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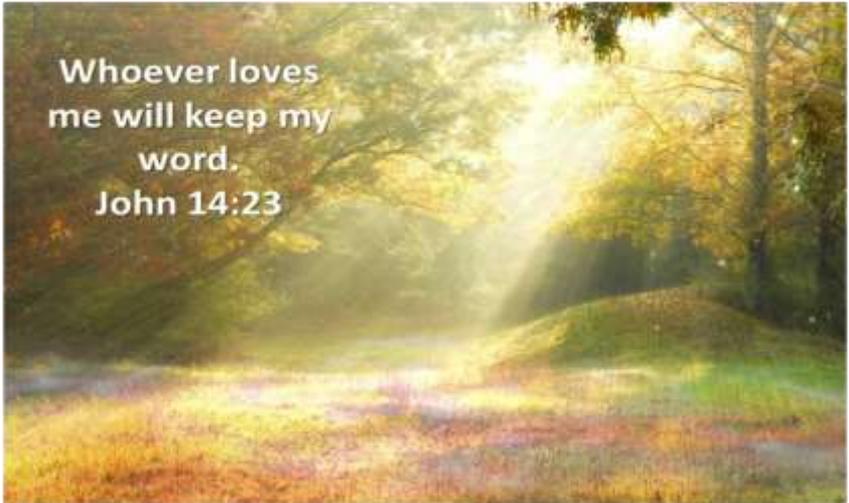
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May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022  
Sixth Sunday of Easter



**John 14:24**

*<sup>24</sup>Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; and the word that you hear is not mine, but is from the Father who sent me.*

To listen to the service, please turn your radio to

FM 88.9

Thank you for joining our service today.

*This worship we will be using ELW Setting 3.  
You may stand during worship with asterisk (\*) in this bulletin*

### **Gathering**

*The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.*

<b>Prelude</b>	<b>Tena Rackow</b>
<b>Welcome</b>	
<b>Thanksgiving for Baptism</b>	<b>ELW page 97</b>
<b>*Gathering Hymn “When Peace like a River”</b>	<b>ELW#785</b>
<b>*Greeting</b>	<b>page 138</b>
<b>*Kyrie</b>	<b>page 138-9</b>
<b>*Canticle of Praise “This is the Feast”</b>	<b>page 140-141</b>
<b>*Prayer of the Day</b>	

**Bountiful God, you gather your people into your realm, and you promise us food from your tree of life. Nourish us with your word, that empowered by your Spirit we may love one another and the world you have made, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

**Choir Anthem “Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song”**

### **Word**

*God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.*

**Children’s Message**

**1st Reading: Acts 16:9-15**

**2nd Reading Revelation 21:10, 22--22:5**

**\*Gospel Acclamation “Alleluia, Lord, to whom shall we go”**  
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**\*Gospel Reading: John 14:23-29**

The Holy gospel according to John. **C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>23</sup>Jesus answered [Judas (not Iscariot),] “Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. <sup>24</sup>Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; and the word that you hear is not mine, but is from the Father who sent me.

<sup>25</sup>“I have said these things to you while I am still with you.  
<sup>26</sup>But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. <sup>27</sup>Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid. <sup>28</sup>You heard me say to you, ‘I am going away, and I am coming to you.’ If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father, because the Father is greater than I. <sup>29</sup>And now I have told you this before it occurs, so that when it does occur, you may believe.”

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

## Message

Hymn of the Day      “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”  
ELW #631

## Prayer

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

*Leader will lead the prayer.*

*Congregation may respond each petition with the following word:*

L: God, in your mercy C: **Hear our prayer.**

*We lift our prayers for*

*Lynn Lyvers, Jerry, Sheridan Brinker, Fern Harnish, Lois Paulsen, Taylor B., Nina Mueller, Denny Bergmann, Willie Kayser, Rene, Darlene Aurand, Sharon, Connor Stadermann, Brooke, Jon Forsythe, Diane, Randy, Brian, Deb Lindeman Harder, Paul Heller, Janet, Ryse Stone, Nicole, Meghan, John, Chuck, Joyce, Terri, Tina, Julie, J.T., Jamie, Crystal, Katie, Christian, Anna, Abby, Karla, Jacob and his family, Richard Gordon, Kay, Shanna, Kathy, Charlie, Brad, Cindy, Amber, Chris, Ron, Vicki, Sophia, Abby and her triplets, Brenda, Abby Schick, Brenda, Jack, Gretchen, Kay, Roger, Tina, Shane, Joe, Dan Kempel, Bruce Miller, Ron Heckman, Justin Yeager, Phil, Sue, Emma, Cindy, Spencer Fransen, Lamar Hail, and LBPA. Pray for love, peace, comfort, and hope of the resurrection for the family and friends of Tom Holtz and Paul.*

## Sending

*God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.*

### **Announcements**

### **Blessing and Dismissal**

P: The God of steadfastness and encouragement grant you to live in harmony with one another, in accordance with Christ Jesus.

**Amen.**

The God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

The God of all grace ☩ bless you now and forever. **Amen.**

P: Alleluia! Christ is risen. **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**  
Go in peace. Tell what God has done.

**Thanks be to God.**

**\*Sending Hymn    “I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light”**

**ELW #815**

**Postlude**

**Tena Rackow**



# Looking for Favorite Hymns

Help our Favorite Hymn Sing Sunday Worship (May 29<sup>th</sup>) by submitting your favorite hymns. Today is the last day to choose your favorite hymn.

Use the My Favorite Hymn sheet and return.



*Attendance May 8<sup>th</sup>*

*In-person— 22 Online – 26*

*On-line attendance includes Facebook and YouTube video views from the last 7 days.*