

# Camano Lutheran Church



8th Sunday of Pentecost , July 26<sup>th</sup> , 2020 - 10:00 AM

## **Tune your vehicle radio to 87.9**

- Feel free to roll down your windows
- You may enter the building to use the restrooms
- If you leave your vehicle, please wear a mask and keep 6' of social distance at all times.

Thank you for following the guidelines so we can continue to gather in this way

## PRELUDE

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✠ one God,  
whose steadfast love is everlasting,  
whose faithfulness endures from generation to generation.

**All: Amen.**

P: Trusting in the mercy of God, let us confess our sin.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

P: Reconciling God,

**All: we confess that we do not trust your abundance,  
and we deny your presence in our lives.  
We place our hope in ourselves  
and rely on our own efforts.  
We fail to believe that you provide enough for all.  
We abuse your good creation for our own benefit.  
We fear difference and do not welcome others  
as you have welcomed us.  
We close our eyes and ears to the pain of our brothers and sisters, our  
neighbors, your creation made in your image. As they cry out in pain, we turn  
our eyes and look away and close our ears to their cries and forget what it  
means to take up your cross and follow you.  
We sin in thought, word, and deed.  
By your grace, forgive us;  
through your love, renew us;  
and in your Spirit, lead us;  
so that we may live and serve you in newness of life. Amen.**

P: Beloved of God,  
by the radical abundance of divine mercy  
we have peace with God through ✠ Jesus Christ,  
through whom we have obtained grace upon grace.  
Our sins are forgiven.  
Let us live now in hope.  
For hope does not disappoint,  
because God's love has been poured into our hearts  
through the Holy Spirit.

**All: Amen.**

### **OPENING HYMN**

### **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: Beloved and sovereign God, through the death and resurrection of your Son you bring us into your kingdom of justice and mercy. By your Spirit, give us your wisdom, that we may treasure the life that comes from Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**All: Amen**

## **GOSPEL:**

## **Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52**

<sup>31</sup>[Jesus] put before [the crowds] another parable: “The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed that someone took and sowed in his field;<sup>32</sup> it is the smallest of all the seeds, but when it has grown it is the greatest of shrubs and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and make nests in its branches.”

<sup>33</sup>He told them another parable: “The kingdom of heaven is like yeast that a woman took and mixed in with three measures of flour until all of it was leavened.”

<sup>44</sup>“The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which someone found and hid; then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.

<sup>45</sup>“Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls; <sup>46</sup>on finding one pearl of great value, he went and sold all that he had and bought it.

<sup>47</sup>“Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was thrown into the sea and caught fish of every kind; <sup>48</sup>when it was full, they drew it ashore, sat down, and put the good into baskets but threw out the bad. <sup>49</sup>So it will be at the end of the age. The angels will come out and separate the evil from the righteous <sup>50</sup>and throw them into the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

<sup>51</sup>“Have you understood all this?” They answered, “Yes.” <sup>52</sup>And he said to them, “Therefore every scribe who has been trained for the kingdom of heaven is like the master of a household who brings out of his treasure what is new and what is old.”

**P:** Word of Life, Word of Hope.

**All:** **Thanks be to God.**

## **THE MESSAGE**

## HYMN OF THE DAY

## THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

A: Confident of your care and helped by the Holy Spirit, we pray for the church, the world, and all who are in need.

*After each petition*

A: Lord, in your mercy,

**All: hear our prayer.**

P: In the certain hope that nothing can separate us from your love, we offer these prayers to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**All: Amen.**

## SHARING OF THE PEACE

P: The peace of the risen Christ be with you all.

**All: And also with you.**

*(Let us share a sign of peace to one another with a wave )*

## OFFERING

Offerings will continue to be received through mailing them in or via the website donate button.

## HOLY COMMUNION

P: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

**All: We lift them to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All: It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

P: It is indeed right and salutary..., we praise your name and join their unending hymn.

## PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

P: You are indeed holy, almighty and merciful God.

You are most holy, and great is the majesty of your glory.

You so loved the world that you gave your only Son,

so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but have eternal life. We

give you thanks for his coming into the world

to fulfill for us your holy will and to accomplish all things for our salvation.

In the night in which he was betrayed...

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

**C: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

P: Remembering, therefore, his salutary command,

his life-giving passion and death, his glorious resurrection and ascension,

and the promise of his coming again,

we give thanks to you, O Lord God Almighty, not as we ought but as we are able;

we ask you mercifully to accept our praise and thanksgiving and with your Word and Holy Spirit to bless us, your servants, and these your own gifts of bread and wine, so that we and all who share in the body and blood of Christ may be filled with heavenly blessing and grace,

and, receiving the forgiveness of sin, may be formed to live as your holy people and be given our inheritance with all your saints.

To you, O God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,

be all honor and glory in your holy church, now and forever. **C Amen.**

P: Lord, remember us always in your kingdom and teach us to pray,

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 let us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
Forever and ever. **Amen.**

### **WE SHARE A MEAL TOGETHER**

P: This is the body of Christ, given for you.

