

SEPTEMBER 19, 2021 11:00am WORSHIP BULLETIN

THE HOLY SPIRIT CALLS US TOGETHER AS THE PEOPLE OF GOD

Gathering Songs

Father, I Adore You (CCLI)

Father I adore You
Lay my life before You
How I love You

Jesus I adore You
Lay my life before You
How I love You

Spirit I adore You
Lay my life before You
How I love You

I Will Follow (CCLI)

Where You go I'll go
Where You stay I'll stay
When You move I'll move
I will follow

Verse 1

All Your ways are good
All Your ways are sure
I will trust in You alone
Higher than my sight
High above my life
I will trust in You alone

Chorus

Where You go I'll go
Where You stay I'll stay
When You move I'll move
I will follow You
Whom You love I'll love
How You serve I'll serve
If this life I lose
I will follow (You)
I will follow (You)

Verse 2

**Light into the world
Light into my life
I will live for You alone
You're the One I seek
Knowing I will find
All I need in You alone**

Chorus

**Where You go I'll go
Where You stay I'll stay
When You move I'll move
I will follow You
Whom You love I'll love
How You serve I'll serve
If this life I lose
I will follow (You) (repeat)**

I will follow (You) x3

Welcome and Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

P: We worship in the name of the Father, and the Son +, and the Holy Spirit, one God, whose teaching is life, whose presence is sure, and whose love is endless.

C: Amen.

P: Let us confess our sins to the one who welcomes us with an open heart.

You are invited to reflect during the confession song.

Confession Song

Create in Me a Clean Heart (CCLI)

**Create in me a clean heart,
O God,
and renew a right spirit within me.
(Repeat)**

**Cast me not away from your presence, O Lord
and take not your Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the joy
of your salvation and
renew a right spirit within me.**

*P: All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.
By the gift of grace in Christ Jesus, I declare your sins are forgiven in the name of the Father,
and Son +, and the Holy Spirit. God makes you righteous.
Receive with glad hearts the forgiveness of all your sins.*

C: Amen.

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray

C: O God, our teacher and guide, you draw us to yourself and welcome us as beloved children. Help us to lay aside all envy and selfish ambition, that we may walk in your ways of wisdom and understanding as servants of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

GOD SPEAKS TO US IN SCRIPTURE, PREACHING AND SONG

First Reading: **Jeremiah 11: 18-20**

Second Reading: **James 3:13-4:3, 7-8a**

Children's Sermon

Gospel Acclamation.....**Thy Word**

Gospel Reading: **Mark 9: 30-37**

(Before) **C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

(After) **C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon

Hymn of the Day

We Believe (CCLI)

Verse 1

**In this time of desperation
When all we know is doubt and fear
There is only one foundation
We believe we believe
In this broken generation
When all is dark You help us see
There is only one salvation
We believe, we believe**

Chorus

**We believe in God the Father
We believe in Jesus Christ
We believe in the Holy Spirit
And He's given us new life
We believe in the crucifixion
We believe that He conquered death**

**We believe in the resurrection
And He's coming back again
(We believe)**

Verse 2

**So let our faith be more than anthems
Greater than the songs we sing
In our weakness and temptations
We believe, we believe**

Chorus

**We believe in God the Father
We believe in Jesus Christ
We believe in the Holy Spirit
And He's given us new life
We believe in the crucifixion
We believe that He conquered death
We believe in the resurrection
And He's coming back again
(repeat)**

**We believe
We believe
We believe**

Prayers of the People

Sharing a Sign of Christ's Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always! C: And also with you!

GOD FEEDS US WITH THE PRESENCE OF JESUS CHRIST

Offering

Ministry Minute Mike Rutkosky

Offering Prayer

**C: God of abundance,
you cause streams to break forth in the desert
and manna to rain from the heavens.
Accept the gifts you have first given us.
Unite them with the offering of our lives
to nourish the world you love so dearly;
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
Amen.**

**Great Thanksgiving
Words of Institution
Lord's Prayer**

Invitation to Communion

P: All who hunger and thirst, come. The table is ready.

Communion Hymns ***Children of the Heavenly Father*** (ELW #781)
 Change My Heart, O God (ELW #801)
 Great is the Lord
 You are My King (Amazing Love)

Prayer after Communion

**C: Lord of life,
in the gift of your body and blood
you turn the crumbs of our faith into a feast of salvation.
Send us forth into the world with shouts of joy,
bearing witness to the abundance of your love
in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
Amen.**

GOD BLESSES US AND SENDS US IN MISSION TO THE WORLD

Blessing

*P: People of God,
You are Christ's body,
Bringing new life to a suffering world.
The holy Trinity, Father, Son +, and Holy Spirit,
Bless you now and forever.*

C: Amen.

Sending Hymn

The Lord Now Sends Us Forth (ELW #538)

**The Lord now sends us forth
with hands to serve and give,
to make of all the earth
a better place to live. *Repeat***

**The angels are not sent
into our world of pain
to do what we were meant
to do in Jesus' name;
that falls to you and me
and all who are made free.
Help us, O Lord, we pray,
to do your will today.**

**The Lord now sends us forth
with hands to serve and give,
to make of all the earth
a better place to live. *Repeat***

Sending

P: Go in peace. The living Word dwells in you.

C: Thanks be to God.

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