

**July 14, 2019**

Led by the Holy Spirit, LaGrave's members seek to worship and serve God in all of life, transforming His world and being transformed to reflect the character of Christ.

Welcome to worship at LaGrave. Because our worship proceeds without announcements, please carefully follow the order of worship printed below, noting that we use *two* red hymnals. The *Worship & Rejoice* hymnal will be indicated by bold, italic type. An asterisk (\*) denotes standing for those who are able. We are glad that you are here. Let us worship God together.

**EVENING WORSHIP 6:00 PM**

The Prelude:

**Please prepare your heart and mind for worship  
with a time of prayer and meditation.**

“Three Settings of *Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service*”

Charles Callahan, Emma Lou Diemer

“Three Settings of *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*”

David Cherwien, Mark Kellner

The Chiming of the Hour

The Introit:

“Breathe on Me, Breath of God”

*Breathe on me, Breath of God, fill me with life anew, that I may love the way you love, and do what you would do.*

*Breathe on me Breath of God, so shall I never die, but live with you the perfect life for all eternity.*

\*The Opening Hymn: Lift Up Your Hearts 928:1-3

“Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service”

\*The Greeting

\*The People's Response: **Amen**

The Welcome

The Reading: Psalm 146 (pg. 980)

The Hymn of Response: Lift Up Your Hearts 572:1,3,4

“Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above”

\*The Confession of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit  
and born of the virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to hell.**

**The third day he rose again from the dead.**

**He ascended to heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father  
almighty.**

**From there he will come 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.**

\*The Hymn of Response: Worship & Rejoice 146

“Glorify Thy Name”

The Pastoral Prayer

The Anthem: “In My Father's House are Many Mansions”

James G. MacDermid

*Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you, not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid. In my Father's house are many mansions, if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you unto myself that where I am, ye may be also. And whither I go, ye know, and the way, ye know. In my Father's house are many mansions, if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you.*

John 14:2-4, 27

The Offertory: “Blessed Assurance”

J. Bert Carlson

The Offering:

*Today's offering is for Westminster Food Pantry and the LaGrave General Fund. Please use an envelope from the pew to designate your gift. All undesignated monies will go to the General Fund. (Please sign and pass the Welcome Register.)*

The Scripture: Luke 10:25-37 (pg. 1615)

The Sermon: **“A SERIOUS QUESTION”**

The Prayer for Blessing on the Word

\*The Closing Hymn: Lift Up Your Hearts 351

“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”

\*The Benediction

\*The People's Response: **Amen.**

\*The Organ Amen

\*The Silent Prayer and Carillon Bells

\*The Postlude:

“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”

John G. Barr

Rev. Jack Roeda – guest minister

Rev. Ruth Boven – liturgist

Dr. Elizabeth West – organist

Amy Henderson – vocalist

This evening we welcome Rev. **Jack Roeda**, retired minister of Church of the Servant, to our worship. May God bless the preaching of his Word.

The flowers on the chancel are given in loving memory of **Dr. James Penning** by his wife **Marge**. Jim passed away on July 13, 2010.

**The Special Offering** for the month of July is for Westminster Food Pantry. The downtown food pantry provides an emergency supply of food and personal care items to people in need while also promoting self-sufficiency through referrals and education.

Livestreaming worship is available at [lagrave.org](http://lagrave.org).

