



The Promise of a Future

Throughout the history of the world, God has invited us to participate in the promises that are bestowed upon us. These promises are the thread that weave us together as a people of faith. Join us this fall season as we explore the constant, and life-giving, promises of God in a world that is ever-changing.

Words to hymns are printed in this bulletin, but you are encouraged to open up and use the red ELW (Evangelical Lutheran Worship) hymnal found below or in front of your seat. Hymn numbers are provided.

PRELUDE

WELCOME

CHORAL INVOCATION

God of Our Life, All-Glorious Lord

Opening Hymn You Servants of God ELW 825

You servants of God, your master proclaim And publish abroad his wonderful name; The name, all-victorious, of Jesus extol, His kingdom is glorious and rules over all!

Ascended on high, almighty to save, Yet still he is nigh, his presence we have. The great congregation his triumph shall sing, Ascribing salvation to Jesus, our king!

Salvation to God, who sits on the throne! Let all cry aloud and honor the Son. The praises of Jesus the angels proclaim, Fall down on their faces, and worship the Lamb.

Then let us adore and give him his right, all glory and pow'r and wisdom and might, All honor and blessing with angels above, And thanks never ceasing, and infinite love!

Call to Worship

People of God, what does the Lord require of us?

We are asked to be a people of justice.

People of God, what does the Lord require of us?

We are asked to love in kindness.

People of God, what does the Lord require of us?

We are asked to walk humbly with our God.

People of God, may we enter into worship with hearts and minds open.

May we enter into worship as a people of God this day.

HYMN OF PRAISE

Praise, My Soul, the God of Heaven (vs. 1, 4)

ELW 864

Praise, my soul, the God of heaven; joyfully your tribute bring. Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, evermore God's praises sing. Alleluia, alleluia! Praises everlasting ring!

Angels sing in adoration, in God's presence, face to face. Sun and moon and all creation, all who dwell in time and space. Alleluia, alleluia! Praise with us the God of grace!

HOLY BAPTISM OF ROSEMARY GRACE WASSELL

Parents: Brent and Lillian Wassell Sponsors: Derek Wassell Amanda Dachtera

THE APOSTLES' 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 into hell.

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

CONGREGATIONAL WELCOME

Let us welcome the newly baptized.

We welcome you into the body of Christ and into the mission we share: join us in giving thanks and praise to God and bearing God's creative and redeeming word to all the world.

BAPTISMAL HYMN

You belong to Christ, in whom you have been baptized. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

STORYTIME

Storytime is for the entire congregation as we began our exploration of our text for the day. Children are invited forward for Storytime as the congregation sings:

Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

As Storytime ends, children who are registered for RLC Kids are invited to leave the Worship Center for activities and education. Children who are not registered for RLC Kids may return to their seats.

ANTHEM

Go Not Far from Me, O God

Niccolò Zingarelli RLC Choir





tell. Like dew that ap-pears in the morn - ing, they come to us shin-ing and



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SCRIPTURE

Micah 1:3-5; 6:6-8

Spark Story Bible p. 194

For the Lord is coming out of his place and will come down and tread upon the high places of the earth. Then the mountains will melt under him, and the valleys will burst open like wax near the fire, like waters poured down a slope. All this is for the transgression of Jacob and for the sins of the house of Israel. What is the transgression of Jacob? Is it not Samaria?

And what is the high place of Judah? Is it not Jerusalem?

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 ten 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?

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

Message

Pastor Lauren J. Wrightsman

Hymn of the Day O Day of Peace ELW 711

O day of peace that dimly shines through all our hopes and prayers and dreams, Guide us to justice, truth, and love, delivered from our selfish schemes. May swords of hate fall from our hands, our hearts from envy find release, Till by God's grace our waring world shall see Christ's promised reign of peace.

Then shall the wolf dwell with the lamb, nor shall the fierce devour the small; As beasts and cattle calmly graze, a little child shall lead them all. Then enemies shall learn to love, all creatures find their true accord; The hope of peace shall be fulfilled, for all the earth shall know the Lord.

OFFERING

We gather as a people of God, in the presence of God, to offer up our thanks and praise.

Offering is one way in which we support and sustain our shared ministry.

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or scan the QR code at the end of this bulletin.

Children are invited to bring their offering up to the front of the Worship Center.

OFFERING MUSIC

Let Justice Roll Like a River

Marty Haugen RLC Choir

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

BLESSING

We have heard this day what the Lord requires of us. We are blessed to step out in faith. Faith will teach us to walk humbly, To love boldly, And to serve God with our body, soul, mind and strength.

Go now, as a people of God in peace, and serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

CLOSING HYMN

Go, My Children, with My Blessing

ELW 543

"Go, my children, with my blessing, never alone. Waking, sleeping, I am with you, you are my own. In my love's baptismal river I have made you mine forever. "Go, my children, with my blessing, you are my own."

"Go, my children, sins forgiven, at peace and pure. Here you learned how much I love you,what I can cure. Here you heard my dear Son's story, Here you touched him, saw his glory, Go my children, sins forgiven, at peace and pure."

"Go, my children, fed and nourished, closer to me. Grow in love and love by serving, joyful and free. Here my Spirit's power filled you, Here my tender comfort stilled you. Go, my children, fed and nourished, joyful and free."

POSTLUDE

Participants

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SUNDAY WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILY HELPERS NEEDED

It takes many helpers to make a Sunday run smoothly at RLC, and to show good hospitality to all who enter our doors. If you or members of your family are interested in helping on Sunday mornings, please contact Mary in the church office at mjohnson@rosevillelutheran.org or 651-487-7752. We are looking for ushers, communion servers, greeters, and readers.

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