P: This is the blood of Christ shed for you.

### **POST COMMUNION BLESSING**

#### **BENEDICTION**

P: Neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers,  
nor things present, nor things to come,  
nor powers, nor height, nor depth,  
nor anything else in all creation,  
will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus.

#### **DISMISSAL**

L: Go in peace. Christ is with you.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

### **SENDING SONG**

## Neither Death nor Life

ELW 622

*Refrain - All*

Nei-ther death, nor life, nor an-gels, nor rul-ers, nor  
 trials in the pres-ent, nor an - y trial to come, nei - ther height, nor  
 depth, nor all of cre - a - tion can ev - er sep - a - rate us  
 from the love of God poured out in Christ Je - sus, our Lord.

*Leader or All*

1 Dwell in the one who raised Christ from the dead; though your  
 2 All who are led by the Spir-it shall live as  
 3 All of the suf - f'ring we now must en - dure is  
 4 All of cre - a - tion a - waits the new birth, the  
 5 Who can sep - a - rate us from the love of Christ? Will

bod - y shall die, in Christ you shall rise through the  
 chil - dren of God, and heirs with Christ Je - sus, God's a -  
 noth - ing to the glo - ry so soon to be re - vealed when cre -  
 full - ness of re - demp - tion, through la - bor pains of love, and  
 hard - ship or dis - tress, per - se - cu - tion or fam - ine, or  
 Spir - it who brings you to life. *Refrain*  
 dopt - ed and cho - sen and loved. *Refrain*  
 a - tion it - self is set free. *Refrain*  
 so we wait in pa - tience and hope. *Refrain*  
 na - ked - ness or per - il or sword? *Refrain*

## God, When Human Bonds Are Broken



1 God, when hu - man bonds are bro - ken and we lack the  
 2 Through that still - ness, with your Spir - it come in - to our  
 3 You in us are bruised and bro - ken: hear us as we  
 4 Send us, God of new be - gin - nings, hum - bly hope - ful  
 5 Give us faith to be more faith - ful, give us hope to



love or skill to re - store the hope of heal - ing,  
 world of stress, for the sake of Christ for - giv - ing,  
 seek re - lease from the pain of ear - lier liv - ing;  
 in - to life. Use us as a means of bless - ing;  
 be more true, give us love to go on learn - ing;



give us grace and make us still.  
 all the fail - ures we con - fess.  
 set us free and grant us peace,  
 make us stron - ger, give us faith.  
 God, en - cour - age and re - new!

Text: Fred Kaan, b. 1929

Music: MERTON, William H. Monk, 1823-1889

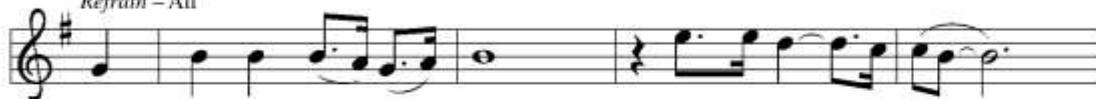
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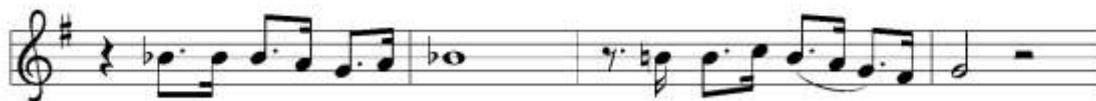
# We've Come This Far by Faith

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*Refrain - All*



We've come this far by faith, lean-ing on the Lord;



trust-ing in his ho-ly word, he's nev-er failed us yet.

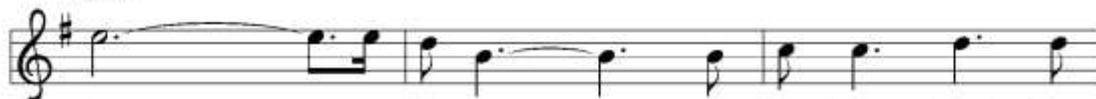


Oh, can't turn a-round, we've come this far by



faith. We've come this far by faith.

*Leader*



1 Just re-mem-ber the good things God has  
2 Don't be dis-cour-aged with trou-ble in your



done, things that seemed im - pos - si - ble; oh,  
life; he'll bear your . . . bur - dens, and

*Refrain*



praise him for the vic - t'ries he has won. Oh!  
move . . . all the dis - cord and strife. Oh!

Text: Albert A. Goodson, 1933-2003

Music: THIS FAR BY FAITH, Albert A. Goodson

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## Additional texts assigned for today July 26<sup>th</sup>

**1 Kings 3:5-12** Solomon's prayer for wisdom

**Psalms 119:129-136** When your word is opened, it gives light and understanding. (Ps. 119:130)

**Romans 8:26-39** Nothing can separate us from God's love



As God's people we are committed to:

- Sharing Christ's love
- Growing in faith
- Serving neighbor near and far

**Sharing Growing Serving**

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