

MAGNOLIA LUTHERAN CHURCH
July 4, 2021
10am



Prelude If You But Trust in God to Guide You Michael Costello

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

God of the covenant, in our baptism you call us to proclaim the
coming of your kingdom. Give us the courage you gave the apostles,
that we may faithfully witness to your love and peace in every
circumstance of life, in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and
Lord.

Amen.

Scripture Readings

First Reading: Job 38:1-11

¹Then the Lord answered Job out of the whirlwind:

²"Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? ³Gird up your loins like a man, I will question you, and you shall declare to me. ⁴"Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding. ⁵Who determined its measurements surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? ⁶On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone ⁷when the morning stars sang together and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy? ⁸"Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb? ⁹when I made the clouds its garment, and thick darkness its swaddling band, ¹⁰and prescribed bounds for it, and set bars and doors, ¹¹and said, 'Thus far shall you come, and no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stopped'?

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

Gospel: Mark 4:35-41

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

³⁵ On that day, when evening had come, he said to them, let us go across to the other side. ³⁶ And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. ³⁷ A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. ³⁸ But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing? ³⁹ He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, -Peace! Be still! Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. ⁴⁰ He said to them, -Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith? ⁴¹ And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, -Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?

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

Homily

Hymn

All Creatures, Worship God Most High

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- 1 All crea-tures, wor-ship God most high! Sound ev - 'ry voice in earth and
- 2 Sing, broth - er wind; with clouds and rain you grow the gifts of fruit and
- 3 Sing, broth - er fire, so mirth-ful, strong; drive far the shad-ows, join the
- 4 All who for love of God for - give, all who in pain or sor - row



sky: Al-le - lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia! Sing, broth - er sun, in splen-dor
 grain: Al-le - lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia! Dear sis - ter wa - ter, use - ful,
 throng: Al-le - lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia! Dear moth - er earth, so rich in
 grieve: Al-le - lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia! Christ bears your bur-dens and your



bright; sing, sis - ter moon and stars of night:
 clear, make mu - sic for your Lord to hear: Al-le - lu - ia, al-le -
 care, praise God in col - ors bright and rare:
 fears; still make your song a - mid the tears:



lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia!

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

O God, Our Help in Ages Past

Paul Manz

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

She will be happy to send you a link!



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!



WOMAN OF THE ELCA VIRTUAL HAPPY HOUR

The ladies of MLC have decided to continue Happy Hour on the third Monday of the month at **7:30**. Please email Nancy if you would like to be added to the invite list!

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ONLINE MEETINGS

All Zoom meetings have concluded for the time being. Stay tuned for upcoming topics and schedule for more meetings to be held in the near future.

Watch your in boxes!! This includes Singing with Ann. **The Ladies group will continue to meet on the third Monday of the month at 7:30pm.**



MAGNOLIA LUTHERAN CHURCH'S FIRST IN-PERSON SERVICE WILL BE JULY 11TH AT 9:00AM

After much discussion and with a lot of thought, MLC's Council has decided to hold the first post-pandemic, in person service on Sunday, July 11th. **For now, there will be one service at 9:00am.**

Watch your mailboxes for the complete re-opening plan!

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

IMPORTANT NEWS!

LADIES



MLC NEEDS YOUR HELP!

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

ARE YOU FEELING CREATIVE?

MLC has a lot of bulletin boards that need sprucing up. We have the theme for each one, but could use some help putting those themes together and on the boards. If you would be able to help, it would be much appreciated!

Please contact Nancy at:

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We celebrate our freedom on the 4th of July, or Independence Day, but our real freedom came at the expense of God's own Son. It was a freedom from the bondage of sin because of Jesus, Who died for all who would believe in Him, and, truly, we were free at last.



For those who missed John Valiton and Lyle Morse's presentation, 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!

**Please Remember
In Prayer**

Daniel Meloy
Linda
KellenbergerDave
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 2021-2022**

Council Officers:

President – Robert Bergeron
Vice President – Valerie Watson
Secretary—Kimberly Milham
Treasurer -- Dwight Dively
Financial Secretary-- Alice Pease

Contact council officers at
council@magnolialutheranchurch.com

Council members and Committees

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

*Committees for the next term have not
been assigned yet.*

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)

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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-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
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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

Parish Administrator — Nancy Searle

Caretaker — Mara Meloy

Ministers — All the Baptized Children of God

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