



# Let Us Worship God!

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Pentecost 17 — WI-54 WO-81

A Hybrid Worship Experience In-Person and Online

Today's worship team—Music Director: Jayne McDonough.

Worship Leader: Beverly Mate. Message: Rev. Dr. Kevin Yoho.

Worship Production: Norris Clark.



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## WORSHIP PREVIEW

Humans have always been mobile. Like God said, “be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth.” We certainly have. Our personal and global history bears witness to our mobility from our first crawl to walking, running, our first bike and first car. as we expand throughout our planet. We take walks on the

beach or paths in the mountains. Collectively we have walked on the moon, sent spacecraft far out beyond our solar system and just this week four civilians were launched into a three-day orbit around our planet.

Jesus was always on the move, too. This week we take a walk with Jesus and his disciples when he reminds us that we must all be as children, welcoming of God’s love and welcoming of all others, too. You want to be the best? Be the servant of all. As we grow older, we are still on the move physically and mentally. The worship theme this week is no one is left behind. In what way do we stay mobile, growing and learning, spiritually?

**GREETING OF IN-PERSON WORSHIPPERS:** PASTOR KEVIN (10:24)

**COUNTDOWN TO WORSHIP** (10:24)

**PRELUDE:** JAYNE McDONOUGH (10:27)

**WELCOME:** PASTOR KEVIN (10:32)

**CALL TO WORSHIP (UNISON):** (10:34)

**We worship God who created us to experience real life.  
God loves us, inhabits our world, and indwells our lives.  
We see God at work within ourselves, beyond ourselves,  
as we read Scripture and pray, worship and give, and as  
we serve others together, work for peace, and  
demonstrate God’s love. Let us worship God!**

**GOD WELCOMES ALL (SING LIGHTLY):** (1-10:34)

**God welcomes all, strangers and friends;  
God’s love is strong, and it never ends.**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (UNISON):**

**Loving God, keep our hearts and minds open to the Good  
News as we learn, grow, and serve. Amen.**

### OLD TESTAMENT READING:

Blessed is the one  
    who does not walk in step with the wicked  
or stand in the way that sinners take  
    or sit in the company of mockers,  
but whose delight is in the law of the Lord,  
    and who meditates on God's law day and night.  
That person is like a tree planted by streams of water,  
    which yields its fruit in season  
and whose leaf does not wither—  
    whatever they do prospers.  
Not so the wicked!  
    They are like chaff  
    that the wind blows away.  
Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment,  
    nor sinners in the assembly of the righteous.  
For the Lord watches over the way of the righteous,  
    but the way of the wicked leads to destruction.

**MESSAGE FOR KIDS: "YOU'RE BLESSED, #1"** PASTOR KEVIN

(10:34)

### PRAYER FOR FAMILIES

### GOSPEL READING: MARK 9:30-37 (MSG)

(10:38)

Leaving there, they went through Galilee. He didn't want anyone to know their whereabouts, for he wanted to teach his disciples. He told them, "The Son of Man is about to be betrayed to some people who want nothing to do with God. They will murder him. Three days after his murder, he will rise, alive." They didn't know what he was talking about, but were afraid to ask him about it.

They came to Capernaum. When he was safe at home, he asked them, "What were you discussing on the road?" The silence was deafening—they had been arguing with one another over who among them was greatest. He sat down and summoned the Twelve. "So you want first place? Then take the last place. Be the servant of all."

He put a child in the middle of the room. Then, cradling

the little one in his arms, he said, “Whoever welcomes one of these children as I do welcomes me, and far more than me—God who sent me.”



**MESSAGE: NO “CHILD” LEFT BEHIND. SPIRITUAL MOBILITY**

REV. KEVIN YOHO

**PRAYER AND SILENT REFLECTION:**

**MUSIC LYRIC VIDEO: WITHOUT SEEING YOU**

Without seeing you we love you.  
Without touching you we embrace.  
Without knowing you we follow.  
Without seeing you we believe.

We return to you deep within,  
Leave the past to the dust.  
Turn to you with tears and fasting,  
You are ready to forgive.  
Without seeing you we love you.  
Without touching you we embrace.  
Without knowing you we follow.  
Without seeing you we believe.

The sparrow will find a home  
Near to you oh God.  
How happy we who dwell with you,  
For ever in your house.  
Without seeing you we love you.

