

THY HOLY WINGS

The Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, October 15, 2023



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

We gather together...

PRELUDE

String Band

WELCOME

***HYMN #23:** *O Worship the King, All Glorious Above*

***INVOCATION**

***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

Exodus 32:1-14 (*Old Testament page 78*)

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

PSALM

Psalms 106:1-6, 19-23 (*Old Testament pages 557-558*)

SECOND LESSON

Philippians 4:1-9 (*New Testament page 198*)

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

***GOSPEL LESSON**

Matthew 22:1-14 (*New Testament page 24*)

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

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

***HYMN #528:** *The Word of God is Alive*

SERMON: *Rev. Todd Johnson*

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

***HYMN #80:** *Thy Holy Wings, Dear Savior*

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 #469:** *How Can I Keep from Singing?*

***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 lift up his countenance upon you
And give you,
Give you,
Give you peace.**

POSTLUDE

*Join us after the service for coffee and conversation,
in the Narthex.*

Welcome!



TODAY'S FLOWERS

The flowers this morning are in honor of **Rev. Steve Elde** in gratitude for his many years of ministry in this place, among us. Thank you, Pastor Steve. *We are blessed!*

GREETERS: Ron and Judy Hedstrom
READERS: Rachael and Aaron Nilson
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE: Todd Johnson
USHER: Corbin Sheffels
COFFEE SERVERS: Tom and Cheryl Knudsen
LIVESTREAM: Signe

