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COME & SEE

WALKING WITH JESUS
FALL SERMON SERIES



SEPTEMBER 29TH | 9:30 AM
SANCTUARY

Welcome!

We are so glad you are with us! We gather to worship our triune God and to inspire, challenge, and encourage one another as we walk with Jesus Christ. If you would like to learn more or talk with one of our pastors about life with Christ, we would love to connect with you.

TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICE

**please stand if able*

Prelude

Introductory Voluntary by Francis Linley

Welcome

Church Alive

*Call to Worship (Adapted from Psalm 119)

One: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

All: Who made heaven and earth.

One: Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light on my path.

All: We have sworn an oath: to observe your holy ordinances.

One: Accept our offerings of praise, O Lord, and teach us your ways.

All: Your decrees are our inheritance forever and the joy of our hearts.

One: Let us worship our Holy God!

*Hymn 65

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

*Prayer of Adoration

Anthem God so Loved

God so loved the world he gave his one and only Son.

God so loved the world he gave his one and only Son.

That whoever believes will have everlasting life.

Yes, whoever believes will have everlasting life.

Oh, everlasting life.

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Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Response

***My hope is built on nothing less
than Jesus' blood and righteousness;**

**I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
but wholly lean on Jesus' name.**

On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand;

all other ground is sinking sand;

all other ground is sinking sand.

* Passing of the Peace

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

*Hymn 697

Take My Life

Prayer of God's People & 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever.
Amen.

Scripture

Exodus 16:2-5 (NRSVue)

²The whole congregation of the Israelites complained against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness. ³The Israelites said to them, "If only we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the pots of meat and ate our fill of bread, for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger." ⁴Then the Lord said to Moses, "I am going to rain bread from heaven for you, and each day the people shall go out and gather enough for that day. In that way I will test them, whether they will follow my instruction or not. ⁵On the sixth day, when they prepare what they bring in, it will be twice as much as they gather on other days."

Luke 18:18, 20-27 (NRSVue)

¹⁸A certain ruler asked him, "Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" ²⁰Jesus said, "You know the commandments." ²¹He replied, "I have kept all these since my youth." ²²When Jesus heard this, he said to him, "There is still one thing lacking. Sell all that you own and distribute the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me." ²³But when he heard this, he became sad, for he was very rich. ²⁴Jesus looked at him and said, "How hard it is for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God! ²⁵Indeed, it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God." ²⁶Those who heard it said, "Then who can be saved?" ²⁷He replied, "What is impossible for mortals is possible for God."

Next week's scripture comes from Matthew 28:16-20. Enhance your worship experience by reading through this passage before next week!

Sermon

God Provides
Pastor Conley Zomermaand

***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.

***Prayer of Dedication**

Offertory *There is More Love*

*There is more love somewhere.
There is more love somewhere.
I'm gonna keep on 'til I find it.
There is more love somewhere.*

*There is more hope somewhere.
There is more hope somewhere.
I'm gonna keep on 'til I find it.
There is more hope somewhere.*

*There is more peace somewhere.
There is more peace somewhere.
I'm gonna keep on 'til I find it.
There is more peace somewhere.
There is more joy somewhere.
There is more joy somewhere.
I'm gonna keep on 'til I find it.
I'm gonna keep on 'til I find it.
I'm gonna keep on 'til I find it.
There is more joy somewhere.*

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***Hymn 716**

God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending

***Benediction**

Postlude

Festival Postlude in G by W. Eugene Thayer

SERVING IN WORSHIP

Preaching: Pastor Conley Zomermaand

Assisting: Rev. Dr. Jeannine Graham

Musicians: Peace Choir directed by Abigail Krawson; Isabelle Rohde, *percussion*; Jeff Wood, *organ & piano*

A/V Production: Marl Alcala, Karl Schultz

For pastoral and congregational care needs email care@lakegrovepres.org, or leave a message in the Pastors' voicemail box at 503-210-6062.

Let's connect! Join us in the Fellowship Hall for *Beanediction*, our coffee and fellowship ministry, after all services have concluded.

