

Summer 2009



28 June 2009

†The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
8:30 and 11:00 a.m.

Phinney Ridge Lutheran Church
7500 Greenwood Avenue North
Seattle, Washington 98103
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OUR WEEKLY CIRCLE OF PRAYER

For homebound members and friends of Phinney:

Jerry Abrahamson, Judy Jepson, Helen Hankins, Myrtle Nelson

For our partner congregations: Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church

For those serving the larger church: Janet Alcántara, Missionary to Honduras

For the family & friends of the recently deceased

For the family & friends of Pat Morris, PRLC member, died 6/20

For the family & friends of Jake Wilhelm, husband of former PRLC Vicar Anda, died 6/20

Recent Hospitalizations, illnesses, and other concerns

Nancy Greffin, in ICU with pneumonia

Joan Kolnes, hospitalized

Doris Hendrickson, former PRLC member hospitalized with blood clot

Darryl Bradshaw, son-in-law of Mary & Bill Bergstrom, serious motorcycle accident

Harold Solberg, brother of Mabel Rockness, seriously ill

Melvin Sahs, father of Jean Sahs Moody, in hospice care

Norma Stromberg, mother of Rosalyn Breen, declining health

Lilian Huber, mother of Joe Huber, critically ill in Georgia

Lorraine Olson, PRLC member, in hospice care

Ruth Jackson, aunt of Jane Bengtson, recent surgery to relieve pressure on her brain

Phil Omanson, grandfather of Katie Hansen, in hospice care

Don, friend of Candi Olson, continuing battle with bladder cancer

Lois Siefkes, former PRLC member, heart ailment

For persons diagnosed with cancer, undergoing treatments: Dorothy Rupert, Barb Mockett, Kristin Seymour, Buffy, Tom Tittle, Barbara Crocker, Russ Gilbertson, Linda Covert, Charlotte Hjorten, Robert Sylwester, Paul Mockett, Sr., Lana, Mary Ann Wachsmuth, Sean Gatchell, Janet Walter, Anne Wiberg, Margaret Hoerner, Lily, Marc Price, Eka Gurning, Beth Smith, David Hildebrand, David Egge, Linda Stapleton, Larry Reimnitz, David Jacobs, Lisa, Steve Bodnar, Patrick Conly, Lisa Surdyk, Mike & Mary, Christoph Schmidt, Samantha del Agula, Don, Ed Pfaff, Ken Rogge, Linda, Jerry Douglas Bell, Sandy Baker, Fred Page, Stan Zintel

For persons with ongoing needs: Niki, Tenisha, Robin, Barb, The Carey Family, Judy, Anna and family, Charlotte Gaddis, Elizabeth Stokoe, Kathleen, Sierra, Erika, Kessler Family, Wallstrom Family, Mickey Morris, Dot Tuvey, Charles, Sr. Ellen Stephen, Winston, Sarah Taylor, Dick Beers, The Williams family, Eva Ferrin, Bart Brosten, Bob Ramborger, Dick Holden, Bernice Anderson, Rob Thompson, Hink Sahs, Sean, Jacob G., Stambaugh family, Marilyn Leer, Jamie Cox, Nel Taylor, Wendy Weber, Marion Bentson, Bob, Shauna B., Jenne, Kelly, Jane Hines, Rachel Brosten, Charles, Amber Ronald, Adele Kosiolek, Jill Hendrix, Scott Lee, Eugene, Cathy, Tony, Lita P., Debra, Ruth, Minnie, Lita, Don Ritter, Trish, Richard, Jean Anderson, Matt, Lakshmi, Neil, Abby, Leo, Mike, Marian, Wayne, Jane, Bonnie, Rebecca, John, Luther, Suzanne, Kerstin, Wayne M., Scott, Hank Heinz, Jon, Nancy Harris & family, Luci J. Baker Johnson & family, Jeanie Sonnefeld, Jerome Sonnefeld, Arlene, Cheryl, Bill, Judy, Pastor Stoa, Troy Bingisser

Special requests for prayer: Troops in Iraq and Afghanistan, the unemployed

ENTRANCE RITE

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

WELCOME

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence for reflection and self-examination

Most merciful God,

we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.

