

Welcome to Glory Lutheran Church

Ask the Lord
of the harvest to
send out laborers

MATTHEW 9:38



Third Sunday in Pentecost
June 18, 2023

Reaching Up... Reaching Out... Reaching In...

Gathering Song - Hear the Call of the Kingdom

Hear the call of the kingdom, lift your eyes to the King;
Let His song rise within you as a fragrant offering
of how God, rich in mercy, came in Christ to redeem
all who trust in His unfailing grace.

Hear the call of the kingdom, to be children of light
with the mercy of heaven, the humility of Christ;
Walking justly before Him, loving all that is right,
that the life of Christ may shine through us.

(Chorus)

King of heaven, we will answer the call.
We will follow, bringing hope to the world,
filled with passion, filled with power to proclaim
salvation in Jesus' name.

Hear the call of the kingdom to reach out to the lost
with the Father's compassion in the wonder of the cross,
bringing peace and forgiveness, and a hope yet to come:
Let the nations put their trust in Him.

(Chorus)

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Confession & Forgiveness

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the pastor begins.

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God,
who greets us in this and every season,
whose word never fails,
whose promise is sure.

C: Amen.

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God
and of our neighbors.

P: Merciful God,

**C: we confess that we have sinned.
We have hurt our community.
We have squandered your blessings.
We have hoarded your bounty.
In the name of Jesus,
forgive us and grant us your mercy.**

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Righteous God,

**C: we confess that we have sinned.
We have failed to be honest.
We have lacked the courage to speak.
We have spoken falsely.
In the name of Jesus,
forgive us and grant us your mercy.**

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: God is a cup of cold water when we thirst.
God offers boundless grace when we fail.
Claim the gift of God's mercy:
you are freed and forgiven
in the name of + Jesus Christ.

C: Amen.

Greeting / Prayer of the Day

God of compassion, you have opened the way for us and brought us to yourself. Pour your love into our hearts, that, overflowing with joy, we may freely share the blessings of your realm and faithfully proclaim the good news of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

Sharing of the Peace

Please take time to say "Peace be with you" as directed.

Hymn of Praise - Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God Al - might - y!
2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! All the saints a - dore thee,
3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Though the dark - ness hide thee,
4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.
cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;
though the eye of sin - ful - ness thy glo - ry may not see,
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!
cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,
on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!

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God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!
which wert and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.
per - fect in pow'r, in love and pu - ri - ty.
God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

Text: Reginald Heber, 1783–1826, alt.
Music: NICAEA, John B. Dykes, 1823–1876

Children's Time

First Lesson: Exodus 19:2-8a

L: Word of God, Word of Life. C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 100

L: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.

**C: Worship the Lord with gladness;
come into his presence with singing.**

L: Know that the Lord is God.

It is he that made us, and we are his;
we are his people, and the sheep of his
pasture.

**C: Enter his gates with thanksgiving,
and his courts with praise.
Give thanks to him, bless his name.**

L: For the Lord is good;
his steadfast love endures forever,
and his faithfulness to all generations.

Second Lesson: Romans 5:1-8

L: Word of God, Word of Life. C: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

The musical score is written in 3/8 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It consists of two systems, each with a treble and bass staff. The lyrics are: "Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!" repeated in both systems. The melody is simple and repetitive, with the bass line providing a steady accompaniment.

Words: traditional liturgical text

Music: Norah Duncan IV

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Gospel Lesson: Matthew 9:35—10:8

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

P: The Gospel of the Lord. C: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON



Hymn of the Day - Blessed Assurance

1 Bless-ed as-sur-ance, Je-sus is mine! Oh, what a fore-taste of glo-ry di-vine!
2 Per-fect sub-mis-sion, per-fect de-light, vi-sions of rap-ture now burst on my sight;
3 Per-fect sub-mis-sion, all is at rest; I in my Sav-ior am hap-py and blest,

Heir of sal-va-tion, pur-chase of God, born of his Spir-it, washed in his blood.
an-gels de-scend-ing bring from a-bove ech-oes of mer-cy, whis-pers of love.
watch-ing and wait-ing, look-ing a-bove, filled with his good-ness, lost in his love.

Refrain

This is my sto-ry, this is my song, prais-ing my Sav-ior all the day long:

this is my sto-ry, this is my song, prais-ing my Sav-ior all the day long.

Confession of Faith - 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 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.**

Offering

*As you leave, you may place your offering onto
the plate located at the back of the church
or use the online options available on our website.*

Offertory Prayer

God of field and forest, sea and sky,
you are the giver of all good things.
Sustain us with these gifts of your creation,
and multiply your graciousness in us,
that the world may be fed with your love,
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

Prayers

Prayer Response:

P: God, in your mercy, **C:** hear our prayer.