The **Deacon Food Pantry** needs the following food items: **Canned fish (tuna, salmon), canned chicken, canned corn, and canned tomatoes.** We are currently teaming up with Lake Oswego Hunger Fighters who primarily serve Lake Oswego residents. Your generosity is making a difference. Thank you for doing what you can! **We ask that you please check expiration dates as we only provide unexpired food and products. Expired food will be discarded. Our Deacon Pantry Drop box is located just off the Gathering Area in the hall near the coat rack.*

Stewardship 2025: Embracing the Future

By the Numbers

Our 2025 Pledge Giving Target is \$2.8M or 20% above 2024. Your giving will fund growth in Mission, Music, and Discipleship Programs and overdue proactive repairs and improvements for our church home.

LGPCPrays

Prayer is the primary work of God's people. It is a vital connection to God where we can hear from, listen to, and respond to the Lord. Here are some ways you can pray this week...

Comfort for **Karen Lewis** and her family as they grieve the death of her mother, **Ethel Saltzberg**, who passed away on September 26th.

MissionPartners

Local: Pink Eraser – Praises for a successful summer lunch food program! Our faithful volunteers provided nutritious lunches for 14 families for 6 weeks this summer!

Family Promise - Please pray for vulnerable homeless families in the Tualatin Valley region, and for an increase of volunteers needed to cover the growth of this vital ministry.

If you would like to receive or be included on the weekly churchwide prayer chain, please email: prayer@lakegrovepres.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS



The CHOSEN

SMALL GROUP EXPERIENCE

JOIN OUR WATCH PARTY & DISCUSSION SMALL GROUP EXPLORING THE ACCLAIMED BIBLICAL-GROUNDED SHOW **THE CHOSEN**. SMALL GROUP STUDY MATERIAL IS ALSO AVAILABLE ONLINE.

SUNDAYS BEGINNING ON **SEPT 29**

11AM-12:30PM // YOUTH ROOM.

[REGISTER ONLINE](#)

A background image for the Women's Hike event showing a person's back and arms as they hike through a wooded area. The person is wearing a backpack and a hat.

LAKE GROVE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

WOMEN'S HIKE

7:30AM-2PM // SALMON RIVER TRAIL
ONLINE REGISTRATION NOW AVAILABLE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5TH



WORLD COMMUNION

SPECIAL OFFERING

Supporting relief efforts by the Christian Mission to Gaza

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6TH



Bells & Whistles

AN ORGAN CONCERT FOR ALL AGES



Discover the mysteries of Lake Grove's majestic pipe organ in this family-friendly concert featuring organist, Jeff Wood and an open house before/after the concert!

4040 Sunset Dr. Lake Oswego, OR 97035

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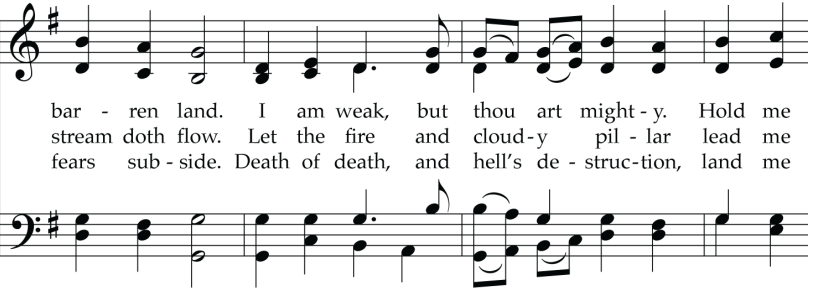
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FREE CONCERT

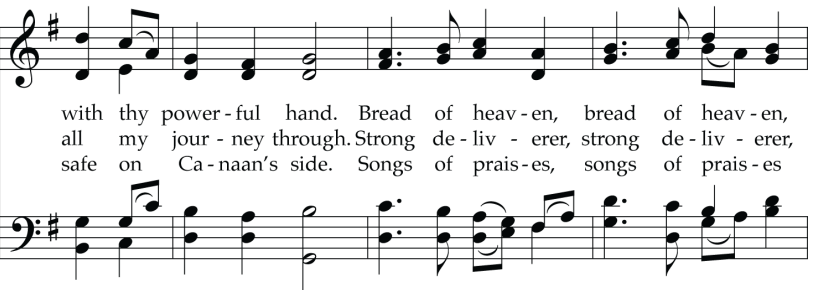
Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah 65



