

Horizon Service (10:15am)

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost
July 12, 2026



COUNTDOWN VIDEO

PASTOR'S WELCOME AND SHARING OF THE PEACE

INVOCATION

☒ In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

OPENING HYMN ↪ LSB #685

“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”



1 Come, Thou Fount of ev - 'ry bless - ing, Tune my heart to
2 Here I raise my Eb - en - e - zer, Hith - er by Thy
3 Oh, to grace how great a debt - or Dai - ly I'm con -
4 Oh, that day when freed from sin - ning, I shall see Thy



sing Thy grace; Streams of mer - cy, nev - er ceas - ing,
help I've come; And I hope, by Thy good plea - sure,
strained to be; Let that grace now like a fet - ter
love - ly face; Clothed then in the blood - washed lin - en,



Call for songs of loud - est praise. While the hope of end - less
Safe - ly to ar - rive at home. Je - sus sought me when a
Bind my wan - d'ring heart to Thee: Prone to wan - der, Lord, I
How I'll sing Thy won - drous grace! Come, my Lord, no long - er



glo - ry Fills my heart with joy and love, Teach me
strang - er, Wan - d'ring from the fold of God; He, to
feel it; Prone to leave the God I love. Here's my
tar - ry; Take my ran - som'd soul a - way; Send Thine



ev - er to a - dore Thee; May I still Thy good - ness prove.
res - cue me from dan - ger, In - ter - posed His pre - cious blood.
heart, O take and seal it, Seal it for Thy courts a - bove.
an - gels soon to car - ry Me to realms of end - less day.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P We confess our sins to God:

C **Merciful God, we confess to you that we are all sinful by our very nature. We have sinned against you in ways that we know and ways that we do not know, through our thoughts, words, and actions. We have not fully loved You or our neighbors, as You have called us to do. We are completely deserving of Your punishment, both now and forever. Through the power of Jesus' death on the cross, we pray that you would be merciful to us. Forgive our sins, and teach us to strive for a life that honors and glorifies You. Amen.**

P Hear this good news: God did send His Son, Jesus, to die for you, and through His death on the cross and His resurrection to life, God forgives all your sins. As a pastor speaking with God's authority, I forgive all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 55:10-13

¹⁰“For as the rain and the snow come down from heaven
and do not return there but water the earth,
making it bring forth and sprout,

giving seed to the sower and bread to the eater,
¹¹ so shall my word be that goes out from my mouth;
it shall not return to me empty,
but it shall accomplish that which I purpose,
and shall succeed in the thing for which I sent it.

¹² “For you shall go out in joy
and be led forth in peace;
the mountains and the hills before you
shall break forth into singing,
and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands.

¹³ Instead of the thorn shall come up the cypress;
instead of the brier shall come up the myrtle;
and it shall make a name for the Lord,
an everlasting sign that shall not be cut off.”

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 8:12-17

¹²So then, brothers, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh. ¹³For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. ¹⁴For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. ¹⁵For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, “Abba! Father!” ¹⁶The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, ¹⁷and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.

READING OF THE HOLY GOSPEL

Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

¹That same day Jesus went out of the house and sat beside the sea. ²And great crowds gathered about him, so that he got into a boat and sat down. And the whole crowd stood on the beach. ³And he told them many things in parables, saying: “A sower went out to sow. ⁴And as he sowed, some seeds fell along the path, and the birds came and devoured them. ⁵Other seeds fell on rocky ground, where they did not have much soil, and immediately they sprang up, since they had no depth of soil, ⁶but when the sun rose they were scorched. And since they had no root, they withered away. ⁷Other seeds fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked them. ⁸Other seeds fell on good soil and produced grain, some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty. ⁹He who has ears, let him hear. [...]

¹⁸“Hear then the parable of the sower: ¹⁹When anyone hears the word of the kingdom and does not understand it, the evil one comes and snatches away what has been sown in his heart. This is what was sown along the path. ²⁰As for what was sown on rocky ground, this is the one who hears the word and immediately receives it with joy, ²¹yet he has no root in himself, but endures for a while, and when tribulation or persecution arises on account of the word, immediately he falls away. ²²As for what was sown among thorns, this is the one who hears the word, but the cares of the world and the deceitfulness of riches choke the word, and it proves unfruitful. ²³As for what was sown on good soil, this is the one who hears the word and understands it. He indeed bears fruit and yields, in one case a hundredfold, in another sixty, and in another thirty.”

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

HYMN OF THE DAY LSB #594

“God’s Own Child, I Gladly Say It”



1 God’s own child, I glad - ly say it: I am bap - tized
 2 Sin, dis - turb my soul no long - er: I am bap - tized
 3 Sa - tan, hear this proc - la - ma - tion: I am bap - tized
 4 Death, you can - not end my glad - ness: I am bap - tized
 5 There is noth - ing worth com - par - ing To this life - long



in - to Christ! He, be - cause I could not pay it,
 in - to Christ! I have com - fort e - ven strong - er:
 in - to Christ! Drop your ug - ly ac - cu - sa - tion,
 in - to Christ! When I die, I leave all sad - ness
 com - fort sure! O - pen - eyed my grave is star - ing:



