

MAGNOLIA LUTHERAN CHURCH

AUGUST 21, 2022



When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said,
“Woman, you are set free.”

–Luke 13 ;12

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Pentecost 11

August 21, 2022

WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE

When Peace Like a River

Phillip P. Bliss

GATHERING HYMN

O Day of Rest and Gladness

#521 ELW



1 O day of rest and glad - ness, O day of joy and light,
2 On you, at earth's cre - a - tion, the light first had its birth;
3 To - day on wea - ry na - tions the heav'n-ly man-na falls;
4 New grac-es ev - er gain - ing from this our day of rest,



O balm for care and sad - ness, most beau - ti - ful, most bright:
on you, for our sal - va - tion, Christ rose from depths of earth;
to ho - ly con - vo - ca - tions the sil - ver trum-pet calls,
we reach the rest re - main - ing to spir - its of the blest.



on you the high and low - ly, through a - ges joined in tune,
on you, our Lord vic - to - rious the Spir - it sent from heav'n;
where gos-pel light is glow - ing with pure and ra - diant beams
We sing to you our prais - es, O Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son;



sing, "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly," to the great God tri - une.
and thus on you, most glo - rious, a three-fold light was giv'n.
and liv - ing wa - ter flow - ing with soul - re - fresh-ing streams.
the church its voice up - rais - es to you, blest Three in One.

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.**

HYMN OF PRAISE

Now the Feast and Celebration

M. Haugen

Refrain

Now the feast and cel - e - bra-tion, all of cre -

a - tion sings for joy to the God of

life and love and free-dom; praise and glo - ry for -

ev - er - more!

To verses

1 Now is the feast of the Lamb once

slain, whose blood has freed and u -

ni - ted us to be one great peo - ple of

God.

Refrain

2 Pow-er and rich-es, wis-dom and might, all hon - or and

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glo - ry to Christ for - ev - er.

3 For God has come to dwell with us,

to make us peo - ple of God; to make

all things new.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God, mighty and immortal, you know that as fragile creatures surrounded by great dangers, we cannot by ourselves stand upright. Give us strength of mind and body, so that even when we suffer because of human sin, we may rise victorious through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

FIRST READING: Isaiah 58:9b-14

^{9b}If you remove the yoke from among you, the pointing of the finger, the speaking of evil,
¹⁰if you offer your food to the hungry and satisfy the needs of the afflicted,
then your light shall rise in the darkness and your gloom be like the noonday. ¹¹The LORD
will guide you continually, and satisfy your needs in parched places, and make your bones
strong; and you shall be like a watered garden, like a spring of water, whose waters never
fail. ¹²Your ancient ruins shall be rebuilt; you shall raise up the foundations of many gen-
erations; you shall be called the repairer of the breach, the restorer of streets to live in.

¹³If you refrain from trampling the sabbath, from pursuing your own interests on my holy
day; if you call the sabbath a delight and the holy day of the LORD honorable; if you hon-
or it, not going your own ways, serving your own interests, or pursuing your own affairs;
¹⁴then you shall take delight in the LORD, and I will make you ride upon the heights of the
earth; I will feed you with the heritage of your ancestor Jacob, for the mouth of the LORD
has spoken.

Holy Words. Holy Wisdom. **Thanks be to God.**

SECOND READING: Hebrews 12:18-29

¹⁸You have not come to something that can be touched, a blazing fire, and darkness, and gloom, and a tempest, ¹⁹and the sound of a trumpet, and a voice whose words made the hearers beg that not another word be spoken to them. ²⁰(For they could not endure the order that was given, “If even an animal touches the mountain, it shall be stoned to death.”

²¹Indeed, so terrifying was the sight that Moses said, “I tremble with fear.”) ²²But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, ²³and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, ²⁴and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.