Amen.

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

ENTRANCE HYMN

Gather Us In



1 Here in this place the new light is stream-ing, now is the dark - ness
2 We are the young, our lives are a mys - t'ry, we are the old who
3 Here we will take the wine and the wa - ter, here we will take the
4 Not in the dark of build-ings con - fin - ing, not in some heav - en,



van - ished a - way; see in this space our fears and our dream-ings
yearn for your face; we have been sung through - out all of his - t'ry,
bread of new birth, here you shall call your sons and your daugh - ters,
light years a - way— here in this place the new light is shin - ing,



brought here to you in the light of this day.
called to be light to the whole hu - man race.
call us a - new to be salt for the earth.
now is the king - dom, and now is the day.



Gath - er us in, the lost and for - sak - en, gath - er us in, the
Gath - er us in, the rich and the haugh - ty, gath - er us in, the
Give us to drink the wine of com - pas - sion, give us to eat the
Gath - er us in and hold us for - ev - er, gath - er us in and



blind and the lame; call to us now, and we shall a - wak - en,
proud and the strong; give us a heart, so meek and so low - ly,
bread that is you; nour - ish us well, and teach us to fash - ion
make us your own; gath - er us in, all peo - ples to - geth - er,



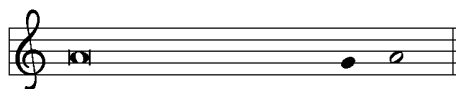
we shall a - rise at the sound of our name.
give us the cour - age to en - ter the song.
lives that are ho - ly and hearts that are true.
fire . . . of love in our flesh and our bone.

APOSTOLIC 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.

KYRIE



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace from a-bove, and for our sal - vation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



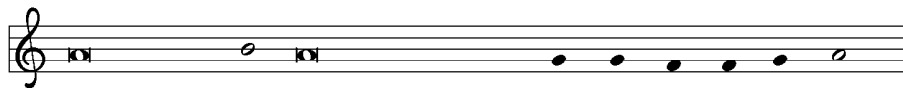
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their wor - ship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord. Lord have mer - cy.



Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gra - cious Lord. A - men.

HYMN OF PRAISE

Glory to God



Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth.



Lord God, heav-en-ly King, al-might-y God and Fa-ther, we



wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo-ry.



Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God,



you take a-way the sin of the world: have mer-cy on us;



you are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther: re-ceive our prayer.



For you a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the Lord,



you a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it,



in the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A-men.

SALUTATION AND PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray...Almighty and merciful God, we implore you to hear the prayers of your people. Be our strong defense against all harm and danger, that we may live and grow in faith and hope, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

FIRST READING: Lamentations 3:22–33

²²The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases,
his mercies never come to an end;

²³they are new every morning;
great is your faithfulness.

²⁴"The LORD is my portion," says my soul,
"therefore I will hope in him."

²⁵The LORD is good to those who wait for him,
to the soul that seeks him.

²⁶It is good that one should wait quietly
for the salvation of the LORD.

²⁷It is good for one to bear
the yoke in youth,

²⁸to sit alone in silence
when the LORD has imposed it,

²⁹to put one's mouth to the dust
(there may yet be hope),

³⁰to give one's cheek to the smiter,
and be filled with insults.

³¹For the LORD will not
reject forever.

³²Although he causes grief, he will have compassion
according to the abundance of his steadfast love;

³³for he does not willingly afflict
or grieve anyone.

Holy wisdom, holy word.

Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S WORD

SECOND READING: 2 Corinthians 8:7–15

⁷Now as you excel in everything — in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in utmost eagerness, and in our love for you — so we want you to excel also in this generous undertaking.

