

It is Good to Hear God Speak

SERMON

Pastor Aaron Ankeny

It is Good to Come to the Lord's Table

HYMN

"Come, Sinners, to the Gospel Feast"

616 (vss 1,3,5)

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WORD AND TABLE II

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Heavenly Father, we confess to You our sins.

Where we have been jealous, bitter and resentful,

Please forgive us and lead us in Your Will.

Where we have been unfair, offensive and hurtful,

Please forgive us and lead us in Your Will.

Where we have spoken deceitfully and untruthfully,

Please forgive us and lead us in Your Will.

Where we have made poor decisions and chosen wrong priorities,

Please forgive us and lead us in Your Will.

When we believe we are unlovable to You,

Please forgive us and lead us in Your Will.

Lord we ask for forgiveness for every sin in our lives

And seek Your Divine renewal.

We pray this in the Name of Christ who died to take away our sins,

AMEN.

RECEIVING THE SACRAMENTS

GIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

It is Good to Depart and Serve

As our worship is over our service begins; remember Christ said we are to be the light in the world.

*HYMN

"Amazing Grace"

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*BENEDICTION

1 Peter 5:10-12 (NRSV) Colossians 4:6 (NIV)

And after you have suffered for a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, support, strengthen, and establish you.

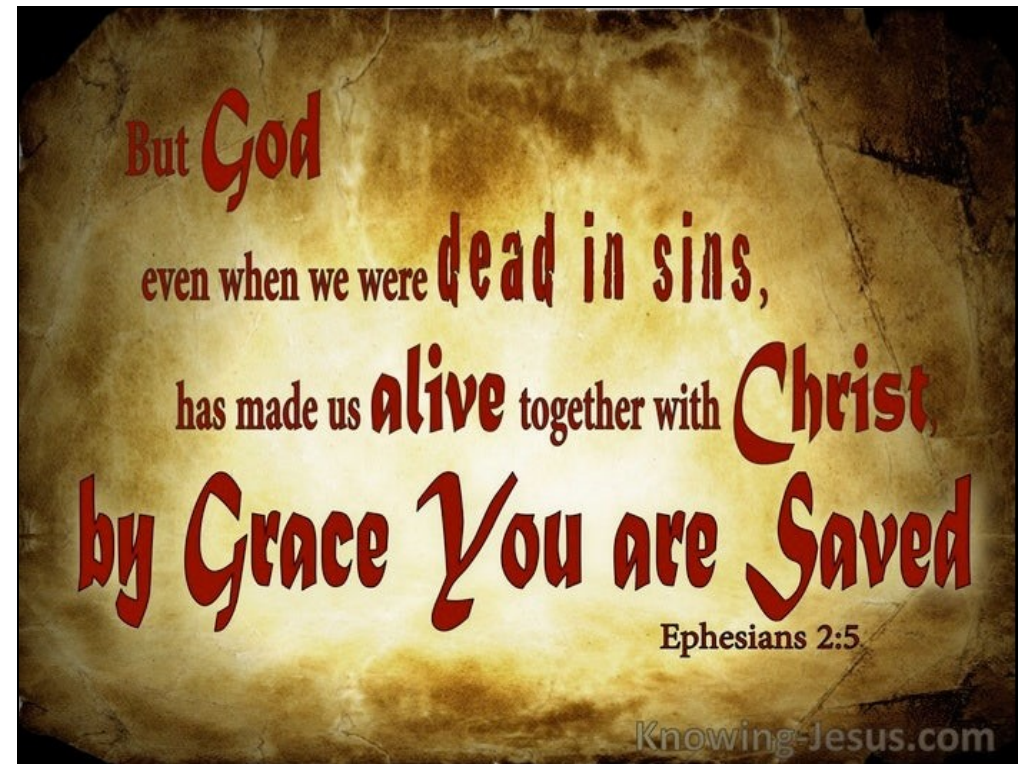
To him be the power forever and ever. Amen.

Let your conversation be always full of grace, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how to answer everyone.

*POSTLUDE

"What A Day That Will Be"

(*Please stand where indicated)



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AUGUST 7, 2022
11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

It is Good to Gather for Worship

We come to the house of God, a sanctuary from the world. Enter in reverent anticipation; seek in quiet meditation; rejoice in revelation; depart to serve.

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS Blaine Wheeler, Liturgist

It is Good to Seek God's Presence

Take this opportunity to focus on God, and realize God's Presence.

11:00 CHIMING THE HOUR

PRELUDE "My Shepherd Will Supply My Need" Arr. Dale Wood

INTROIT "Be Present at Our Table, Lord" 621

It is Good to Celebrate and Honor God

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Christ is the Bread that came from Heaven

Those who eat of it shall have Life that never dies.

Christ offers the Cup of Salvation.

He gave His Life for our sins.

We come to this Table often,

and each time, we are blessed by our Lord and Saviour.

Today we come again to this Sacred Table,

hungry and thirsty for the goodness of God.

At this Table our courage and hope are renewed.

Only God can satisfy our deepest needs.

