



*The Rite of Ordination
and Installation of
Marty L. Wyatt*

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PRELUDE

John Helgen

WELCOME

Pastor Lauren J. Wrightsman

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Come Thou Fount Of Every Blessing

ELW 807

**Come, thou Fount of ev'ry blessing, tune my heart to sing thy grace;
streams of mercy, never ceasing, calls for songs of loudest praise.
While the hope of endless glory fills my heart with joy and love,
teach me ever to adore thee; may I still thy goodness prove.**

**Here I raise my Ebenezer: "Hither by thy help I've come";
And I hope, by thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home.
Jesus sought me when a stranger, wand'ring from the fold of God;
He, to rescue me from danger, interposed his precious blood.**

**Oh, to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be;
let that grace now like a fetter bind my wand'ring heart to thee.
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it; prone to leave the God I love.
Here's my heart, oh, take and seal it; seal it for thy courts above.**

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Pastor Brice Bloxham

Most merciful God,

We confess that we are stuck in sin and cannot get free on our own. We have judged others. We have preferred the ease and simplicity of placing others into boxes instead of the complexity of getting to know one another as siblings. We have contributed to and often benefited from systems that maintain the power of a privileged few. We have remained silent in the face of prejudice. Through both our action and inaction, war, poverty, injustice, and environmental degradation continue on massive scales. We have ignored your prophets and turned from your command to put you first and neighbor second. Forgive our ignorance. Forgive our weakness. Forgive our sin. May your love overwhelm us, your peace disturb us, and your spirit move us so that we cannot help but do your will at all times and in all places, always glorifying your name. Amen.

Written by Rev. Elizabeth Rawlings for Disrupt Worship Project, adapted by Marty Wyatt

Presider: Hear this good news: that God, who is full of grace and mercy has already forgiven you all your sins and counts them against you no more. You are God's beloved. Go on your way today knowing that you are freed from sin because of Jesus Christ's redemptive work for your sake. In the name of God – our Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer. Amen

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Presider: Almighty and merciful God, you built your church on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, and you instituted the office of the ministry of word and sacrament so that the apostolic and prophetic work might continue throughout the ages. Grant that Marty, now to be ordained, may carry out this ministry faithfully in the power of your Spirit; through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen

Word

FIRST READING

Micah 6:1-8

Sarah Wyatt

Hear what the Lord says:

Rise, plead your case before the mountains,
and let the hills hear your voice.

Hear, you mountains, the controversy of the Lord,
and you enduring foundations of the earth;
for the Lord has a controversy with his people,
and he will contend with Israel.

"O my people, what have I done to you?

In what have I wearied you? Answer me!

For I brought you up from the land of Egypt,
and redeemed you from the house of slavery;
and I sent before you Moses,

Aaron, and Miriam.

O my people, remember now what King Balak of Moab devised,
what Balaam son of Beor answered him,
and what happened from Shittim to Gilgal,
that you may know the saving acts of the Lord.

With what shall I come before the Lord,
and bow myself before God on high?

Shall I come before him with burnt-offerings,
with calves a year old?

Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams,
with tens of thousands of rivers of oil?

Shall I give my firstborn for my transgression,
the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?'

He has told you, O mortal, what is good;
and what does the Lord require of you
but to do justice, and to love kindness,
and to walk humbly with your God?"

R: Word of God. Word of life

All: Thanks be to God

SECOND READING

Romans 8:33-39

Laura Wyatt

Who will bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? It is Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us. Who will separate us from the love of Christ? Will hardship, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? As it is written,

'For your sake we are being killed all day long;
we are accounted as sheep to be slaughtered.'

No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

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Jesus said, "Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air; they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? And can any of you by worrying add a single hour to your span of life? And why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not clothed like one of these. But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which is alive today and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you—you of little faith? Therefore do not worry, saying, 'What will we eat?' or 'What will we drink?' or 'What will we wear?' For it is the Gentiles who strive for all these things; and indeed your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. But strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well."

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SERMON

Pastor Cassie Nault

HYMN OF THE DAY

Be Thou My Vision

ELW 793

**Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
naught be all else to me, save that thou art:
thou my best thought by day and by night,
waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.**

**Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true word;
I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord.
Thou my soul's shelter, thou my high tow'r,
raise thou me heav'n ward, O Pow'r of my pow'r.**

**Riches I heed not, nor vain, empty praise,
thou mine inheritance, now and always:
thou and thou only, the first in my heart,
great God of heaven, my treasure thou art.**

**Light of my soul, after victory won,
may I reach heaven's joys, O heaven's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever be fall,
still be my vision, O Ruler of all.**

APOSTLES' CREED

Deacon Abby Matter

**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**

Rite of Ordination

INTRODUCTION

Bishop Patricia Lull

PRESENTATION

Bishop Tessa Moon Leiseth

I present for ordination to the ministry of word and sacrament Marty L. Wyatt, who has been prepared, examined, and approved for this ministry and who has been called by the church to this ministry through Roseville Lutheran Church.

