

St. Luke's Lutheran Church  
Trust God to Go with Us

July 28, 2024

10:00 AM

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GATHERING

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GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME *by Jubilee*

+OPENING SONG

“God is On the Move” *C. Williams; I Eskelin; M. Howard; T. Wood*

**Verse 1**

Anytime a heart turns from  
darkness to light  
Anytime temptation comes  
and someone stands to fight

that sets us free  
Anytime the choice is made to  
stand upon the Word  
I know I know I know I know

Anytime somebody lives to  
serve and not be served  
I know I know I know I know

**Chorus 1**

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God is on the move on the move  
Hallelujah  
God is on the move  
in many mighty ways

**Bridge**

I see a generation  
standing on the truth  
In each and ev'ry nation  
God is on the move

God is on the move on the move  
Hallelujah  
God is on the move  
on the move today

**Verse 3**

Anytime the Gospel stirs a  
searching soul  
And someone says

**Verse 2**

Anytime in weakness someone  
falls upon their knees  
Or dares to speak the truth

Send me here I go  
I know I know I know I know

**Chorus 1**

**Bridge**

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

L: God, we ask you to help us find rest in prayer and worship. Be with our families, our friends. Guide our hearts and minds, to share your mercy, grace, and love with all. In Jesus name.

**C: Amen.**

+SHARING OF THE PEACE {*Front Center*} (*Mollee 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*} (*Rob*)

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WORD

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THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

**Baptized: Brynleigh**

**Parents: Sarah**

**Sponsors: Skye and Justin**

+THE APOSTLES' CREED

L: Do you believe in God, the Father?

**C: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

L: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**C: 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.**

L: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**C: 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.**

BAPTISMAL WELCOME

**C: We welcome Brynleigh into the body of Christ. Amen!**

*(music played while child walks down the aisle)*

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE *{On Floor Pulpit Side}*

FIRST READING *{Lectern}* *(Eric Murphy)*

Genesis 28:10-22

Jacob left Beer-sheba and went towards Haran. He came to a certain place and stayed there for the night, because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones of the place, he put it under his head and lay down in that place. And he dreamed that there was a ladder set up on the earth, the top of it reaching to heaven; and the angels of God were ascending and descending on it.

And the LORD stood beside him and said, 'I am the LORD, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac; the land on which you lie I will give to you and to your offspring; and your offspring shall be like the dust of the earth, and you shall spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south; and all the families of the earth shall be blessed in you and in your offspring. Know that I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land; for I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you.' Then Jacob woke from his sleep and said, 'Surely the LORD is in this place—and I did not know it!' And he was afraid, and said, 'How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.' So Jacob rose early in the morning, and he took the stone that he had put under his head and set it up for a pillar and poured oil on the top of it. He called that place Bethel; but the name of the city was Luz at the first. Then Jacob made a vow, saying, 'If God will be with me, and will keep me in this way that I go, and will give me bread to eat and clothing to wear, so that I come again to my father's house in peace, then the LORD shall be my God, and this stone, which I have set up for a pillar, shall be God's house; and of all that you give me I will surely give one-tenth to you.'

L: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

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

John 14:18-23

'I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.' Judas (not Iscariot) said to him, 'Lord, how is it that you will reveal yourself to us, and not to the world?' Jesus answered him, '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.'

L: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

MESSAGE

Pastor Rob Norris-Weber

+SONG OF THE DAY

“Because He Lives (Amen)”

*Matt Maher/Joel Mott*

**Verse 1**

I believe in the Son  
I believe in the Risen One  
I believe I overcome  
By the power of His blood

**Chorus 1**

Amen amen  
I'm alive I'm alive  
because He lives  
  
Amen amen  
Let my song join the one  
that never ends  
Because He lives

**Verse 2**

I was dead in the grave  
I was covered in sin and shame  
I heard mercy call my name  
He rolled the stone away

**Chorus 2**

Amen amen  
I'm alive I'm alive  
because He lives  
  
Amen amen  
Let my song join the one  
that never ends

**Bridge**

Because He lives  
I can face tomorrow  
Because He lives  
ev'ry fear is gone

I know He holds my life  
My future in His hands

**Chorus 2**

**Chorus 1**

**Ending**

Because He lives

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

*Screen*

*After each petition:*

L: Lord, in your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

+THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Mollie Erickson*)

*Screen*

**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*} (*Mollie Erickson*)

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.

MUSIC

“Glory, Let There Be Peace”  
*Jubilee Praise Team*

*C. Stevens; M Maher/  
D. Galbraith*

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SENDING

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+RECOGNITION OF THE 2024 ST. LUKE'S YOUTH MISSION NYC VBS LEADERS

+BENEDICTION {*Front Center*} (*Rob*)

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 SONG

**Verse 1**

He is exalted  
The King is exalted on high  
I will praise Him

He is exalted forever exalted  
And I will praise His name

**Chorus**

He is the Lord  
Forever His truth shall reign  
Heaven and earth  
Rejoice in His holy name

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

L: Go in peace. Share the Good News!

C: **Thanks be to God.**

REPRISE

“He Is Exalted”

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The King is exalted on high

**Verse 1**

**Chorus**

**Chorus**

**Ending**

He is exalted  
The King is exalted on high

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Twila Paris/Mark Cole

*Altar Flowers Today Given by*

*Ian and Kelsey Newby*

*In celebration of Maverick's first birthday!*