

St. Luke's Lutheran Church  
Friendship Requirements Week Two: Humility

April 21, 2024

10:00 AM

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GATHERING

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GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME *by Jubilee*

+OPENING SONG

“Turn, Turn, Turn”

*The Byrds*

**Chorus**

To everything turn, turn, turn  
There is a season turn, turn, turn  
And a time to every purpose under Heaven

**Verse 1**

A time to be born, a time to die  
A time to plant, a time to reap  
A time to kill, a time to heal  
A time to laugh, a time to weep

**Chorus**

To everything turn, turn, turn  
There is a season turn, turn, turn  
And a time to every purpose under Heaven

**Verse 2**

A time to build up, a time to break down  
A time to dance, a time to mourn  
A time to cast away stones  
A time to gather stones together

+PRAYER OF THE DAY {*Front Center*} (*Mollie Erickson*)

L: Messiah, Jesus, your followers established churches in communities near and far. Take us outside of ourselves and teach us to give away what you have given to us. Show us how to witness to your presence in places near and far, and close and personal.

**C: Amen.**

+SHARING OF THE PEACE {*Front Center*} (*Mollie Erickson*)

L: The peace of the Lord be with you all.

**C: And also with you.**

L: For all who are gathered, let us take a moment to welcome one another. For those of you online, please share a word of peace in the comment or chat.

ANNOUNCEMENTS {*Front Center*}

COUNCIL INTRODUCTION

Kerry Kollodge, Faith Formation

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WORD

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CHILDREN'S MESSAGE {*On Floor Pulpit Side*} (*Emily*)

FIRST READING {*Lectern*} (*Katie Baltgalvis*)

1<sup>st</sup> Peter 5:5c-11

Clothe yourselves with humility in your dealings with one another, for 'God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble.' Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, so that he may exalt you in due time. Cast all your anxiety on him, because he cares for you. Discipline yourselves; keep alert. Like a roaring lion your adversary the devil prowls around, looking for someone to devour. Resist him, steadfast in your faith, for you know that your brothers and sisters throughout the world are undergoing the same kinds of suffering.

And after you have suffered for a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, support, strengthen, and establish you. To him be the power for ever and ever. Amen.

L: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

+THE HOLY GOSPEL

John 13:36-38

Simon Peter said to him, 'Lord, where are you going?' Jesus answered, 'Where I am going, you cannot follow me now; but you will follow afterwards.' Peter said to him, 'Lord, why can I not follow you now? I will lay down my life for you.' Jesus answered, 'Will you lay down your life for me? Very truly, I tell you, before the cock crows, you will have denied me three times.

L: The Gospel of the Lord.

**C: Praise to You, O Christ.**

MESSAGE

Rob Norris-Weber, Pastor

+SONG OF THE DAY

"Humble Thyself in the Sight of the Lord"

*Bob Hudson*

Humble Thyself in the sight of the Lord (**Leader**)

And He, shall lift you up, higher and higher, (**All**)

Humble Thyself in the sight of the Lord (**Echo**)

And He, shall lift you up. (**All**)

Humble Thyself in the sight of the Lord (**Leader**)

Sing together in the sight of the Lord (**Leader**)

Humble Thyself in the sight of the Lord (**Echo**)

Sing together in the sight of the Lord (**Echo**)

And He, shall lift you up, higher and higher, (**All**)

Sing together in the sight of the Lord (**Leader**)

And He, shall lift you up. (**All**)

Sing together in the sight of the Lord (**Echo**)

Pray Together in the sight of the Lord (**Leader**)

And He, shall lift you up, higher and higher, (**All**)

Pray Together in the sight of the Lord (**Echo**)

And He, shall lift you up. (**All**)

Pray Together in the sight of the Lord (**Leader**)

Pray Together in the sight of the Lord (**Echo**)

+THE APOSTLES' CREED {*Front Center*} (*Mollie Erickson*)

*Screen*

**C: 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.**

+THE PRAYERS {*Front Center*} (*Mollie Erickson*)

*Screen*

*After each petition:*

L: Hear us, Oh God.

**C: Your mercy is great.**

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## MEAL

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INVITATION TO THE TABLE

+CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS {*Front Center*} (*Rob*)

+WORDS OF INSTITUTION

+THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Rob*)

**C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your Kingdom come: your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the Kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.**

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION/ALL ARE WELCOME TO THE TABLE

TIME OF REFLECTION AND RESPONSE (*On Screen*)

*Screen*

L: During this time of reflection and response please fill out your welcome card with any prayer request and use this time to prepare your offering. Enjoy this time.

COMMUNION MUSIC

“We Remember, We Believe”  
*Jubilee Praise Team*

*S. Angrisano; S. Hart/D. Brinker*

*Please stand as you are able.*

+POST-COMMUNION BLESSING (*Rob*)

L: The body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ, strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

**C: Amen.**

+POST-COMMUNION PRAYER (*Rob*)

L: We thank you, O God that you have fed us at your banqueting table with bread and wine beyond compare, the very life of Christ for us. Send your Spirit with us now, that we may set the captive free, use our gifts to build one another up, and in everything reflect your glory revealed in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord

**C: Amen.**

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SENDING

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+BENEDICTION (*Rob*)

L: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord’s face shine on you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace. In the name of the Father, and the Son, and The Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

+SENDING SONG

“Stir Up a Hunger”

*Paul & Rita Baloche*

**Verse 1**

Day into night  
You can turn the dark into light  
You can take a soul that was lost  
And turn it around

Lord on my own  
My heart can turn as hard as a stone  
But You can make it tender again  
With Your love

**Chorus 1**

Stir up a hunger  
Stir up a hunger in my heart  
Nothing will satisfy me  
Nothing else will do

Stir up a hunger  
A hunger in my heart  
Stir up a hunger in my heart  
For more of you

**Verse 1**

**Chorus 1**

**Interlude**

**Chorus 1**

**Ending**

Stir up a hunger  
Stir up a hunger

+DISMISSAL {*Back*} (*Rob*)

L: Go in peace.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

REPRISE