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2025 THEME: IMMEASURABLY MORE!
AUGUST THEME: Your Questions, God's Answers



#### WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS/PRAYER

Rev. Arun Andrews

Worship Leader: Eloise Kemmerling

**PRELUDE** 

Holy, Holy, Holy (for organ)

## **RESPONSIVE READING +** (standing)

L: From our earliest days, You have been our Shepherd.

A: "For You are my hope, O Lord God; You are my trust from my youth."

L: You shaped our hearts before we could speak Your name.

A: "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you."

L: The faith we learned as children anchors us still.

A: "Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it."

L: And now, as your people, we rise to proclaim Your truth.

A: "Let no one despise your youth, but be an example... in word, in conduct, in love."

L: We stand in courage, called and equipped by You.

A: "Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid... for the Lord your God is with you."

# Hymn #98 To God Be the Glory

To God be the glory, great things he hath done! So loved he the world that he gave us his Son, who yielded his life an atonement for sin, and opened the lifegate that all may go in.

Refrain:

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the earth hear his voice!
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father thru Jesus the Son, and give him the glory, great things he hath done!

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood, to every believer the promise of God; the vilest offender who truly believes, that moment from Jesus a pardon receives. (Refrain)

Great things he hath taught us, great things he hath done, and great our rejoicing thru Jesus the Son; but purer, and higher, and greater will be our

wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see.

(Refrain)

# **SCRIPTURE 1: Worship Leader**

Please be seated. Our first scripture reading for today is from Ecclesiastes 11:9–12:1.

Hear the Word of God.

#### THE APOSTLE'S CREED

Rev. Raymond Brooks

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Universal church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### Hymn #402 Lord, I want to be a Christian

Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart, in my heart; Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart. (in my heart) In my heart, (in my heart) in my heart, (in my heart) Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart. (in my heart)

Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart, in my heart; Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart. (in my heart) In my heart, (in my heart) in my heart, (in my heart) Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart. (in my heart)

SCRIPTURE 1 Timothy 4:12 Rev. Arun Andrews

DOXOLOGY AND OFFERTORY PRAYER Rev. Arun Andrews

ANTHEM He Touched Me Soloist: Bruce Snyder

**SERMON** Why I enjoy following Jesus as a youth? Derek Kanakaraj

HOLY COMMUNION Assisting in communion: Scott Sundy, Russ Marburger

# PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS (ALL)

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## **CONFESSION AND PARDON (ALL)**

Gracious and merciful God, we admit our sins and failures. We confess that we are not worthy to come to your table, but that we come by the grace we have in the Lord Jesus. We ask for your forgiveness and cleansing, according to your great love and tender mercy. Lord, create in us a clean heart and an obedient spirit. Do not cast us away or take your Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation and uphold us with a willing spirit. Help us to love you and our neighbors, and to walk humbly with you, our God. Amen.

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you. Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

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

#### PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Rev. Arun Andrews

## **PRAYER**

Pastor: And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

## All: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Pastor: Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and wine. Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ, that we may be for the world the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood. By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world, until Christ comes in final victory and we feast at his heavenly banquet. Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever. Amen.

**PARTAKING** As the Deer Saxophone: Achilles Figueroa; Piano: Beth Sider

THE LORD'S PRAYER Rev. Arun Andrews

## Hymn Keep in the Middle

Keep in the middle of the King's highway, Keep in the middle of the road, Don't turn to your light left, don't turn to your right, Just keep in the middle of the road. Keep in the middle of the Kings Highway, Keep in the middle of the road.

Don't turn around, don't look behind, Satan can't turn you back, Keep in the middle of the Kings Highway, Keep in the middle of the road. BENEDICTION Rev. Arun Andrews

#### **POSTLUDE**

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## **ALTAR FLOWERS**

In loving memory of Doris Bair, who a year ago went home to be with her Savior. We Love you and miss you! Randy, Eloise, Miranda, Chad, Emma, Becca, Randy Lee, Amber, Maverick

In Charge of Trinity: The Heavenly Father
Pastor Arun Andrews, Senior Pastor
Bishop Pauline Peifer, coordinator, Discipleship pathway
Barbara Zimmerman, Parish Nurse
Todd Davis, Director of Music Ministries
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+ Scriptures in responsive reading: Psalm 71:5, Jeremiah 1:5, Proverbs 22:6, 1 Timothy 4:12, Joshua 1:9

# 2025 in the Word: immeasurably more! (For jotting sermon notes)

Open my eyes to see wonderful things in your Word. Psalm 119:18				
Bible passage:				
Insight 1:				
Insight 2:				
Insight 3:				
Idea/ text or illustration that spoke most to me:				
My action point for the week:				

	<b>Upcoming Events:</b>	Aug 10	Love Haney Concert
Aug 5	National Night Out	Aug 12	Facebook Live Prayer Time
Aug 10	Farewell to Todd	Aug 16	Secret Sister's
Aug 10	Starfish Ministry	Aug 16	Youth Ministry - Sight & Sound