



ROSEVILLE LUTHERAN CHURCH

**SUMMER
SERIES**

AUGUST 18, 2024
9:00 am

everyday
contemplative

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A summer series at
ROSEVILLE LUTHERAN CHURCH
9:00 am • SUNDAY, AUGUST 18, 2024

Words in **BOLD** are for congregational participation, either said or sung.

Words to hymns are printed in this bulletin, but you are encouraged to open up and use the red ELW (Evangelical Lutheran Worship) hymnal found below or in front of your seat. Hymn numbers are provided.

PRELUDE

Kendra Brodin

WELCOME

OPENING HYMN

Crown Him with Many Crowns (vs. 1, 4, 5)

ELW 855

**Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne;
Hark, how the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own.
Awake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,
And hail him as thy matchless king through all eternity.**

**Crown him the Lord of life, who triumphed o'er the grave
And rose victorious in the strife for those he came to save.
His glories now we sing, who died and rose on high,
Who died, eternal life to bring, and lives that death may die.**

**Crown him the Lord of years, the potentate of time,
Creator of the rolling spheres, ineffably sublime.
All hail, Redeemer, hail! For thou hast died for me;
Thy praise and glory shall not fail throughout eternity.**

CALL TO WORSHIP

Today is a day for worship!
We have come to worship!

Today is a day to rejoice!
We have come to rejoice!

Today is a day to declare God's greatness!
We have come to declare God's greatness!

Today is a day to hear from the LORD!
We have come to hear from the LORD!
God, we worship you today, for you are great, and greatly to be praised!

**Now thank we all our God with heart and hands and voices,
Who wondrous things has done, in whom this world rejoices;
Who, from our mothers' arms has, blessed us on our way
With countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.**

**O may this bounteous God through all our life be near us,
With ever joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us,
And keep us all in grace, and guide us when perplexed,
And free us from all harm in this world and the next.**

**All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given,
The Son, and Spirit blest, who reign in highest heaven,
The one eternal God, whom earth and heaven adore;
For thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Faithful God, most merciful judge, you care for your children with firmness and compassion. By your Spirit nurture us who live in your kingdom, that we may be rooted in the way of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen

ANTHEM

Allison and Kendra Brodin

PREPARING FOR THE WORD

O Word of God Incarnate

ELW 514

**O Word of God incarnate, O Wisdom from on high,
O Truth unchanged, unchanging, O Light of our dark sky.
We praise you for the radiance that from the hallowed page,
A lantern to our footsteps, shines on from age to age.**

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 13:24-30

He put before them another parable: "The kingdom of heaven may be compared to someone who sowed good seed in his field, but while everybody was asleep an enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat and then went away. So when the plants came up and bore grain, then the weeds appeared as well. And the slaves of the householder came and said to him, 'Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? Where, then, did these weeds come from?' He answered, 'An enemy has done this.' The slaves said to him, 'Then do you want us to go and gather them?' But he replied, 'No, for in gathering the weeds you would uproot the wheat along with them. Let both of them grow together until the harvest, and at harvest time I will tell the reapers, Collect the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned, but gather the wheat into my barn.'"

Word of God, word of life.
Thanks be to God.

HYMN OF THE DAY

Lord of All Hopefulness

ELW 765

**Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,
Whose trust, ever childlike, no cares could destroy,
Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray,
Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.**

**Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,
Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
Be there at our labors and give us, we pray,
Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.**

**Lord of all kindness, Lord of all grace,
Your hands swift to welcome, your arms to embrace.
Be there at our homing, and give us, we pray,
Your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.**

**Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm,
Whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm,
Be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray,
Your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.**

OFFERING

*We gather as a people of God, in the presence of God, to offer up our thanks and praise.
Offering is one way in which we support and sustain our shared ministry.
You may text your gift: Text <amount> to 651-383-1504,
or scan the QR code in this bulletin.*



Children are invited to bring their offering up to the front of the Worship Center.

OFFERING MUSIC

Allison and Kendra Brodin

PRAYERS

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God,
**We confess to you and to one another, that we have sinned against you
by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength.
We have not fully loved our neighbors as ourselves.
Forgive us and free us from our sin.
Send your Holy Spirit to empower us to live for you alone, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen**

Rejoice in this good news! In + Christ Jesus, your sins are forgiven.
You are descendants of the Most High,
adopted into the household of Christ, and inheritors of eternal life.
Live as freed and forgiven children of God.
Amen

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

COMMUNION PRAYER

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

ELW p.153

Holy, holy, holy Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,

Heav'n and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

All are welcome to receive the sacrament of Holy Communion. Non-communing children are welcome to come forward and receive a blessing. Gluten/peanut free bread is available - please indicate this preference to the server. White grape juice is available and can be found in the cups toward the center of the tray. If you are unable to come forward, we will bring the sacrament to you in your seat. Please indicate this preference as the communion minister walks down your aisle.

COMMUNION MUSIC

Lamb of God

ELW p. 154

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

**By your hand you feed your people, food of angels, heaven's bread,
For these gifts we did not labor, by your grace we have been fed.**

Refrain:

**Christ's own body, blessed and broken, cup overflowing, life outpoured,
Given as a living token of your world redeemed, restored.**

**In this meal we taste your sweetness, bread for hunger, wine of peace.
Holy word and holy wisdom satisfy our deepest needs. *Refrain***

**Send us now with faith and courage to the hungry, lost, bereaved.
In our living and our dying, we become what we receive. *Refrain***

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

The God who calls across the cosmos
and speaks in the smallest seed
+ bless, keep, and sustain you
now and to the end of the age. Amen

Go in peace, serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

CLOSING HYMN

Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me

ELW 767

**Lord, take my hand and lead me upon life's way;
Direct, protect, and feed me from day to day.
Without your grace and favor I go astray;
So take my hand, O Savior, and lead the way.**

**Lord, when the tempest rages, I need not fear;
for you, the Rock of Ages, are always near.
Close by your side abiding, I fear no foe,
For when your hand is guiding, in peace I go.**

**Lord, when the shadows lengthen and night has come,
I know that you will strengthen my steps toward home,
Then nothing can impede me, O blessed Friend!
So, take my hand and lead me unto the end.**

POSTLUDE

Participants

Pastor Eric Lesher

Pastor Tori Kraus

Jenna Baccam, Director of Children, Family and Youth Ministry

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BUDGET 101

*RLC's 2024-2025
Proposed Budget*



7:00 pm

Tuesday, Aug. 20

Meeting on Zoom

Sunday
AUGUST 25
9 am WORSHIP
10 am MEETING

- VOTE ON NOMINEES
- 2024-2025 BUDGET
- OTHER BUSINESS



ROSEVILLE
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ANNUAL MEETING
IS NEXT SUNDAY

SUNDAY WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS
INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILY HELPERS NEEDED

It takes many helpers to make a Sunday run smoothly at RLC, and to show good hospitality to all who enter our doors. If you or members of your family are interested in helping on Sunday mornings, please contact Mary in the church office at mjohnson@rosevillelutheran.org or 651-487-7752, or stop by the Welcome Desk this morning. We are looking for ushers, communion servers, greeters, and readers.



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