

MAGNOLIA LUTHERAN CHURCH  
June 6, 2021  
10am



*Prelude*

Now We Join in Celebration

Donald Busarow

*Welcome and Introductions*

*Greeting*

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

*Kyrie Eleison*

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of  
the church of God, and for the unity of all, let us  
pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For this holy house, and for all who offer here  
their worship and praise, let us pray to  
the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

Help, save, comfort and defend us, gracious Lord. **Amen.**

*Prayer of the Day*

All-powerful God, in Jesus Christ you turned death into life and defeat  
into victory. Increase our faith and trust in him, that we may triumph over  
all evil in the strength of the same Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.  
**Amen.**

*Scripture Readings*

**Psalm:** Psalm 130

<sup>1</sup>Out | of the depths

I cry to | you, O LORD;

<sup>2</sup>**O LORD, | hear my voice!**

**Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my | supplication.**

<sup>3</sup>If you were to keep watch | over sins,  
O LORD, | who could stand?

<sup>4</sup>**Yet with you | is forgiveness,  
in order that you | may be feared.**

<sup>5</sup>I wait for you, O LORD; | my soul waits;  
in your word | is my hope.

<sup>6</sup>**My soul waits for the Lord more than those who keep watch |  
for the morning,  
more than those who keep watch | for the morning.**

<sup>7</sup>O Israel, wait for the LORD, for with the LORD there is | steadfast love;  
with the LORD there is plen- | teous redemption.

<sup>8</sup>**For the LORD shall | redeem Israel  
from | all their sins.**

**Gospel: Mark 3:20-35**

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

[Jesus went home;] <sup>20</sup>and the crowd came together again, so that [Jesus and the disciples] could not even eat. <sup>21</sup>When his family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, “He has gone out of his mind.” <sup>22</sup>And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, “He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons.” <sup>23</sup>And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, “How can Satan cast out Satan? <sup>24</sup>If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. <sup>25</sup>And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. <sup>26</sup>And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but his end has come. <sup>27</sup>But no one can enter a strong man’s house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man; then indeed the house can be plundered.

<sup>28</sup>“Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; <sup>29</sup>but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin”—<sup>30</sup>for they had said, “He has an unclean spirit.”

<sup>31</sup>Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. <sup>32</sup>A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, “Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.” <sup>33</sup>And he replied, “Who are my mother and my brothers?” <sup>34</sup>And looking at those who sat around him, he said, “Here are my mother and my brothers! <sup>35</sup>Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.”

*After the reading: Praise to you, O Christ!*

*Homily*

*Special Music*

Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service

Anne Krentz Organ  
*Olivia Simonson, Flute*

*Apostle's Creed*

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen**

*Prayers of the People*

Lord in Your Mercy, **hear our prayer.**

*The 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,  
and the power, and the glory,  
forever and ever. Amen.**

*Announcements*

*Sending Blessing*

*Postlude*

Prelude in C Major

J.S. Bach

If you wish to join MLC for the coffee hour at 11am, please contact our Parish Administrator, Nancy, at

206-284-0155 or

[parishadmin@magnolialutheranchurch.com](mailto:parishadmin@magnolialutheranchurch.com)

She will be happy to send you a link!



SAVE THE DATE!  
CONGREGATIONAL  
MEETING

SUNDAY, JUNE 13TH, 11AM



We have been putting together recordings with as many voices from MLC as possible to play as the Hymn of the Day during the live stream Worship services on Sundays. You've probably heard some of them if you tune in to Sunday's service.

**We would like to add your voice!**

Watch your inboxes for your next recording opportunity and give it a try

### ONLINE MEETINGS

**Bible Study will meet as usual on June 8th, Singing With Ann will meet on June 9th and Let's Chat will meet on June 10th.**

**After those meetings, there will be no more Zoom meetings until further notice! Watch for a new schedule with new topics coming soon!**



LOOKING FOR A WAY TO  
SERVE OUR NEIGHBORS?

A Ministry of Healing, Hope, and Restoration

The Matt Talbot Center (2313 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, Seattle) is looking for people to provide and prepare meals for their clients. Their outreach program primarily involves volunteers preparing and serving meals to our clients. During COVID, however, volunteers are dropping off the meals at the center so that MTC staff can take them to the clients.

Current need is for breakfast and lunch Mondays-Fridays to feed around 30 clients. Meals can be home-made. Most volunteers provide meals on a one meal per month basis.

