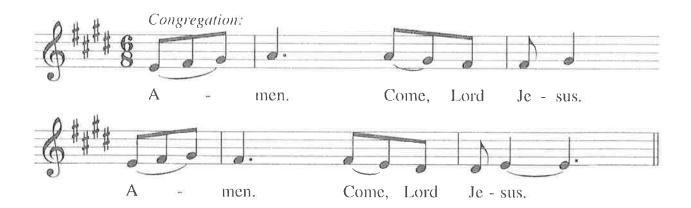
*Preface:* It is indeed right, our duty, and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise ... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



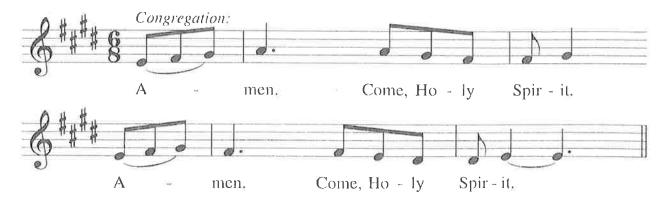
Words of Institution (In the night he was betrayed...)

You are indeed holy, gracious and merciful God, Creator of heaven and earth...

... Remembering his command that we love one another, his life and death and glorious resurrection and ascension, we pray for his coming again even as we cry:



Send now, we pray, your Holy Spirit, that all your promises may come to us and your whole creation. Empower us by that same Spirit, to love and forgive our lives may anticipate that day when you will make all things new.



Gather our prayers with those of the apostles, prophets, martyrs, and all the faithful who have gone before us, and unite them with the unceasing prayer of the One who lives in us and in whom we live, Jesus Christ.

### Lord's Prayer

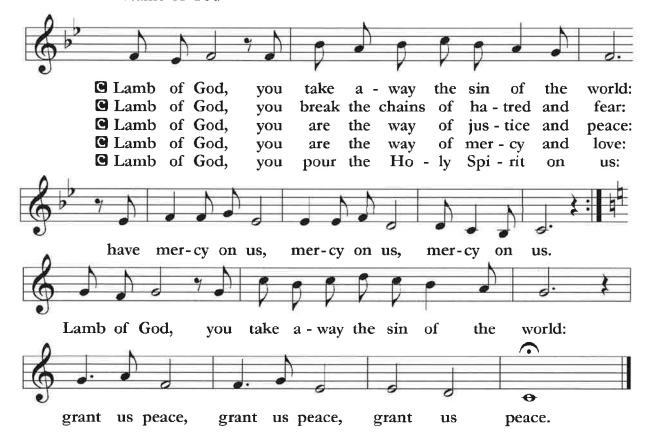
Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on Earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.

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.

#### The Distribution

Singing during Communion:

Lamb of God





- 1 Fa ther most ho ly, mer ci ful, and ten der; Je sus, our
- 2 Trin i ty bless-ed, u ni ty un shak en; good ness un -
- 3 Mak er of all things, all thy crea-tures praise thee; all for thy
- 4 Lord God Al might-y, un to thee be glo ry, one in three



Sav - ior, with the Fa - ther reign - ing; bound-ed, ver - y God of heav - en, wor - ship were and are cre - at - ed; per - sons, o - ver all ex - alt - ed!

Spir - it of com - fort, light of the an - gels, now, as we al - so Glo - ry we of - fer,



# WE ARE SENT OUT TO LOVE

SENDING BLESSING

SENDING HYMN

Voices Raised to You

#845 ELW

DISMISSAL

Go forth and set the world on fire! Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE

All Glory Be to God on High

T. Albrecht

### SERVANT'S SCHEDULE

**Assisting Minister** 

June 19 — Serena Severance June 19 — Ralph Henderickson June 26 — Thom Eaton

June 26 — John Valiton

Lector

**Coffee Hour Hosts** June 19 — Serena Severance June 19 — Barbara Helde June 26 — Thom Eaton June 26 — Barbara Helde

**Altar Preparation** 

June 19 — Ronnie Beckerleg & June 19 — Amy & Thor Sigmar

> Kay Kurtzweg June 26 — Cliff Kurtzweg & Mike Olden

Ushers

Counters

June 26 — Amy Sigmar

### This Week at MLC

Today, June 12, No Virtual Coffee Hour

8:15am Worship 10am Worship

Columbarium Meeting, library 11:30am

Tuesday, June 14

9am Bible Study, Zoom 11am In Person Bible Study Council Meeting—Zoom 7pm 7pm Magnolia Big Band

Wednesday, June 15

8am Prayer & Meditation, Zoom

7pm Singing with Ann

Thursday, June 16

7-9pm AA, Fireside Room

Friday, June 17

6:30pm AA Big Book, Fireside

AA, Luther Hall 8pm

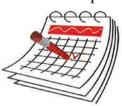
Saturday, June 18

7:30pm Concert for Ukraine,

Luther Hall

Sunday, June 19, Honoring our graduates, 10am

8:15am Worship 10am Worship



### UPDATE ON SINGING WITH **ANN AND CHOIR**

Choir rehearsals have ended for the Summer.

