

Worship Leader Edition
Mollée's Faith Story

July 14, 2024

8:30 AM

GATHERING

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS *{Front Center}* (Mollée)

+OPENING HYMN

“O Zion, Haste”

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Verse 1

O Zion haste, your mission high fulfilling,
to tell to all the world that God is light;
that he who made all nations is not willing
one soul should perish, lost in shades of night.

that God, in whom they live and move, is love;
tell how he stooped to save his lost creation
and died on earth that we might live above.

Refrain

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Publish glad tidings, tidings of peace,
tidings of Jesus, redemption, and release.

Verse 3

He comes again! O Zion, ere you meet him,
make known to ev'ry heart his saving grace;
let none whom he has ransomed fail to greet him,
through your neglect, unfit to see his face.

Verse 2

Publish to ev'ry people, tongue, and nation

Refrain

+GREETING *{Front Center}* (Britt Halaas)

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L: The grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

+CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Look to the mountains; look to the hills!

C: Love comes to us with joy!

L: The world is filled with beauty.

C: Flowers appear on the earth, birdsong brightens the day.

L: Crops yield their produce in abundance, the air is filled with sweetness.

C: God so loves the world;

L: Enough to become one of us, enough to suffer along with us, enough to offer new life for us.

C: The summer of God's love is with us.

L: Let the oil of gladness anoint your souls.

C: Arise and sing for joy!

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+PRAYER OF THE DAY *{Front Center}* (Britt Halaas)

L: O God, from you come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works. Give to us, your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey your commandments; and also that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may live in peace and quietness, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

FIRST READING *{Lectern}* (Chuck Houts)

Jeremiah 29:10-14

For thus says the LORD: Only when Babylon's seventy years are completed will I visit you, and I will fulfil to you my promise and bring you back to this place. For surely I know the plans I have for you, says the LORD, plans for your welfare and not for harm, to give you a future with hope. Then when you call upon me and come and pray to me, I will hear you. When you search for me, you will find me; if you seek me with all your heart, I will let you find me, says the LORD, and I will restore your fortunes and gather you from all the nations and all the places where I have driven you, says the LORD, and I will bring you back to the place from which I sent you into exile.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

+GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

"Alleluia"

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C: Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

Please stand as you are able.

+THE HOLY GOSPEL *(Mollee) {Pulpit}*

Mark 10:13-16

People were bringing little children to him in order that he might touch them; and the disciples spoke sternly to them. But when Jesus saw this, he was indignant and said to them, 'Let the little children come to me; do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs. Truly I tell you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will never enter it.' And he took them up in his arms, laid his hands on them, and blessed them.

L: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

SERMON

Mollee Erickson

+HYMN OF THE DAY

"I Love to Tell the Story"

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Verse 1

I love to tell the story
of unseen things above,
of Jesus and his glory,
of Jesus and his love.
I love to tell the story,
because I know it's true;
it satisfies my longings
as nothing else would do.

Refrain

I love to tell the story;
I'll sing this theme in glory
And tell the old, old story
Of Jesus and his love.

Verse 2

I love to tell the story;
how pleasant to repeat
what seems, each time I tell it,

more wonderfully sweet!
I love to tell the story,
for some have never heard
the message of salvation
from God's own holy Word.

Refrain

Verse 3

I love to tell the story,
for those who know it best
seem hungering and thirsting
to hear it like the rest.
And when, in scenes of glory,
I sing the new, new song,
I'll sing the old, old story
that I have loved so long.

Refrain

+THE APOSTLES' CREED *{Front Center}* (Britt Halaas)

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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*} (Britt Halaas)

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After each petition:

L: Lord, in your mercy,

C: Hear our prayer.

+THE LORD'S PRAYER {*Front Center*} (Britt Halaas)

C: 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.

+SHARING OF THE PEACE {*Front Center*} (Britt Halaas)

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.

(Pause. Greet People Up Front. Continue when people are finished. Do not talk over sharing of the peace.)

TIME OF REFLECTION AND RESPONSE {*Front Center*} (Britt Halaas)

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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.

SPECIAL MUSIC

SENDING

+BENEDICTION {*Front Center*} (Mollee)

L: The God of hope fill you with joy and peace, so you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

+SENDING HYMN

“Rise, Shine, You People!”

ELW #665/Screen

Verse 1

Rise, Shine, you people! Christ the Lord has entered
our human story: God in him is centered.
He comes to us by death and sin surrounded,
with grace unbounded.

Verse 2

See how he sends the pow'rs of evil reeling;
he brings us freedom, light and life and healing.
All men and women, who by guilt are driven,
now are forgiven.

+DISMISSAL (Mollee) {*Back of Sanctuary*}

L: Go in peace. Share the Good News!

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

*Altar Flowers Today Given by
Vicky, Troy, & Kristin Zumberge
In memory of Brian Zumberge*

*Craig Brandt
In celebration of Kim & Craig's anniversary
& In honor of Kim's birthday*