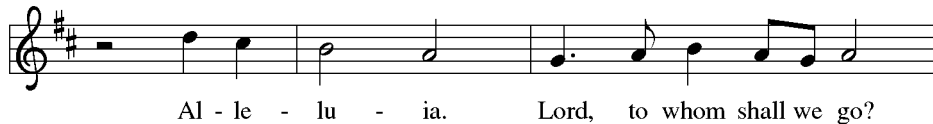
⁸I do not say this as a command, but I am testing the genuineness of your love against the earnestness of others. ⁹For you know the generous act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich. ¹⁰And in this matter I am giving my advice: it is appropriate for you who began last year not only to do something but even to desire to do something — ¹¹now finish doing it, so that your eagerness may be matched by completing it according to your means. ¹²For if the eagerness is there, the gift is acceptable according to what one has — not according to what one does not have. ¹³I do not mean that there should be relief for others and pressure on you, but it is a question of a fair balance between ¹⁴your present abundance and their need, so that their abundance may be for your need, in order that there may be a fair balance. ¹⁵As it is written,

"The one who had much did not have too much,
and the one who had little did not have too little."

Holy wisdom, holy word.

Thanks be to God.

ALLELUIA VERSE



GOSPEL: Mark 5:21–43

The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the fifth chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

²¹When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered around him; and he was by the sea. ²²Then one of the leaders of the synagogue named Jairus came and, when he saw him, fell at his feet ²³and begged him repeatedly, "My little daughter is at the point of death. Come and lay your hands on her, so that she may be made well, and live." ²⁴So he went with him.

And a large crowd followed him and pressed in on him. ²⁵Now there was a woman who had been suffering from hemorrhages for twelve years. ²⁶She had endured much under many physicians, and had spent all that she had; and she was no better, but rather grew worse. ²⁷She had heard about Jesus, and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak, ²⁸for she said, "If I but touch his clothes, I will be made well." ²⁹Immediately her hemorrhage stopped; and she felt in her body that she was healed of her disease. ³⁰Immediately aware that power had gone forth from him, Jesus turned about in the crowd and said, "Who touched my clothes?" ³¹And his disciples said to him, "You see the crowd pressing in on you; how can you say, 'Who touched me?'" ³²He looked all around to see who had done it. ³³But the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling, fell down before him, and told him the whole truth. ³⁴He said to her, "Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease."

³⁵While he was still speaking, some people came from the leader's house to say, "Your daughter is dead. Why trouble the teacher any further?" ³⁶But overhearing what they said, Jesus said to the leader of the synagogue, "Do not fear, only believe." ³⁷He allowed no one to follow him except Peter, James, and John, the brother of James. ³⁸When they came to the house of the leader of the synagogue, he saw a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. ³⁹When he had entered, he said to them, "Why do you make a commotion and weep? The child is not dead but sleeping." ⁴⁰And they laughed at him. Then he put them all outside, and took the child's father and mother and those who were with him, and went in where the child was. ⁴¹He took her by the hand and said to her, "Talitha cum," which means, "Little girl, get up!" ⁴²And immediately the girl got up and began to walk about (she was twelve years of age). At this they were overcome with amazement. ⁴³He strictly ordered them that no one should know this, and told them to give her something to eat.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

HYMN OF THE DAY

O Christ, the Healer, We Have Come

1 O Christ, the heal-er, we have come to pray for health, to plead for friends.
2 From ev - 'ry ail-ment flesh en - dures our bod - ies clam - or to be freed;
3 In con - flicts that de - stroy our health we rec - og - nize the world's dis - ease;
4 Grant that we all, made one in faith, in your com - mu - ni - ty may find

How can we fail to be re - stored when reached by love that nev - er ends?
yet in our hearts we would con - fess that whole - ness is our deep - est need.
our com - mon life de - clares our ills. Is there no cure, O Christ, for these?
the whole - ness that, en - rich - ing us, shall reach the whole of hu - man - kind.

The musical score consists of two systems. Each system has a vocal line on a treble clef staff and a piano accompaniment line on a bass clef staff. The key signature has one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are placed between the two staves of each system.

PRAYERS AND PEACE

Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs...

...Gracious God

Hear our prayer.

Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you.