All: Thanks be to God.

ADDRESS AND QUESTIONS

Bishop: All baptized Christians are called to share in Christ's ministry of love and service in the world, to the glory of God and for the sake of the human family and the whole creation. According to apostolic usage you are now to be entrusted with the office of word and sacrament in the one holy catholic church by the laying on of hands and by prayer.

A reading from John:

Teresa Burns

Jesus said, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you. Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained." (John 20:21-23)

A reading from Matthew:

Bruce Wyatt

Jesus said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age." (Matthew 28:18-20)

A reading from First Corinthians:

Heidi Wyatt

I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way he took the cup also, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes. (1 Corinthians 11:23-26)

Bishop: Before almighty God, to whom you must give account, and in the presence of this assembly, I ask:
Will you assume this office,
believing that the church's call is God's call
to the ministry of word and sacrament?

Marty: I will, and I ask God to help me.

Bishop: The church in which you are to be ordained
confesses that the holy scriptures are the word of God and are the norm of its faith and life.
We accept, teach, and confess the Apostles', the Nicene, and the Athanasian Creeds.
We also acknowledge the Lutheran confessions
as true witnesses and faithful expositions of the holy scriptures.
Will you therefore preach and teach in accordance with the holy scriptures
and these creeds and confessions?

Marty: I will, and I ask God to help me.

Bishop: Will you be diligent in your study of the holy scriptures
and faithful in your use of the means of grace?
Will you pray for God's people,
nourish them with the word and sacraments,
and lead them by your own example in faithful service and holy living?

Marty: I will, and I ask God to help me.

Bishop: Will you give faithful witness in the world,
that God's love may be known in all that you do?

Marty: I will, and I ask God to help me.

Bishop: Almighty God, who has given you the will to do these things,
graciously give you the strength and compassion to perform them.

All: Amen

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Pastor Peter Weston Miller

After each petition...God of Love:
Hear our prayer.

HYMN OF INVOCATION

Canticle of the Turning

ELW 723

**My soul cries out with a joyful shout that the God of my heart is great,
and my spirit sings of the wondrous things that you bring to the ones who wait.
You fixed your sight on your servant's plight, and my weakness you did not spurn,
so from east to west shall my name be blest. Could the world be about to turn?**

Refrain: **My heart shall sing of the day you bring. Let the fires of your justice burn.
Wipe away all tears, for the dawn draws near, and the world is about to turn.**

**Though I am small, my God, my all, you work great things in me,
and your mercy will last from the depths of the past to the end of the age to be.
Your very name puts the proud to shame, and to those who would for you yearn,
you will show your might, put the strong to flight, for the world is about to turn. *Refrain***

**From the halls of pow'r to the fortress tow'r, not a stone will be left on stone.
Let the king beware for your justice tears ev'ry tyrant from his throne.
The hungry poor shall weep no more, for the food they can never earn;
there are tables spread, ev'ry mouth be fed, for the world is about to turn. *Refrain***

**Through the nations rage from age to age, we remember who holds us fast:
God's mercy must deliver us from the conqueror's crushing grasp.
This saving word that our forebears heard is the promise which holds us bound,
till the spear and rod can be crushed by God, who is turning the world around. *Refrain***

THANKSGIVING

Bishop: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Bishop: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Bishop: Holy God, holy and mighty, holy and immortal,
we bless you for your infinite love in Christ our Lord,
in whom we have redemption and forgiveness of sins
according to the riches of his grace.
We thank you that by his death your Son overcame death,
and that, raised by your mighty power, he gives us new life.
We praise you that, having ascended into heaven,
Christ pours out his gifts abundantly on the church,
making some apostles, some prophets, some pastors and teachers,
to equip your people for their work of ministry for building up the body of Christ.

LAYING ON OF HANDS

Bishop: Eternal God, through your Son, Jesus Christ, pour out your Holy Spirit upon Marty
and fill him with the gifts of grace for the ministry of word and sacrament.
Bless his proclamation of your word and administration of your sacraments,
so that your church may be gathered for praise and strengthened for service.
Make him a faithful pastor, patient teacher, and wise counselor.
Grant that in all things he may serve without reproach,
that your people may be renewed and your name be glorified in the church;
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

All: Amen

GIVING OF A STOLE

Tanner Wyatt

Marty's stole was lovingly made by his grandmother, Jo-Ann Wyatt

Bishop: Receive this stole as a sign of your work, and live in obedience to the Lord Jesus, serving his people and remembering his promise: "Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light." (Matthew 11:28-30)

CHARGE

Pastor Sonja Hagander and Professor Mary Elise Lowe

Hear the words of the apostles: Pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, gentleness. Fight the good fight of the faith; take hold of the eternal life to which you were called. (1 Timothy 6:11-12)

And again: Take heed to yourselves and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit has made you guardians, to feed the church of God that he obtained with the blood of his own Son. (Acts 20:28)

And again: Tend the flock of God that is in your charge, not under compulsion but willingly, not for sordid gain but eagerly. Do not lord it over those in your charge, but be examples to the flock. And when the chief shepherd appears, you will win the crown of glory that never fades away. (1 Peter 5:2-4)

And again: Think of us in this way, as servants of Christ and stewards of God's mysteries. Moreover, it is required of stewards that they be found trustworthy. (1 Corinthians 4:1-2)

Bishop: Marty, care for God's people, bear their burdens,
and do not betray their confidence.
So discipline yourself in life and teaching that you preserve the truth,
giving no occasion for false security or illusory hope.
Witness faithfully in word and deed to all people.
Give and receive comfort as you serve within the church.
And be of good courage, for God has called you,
and your labor in the Lord is not in vain.