Great Thanksgiving

P: The Lord be with you. **C: And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts. **C: We lift them to the Lord.**

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

C: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed right...

P: ...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

C: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

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**

Holy Communion

Christ invites us all and wants you to be included.

**Please approach the altar from the centre aisle.
Extend your hands, the bread will be dropped into
your open hands. Then, proceed to the left or right to
accept the wine/grape juice from the tray.***



Those wishing to be included without having the bread and wine may come forward for a blessing. Please indicate this by folding your arms.
**All wafers and bread are gluten free.*

Communion Songs - I Love to Tell the Story

1 I love to tell the sto - ry of un - seen things a - bove,
 2 I love to tell the sto - ry: how pleas - ant to re - peat
 3 I love to tell the sto - ry, for those who know it best

of Je - sus and his glo - ry, of Je - sus and his love.
 what seems, each time I tell it, more won - der - ful - ly sweet!
 seem hun - ger - ing and thirst - ing to hear it like the rest.

I love to tell the sto - ry, be - cause I know it's true;
 I love to tell the sto - ry, for some have nev - er heard
 And when, in scenes of glo - ry, I sing the new, new song,

it sat - is - fies my long - ings as noth - ing else would do.
 the mes - sage of sal - va - tion from God's own ho - ly word.
 I'll sing the old, old sto - ry that I have loved so long.

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Refrain

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It consists of two systems of music. The first system has a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The vocal line starts with a treble clef and a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The piano accompaniment starts with a bass clef and the same key signature. The lyrics for the first system are: "I love to tell the sto - ry; 'twill be my theme in glo - ry". The second system continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics for the second system are: "to tell the old, old sto - ry of Je - sus and his love." The piano accompaniment features chords and moving lines in both hands.

I love to tell the sto - ry; 'twill be my theme in glo - ry

to tell the old, old sto - ry of Je - sus and his love.

Text: Katherine Hankey, 1834–1911
Music: HANKEY, William E. Fischer, 1849–1936

Overflow

Your grace is power.
Your will forever.
Your love is a river.
Overflow in me.

Your Word; True presence.
Your body; Our recompense.
Your blood; Salvation.
Overflow in me.

(Chorus)

**Overflow in me, my Lord.
Overflow in me, my Lord.
Let your people bless You
as Your cup is poured.
Overflow in me, my Lord.
Overflow in me, my Lord.**

Our worship of You,
it's Your gift to us from You.
No one could give this gift but
You.
Overflow in me.

(Chorus then bridge)

Bridge:

We lift up our hearts.
We lift up our souls.
We lift up our minds.
And ev'ry good thing is Yours.
And ev'ry good thing is Yours.
So overflow.

(Chorus)

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Grace Unmeasured

Grace unmeasured, vast and free,
that knew me from eternity,
that called me out before my birth,
to bring You glory on this earth.

Grace amazing, pure and deep,
that saw me in my misery,
that took my curse and owned my blame,
so I could bear Your righteous name.

(Chorus)

**Grace---paid for my sins and brought me to life.
Grace---clothes me with pow'r to do what is right.
Grace---leads me to heav'n where I'll see Your face,
and never cease to thank You for Your grace.**

Grace abounding, strong and true,
that makes me long to be like You,
that turns me from my selfish pride,
to love the cross on which You died.

Grace unending, all my days,
You'll give me strength to run this race.
And when my years on earth are through,
the praise will all belong to You.

(Chorus)

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Post-Communion Prayer

We thank you, generous God,
for the refreshment we have received
at your banquet table.

Send us now to spread your generosity into all the world,
through the one who is our dearest treasure,
Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen

BLESSING

Announcements

Sending Song - Hallelujah! We Sing Your Praises

Refrain— sung twice each time

Ha - le - lu - ya! Pe - lo tsa ro - na, di tha -
Hal - le - lu - jah! We sing your prais - es, all our

bi - le ka - o - fe - la. Ha - le - lu - ya! Pe - lo tsa
hearts are filled with glad - ness. Hal - le - lu - jah! We sing your

End

ro - na, di tha - bi - le ka - o - fe - la.
prais - es, all our hearts are filled with glad - ness.

1 Christ the Lord to us said: I am wine, I am bread,
2 Now he sends us all out, strong in faith, free of doubt,

Repeat stanza, then sing refrain

I am wine, I am bread, give to all who thirst and hun - ger.
strong in faith, free of doubt. Tell to all the joy - ful gos - pel.

