# Joint Worship Service Faith Lutheran Church July 28 10:30AM WRDN 1430AM/107.3FM Facebook Live @faithandrockcreek LeAnne Carlson, Lay School of Ministry Graduate



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#### Welcome and Announcements

# Confession and Forgiveness based on Psalm 32

Blessed is the one whose transgressions are forgiven, whose sins are covered. Blessed is the one whose sin the LORD does not count against them and in whose spirit is no deceit. When I kept silent, my bones wasted away through my groaning all day long. For day and night your hand was heavy on me; my strength was sapped as in the heat of summer. Then I acknowledged my sin to you and did not cover up my shortcomings. I said, "I will confess my sin to the LORD." Let all the faithful pray to you while you may be found

Silence for repentance

God you are my hiding place; you will protect me from trouble and surround me with songs of deliverance. Therefore I need only confess my shortcomings and trust that you will counsel me with a loving eye turned toward grace...

God's unfailing love surrounds the one who trusts in God. Your sins are forgiven in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Rejoice in the LORD and be glad!

#### **Opening Hymn**

I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light WOV 649

I want to walk as a child of the light. I want to follow Jesus God set the stars to give light to the world. The star of my life is Jesus

(Refrain)

In Him there is no darkness at all. The night and the day are both alike. The Lamb is the light of the city of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Jesus.

I want to see the brightness of God. I want to look at Jesus Clear sun of righteousness, shine on my path And show me the way to the Father (refrain)

I'm looking for the coming of Christ. I want to be with Jesus. When we have run with patience the race, we shall know the joy of Jesus. (refrain)

## Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.** 

# Prayer of the Day

God of our Life song, the psalms sing of joy and mourning; peace and longing; contentment and lament. All of our life is lived in your loving presence. May the psalms speak hope to our hearts and bring us closer to you. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Children's Message

**Centering Song** 

Goodness of God by The Crosby Family

Welcome the Word Great is Thy Faithfulness WOV 771 (refrain) Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see: All I have needed Thy hand hath provided—Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

#### **Scripture Reading**

Psalm 145:10-18

Word of God. Word of Life. Thanks be to God!

Sermon

#### Hymn of the Day

Great is Thy Faithfulness WOV 771

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father; There is no shadow of turning with Thee; Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not; As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

(refrain)

Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see:
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided—
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest, Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above Join with all nature in manifold witness To Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love. (refrain)

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide, Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow— Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! (refrain)

### Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### **Prayers of the People**

Merciful God, receive our prayer

#### **Peace**

#### Offering

#### **Offertory Response**

Let us praise God together on our knees, let us praise God together on our knees, when I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun O Lord have mercy on me.

#### Offering Prayer

Merciful God, we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us; ourselves, our time and our possessions; signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### The Lord's Prayer

#### Blessing

May the Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord's face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and grant you peace. In the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

# Sending Hymn My Life Flows On In Endless Song WOV 781 My life flows on in endless song, above earth's lamentation, I catch the sweet though far-off hymn that hails a new creation. (refrain)

(refrain) No storm can shake my inmost calm, while to that Rock I'm clinging. Since Christ is Lord of heaven and earth, how can I keep from singing?

Through all the tumult and the strife, I hear that music ringing. It finds an echo in my soul. How can I keep from singing? (refrain)

What though my joys and comforts die? The Lord my Savior liveth. What though the darkness gather round? Songs in the night he giveth. (refrain)

The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, a fountain ever springing! All things are mine since I am his! How can I keep from singing? (refrain)

#### **Dismissal**

Go in peace with a psalm in your heart Thanks be to God!