BLESSING

Bishop: The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus,
the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant,
make you complete in everything good so that you may do God's will,
working in you that which is pleasing in God's sight;
through Jesus Christ, to whom be the glory forever and ever.

All: Amen

ACCLAMATION BY THE ASSEMBLY

Bishop: Will you, assembled as the people of God and speaking for the whole church,
receive Marty as a messenger of Jesus Christ,
sent by God to serve all people with the gospel of hope and salvation?
Will you regard him as a servant of Christ?

All: We will, and we ask God to help us.

Bishop: Will you pray for him,
help and honor him for his work's sake,
and in all things strive to live together in the peace and unity of Christ?

All: We will, and we ask God to help us.

Bishop: Let it be acclaimed that Marty is a called and ordained minister in the church of Christ. He has
Christ's authority to preach the word of God and administer the sacraments, serving God's
people as together we bear God's creative and redeeming love to all the world.

All: Amen. Thanks be to God.

Installation

CERTIFICATION AND PRESENTATION

Bishop: Having been authorized by the church to install Marty Wyatt,
our co-worker in the gospel, as Associate Pastor,
I now ask for certification of this call.

Joe Zeigler, RLC Council President, addresses the presiding minister:

After prayerful deliberation,
we, of Roseville Lutheran Church,
have called Marty Wyatt as Associate Pastor.
I present him and this letter certifying the call.

Bishop: Marty, in the presence of this assembly
will you commit yourself to this new trust and responsibility?

Marty: I will, and I ask God to help me.

Bishop: Will you carry out your duties in harmony with the constitutions
of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America?

Marty: I will, and I ask God to help me.

Bishop: Marty, the office of Associate Pastor is now committed to you
in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen

SHARING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.
And also with you.

OFFERING *Today's offering is going to Extraordinary Lutheran Ministries.
Offering plates are at the entrance.*

OFFERING PRAYER

Communion

GREAT THANKSGIVING

Presider: The Lord be with you.
All: And also with you.

Presider: Lift up your hearts.
All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

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**

DISTRIBUTION

COMMUNION HYMNS

One Bread, One Body

ELW 496

Refrain:

**One bread, one body, one Lord of all; one cup of blessing which we bless,
and we, though many, throughout the earth, we are one body in this one Lord.**

Gentile or Jew, servant or free, woman or man, no more. *Refrain*

Many the gifts, many the works, one in the Lord of all. *Refrain*

Grain for the fields, scattered and grown, gathered to one for all. *Refrain*

Here I Am, Lord

ELW 574

**"I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin, my hand will save.
I, who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?"**

Refrain:

**Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.**

**"I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them. They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?"** *Refrain*

**"I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?"** *Refrain*

COMMUNION BLESSING

Presider: May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ
strengthen you and keep you in God's grace forever.

All: Amen

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Presider: God of abundance, with this bread of life and cup of salvation you have united us with Christ,
making us one with all your people. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may
proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue forever in the risen life of Jesus Christ,
our Lord.

All: Amen

BENEDICTION

Presider: May the Lord bless you and keep you, May the Lord's face shine upon you and be gracious to
you. May the Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

All: Amen

Refrain:

**Take my life, that I may be consecrated, Lord, to thee;
take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise.**

**Take my hands and let them move at the impulse of thy love;
take my feet and let them be swift and beautiful for thee.** *Refrain*

**Take my silver and my gold, not a mite would I withhold;
take my intellect and use ev'ry pow'r as thou shalt choose.** *Refrain*

**Take my voice and let me sing always, only for my King;
take my lips and let them be filled with messages from thee.** *Refrain*

**Take my will and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine;
take my heart, it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne.** *Refrain*

Dismissal

Presider: Go in peace, to love and serve the Lord!

All: Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE

John Helgen

Participants

Bishop Patricia Lull, St. Paul Area Synod
Bishop Tessa Moon Leiseth, Eastern North Dakota Synod
Pastor Cassie Nault, Crossroads Parish
Pastor Lauren J. Wrightsman, Roseville Lutheran Church
Pastor Brice Bloxham, Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church
Pastor Peter Weston Miller, Trinity Lutheran Church
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I wouldn't be the person or the pastor I am today without you and I thank God each time I think of you.

In Christ,

Pastor Marty



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