²⁵See that you do not refuse the one who is speaking; for if they did not escape when they refused the one who warned them on earth, how much less will we escape if we reject the one who warns from heaven! ²⁶At that time his voice shook the earth; but now he has promised, “Yet once more I will shake not only the earth but also the heaven.” ²⁷This phrase, “Yet once more,” indicates the removal of what is shaken—that is, created things—so that what cannot be shaken may remain. ²⁸Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us give thanks, by which we offer to God an acceptable worship with reverence and awe; ²⁹for indeed our God is a consuming fire.

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

M. Haugen



Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?



You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al-le-lu - ia!

GOSPEL: Luke 13:10-17

Before the reading: **Glory to you, O Lord!**

¹⁰Now [Jesus] was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath. ¹¹And just then there appeared a woman with a spirit that had crippled her for eighteen years. She was bent over and was quite unable to stand up straight. ¹²When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, “Woman, you are set free from your ailment.” ¹³When he laid his hands on her, immediately she stood up straight and began praising God. ¹⁴But the leader of the synagogue,

indignant because Jesus had cured on the sabbath, kept saying to the crowd, "There are six days on which work ought to be done; come on those days and be cured, and not on the sabbath day." ¹⁵But the Lord answered him and said, "You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger, and lead it away to give it water? ¹⁶And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen long years, be set free from this bondage on the sabbath day?" ¹⁷When he said this, all his opponents were put to shame; and the entire crowd was rejoicing at all the wonderful things that he was doing.

After the reading: Praise to you, O Christ!

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

SERMON

HYMN

Praise, Praise! You Are my Rock

#862 ELW



1 Praise, praise! You are my rock. The wind, the waves are high. You hold me
 2 Praise, praise! You are my rock. My des - ert sand is dry. You break the
 3 Praise, praise! You are my rock. You calm the fear and pain. One word of
 4 Praise, praise! You are my rock. You host the ta - ble set. We break the



when the waves are strong. You hold me lest I die, I die.
 rock, a riv - er flows. You hear me when I cry, I cry.
 faith and I am well, I rise to praise and walk a - gain.
 bread, we drink the cup; we know whom we have met, have met.



Praise, praise! O God, you are my rock.

5 Praise, praise! You are my rock.
 The Easter grave is sealed;
 you roll the stone—you, God, alone—
 then sin and death are healed, are healed.
 Praise, praise! O God, you are my rock.

6 Praise, praise! You are my rock.
 You stood high on a hill.
 A holy cloud: you are on high.
 Be still, my heart, be still, be still.
 Praise, praise! O God, you are my rock.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Merciful God, receive our prayer.

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST
ANNOUNCEMENTS
CELEBRATING HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving

♪ The Lord be with you. ♪ And al - so with you.
 ♪ Lift up your hearts. ♪ We lift them to the Lord.
 ♪ Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
 ♪ It is right to give God thanks and praise.

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:

♪ Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly are you, God of pow - er and might;
 Heav - en and earth are filled with your glo - ry. Ho - san-na in the
 high - est! Bless-èd is the One who comes in your name.
 Ho - san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high-est!

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:

Congregation:

A - men. Come, Lord Je - sus.

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The musical notation consists of two staves. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#), and a common time signature (C). The melody is written on a single line. The lyrics 'A - men. Come, Lord Je - sus.' are placed below the notes. The second staff is identical to the first, ending with a double bar line.

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 that our lives may anticipate that day when you will make all things new.

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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

All are invited to the Table. Come as you wish. The ushers will guide you by row.

The pastor distributes the bread. Others will distribute wine and grape juice. Simply take a pre-poured glass and return it to the empty tray.

We use White Grape Juice. This juice is lighter in color and located in the center of the tray.

The people are welcome and invited to sing during communion.

Singing during Communion:

Lamb of God



☐ Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world:
☐ Lamb of God, you break the chains of ha - tred and fear:
☐ Lamb of God, you are the way of jus - tice and peace:
☐ Lamb of God, you are the way of mer - cy and love:
☐ Lamb of God, you pour the Ho - ly Spi - rit on us:

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have mer-cy on us, mer-cy on us, mer-cy on us.
Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world:
grant us peace, grant us peace, grant us peace.