For more information, contact Cody Harvey at 206-256-9865 or [codyH@ccsww.org](mailto:codyH@ccsww.org)

### HYGIENE ITEMS NEEDED!

Compass Housing Alliance is in need of hygiene items for homeless adults. WestSide Baby needs the same, except their need is for babies. In the past we have asked that you bring in kits, however, they would rather have the loose items so that they can assemble the kits themselves. Shampoo, conditioner, toothbrushes, toothpaste (small), deodorant (small), soap, bags (zipper ; baby shampoo, diapers/pull-ups, wipes, diaper cream, bottles, sippy cups, pacifiers, etc. Please drop the items off in the marked box in MLC's breezeway. Thank you in advance for your never-ending generosity!



WestSide Baby  
*basics for children in need*

COMPASS  
HOUSING  
ALLIANCE

NEW!

IMPORTANT!

**Still Looking!**

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN THE LIVE STREAM TEAM? USHER, COUNT?**

MLC is still a little ways off from in person services, however, it's not too early to start thinking about what we'll need when we do open back up. One thing we need is volunteers.

We're going to need ushers, counters, sound techs and more help for the live stream team.

If you have any interest in volunteering for one or more of these positions, please contact the church office at 206-284-0155 or send an email to the address listed below.

Thank you in advance for your help!!

Questions?:

[parishadmin@magnolialutheranchurch.com](mailto:parishadmin@magnolialutheranchurch.com)

**AUDIT COMMITTEE**

Magnolia Lutheran Church is also looking for at least two members that would be willing to serve on the audit committee. Every year MLC is required to do an audit of the financial books in accordance with the constitution.

The audit simply involves verifying the balances of all assets listed on the financial statements, the balance of all liabilities, that the deposits and expenses are accurately summarized in the financial statements and anything else the audit committee deems necessary. It is only done once a year and takes a few hours. If this is something you would be able to help with, please contact Dave Heinen at

[dave@barkingdogdesign.biz](mailto:dave@barkingdogdesign.biz)



**For those who missed John Valiton and Lyle Morse's presentation on Thursday, here is what MLC's Social Action Committee has in the works:**

**MAGNOLIA LUTHERAN CHURCH  
SOLAR GENERATOR PROJECT**

**Navaho Evangelical Lutheran Mission, Rock Point Arizona**

Few know the challenges created by hunger, drought, job insecurity or loss like the Navajo. For those whose registered tribal home is Rock Point Arizona, about 173,000 in number, the distance between home and help of any kind is a minimum of 50 miles. For most healthcare, jobs and supplies require a full day plus a working vehicle, fuel and travel food to gather provisions needed for home and family... just to return to a home without electricity or running water. Less than half the households have both; this represents 70,000 individuals!

The solar charged generator project is designed to provide an affordable stand-alone solar system which can power many needs in a household. Lighting for nighttime medications and study, power for an electric blanket for nighttime warmth, enough power to run a small refrigerator and of course to charge devices. These very basic needs can be addressed with the solar powered generators which have become more affordable and dependable. MLC's goal will be to provide 5 households with power. Stay tuned for more information on how you can help!





# ZOOM MEETINGS AND OTHER INFORMATION



## WOMAN OF THE ELCA VIRTUAL HAPPY HOUR

Come join us for a virtual happy hour with the ladies from MLC ! The third Monday of the month at 7pm. Just a time for a casual chat and check in. **This is a “no-host” meeting, just log in to the link that will be sent to you and wait for others to join!**

Questions:

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## SINGING WITH ANN!

**NEW!**

Singing With Ann will take a break after **Wednesday, June 9th.**

There may be some singing during the summer! Dates to be determined. Watch your inboxes for more info regarding dates!



**LAST MEETING JUNE 8th!**



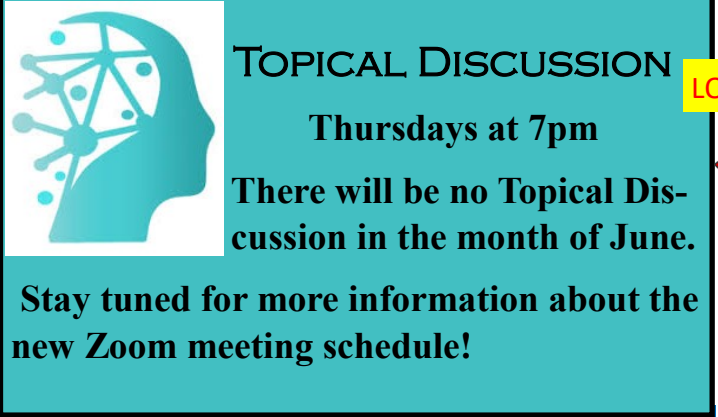
The floor is open to chat about anything and everything. You start the conversation! So tune in on Thursdays at 11am and Let's

**LAST MEETING IS JUNE 10TH!**



**LOOK!**

**LAST MEETING WAS JUNE 1ST!**



**LOOK!**

There will be no Topical Discussion in the month of June.