***HYMN** "Become to Us the Living Bread" 630

AFFIRMING GRACE IN OUR LIVES

Romans 5:15-21 (NRSV)

¹⁵ *But the free gift is not like the trespass. For if the many died through the one man's trespass, much more surely have the grace of God and the free gift in the grace of the one man, Jesus Christ, abounded for the many.*

¹⁶ *And the free gift is not like the effect of the one man's sin. For the judgment following one trespass brought condemnation, but the free gift following many trespasses brings justification.*

¹⁹ *For just as by the one man's disobedience the many were made sinners, so by the one man's obedience the many will be made righteous.*

²⁰ *But law came in, with the result that the trespass multiplied; but where sin increased, grace abounded all the more,*

²¹ *so that, just as sin exercised dominion in death, so grace might also exercise dominion through justification leading to eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.*

Ephesians 2:5-8 (NRSV)

⁵ *even when we were dead through our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ—by grace you have been saved—*

⁶ *and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus,*

⁷ *so that in the ages to come he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus.*

⁸ *For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God—*

1 Corinthians 15:10 (NRSV)

¹⁰ *But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them—though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me.*

Hebrews 4:14-16 (NRSV)

¹⁴ *Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession.*

¹⁵ *For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin.*

¹⁶ *Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.*

HYMN "Grace Greater Than Sin"

Children invited to Children's Church during the hymn

365 (Vs 1&4)

WEEKLY GIVING

Offering Week of 7/31 \$ 1,969

Gifts/Loose Plate \$ 1,452
Honorariums/Memorials \$ 25
Children's Home \$ 492

Vanco Contributions \$ 325

July Revenue \$ 25,274.78
July Expenses \$ 20,670.19

ATTENDANCE

Sunday, 7/31 56



**Prayer
Concerns**



Homebound:

† Glenn Jones † Mary Virginia McRae † Jim Rine †
Barbara Leslie † Dot Pitman † Shirley Johr

Congregation Members in Need of Prayer:

† Charleen Kelley † Frankie Powers † Helena
Powers † Jack King † Susan Summers † Aaron
Ankeny † Hembree Family † Bob Santos † Steve
Stafford & Elaine Stafford † Terri Carmichael † Pat
Humphress † Don Stevens † Witleigh Summerlin †
Wheeler Family † Ward Family † Rosalie Marks †
Ronnie King † Ann Fortney † Ann McCall † Sybil
Hunziker

Homes and Rehabilitation:

Nancy Hunter-Solaris † Mark Giebeig-Baya Pointe †
Martha Shaw-Solaris

Those serving in the Armed Forces:

† Curtis Crawford † Ryan Gabey † Morgan Gabey

Our Friends and Relatives:

† Sandra Buck-Camp's friend, Alice G. St. John † Peggy
Ankeny's friend, Susan Walker † Barbara Hagler † Steve
& Elaine Stafford's brother-in-law, Fred Harrison † Gracie
Howell † Bob & Martha Shaw's friend, Fred Barto † Jim
Rine's nephew, Steve Locke

Our Friends and Relatives with cancer:

†C. Rebecca Blackwood † Riley Martin † Suzanne
Melton † Larry & Arlene Lessard's daughter, Bobbie
Runge † Katrina Counts † Gail K. Goss † Jock McCain †
Troy Cunningham † Glen Jones, Jr.

**Please let us know if a name can be removed or added.
Thank you.**

***If you are visiting with us today, please
fill out the information below, tear off
along the perforation and put this card in
the offering plate.***

***We are honored you chose to join us for
worship today.***

Please Print your name (s) in this space:

Address

City/State/Zip

Phone

Email

Notes/Prayer Requests

[] Please check the box if you would like
the name added to the Prayer Concerns list
in the bulletin



AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

1 Frankie Powers
4 Chip Stevens
5 Jason Armstead
7 Viki Case
8 Darlene Manthey
9 Wittleigh Summerlin
12 Ava Bailey
14 Jane McClelland
15 Sybil Hunziker
18 Kelli Armstead
Wendy Tonetti
19 Lucy Taylor
24 Kevin Bailey
Eric Stevens
26 Bobby Case
27 George Richardson
30 Elisabeth Stafford



If you would like to have your name added to the birthday list, please contact the church office.

CHURCH STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Aaron Ankeny
Director of Music: David Malone
Pianist: Amelia Tompkins
Audio Visual: Rusty Bailey, David Smith
Administrative Assistant: Lee Gober
Custodian: Blade Crawford
Grounds Keeper: Austin Reiter
Nursery: Heather Giebeig
Home Communion: Rev. Gary & Rita Monk



The flowers today are given to the Glory of God and In Honor of Wittleigh Summerlin's birthday from her family.

NEWS, NOTES, AND UPCOMING EVENTS

GRIEF SHARE

If you are grieving the loss of a loved one and need support to help you then please join us for this program led by Pastor Aaron Ankeny. It will meet every **Thursday @ 5:30 p.m.** in the Youth Room in Fellowship Hall.

We are looking for someone to assist in leading the program along with Pastor Aaron. Please speak with him if you are interested in helping.

MEETINGS

Tuesday, August 9-Pumpkin Patch @ 6:00 p.m.

If you would like to be a part of the planning process, please join us.

Tuesday, August 16-Finance @ 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, August 23-Church Council @ 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, August 30-Program Committees @ 6:00 p.m.

FOR ALL Committee Chairman & Members and all others who are interested in Planning Program Activities and Ministry through November this year. **WE NEED YOU!**

All meetings will be held in Fellowship Hall.

