

# GOD'S GRACE

**Tenth Sunday after Pentecost**

Sunday, August 14, 2022



*God's truth abideth still;*

*His kingdom is*

**FOREVER**

**TODAY'S OFFERING OF WORSHIP  
THIS TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

*We gather together...*

**PRELUDE**

**WELCOME**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.

**Many before us were faithful but did not see what they hoped for.**

In Christ, our hope has been fulfilled, the glory of God revealed among us.

**So, today, we lay aside everything, and with a great cloud of witnesses,  
look to Jesus, who began and will bring to completion our faith.**

\***HYMN** #299: *O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

\***INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be your name.**

**Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For yours is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever.**

**Amen.**

*...to hear God's Word...*

**FIRST LESSON**

Isaiah 5:1-7

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people. **Amen.**

**PSALM**

Psalms 80:1-2, 8-19 **Amen.**

**SECOND LESSON:**

Hebrews 11:29-12:2

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people. **Amen.**

**\*GOSPEL LESSON**

Luke 12:49-56

The Gospel of our Lord, God's living Word. **Thanks be to God.**

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**\*HYMN #531:** *God Has Spoken*

**SERMON:** *Rev. Steve Elde*

*...and to respond with our lives...*

**\*HYMN #420:** *Teach Me Your Way, O Lord*

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**OFFERINGS OF CHURCH LIFE AND FINANCES**

\*Doxology

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*...in the places we now go.*

**\*HYMN #464:** *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*CHORAL BENEDICTION**

**The Lord bless you and keep you  
The Lord make his face to shine upon you  
And be gracious  
Gracious, Gracious to you.  
The Lord up lift his countenance upon you  
And give you  
Give you, Give you peace.**

**POSTLUDE**

*Join us after the service, just outside the front doors,  
for coffee, treats and a time of conversation.*

*Welcome!*

GREETERS: Jim and Annita Presti  
READERS: Trevor and Jonah Scranton  
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE: George Scanton  
USHER: Kendall Magnuson  
COFFEE SERVERS: Rita and Arlie Swanson  
LIVESTREAM: Axel Nelson



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