SERVICE OF THE MEAL

OFFERING AND OFFERTORY MUSIC

Soloist

Chancel Choir

Healer Divine

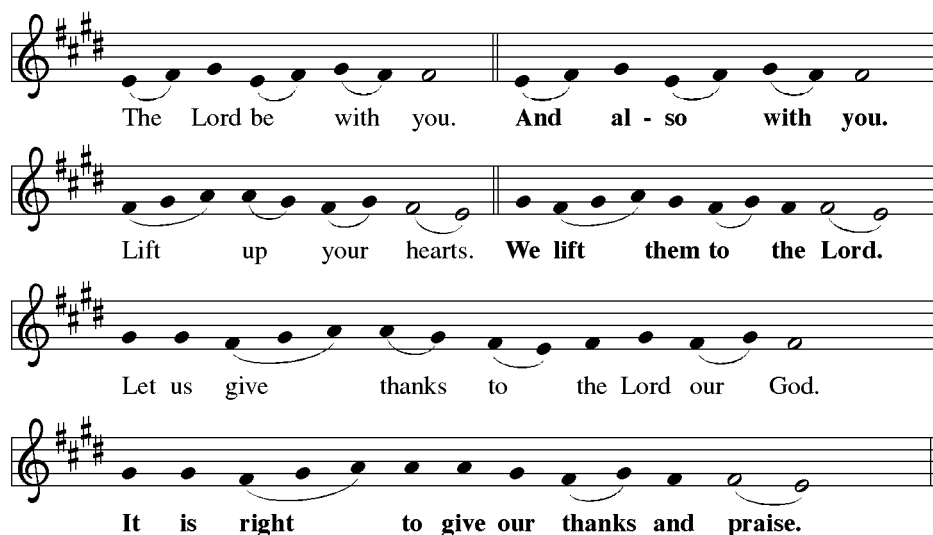
Raymond Haan

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Let us pray...Merciful Father,

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

OPENING DIALOG AND PROPER PREFACE



The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ; who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

SANCTUS

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.
Ho - san-na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san-na in the high - est.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

Holy God, holy and mighty, holy and immortal: you we praise and glorify, you we worship and adore.

You formed the earth from chaos; you encircled the globe with air; you created fire for warmth and light; you nourish the lands with water.

You molded us in your image, and with mercy higher than the mountains, with grace deeper than the seas, you blessed the Israelites and cherished them as your own.

That also we, estranged and dying, might be adopted to live in your Spirit, you called to us through the life and death of Jesus, who in the night in which he was betrayed, took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Together as the body of Christ, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes:
Christ has died. Christ has risen. Christ will come again.

With this bread and cup we remember your Son, the first-born of your new creation. We remember his life lived for others, and his death and resurrection, which renews the face of the earth. We await his coming, when, with the world made perfect through your wisdom, all our sins and sorrows will be no more.

Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

Holy God, holy and merciful one, holy and compassionate, send upon us and this meal your Holy Spirit, whose breath revives us for life, whose fire rouses us to love. Enfold in your arms all who share this holy food. Nurture in us the fruits of the Spirit, that we may be a living tree, sharing your bounty with all the world.

Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.

Holy and benevolent God, receive our praise and petitions, as Jesus received the cry of the needy, and fill us with your blessing, until, needy no longer and bound to you in love, we feast forever in the triumph of the Lamb: through whom all glory and honor is yours, O God, O Living One, with the Holy Spirit, in your holy church, now and forever.

Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever.

Amen.