Communion Hymn

Here is Bread

#483 ELW

1 Here is bread, here is wine, Christ is with us,
2 Here is grace, here is peace, Christ is with us,
3 Here we are, joined in one, Christ is with us,
he is with us. Break the bread, taste the wine,
he is with us. Know his grace, find his peace,
he is with us. We'll pro - claim till he comes
Christ is with us here.
feast on Je - sus here.
Je - sus cru - ci - fied.

Refrain

In this bread there is heal - ing, in this cup is
life for - ev - er. In this mo - ment, by the Spir - it,
Christ is with us here.

WE ARE SENT OUT TO LOVE

SENDING BLESSING

SENDING HYMN

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

#858 ELW



1 Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre - a - tion!
2 Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is won-drous-ly reign - ing
3 Praise to the Lord, who will pros - per your work and de - fend you;
4 Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is in me a - dore him!



O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and sal - va - tion!
and, as on wings of an ea - gle, up - lift - ing, sus - tain - ing.
sure - ly his good - ness and mer - cy shall dai - ly at - tend you.
All that has life and breath, come now with prais - es be - fore him!



Let all who hear now to his tem - ple draw near,
Have you not seen all that is need - ful has been
Pon - der a - new what the Al - might - y can do
Let the a - men sound from his peo - ple a - gain.



join - ing in glad ad - o - ra - tion!
sent by his gra - cious or - dain - ing?
if with his love he be - friend you.
Glad - ly for - ev - er a - dore him!

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Love your neighbor! **Thanks be to God!**

POSTLUDE

What the World Needs Now is Love

Burt Bacharach

SERVANT'S SCHEDULE

Assisting Minister

Aug 28 — Thom Eaton

Sept 4 — TBD

Lector

Aug 28 — Thom Eaton

Sept 4 — TBD

Altar Preparation

Aug 28 — Amy Sigmar

Sept 4 — Amy Sigmar

Counters

Aug 28 — John Valiton

Sept 4 — Noah Wittner

Coffee Hour Hosts

Aug 28 — Fellowship Committee

Sept 4 — TBD

Ushers

Aug 28 — Rob Rowan and Noah Wittner

Sept 4 — Amy and Thor Sigmar

This Week at MLC

Today, August 21

8:15am Worship

10am Worship

Tuesday, August 23

9am Bible Study, Zoom

11am In Person Bible Study

7pm Magnolia Big Band

Wednesday, August 24

12noon Meet for Mariners Game-High Schoolers

Thursday, August 25

7-9pm AA, Fireside Room

Friday, August 26

8pm AA, Luther Hall

Sunday, August 28

8:15am Worship

10am Worship



NEW INFO ON SINGING WITH ANN AND CHOIR

Just a reminder that the last Singing with Ann was on Wednesday, August 10th, there will be no more for the summer.

Choir and Bell Choir will be starting up in the fall, all are welcome!

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

Please contact MLC's awesome music director, Ann Simonson, at ajsimo@comcast.net.

WOMEN OF THE ELCA VIRTUAL HAPPY HOUR

The ladies have decided to put the virtual happy hour on hold for now. Please watch your inboxes and bulletins for more information on when it might return.



BIBLES IN MANY LANGUAGES NEEDED FOR THE ATRIUM!

We are starting to develop level 2 of our Atrium, geared to children ages 6-12! This means we are adding new materials geared to the big scope of children at this age, and the big questions they wonder about, like:

- Who is God?
- Where was I before I was born?
- Who was with God at the beginning of Creation?
- What is life?
- Who am I in God's plan for the world?

These older children also wonder about the many languages and cultures present around the world. One way we will meet their curiosity is to provide a group of Bibles in languages other than English, to illustrate that the Bible is used by people of many cultures, in many languages, all over the world.

If you have a Bible you no longer need, in a language other than English, we would love to add it to our small collection of Bibles in many languages. It will have a good home, and be used with care! If you'd like to contribute a Bible, please call or text Marcia Bates at 206-604-7888. Thank you!!!!

QUILTING AND HAND WORK GROUPS HAVE UNITED!