Singing with Ann will resume on Wednesday, June 15th at 7pm!

If you like to make music but can't sing—give the bell choir a try! They play 4 or 5 times a year and practices happen a few weeks leading up to a performance.

Even though rehearsals are over for now, if you would like to join the choir, or bell choir, please contact MLC's awesome music director, Ann Simonson, at ajsimo@comcast.net.

## WOMEN OF THE ELCA VIRTUAL HAPPY HOUR

Cozy up to your laptop or iPad and join our Zoom meeting with your favorite beverage. Just a time for a casual chat and check in. Next Happy Hour is Tuesday, June 21st Watch your inboxes for more information!





### HAPPY BIRTHDAY MARA!!

Saturday, June 11th was MLC's caretaker, Mara Meloy's birthday! Thank you for all that you do to keep our church and grounds looking beautiful!!

# QUILTING AND HAND WORK GROUPS HAVE UNITED!

The first meeting was held Thursday, May 5. They began at 10am and wound things down about 2pm. The invitation is to come when you can and leave when you must. Don't forget to bring a lunch! Coffee will be provided. The decision was made to continue on the second Thursday of the month from 10am—2pm. The next meeting will be on July 12th. They will take a break in July and August but will

All are welcome! If you can tie a knot, we need you! Even if you can't tie a knot, we need you! f you want only to join in fellowship, please come! It's a God thing. Questions? See MLC's parish administrator.

resume on September 8th.

If you don't wish to join, but believe in the mission, donations can be made to the quilters group to help cover the cost of batting, etc. Just note "quilters group" on the memo line.

Participants Kathleen Rowan, Valinda Morse, Ronnie Beckerleg, Barbara Helde, Yuri Sunbury, Mike and



Sherry Hassel, Kay Kurtzweg, Jeanne Moussette and Susan Dively take a break for lunch. Just as important as the quilting and hand work is the camaraderie!

### Please Remember In Prayer

Kelly Kellenberger

Dave Larson

Don Goertzen

Family of Bob McIntosh

Pauline McIntosh

Gail Hendrickson

Family of J.J. Rentel

Family of Barbara Munro

Gudrun Brown (friend of Alice Pease)

Liza & Bill Biscomb (parents of Victoria Watson)

Joi and Todd Arnston (stepdaughter and son in law to Carol Hurlburt)

Kathi Galletly (friend of the Torellis)

Family of David Hoffman (friend of PK's friend)

Family of Elsie Simon

Josephine Wright (mother of LuAnn Mitchell)

Washington Correction Center for Women Maxwell Penn and family (relative of the Ramseys)

Rick Dagg (friend of the Nagys)

Family of Dennis Branstetter (friend of the Nagys)

Long Pham (friend of the Nagys)

If we have inadvertently removed someone whom you wish to remain on the list or if you wish to add someone new, please contact the church office.

## Last Sunday's Attendance

8:15am — 11 10:00 am — 43

### HELPING OUR NEIGHBORS IN NEED

### **NELM-WHERE IT BEGAN**

The Mission began its work in Rock Point in 1954, with the building of a small clinic and nurses' residence. The building was used to attend to patients, house nurses, and even set-up for church services on Sunday's. As the Mission grew, the small clinic expanded into a 2 bed hospital, and for over 40 years served the medical needs of the community. Thanks to a devoted Nurse, Elsie Benson, who worked at the clinic for over 25 of those years, many people were given needed medical treatment. The building was named Benson Hall after the nurse who did so much for the community.

Today the clinic is operated through a partnership with Tachiinii Nursing Services, Inc. Ivan Jones, Nurse and owner, is a Rock Point resident committed to providing the best possible healthcare for the community.

There's still time to get your donations in! June 19th has been set as the deadline to get your clothing donations for the NELM children in. A group from MLC will be traveling to Rockpoint at the end of June and will be taking all of the donations with them to hand deliver to the children. They're going to be so happy! Thank you for your generosity!

# ANOTHER FUNDRAISER FOR UKRAINE!

Russia invaded Ukraine on February 24th, 2022. Who ever thought that over three months later, they would still be at it? At least 46,000 dead, over 400 missing, 15,000 displaced, over 2,000 buildings destroyed and estimated property damage is approximately 600 billion dollars, yes, that says billion, with a "b".

Our bake sale was such a hit and talked about amongst the community, that one resident reached out to MLC and asked if they could use Luther Hall to hold a concert (Rock & Roll from the 60s, 70s & 80s) to benefit Ukraine. The concert will take place on Saturday, June 18th at 7:30pm in Luther Hall. There will be games, food, live music, beer & wine and dancing. There is no fee to get in but lots of opportunities to make a donation to benefit the Ukrainian refugees. There will also be a trio from Ukraine performing. It's sure to be a fun event! Let's see if we can raise another \$11k!