FRACTION AND INVITATION

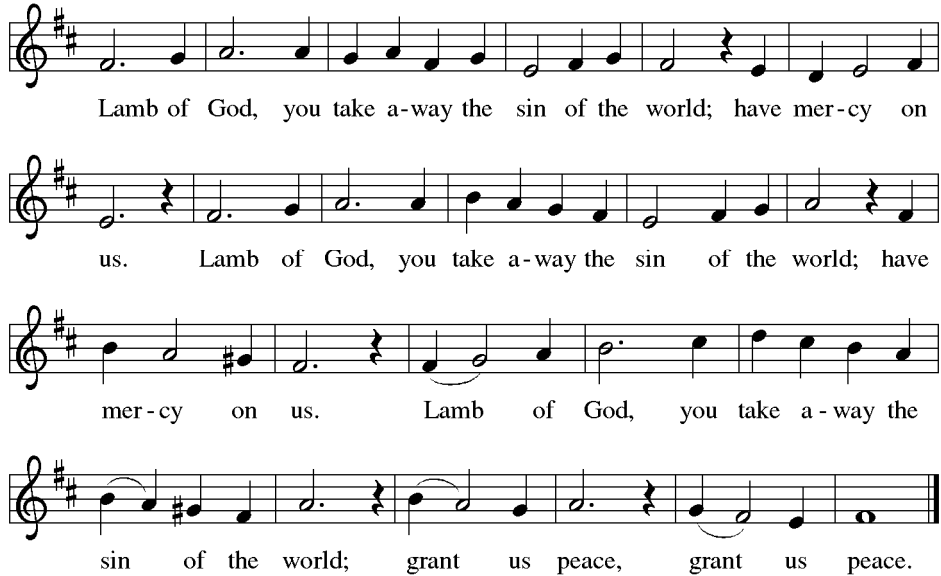
DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

We welcome you to commune at the table of the Lord. Communion will be served today by intinction at three stations across the front of the church. Each communicant dips the bread into their choice of either red wine or white grape juice. Please exit your seats to the left and return by the opposite aisle. Those who do not commune but wish to receive a blessing are welcome to come forward with folded hands.

MUSIC DURING DISTRIBUTION

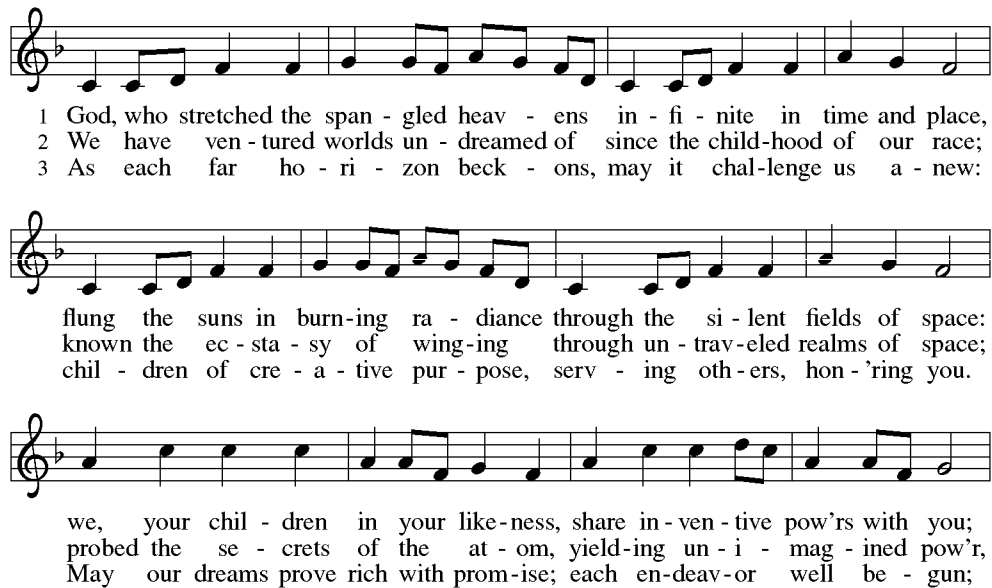
Please find hymns printed on the next two pages of the bulletin.

Lamb of God



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on
 us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
 mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the
 sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

God, Who Stretched the Spangled Heavens



1 God, who stretched the span - gled heav - ens in - fi - nite in time and place,
 2 We have ven - tured worlds un - dreamed of since the child-hood of our race;
 3 As each far ho - ri - zon beck - ons, may it chal-lenge us a - new:
 flung the suns in burn-ing ra - diance through the si - lent fields of space;
 known the ec - sta - sy of wing-ing through un - trav-eled realms of space;
 chil - dren of cre - a - tive pur - pose, serv - ing oth - ers, hon - 'ring you.
 we, your chil - dren in your like-ness, share in - ven - tive pow'rs with you;
 probed the se - crets of the at - om, yield-ing un - i - mag - ined pow'r,
 May our dreams prove rich with prom-ise; each en-deav-or well be - gun;

great Cre - a - tor, still cre - at - ing, show us what we yet may do.
 fac - ing us with life's de - struc - tion or our most tri - um - phant hour.
 great Cre - a - tor, give us guid - ance till our goals and yours are one.

