

## June 16, 2024

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* different 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

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

The Prelude:

“Aria”

Flor Peeters

“Communion”

Camille Saint-Saëns

The Chiming of the Hour

\*The Call to Worship: from Psalm 103:19-22

The Lord has established his throne in heaven,

**and his kingdom rules over all.**

Praise the Lord, you his angels,

**you mighty ones who do his bidding.**

Praise the Lord, all his heavenly hosts,

**you his servants who do his will.**

Praise the Lord, all he has created,

**everywhere throughout his entire creation.**

**Praise the Lord, O my soul.**

\*The Opening Hymn: Lift Up Your Hearts 571:1,2,5

“Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven”

\*The Greeting

\*The People’s Response: **Amen.**

The Welcome

The Reading: Psalm 103:1-12

The Hymn: Lift Up Your Hearts 672:1,2

“O Come, My Soul, Sing Praise to God”

The Reading: Psalm 103:13-18

The Hymn: Lift Up Your Hearts 672:3,4

“O Come, My Soul, Sing Praise to God”

The Pastoral Prayer

*Prayer will include this response from Psalm 108:4*

Your love, O God, is higher than the heavens,

**and your faithfulness reaches to the skies.**

The Song for Illumination:

**Break now the bread of life, dear Lord, to me,**

**as once you broke the loaves beside the sea.**

**Beyond the sacred page, I seek you, Lord;**

**my spirit longs for you, O living Word!**

*Worship & Rejoice 665:1*

The Scripture: 2 Samuel 9 (p.480)

The Sermon: **“A PLACE AT THE KING’S TABLE”**

The Prayer for Blessing on the Word

\*The Hymn of Response: Lift Up Your Hearts 695:1,2

“And Can It Be”

### *We Celebrate at the Table*

The Prayer of Thanksgiving:

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right for us to give thanks and praise.**

With joy we praise you, gracious God, for in your great

love, out of nothing, you created heaven and earth and

everything in them. You made us in your image, and kept

covenant with us—even when we fell into sin.

**We give you thanks for Jesus Christ, our Lord,**

**who by his life, death, and resurrection opened to us the**

**way of everlasting life.**

Therefore we join our voices with all the saints and angels and the whole creation to proclaim the glory of your name:

*All Sing:*



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,



heaven and earth are full of your glo-ry, Ho - san - na in \_ the high - est.

LUYH 810

The Prayer of Consecration:

Lord, our God, send your Holy Spirit so that this bread and cup may be for us the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. May we and all your saints be united with Christ and remain faithful in hope and love. Gather your whole church, O Lord, into the glory of your kingdom. We pray this in the name of Jesus who taught us to pray saying:

**Our Father, who art in heaven**

**hallowed be thy name,**

**thy kingdom come, thy will be done,**

**on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread.**

**And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.**

**And lead us not into temptation,**

**but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power,**

**and the glory forever, Amen.**

The Words of Institution (*spoken by the minister*)

The People’s Response: **Christ has died. Christ is risen.  
Christ will come again.**

The Communion

*Please come forward if you are able, as directed, to the participate in Communion by intinction (dipping the bread into the cup before eating). You may respond to the elder’s words with “Amen” or “Thanks be to God.” Both gluten-free and regular bread are available at the side stations.*

The Songs During Communion  
*Please see insert.*

The Response of Praise: (from Revelation 5)

Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain,  
**To receive power and wealth and wisdom and  
strength and honor and glory and praise!**

*All Sing:*

**Worthy is Christ, worthy is Christ;  
to him be praise and glory: worthy is the Lord.**

**He gave his life; he died for me.  
to him be praise and glory: worthy is the Lord.**

LUYH 605

The Prayer of Response

\*The Closing Hymn: **Worship & Rejoice 63:1,2,4,5**

“Give to God Immortal Praise”

\*The Benediction

\*The People’s Response: **Amen.**

\*The Organ Amen

\*The Silent Prayer and Carillon Bells

\*The Postlude:

“O Come, My Soul, Sing Praise to God”

Mark Sedio

*Offering plates are located at the Sanctuary exits.*

*Thank you for your continued support of our ministries.*

Chad Boorsma – minister

Dr. Larry Visser – organist

**Ordinary Time** is the liturgical season from Pentecost to Advent. This season for spiritual growth is represented in the liturgical colors of blue and green. The banners and paraments reflect concepts from Psalm 1. Like trees firmly rooted by the stream, we strive to be firmly rooted in God’s word. By doing so, we find life, experience deep spiritual growth, and live grateful lives.

The flowers on the chancel today are dedicated to **all the Children of LaGrave Church:** may each of you young

ones (all ages apply!) seek Jesus and see Him daily in adventurous play, summer wonders and hammock style reading of great books. **Dan and Ann Van Eerden Families**

**The June special offering** is for **Pine Rest Patient Assistance Fund:** Part of Pine Rest Foundation Fund offering financial assistance for individuals, families and children who need care.

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