Stay tuned for more information about the new Zoom meeting schedule!



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**LAST MEETING WAS JUNE 2ND!**



If you were receiving the emails but aren't now, please check your spam and trash.

**Please Remember  
In Prayer**

Daniel Meloy  
Linda Kellenberger  
Dave Larson  
Brian Rowse, DVM (cousin of the Backmans)  
Don Goertzen  
Erika Simonson  
Josephine Wright (mother of LuAnn Mitchell)  
Family of Kevin Beneke (brother-in-law of Barb Heinen)  
Family of Bob McIntosh  
Pauline McIntosh  
Vickie Edmondson  
Family of Nina Steidl  
Family of Helen Kack  
Family of J.J. Rentel  
Family of William Olden  
Family of Barbara Munro  
Samantha Scheiber  
Gudrun Brown (friend of Alice Pease)  
Brian Reiersen and Julia Christianson (recovering from car accident)  
Kay Thoreson  
Georgia Backman  
Gail Hendrickson  
Liza & Bill Biscomb (parents of Victoria Watson)  
Joi and Todd Arntson (stepdaughter and son in law to Carol Hurlburt)  
Irene Long  
The Board of Trustees at the Hearthstone  
Kathi Galletly (friend of the Torellis)  
Jonathan Drugge (son of friends of Kay Thoreson)

*If you wish to add someone to the prayer  
list, please contact the church office.*

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**Financial Update  
Through May 2021**

\*Income — \$ 164,267

Expenses — \$ 133,977

\*Includes Prepaid Pledges

**Congregation  
Council 2020-2021**

**Council Officers:**

President -- Serena Severance  
Vice President -- Dave Heinen  
Secretary -- Bob Bergeron  
Treasurer -- Dwight Dively  
Financial Secretary -- Alice Pease

Contact council officers at  
[council@magnolialutheranchurch.com](mailto:council@magnolialutheranchurch.com)

**Council members and Committees**

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

**Audit**

Dave Heinen (2021)

**Columbarium**

Robert Bergeron (2022)

**Faith Formation**

Deborah Ramsey (2021)

**Fellowship**

Deborah Ramsey (2021)

Kimberly Milham (2023)

**Finance**

Serena Severance (2020)

**Nominating**

Dave Heinen (2021)

**Outreach**

Olivia Massimiano (2023)

**Personnel**

Kay Thoreson (2021)

**Property**

Mike Olden (2022)

**Social Action**

Bob Zierman (2023)

**Stewardship**

Robert Bergeron (2022)

Olivia Massimiano (2023)

**Women of the ELCA**

Serena Severance (2023)

Kimberly Milham (2023)

**Worship and Music**

Kay Thoreson (2021)



**MAGNOLIA  
LUTHERAN CHURCH**

Share your God-given gifts by giving generously

- Sunday Offering
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- 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-1](http://www.magnolialutheranchurch.com/give-1)**

### Additional Ways to Give

We are pleased to let you know that we have two additional ways to give! First, you will notice that there is a QR code printed on this page. A QR code is a quick-response bar code that can be scanned by your cell phone's QR reader or camera, and re-direct you to a website. Just open your camera and point it at the code, then open the link it gives you on your screen. Our QR code will take you directly to the MLC giving platform. Secondly, MLC now has a PayPal account!

The "PayPal" link is on our giving homepage, and will allow you to give directly to the church and other organizations that MLC sponsors, and is another option for setting up recurring payments. If you have any questions about these two giving options, please let us know!

You can send an email to Nancy at  
[parishadmin@magnolialutheranchurch.com](mailto:parishadmin@magnolialutheranchurch.com).





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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.

**Pastor** — Kevin Bates

**Director of Music Ministry** — Ann Simonson

**Flute** – Olivia Simonson

**Parish Administrator** — Nancy Searle

**Caretaker** — Mara Meloy

**Nursery Attendant** — Diana Frederich

**Ministers** — All the Baptized Children of God

**Live Stream Production** — Evan Kelly, Mark Kelly, Aaron Stevens and Michael Lord