Healer of Our Every Ill

Refrain

Heal - er of our ev - 'ry ill, light of each to - mor - row,

give us peace be - yond our fear, and hope be - yond our sor - row.

- 1 You who know our fears and sad - ness, grace us with your
- 2 In the pain and joy be - hold - ing how your grace is
- 3 Give us strength to love each oth - er, ev - 'ry sis - ter,
- 4 You who know each thought and feel - ing, teach us all your

Refrain

peace and glad - ness; Spir - it of all com - fort, fill our hearts.
 still un - fold - ing, give us all your vi - sion, God of love.
 ev - 'ry broth - er; Spir - it of all kind - ness, be our guide.
 way of heal - ing; Spir - it of com - pas - sion, fill each heart.

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING AND PRAYER

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace, now and unto eternal life.

Amen.

Let us pray.... We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life. In your mercy, strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

SENDING

BENEDICTION AND DISMISSAL

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

In the name of the Father, and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

†As in Adam all die, so in Christ shall all be made alive. Prayers and Christian sympathy are offered today for the family and friends of Pat Morris, who died on 20 June 2009. A memorial service for Pat will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Monday, 29 June at the Seattle Golf Club (210 NW 145th). *Rest eternal grant him, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon him. †*

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PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S LITURGY

PRESIDER & PREACHER

Pastor Paul E. Hoffman

CHILDREN'S WORD

Abigail Jiménez

ASSISTING MINISTERS

John Hubbard (8:30)

Dan Price (11)

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Virginia Schafer, Linda Quammen (8:30)

John & Mary Cooley,
Erma Lee, and Cathy Bachmann (11)

LECTORS

Dick Diesner, Doreen Burris (8:30)

David and Katy Arndt (11)

ACOLYTES

Liz Radford (8:30)

Maiko Patschke (11)

SOLOIST (8:30)

James Anderson

CHANEL CHOIR (11)

Beth Ann Bonnecroy, Director

PIANIST

Valerie Shields

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Piro is participating in a continuing education class this weekend at Seattle University. She will return to the office on Tuesday.

We received word last weekend that **Jake Wilhelm**, husband of 2006-2007 PRLC Vicar Anda Wilhelm, passed away on June 20th after a battle with leukemia. Cards of condolences can be sent to Anda at P.O. Box 203, Gwinner, ND, 58040.

The Dedication Task Force for our renovated space is looking for Volunteers with the following experience: Graphic Design, Public Relations, Publicity, Arts, Logo and Website Development. A Mission Team will be formed to guide you through tasks involving a publication associated with the opening of our new space, website and public outreach. Dedication weekend is slated for Nov. 1, 2009. Sign up on Count Me In.



NEWS FROM LYONS

June 28, 6:30-8pm, High School Summer Trip Meeting:

If you are registered to go to New Orleans for the National Youth Gathering we'll see you at this meeting! It's time to plan some more for Jesus, Justice, JAZZ! This meeting is for parents and youth. Cost: Free. Location: LYONS Den/Fellowship Hall (1501 NW 90th St)

July 9 and 16 from 2-4pm Take Ten Thursdays!

All LYONS middle school and high school youth are invited to come and chill at the Den with Billy and Julie. There's no set schedule, so the sky's the limit! Water balloons? Board games? Great conversations? YOU DECIDE! Cost: Free
Location: LYONS Den (1501 NW 90th St)

Middle School Summer Trip! There are only 5 spots left! This year LYONS Middle School is headed to Ocean Shores! We will leave the morning of August 25th and return late afternoon on August 27th. Cost is \$50 Contact Billy (383-9446) lyonspa@earthlink.net to sign up or to get more details!