## CAN'T MAKE IT TO ARIZONA? YOU CAN STILL HELP!!

As stated above, the Social Action Committee of MLC is planning a mission trip to the Navajo Evangelical Lutheran Mission (NELM), Rockpoint, Arizona in late June. There will be opportunities to provide sponsorships for four children and one classroom as well as solar panels and generators. The sponsorships for the children include items that are needed for the school, i.e., fuel, food, hygiene, books and supplies. Many of you have voiced your interest in NELM but are unable to go in June. I have been in contact with NELM and have been advised that the current inventory of children's clothes is nonexistent. The items requested are, most especially, underwear, socks, pajamas, athletic clothing, shorts and long pants for both boys and girls. The children range from 5 to 9 years old. We will begin gathering clothes in the Narthex in May. Both gently used and new are welcome. Once again, I am very thankful for this generous congregation. If you find it in your heart to purchase an item or two, it would be most appreciated. Reverend Valinda Morse.

## MAGNOLIA LUTHERAN CHURCH

Share your God-given gifts by giving generously

### Options for sharing God's gifts:

- Sunday offering
- Estate planning, stock/bond gifts
- Online banking through your financial institution
   Payee Magnolia Lutheran Church
   2414 31<sup>st</sup> Ave W, Seattle, WA 98199

Telephone – 206-284-0155

- Computer or smartphone online giving:
- ⇒Credit, Debit, Checking account
- ⇒One-time or recurring gifts

Set up online giving on our website www.MagnoliaLutheranChurch.com/give

### **MLC Has WiFi!**

For those of you who may not know, MLC has wifi available for all who wish to use it! Select "MLC Guest" on your device, the password is:

### TumbleRibs398

(Not for use during church of course)

## **Financial Update**

(YTD through May 31, 2022) \*Actual income — \$122,051 Actual expenses — \$150,282

\*Includes some prepaid pledges.

The adopted budget, YTD P&L and current balance sheet are posted in the coffee hour room and are available upon request.

# Congregation Council 2021-2022

#### **Council Officers:**

President -- Robert Bergeron Vice President -- Victoria Watson Secretary -- Serena Severance Treasurer -- Dwight Dively Financial Secretary -- Alice Pease

Contact council officers at council@magnolialutheran church.com

#### **Council members:**

The year listed is when the member's term ends, in June.

**Audit Committee** 

Victoria Watson (2024)

Columbarium Committee

Robert Bergeron (2022)

Fellowship Committee

Kimberly Milham (2023)

**Finance Committee** 

Serena Severance (2023)

Nominating Committee

Robert Zierman (2022)

**Outreach Committee** 

Olivia Massiamano (2023)

Personnel Committee

Kay Thoreson (2024)

**Property Committee** 

Mike Olden (2022)

**Social Action Committee** 

Shane Ruegamer (2024)

Stewardship Committee

Robert Bergeron, Olivia

Massiamano, Serena Severance

Women of the ELCA

Kimberly Milham, Serena

Severance

Worship & Music Committee

Kay Thorseon (2024)

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Faith Formation—TBD

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### OUR CORE VALUES

- All are welcome here.
- Everybody does something.
- There is no minimum, or maximum age for ministry.
- This is a safe place for all God's children.
- We are good stewards of God's creation.

Altar flowers today are given to the Glory of God by John & Mo Nagy in memory of son, John Nagy Jr. and parents Mac & Louise McKeever.

### SERVANTS TODAY

**Assisting Minister** — Mark Johnson **Lector** — Mark Johnson

Ushers — Amy & Thor Sigmar

Altar Guild — Amy Sigmar

Counters — Noah Wittner

Audio - Johnny Searle

Live Stream—Aaron Stevens

Coffee Hour Host(s) — Addie Buchart & Jim Shanklin

Pastor — Kevin Bates

Director of Music Ministry — Ann Simonson
Caretaker — Mara Meloy
Parish Administrator — Nancy Searle
Ministers — All the Baptized Children of God

# Affirmation of Welcome

Magnolia Lutheran Church is a place where everyone can find a welcoming, caring, friendly home. Here is a sanctuary filled with the love and grace of our Lord and modeled by our Savior, Jesus Christ.

We believe God's love is for everyone and so commit to provide inclusive acceptance, spiritual nourishment, inspiring kindness and a gracious and loving faith community.

We believe all of God's creations are holy and welcome to receive the sacraments, and to share in fellowship and service here. All people of every ability, race, family or marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity, economic condition and background belong here, **Reconciling** In Christ, as children of God.

All are beautiful as they are. All are part of God's masterpiece.

—January 2015. All are loved as they are. All are welcome here.

