### ORDER OF WORSHIP

21st Sunday after Pentecost, October 13, 2024, 9:30 a.m. \*Indicates, please stand if able

**PRELUDE** 

WELCOME Ellen Johnson, Lay Servant

**GREET EACH OTHER** 

ANNOUNCEMENTS Aimee Liepert

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Ellen Johnson, Lay Servant

**CENTERING MUSIC** 

OPENING PRAYER Ellen Johnson, Lay Servant

\*OPENING HYMN "This Is My Song" UMH #437

\*CALL TO WORSHIP Aimee Liepert

Leader: The brisk air reminds us of the coming change in seasons.

People: God, we feel your presence.

Leader: The colorful trees will soon lose their leaves.

People: God, we can see your presence.

Leader: We are grateful for all you have provided for us.

**People: God, we trust in your plans for the changes in our lives.** Leader: The gift of Jesus will lead us in the ways of righteousness.

People: Each day is a new beginning. Amen.

\*PRAYER (in unison) Aimee Liepert

In times of worry or doubt, you are always with us. You sent your precious son, Jesus, to lead is in your ways. With gratitude we try to always follow in His teachings. We pray for others to know and learn of your love and guidance. Amen.

OFFERING Ellen Johnson, Lay Servant

\*DOXOLOGY "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH #95

\*OFFERTORY PRAYER (in unison)

Aimee Liepert

Help us, O Lord, to be more giving and do less asking. Help us to be more aware of those in need. Give us a joy-filled heart to share with all we meet. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Ellen Johnson, Lay Servant

Joyful Response: Loving God, we give you thanks. Grief Response: Merciful God, hear our prayer.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (recite in unison)

HYMN (please remain seated) "Let There Be Peace on Earth" UMH #431

SCRIPTURE READING "John 15:2" Aimee Liepert

SERMON The Gardner of Your Soul" Ellen Johnson, Lay Servant

\*CLOSING HYMN "Here I Am, Lord" UMH #593

\*BENEDICTION Ellen Johnson, Lay Servant

**POSTLUDE** 

#### STEWARD LEADERSHIP THIS WEEK:

Ushers: Gil Sheridan, Janet Hiatt,
Barb Johnson, Jean Krell
Song Leader: Dave Bertelsen
Liturgist: Aimee Liepert

Offering Acolyte: Joshua Barnett Fellowship Time Host: Jean Krell

Pianist: Deanna or Peter Gibeau Greeters North: Len & Sheila McGinnis

**Tech Team:** Tom Calenberg & Tom Latham **Greeter South:** Barb Groth

Bulletins Are Given by Roger & Mary Rogge in Honor of Their 56<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary \* Flowers are in Honor of Their Children, Grandchildren and Great Grandchildren

#### WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK?

Sunday: Worship Service, 9:30 a.m., Sanctuary

Fellowship Time, 10:30 a.m., Lounge

Monday: Musical Masquers, 6:00 p.m., Lounge, Sanctuary

Scouting America, 7:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall

Tuesday: Bible Study - The Real Heaven, 10:00 a.m., Fireside Room

Prayer Shawl Group, 1:00 p.m., Fireside Room

CORE Group, 6:00 p.m., Fireside Room

Musical Masquers, 6:00 p.m., Lounge, Sanctuary

AA Meeting, 6:30 p.m., Fellowship Hall SA Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall

Wednesday: Bible Study - The Chosen, 10:30 a.m., Fireside Room

Sewing Day, 1:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall, West Side Musical Masquers, 6:00 p.m., Lounge, Fireside Room Handbell Choir, 6:00 p.m., Sunshine Room, Sanctuary EcuMen Choir, 7:15 p.m., Sunshine Room, Sanctuary

Thursday: Quilt Club, 8:30 a.m., Fellowship Hall, West Side

Musical Masquers, 6:00 p.m., Lounge, Sanctuary

AA Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall

Friday: No Meetings

Saturday: SA Meeting, 9:00 a.m., Fellowship Hall

#### **APPS** that offer Audio of the Bible:



**Dwell:** This app offers high-quality, dramatized readings of scripture with multiple voice options, background music, and listening plans. Some say it's the best audio-only Bible app.



**YouVersion:** This popular app offers audio translations in over 420 languages, as well as 2,863 Bible versions in 1,868 languages, and over 800 Bible plans and devotionals. It also has some offline capabilities.



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