LOOKING AHEAD

JULY 13-17
MON-FRI

Vacation Bible School
Mornings at PRLC

OCT 9-11
FRI-SUN

Women's Retreat
Union, WA

NOV 1
SUN

Dedication of Renovated Sanctuary
All Saints' Sunday

Lutheran Volunteer Corps is expanding in Seattle and looking for two houses to rent, starting by August 1. The houses would preferably be 3 bedrooms, 1-2 bathrooms, and rent for up to \$1200/mo. We are open to large apartments/condos as well. We are ideally looking for a place in North Beacon Hill or the Central Area, and are open to other neighborhoods as well. Lutheran Volunteer Corps (LVC), a national volunteer service program, partners with full-time volunteers and over 100 social justice organizations in twelve cities in the United States. In addition to working for justice, LVC Volunteers live together in intentional household communities of 4-7 people and encourage simple, sustainable living. Please contact Darla DeFrance, LVC Puget Sound Coordinator at (206) 709-8690 or ddefrance@lutheranvolunteercorps.org if you have any leads. Thanks!

The voices from our faith communities are urgently needed in our national health care reform debate. We invite you to a **HEALTH CARE CAFÉ on TUESDAY, JUNE 30, 7 – 8:30 PM at St. John United Lutheran** (55th and Phinney across from the zoo) to: Discuss our individual and shared experiences with the current health care system.

- Explore what our faith communities teach about health care
- Look at the issues in the current debate and consider how we can add our voices

We will be utilizing materials from Faithful Health Care Reform, a national coalition of religious groups, sponsoring an **Interfaith Week of Prayer for Health Care for All, June 19 - 26, 2009**, as well as materials from the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. Call 206.784.1040 for more information.

Celebrate YOUR Community Center. You are invited to a neighborhood party to celebrate the Phinney Neighborhood Association's recent purchase of the Phinney Neighborhood Center. Join neighbors and friends on Sunday, June 28, from 2-4 pm at the Phinney Neighborhood Center, 6532 Phinney Ave N., Seattle 98103. There'll be live music by the Phinney Community Chorus, Kid Pabo, Heimish Klezmer and The Shed Boys, as well as juggling and silly bike riding, the Bubble Man, chalk art and more. At 3 pm, we'll hear from our local dignitaries and enjoy cake and cookies. A photo display will feature the Center and PNA programs and activities as well as materials and information about plans for upgrading and improving the Center buildings and site. Want to help? We still need a few volunteers to make popcorn and serve the cake. Contact Ann Bowden at 206-783-2244 or ann@phinneycenter.org.

THIS WEEK AT PRLC

Sunday, 28 June

+Pentecost 4

8:30 & 11:00 a.m.	Holy Communion	Fellowship Hall
10:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Tree of Life
10:00 a.m.	Bible Study	Tower Roojrm
7:00 p.m.	Spoken Evening Prayer	Tree of Life

Tuesday, 30 June

6:15 a.m.	Men's Bible Study	Tree of Life
8:30 a.m.	Quilters	Quilting Room
10:30 a.m.	Staff Meeting	Office Workroom
2:00 p.m.	Food Bank	Food Bank
7:00 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	Tree of Life

Wednesday, 1 July

5:30 p.m.	Faith and Fitness	Green Lake
7:00 p.m.	Food Bank	Food Bank
7:30 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	Tree of Life

Thursday, 2 July

2:00 & 7:00 p.m.	Food Bank	Food Bank
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Friday, 3 July

Church Office & CDC Closed in Observance of Independence Day

Saturday, 4 July

10:00 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	Fellowship Hall
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Sunday, 5 July

+Pentecost 5

8:30 & 11:00 a.m.	Holy Communion	Fellowship Hall
9:45 a.m.	Blood Pressure Tests	TBD
10:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Tree of Life
10:00 a.m.	Bible Study	Choir Room
7:00 p.m.	Spoken Evening Prayer	Tree of Life

Attendance Last Sunday		
8:30 AM / 199	11:00 AM / 100	7:00 PM / 3
Next Week's Lessons		
Ezek 2:1-5	2 Cor 12:2-10	Mark 6:1-13