Without touching you we embrace.  
Without knowing you we follow.  
Without seeing you we believe.

For ever we sing to you  
Of your goodness, O God;  
Proclaiming to all the world  
Of your faithfulness and love.  
Without seeing you we love you.  
Without touching you we embrace.  
Without knowing you we follow.  
Without seeing you we believe.

For you are our shepherd  
There is nothing that we need.  
In green pastures we will find our way,  
In waters of peace.  
Without seeing you we love you.  
Without touching you we embrace.  
Without knowing you we follow.  
Without seeing you we believe.

#### **CALL TO RECONCILIATION**

(10:55)

God loves you and nothing separates you from God's love.  
In a spirit of gratitude and joy, let us pray together:

#### **PRAYER OF FORGIVENESS**

(10:55)

**Good morning God, our Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer. Thank you for your grace and mercy. Forgive us, we pray, when we hurt or neglect others, missing opportunities to live like Jesus. When we waver, help us feel your presence. When we doubt, comfort us by your strength. When we stop listening to your Spirit, realign us. When we forget, remind us. When we cry out, send your tenderness in another. Help us to hear the cries of others and turn us toward them. When we go out, let us shine with your glory and light. Help us to love, hope, and**

forgive, welcoming all, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

## SILENT REFLECTION

## HEAR THE WORDS OF ASSURANCE

In the name of Jesus Christ, the risen and rising Lord,  
God loves and forgives us to live a life of faith and justice.  
Thanks be to God, we are forgiven! AMEN.

## THE GLORIA (SING LIGHTLY)

(3) (10:57)

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy  
Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall  
be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

## GIFTS OF GRATITUDE: GENERAL FUND AND DEACONS FUND

(11:04)

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## PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

## THE DOXOLOGY (SING LIGHTLY)

(5) (11:05)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God all  
creatures here below; praise God above the heavenly  
host, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## CHANCEL FLOWERS

The beautiful chancel flowers are given to the glory of God by Elaine  
Jordan in memory of Margaret Jordan (Elaine's mother) on her  
birthday.

## COMMUNITY NEWS:

Let's celebrate birthdays! Tom Imperato (9/23), Jack  
MacVeigh (9/24), and Norris Clark (9/24). Anniversaries we  
are celebrating this week! Dale and Jonna Myers (9/22).

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## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:

(11:06)

God cares about what we care about and those we care for. Let's also pray that we would also care more about what God cares about. Our prayers are with our world, nation and region and all those who suffer. Those relocating in US from Afghanistan. Many suffering from COVID-19 and dealing with continuing pandemic stressors, racial unrest, violence, discrimination, unemployment, and anxiety. God, grant us peace as we embrace these challenges in hope.

9/19: Carol in the cemetery office has surgery Monday, then weeks of rehabilitation. 9/12: Joanne and family. Pray that all missing children would be found quickly. God bless all of us. 9/5: Those in peril from fires in western states, and recovery and restoration efforts following Hurricane Ida. 8/29: Connie Townsend, Ed stomach issues. 8/22: Family and friends grieving the passing of Agnes Fanelli. Family and friends are grieving the passing of Marty Bowne.

## PRAYER

### LORD'S PRAYER

(11:07)

**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.**

(11:08)

### FRESH EXPRESSION OF COMMUNITY

(11:09)

**Once we were strangers, Now we are neighbors.  
Once we were strangers, Now we are friends.**

## MUSIC VIDEO: AMAZING GRACE, (MY CHAINS ARE GONE)

Amazing grace how sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me  
I once was lost but now I'm found  
Was blind but now I see

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear  
And grace my fears relieved  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believed

My chains are gone I've been set free  
My God my Savior has ransomed me  
And like a flood His mercy rains  
Unending love amazing grace

The Lord has promised good to me  
His word my hope secures  
He will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow  
The sun forbear to shine  
But God who called me here below  
Will be forever mine  
Will be forever mine  
You are forever mine

## BENEDICTION: PASTOR KEVIN

(11:13)

## POSTLUDE:

(11:14)

*Go in peace, and serve in joy! Thank you for being with us!  
We hope that you felt spiritually energized by joining us  
today. All of our worship services are available for viewing  
and sharing at any time [here](#). Please invite others to join you  
next week. We pray that you're staying safe wherever you*

*are and wherever you go. May God bless you and those you love now and always.*

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