The invitation for quilting and hand work is open! So come when you can and leave when you must. The decision was made to continue on the second Thursday of the month from 10am—2pm. They will take a break in July and August but will resume on **September 8th**. Don't forget to bring a lunch! Coffee will be provided. No need to RSVP—just show up!

Questions? Contact the office at 206-284-0155.



Please Remember In Prayer

Kelly Kellenberger
Dave Larson
Family of 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)
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)
Family of Susan Engquist (sister of Jennifer Kroeger, aunt to Katherine and Kasey Kroeger).

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 — 55

COMMUNITY EVENTS



LOOK!

TAKING THE HIGH SCHOOLERS OUT TO THE BALLGAME!

High School students at Magnolia Lutheran Church will be at T-Mobile Park on Wednesday, August 24. Mariners v. Washington Nationals. The game starts at 1:10pm. Plan to meet at the church at 12noon. Please let us know you are coming by **Aug 19**. Tickets are \$15. Feel free to invite a friend. Parents/adults welcome!



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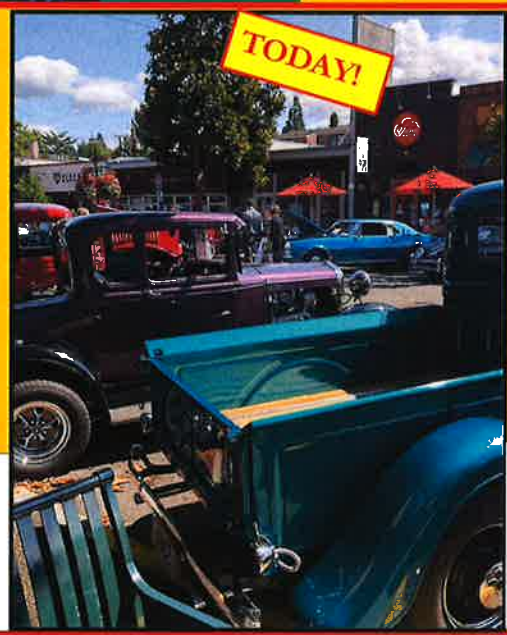
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MAGNOLIA VILLAGE

AUGUST 21ST, 2022
8:00 AM-3:30 PM

2 BLOCKS ON WEST MCGRAW STREET,
BETWEEN 32ND AVE W AND 34TH AVE W



CAR SHOW!

Magnolia Village's 31st annual Vintage Car Show.

See classic cars of all shapes and sizes, **including Lance Grimsby, MLC member's awesome 1963 Nova!**

NO FEE TO ATTEND

LOOK!



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 31st 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 July 31, 2022)

*Actual income — \$187,474

Actual expenses — \$206,351

***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

Council members:

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

Audit Committee

Victoria Watson (2024)

Columbarium Committee

Robert Bergeron (2025)

Fellowship Committee

Kimberly Milham (2023)

Finance Committee

Serena Severance (2023)

Shane Ruegamer (2024)

Nominating Committee

Serena Severance (2023)

Outreach Committee

Olivia Massimiano (2023)

Personnel Committee

Kay Thoreson (2024)

Property Committee

Johnny Searle (2025)

Social Action Committee

Shane Ruegamer (2024)

Lyle Morse (2025)

Stewardship Committee

All Council

Women of the ELCA

Kimberly Milham (2023)

Serena Severance (2023)

Worship & Music Committee

Kay Thoreson (2024)

Faith Formation

Olivia Massimiano (2023)

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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 Valiton and Donna Cowan in honor of their 24th wedding anniversary. Happy Anniversary John and Donna!

SERVANTS TODAY

Substitute Musician — David Little

Assisting Minister — Mark Johnson

Lector — Mark Johnson

Ushers — Rob Rowan and Noah Wittner

Altar Guild — Amy Sigmar

Counters — Ralph Hendrickson

Audio— Johnny Searle

Live Stream—Aaron Stevens

Coffee Hour Host(s) — John Valiton & Donna Cowan

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.