1 Guide me, O thou great Je - ho - vah, pil - grim through this
 2 O - pen now the crys - tal foun - tain, whence the heal - ing
 3 When I tread the verge of Jor - dan, bid my anx - ious



bar - ren land. I am weak, but thou art might - y. Hold me
 stream doth flow. Let the fire and cloud - y pil - lar lead me
 fears sub - side. Death of death, and hell's de - struc - tion, land me



with thy power - ful hand. Bread of heav - en, bread of heav - en,
 all my jour - ney through. Strong de - liv - erer, strong de - liv - erer,
 safe on Ca - naan's side. Songs of prais - es, songs of prais - es



feed me till I want no more; feed me till I want no more.
 be thou still my strength and shield; be thou still my strength and shield.
 I will ev - er give to thee; I will ev - er give to thee.

Few Welsh hymns are as well known or loved as this 18th-century text that did not gain its popular tune until the early 20th century. In both its original text and in English translation, it is a stirring hymn of pilgrimage filled with vivid imagery from Hebrew Scripture.

Take My Life

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1 Take my life and let it be con-se - crat - ed, Lord, to thee;
 2 Take my hands and let them move at the im - pulse of thy love;
 3 Take my voice and let me sing al-ways, on - ly, for my King;
 4 Take my sil - ver and my gold; not a mite would I with-hold;

take my mo - ments and my days; let them flow in
 take my feet and let them be swift and beau - ti -
 take my lips and let them be filled with mes - sa -
 take my in - tel - lect and use ev - ery power as

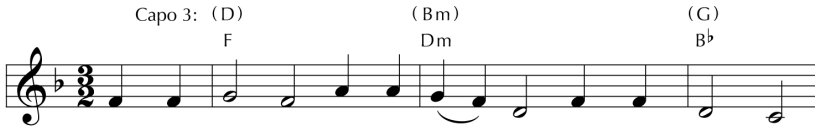
cease - less praise; let them flow in cease - less praise.
 ful for thee, swift and beau - ti - ful for thee.
 ges from thee, filled with mes - sa - ges from thee.
 thou shalt choose, ev - ery power as thou shalt choose.

5 Take my will and make it thine;
 it shall be no longer mine.
 Take my heart, it is thine own;
 it shall be thy royal throne,
 it shall be thy royal throne.

6 Take my love; my Lord, I pour
 at thy feet its treasure store;
 take myself and I will be
 ever, only, all for thee,
 ever, only, all for thee.

This hymn of consecration radiates from the repeated word "take," resulting in a remarkably full survey of a person's attributes and possessions and giving weight to the "all" at the end. The composer of the tune was influential in the renewal of Reformed hymnody in French.

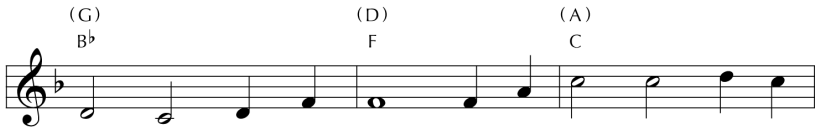
God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending 716



1 God, whose giv - ing knows no end - ing, from your rich and
 2 Skills and time are ours for press - ing toward the goals of
 3 Trea - sure, too, you have en - trust - ed, gain through powers your



end - less store, na - ture's won - der, Je - sus' wis - dom, cost - ly
 Christ, your Son: all at peace in health and free - dom, rac - es
 grace con - ferred: ours to use for home and kin - dred, and to



cross, grave's shat - tered door: gift - ed by you, we turn
 joined, the church made one. Now di - rect our dai - ly
 spread the gos - pel word. O - pen wide our hands in



to you, of - fer - ing up our - selves in praise; thank - ful song shall
 la - bor, lest we strive for self a - lone. Born with tal - ents,
 shar - ing, as we heed Christ's age - less call, heal - ing, teach - ing,



rise for - ev - er, gra - cious do - nor of our days.
 make us ser - vants fit to an - swer at your throne.
 and re - claim - ing, serv - ing you by lov - ing all.

Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.

This text on stewardship was one of about 450 submissions in a search for such hymns conducted by the Hymn Society of America in 1961. These words are well grounded by their musical setting, an early American shape note tune named for a Baptist church in Harris County, Georgia.

TEXT: Robert L. Edwards, 1961, alt.

MUSIC: *The Sacred Harp*, 1844; harm. James H. Wood, 1958

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