Gave my full re - demp - tion price. Do I need earth’s
 Je - sus’ cleans - ing sac - ri - fice. Should a guilt - y
 I am not so soon en - ticed. Now that to the
 To in - her - it par - a - dise! Though I lie in
 E - ven there I’ll sleep se - cure. Though my flesh a -



trea - sures man - y? I have one worth
 con - science seize me Since my Bap - tism
 font I’ve trav - eled, All your might has
 dust and ash - es Faith’s as - sur - ance
 waits its rais - ing, Still my soul con -



more than an - y That brought me sal -
 did re - lease me In a dear for -
 come un - rav - eled, And, a - gainst your
 bright - ly flash - es: Bap - tism has the
 tin - ues prais - ing: I am bap - tized

MESSAGE

“Inherited”

NICENE CREED

**I believe in one God,
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth
and of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made;
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary
and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.
He suffered and was buried.
And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures
and ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of the Father.
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead,
whose kingdom will have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.**

**And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
and I look for the resurrection of the dead
and the life ✝ of the world to come. Amen.**

OFFERING

*Our Lord works through His people in our offerings and tithes. If you choose to give electronically, an **offering card** is available in the pew rack, including a QR code to make an immediate contribution through your smartphone. As an act of worship, you may place the card in the offering plate in lieu of a physical contribution. If you have not yet done so, please add your name to the **fellowship register** found along the center aisle of the pew and pass it along to those seated in your row.*

VIDEO ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

LORD’S PRAYER

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

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DISTRIBUTION SONGS

“I Set My Hope on Jesus”

**When this life of trials tests my faith
I set my hope on Jesus
When the questions come and doubts remain
I set my hope on Jesus
For the deepest wounds that time won’t heal
There’s a joy that runs still deeper
There’s a truth that’s more than all I feel
I set my hope on Jesus**

Chorus:

**I set my hope on Jesus
My rock my only trust
Who set His heart upon me first
I set my hope on Jesus**

**Though I falter in this war with sin
I set my hope on Jesus
When I fail the fight and sink within**

**I set my hope on Jesus
Though the shame would drown me in its sea
And I dread the waves of justice
I will cast my life on Calvary
I set my hope on Jesus**

Chorus:

**I set my hope on Jesus
My rock my only trust
Who set His heart upon me first
I set my hope on Jesus**

**Though the world calls me to leave my Lord
I set my hope on Jesus
Though it offers all its vain rewards
I set my hope on Jesus
Though this heart of mine is prone to stray
Give me grace enough to finish
Till I worship on that final day
I set my hope on Jesus**

Chorus Twice:

**I set my hope on Jesus
My rock my only trust
Who set His heart upon me first
I set my hope on Jesus**

Tag:

I set my hope on Jesus

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“Who Am I”

**Who am I, that the Lord of all the Earth
would care to know my name, would care to feel my hurt.
Who am I, that the Bright and Morning Star
would choose to light the way, for my ever wandering heart.**

**Not because of who I am, but because of what You’ve done.
Not because of what I’ve done, but because of who You are.**

Chorus:

**I am a flower quickly fading,
here today and gone tomorrow,
a wave tossed on the ocean, a vapor in the wind.
Still You hear me when I'm calling,
Lord, You catch me when I'm falling,
and You've told me who I am...
I am Yours, I am Yours.**

**Who am I, that the eyes that see my sin,
would look on me with love, and watch me rise again.
Who am I, that the voice that calmed the sea,
would call out through the rain, and calm the storm in me.

Not because of who I am, but because of what You've done.
Not because of what I've done, but because of who You are.**

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I am Yours, I am Yours, I am Yours.**

COMMUNION DISMISSAL

BENEDICTION

SPECIAL GUEST ✨ Operation Christmas Child

SENDING SONG

“Resurrection Hymn”

**See what a morning gloriously bright
With the dawning of hope in Jerusalem
Folded the grave-clothes tomb filled with light
As the angels announce Christ is risen
See God's salvation plan wrought in love
Borne in pain paid in sacrifice
Fulfilled in Christ the Man for He lives
Christ is risen from the dead**

**See Mary weeping where is He laid
As in sorrow she turns from the empty tomb
Hears a voice speaking calling her name
It's the Master the Lord raised to life again
The voice that spans the years
Speaking life stirring hope bringing peace to us
Will sound till He appears
For He lives Christ is risen from the dead**

**One with the Father Ancient of Days
Through the Spirit who clothes faith with certainty
Honour and blessing glory and praise
To the King crowned with power and authority
And we are raised with Him
Death is dead love has won Christ has conquered
And we shall reign with Him
For He lives Christ is risen from the dead**

Ending:

**And we are raised with Him
Death is dead love has won Christ has conquered
And we shall reign with Him
For He lives Christ is risen from the dead**

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*Following the service, members of Immanuel's Prayer Team are available
in the front of the Sanctuary for a time of intercessory prayer.*

Leading Worship Today:

Pastor Braun Campbell

Music: Aaron Kortze and the Praise Team

Lector: Brad Taylor

Elders Here for You

Elders serve at Immanuel, not just assisting with Holy Communion, but supporting the spiritual care of our people. If you have any questions about our life together or just want to talk to someone about matters of faith, please reach out to one of these elders who you can usually find at this service.



**Mike
Tolsma**



**Brad
Taylor**



**Dave
Grashorn**



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Dillingham**