Text: South African; tr. *Freedom Is Coming*, 1984
 Music: HALELUYA! PELO TSA RONA, South African; arr. *Freedom Is Coming*
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Dismissal

Blessing of Fathers

*God of all creation,
pour out your blessing on all fathers
and those who provide fatherly care.*

*You have made them in your image
and given them children to love and care for in your name.*

*Bless them with a heart like your heart:
discerning and thoughtful, bold and decisive,
compassionate and loving.*

*As they model for their children
the life that is lived by faith and not by sight,
grant them courage under pressure
and confidence in your power.*

*When troubles threaten to overwhelm them,
grant them your coping calm.*

*When doubts give rise to anxiety,
shore up their trust in your promises.*

*When joy fills their days,
grant them a keen gratitude for your abundant supply of
grace.*

*Season them with a lively sense of humor, Lord,
for it will make life richer for us all.*

In all circumstances preserve them as your own.

We ask this in Jesus' name.

Amen.

A vibrant blue poster for 'SUMMER YOUTH' events. The title 'SUMMER YOUTH' is written in large, bold, white and black letters. Below it, 'GLC & MOLC Youth' is written in smaller white text. The background features stylized illustrations of summer items: a sun, sunglasses, a beach ball, a lifeguard stand, a lifeguard, a beach chair, and a beach umbrella. The text on the poster provides details for three events: July 8-9 (TENT CITY camp-out at Glory), July 20 (Painting, Art, and Board Games at Mount Olivet), and August 24 (Spikeball tournament AND favourite summer activities at Glory). A contact email is listed at the bottom.

SUMMER YOUTH
GLC & MOLC Youth

July 8 - 9 (begins 5 pm - pickup 11:30 am): TENT CITY camp-out at Glory; games, outdoor movies, food. For ages 12-18! Please indicate your interest by June 24th.

July 20 6-9pm: Painting, Art, and Board Games at Mount Olivet. All youth and young adults are welcome.

August 24 5-9pm: Spikeball tournament AND favourite summer activities at Glory. All youth and young adults are welcome.

Lizzie at youth.coordinator@glorylutheran.ca

GLORY 50^{PLUS}

Plans to Visit The Masjid in the Park



Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2023

Time: 5:00 pm Light Supper at Glory Lutheran Church

Car Pool from Glory Church: 6:30 pm

Tour and Program: 7:00 pm

Carpooling: Address and directions
will be available at Glory on June 20.

The Masjid in the Park is a dedicated community space for worship and connection. Their vision is to provide a simple, peaceful place that allows worshippers to take a step away from their busy lives to spend some time in prayer, contemplation, and reflection. Masjid in the Park is also an outreach mosque - they welcome visitors as guests of God.

Those interested in attending this Glory 50 Plus event are asked to add their names to the sign-up sheet so we can give their church accurate numbers of attendees. The sign-up sheet will be available in the Narthex. Group Two is planning this event. Questions may be directed to Eula Regehr 780-467-2227 or Marjorie Zelent 780-467-5363.



A VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY FOR YOU!

We are looking for a group of volunteers willing to be on a **"set up/take down"** list and people to call on to **help out in the kitchen** on an occasional basis. There is a sign up list in the Narthex or you can contact Pat in person; by email glc.life@glorylutheran.ca; or by phone or text 780 239 5345.

Thank you for considering this request!



Thank You

to those who made contributions to this week's bulletin and to members who assisted in today's service.

Worship Planners, Altar Guild, Choir, Musicians, AV Techs, Ushers, Reader, Communion Assistants,

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| Greeter: | Barb Anderson |
| Reader: | Rhonda Berg |
| Coffee Setup/Cleanup: | Rita Spain |
| Church Lock-Up: | Sebastian Montoya |

To volunteer, please sign up on the sheet on the easel in the Narthex.

Events This Week

Glory 50 Plus Light Supper & Tour - Tuesday 5:00pm

Praise Band - Tuesday 7:00pm

Worship & Hardisty Care Centre - Thursday 10:00am

Next Sunday, June 25:

Blessing Sunday for our graduates - with Communion

Dedication of the Memorial Garden

...followed by the church picnic!

Attendance & Offering

****will be reported next week****

Next Sunday's Readings:

Jeremiah 20:7-13, Psalm 69:7-10 [11-15] 16-18,

Romans 6:1b-11, Matthew 10:24-39

The service this morning will be both recorded and live streamed.

This can be accessed on our website, glorylutheran.ca.

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