

St. Luke's Lutheran Church
Isaiah

July 9, 2023

10:00 AM

GATHERING

GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME by Jubilee (*Invite people to download bulletin from the website – stlukesbloomington.org*)

+OPENING SONG

“Shout to the Lord”

D. Zschech/M. Cole

Verse 1

My Jesus my Savior
Lord there is none like You
All of my days I want to praise
The wonders of Your mighty love
My comfort my shelter
Tower of refuge and strength
Let every breath all that I am
Never cease to worship You

Chorus 1

Shout to the Lord
All the earth let us sing
Power and majesty
Praise to the King
Mountains bow down
And the seas will roar
At the sound of Your name

I sing for joy
At the work of Your hands
Forever I'll love You
Forever I'll stand
Nothing compares to the promise
I have in You

Verse 1

Chorus 2

Shout to the Lord
All the earth let us sing
Power and majesty
Praise to the King
Mountains bow down
And the seas will roar
At the sound of Your name

I sing for joy
At the work of Your hands
Forever I'll love You
Forever I'll stand

Ending

Nothing compares to the promise I have
Nothing compares to the promise I have
Nothing compares to the promise I have
in You

+PRAYER OF THE DAY *{Front Center} (Katie Baltgalvis)*

L: Lord God, your loving kindness always goes before us and follows after us. Summon us into your light, and direct our steps in the ways of goodness that come through the cross of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

+SHARING OF THE PEACE *{Front Center} (Katie Baltgalvis)*

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 everyone with a wave of peace. For those of you online, please share a word of peace in the comment or chat. Most of all as we go out into the world may we greet others as people of peace.

ANNOUNCEMENTS *{Front Center} (Rob)*

WORD

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

FIRST READING {Lectern} (Tim Krieg)

Isaiah 9:1-7

But there will be no gloom for those who were in anguish. In the former time he brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the latter time he will make glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations. The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who lived in a land of deep darkness— on them light has shined. You have multiplied the nation, you have increased its joy; they rejoice before you as with joy at the harvest, as people exult when dividing plunder. For the yoke of their burden, and the bar across their shoulders, the rod of their oppressor, you have broken as on the day of Midian. For all the boots of the tramping warriors and all the garments rolled in blood shall be burned as fuel for the fire. For a child has been born for us, a son given to us; authority rests upon his shoulders; and he is named Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. His authority shall grow continually, and there shall be endless peace for the throne of David and his kingdom. He will establish and uphold it with justice and with righteousness from this time onward and forevermore. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will do this.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Please stand as you are able.

+THE HOLY GOSPEL

John 8:12-16

Again Jesus spoke to them, saying, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness but will have the light of life." Then the Pharisees said to him, "You are testifying on your own behalf; your testimony is not valid." Jesus answered, "Even if I testify on my own behalf, my testimony is valid because I know where I have come from and where I am going, but you do not know where I come from or where I am going. You judge by human standards; I judge no one. Yet even if I do judge, my judgment is valid; for it is not I alone who judge, but I and the Father who sent me.

L: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

MESSAGE

Pastor Rob Norris-Weber

+SONG OF THE DAY

"He is Exalted"

Twila Paris/Mark Cole

Verse 1

He is exalted

He is exalted

The King is exalted on high

The King is exalted on high

I will praise Him

Repeat Verse 1

He is exalted forever exalted

And I will praise His name

Chorus (two times)

Chorus

He is the Lord

Forever His truth shall reign

Heaven and earth

Rejoice in His holy name

Ending

He is exalted

The King is exalted on high

He is exalted

The King is exalted on high

+THE APOSTLES' CREED {*Front Center*} (Katie Baltgalvis)

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*} (Katie Baltgalvis)

Screen

After each petition:

L: Let us pray.

C: Have mercy, O God.

+THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Katie Baltgalvis*)

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.

TIME OF REFLECTION AND RESPONSE {Center} (*Katie Baltgalvis*) Please be seated

L: In this time of reflection and response you are invited to fill out your welcome card. Share any reflections, questions, or prayers on the back. Also, take this time to prepare your offering. For those gathered the collection plates are in the front and back, and there is a QR code in the bulletin to give electronically. For those on-line please go to our website stlukesbloomington.org there is a link to give at the bottom of every page. Enjoy this time.

SONG

"Who You Say I Am"
Jubilee Praise Team

Ben Fielding & Rueben Morgan

SENDING

+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.

C: Amen.

+SENDING SONG

"All Things Are Possible"

Darlene Zschech/Mark Cole

Verse 1

Almighty God my Redeemer
My hiding place my safe refuge
No other name like Jesus
No pow'r can stand against You

Verse 2

My feet are planted on this rock
And I will not be shaken
My hope it comes from You alone
My Lord and my salvation

Chorus

Your praise is always on my lips
Your word is living in my heart
And I will praise You
with a new song
My soul will bless You Lord

You fill my life with greater joy
Yes I delight myself in You

And I will praise You
with a new song
My soul will bless You Lord

Verse 2

Chorus

Bridge

When I am weak
You make me strong
When I'm poor I know I'm rich
For in the power of Your name

All things are possible
All things are possible
All things are possible
All things are possible

Chorus

Bridge

+DISMISSAL {*Front Center*} (*Katie Baltgalvis*)

L: Go in peace. Christ is with you.

C: Thanks be to God.

REPRISE

**Altar Flowers Today Given by
Lori Murray
In memory of my mom**