"Serving the Lord with zeal and fervor"
June 19, 2016
8:00 AM & 11:00 AM Services

Prelude

"Everlasting Love"

Jonathan Lys & the Surf Shack Singers

Welcome

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**People:** And also with you.

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness (Congregation stands)

Leader: Most merciful God,

People: We confess that we are in bondage 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.

Leader: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for you and

for His sake God forgives you all your sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ He gives the power to become the children of God and

bestows on them the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

Entrance Hymn "Shout to the North"

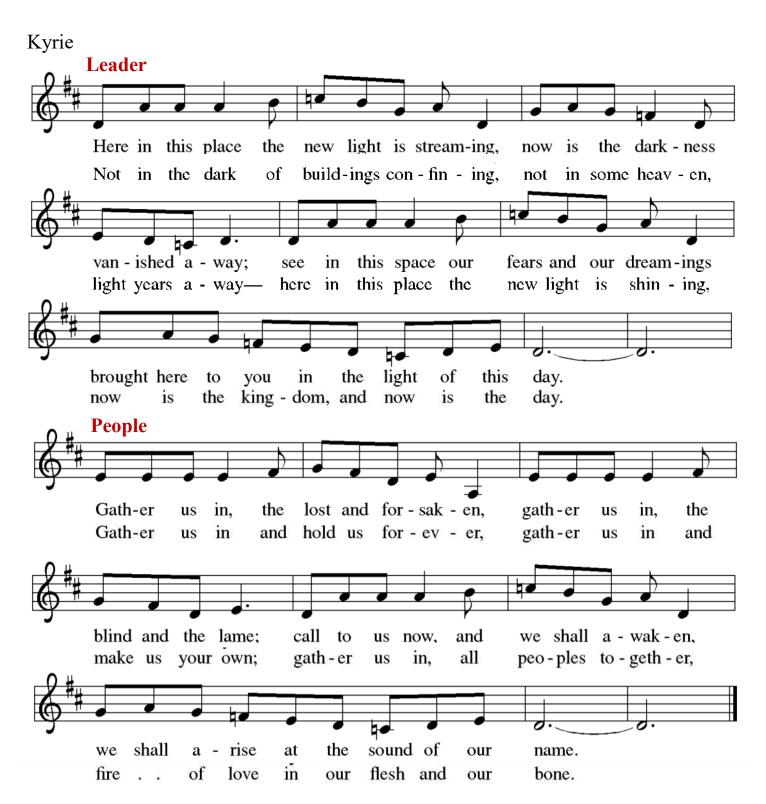
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#### **Apostolic Greeting**

Presider: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the Communion

of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: And also with you.



Prayer of the Day (Congregation may be seated)

International Bag of Mystery

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First Lesson Isaiah 65:1-9 Back Cover

Reader: The Word of the Lord People: Thanks be to God!

Psalm of Praise "Waves of Mercy" Bulletin Page 14

Second Lesson Galatians 3:23-29 Back Cover

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Special Music

(Congregation stands and sings)

"Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia, Alleluia."

Gospel Reading 1 Corinthians 13 Bulletin Page 10

Before Reading: "Glory to you, O Lord."
After Reading: "Praise to you, O Christ."

(Congregation may be seated)

Hymn of the Day

"Will You Let Me Be Your Servant"

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Opportunities for Growth and Service

Joys and Concerns

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Prayers of the Church

"In you O Lord, I have found my peace, I have found my peace."

Apostle's Creed (Congregation stands)

People:

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again 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.

Sharing of the Peace

Presider: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People: And also with you.

(As a sign of God's peace, please take a moment to greet those around you.)

#### THE GATHERING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

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**Dedication of Pledges** 

#### Offering Prayer

Presider:

Merciful Father

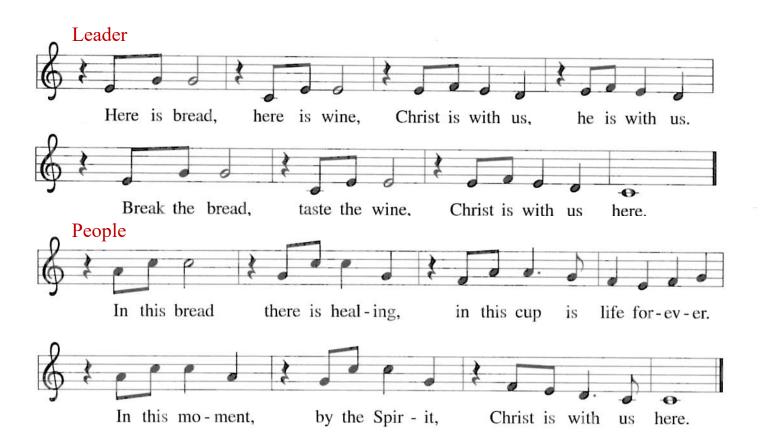
People:

We offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us ourselves, our time and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus

Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

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Consecration of the Elements

#### The Lord's Prayer (Congregation joins hands)

(Congregation may be seated after prayer)

Communion Hymns

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Doxology

"Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

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Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen."

Benediction

People: Amen.

Closing Hymn "Blest Be the Tie that Binds" 656

Dismissal

Leader: Go in Peace. Serve the Lord.

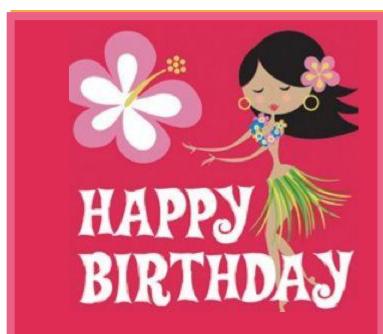
**People:** Thanks be to God!

Postlude



### Worship Participants

	8:00	9:30	11:00
Acolytes	Matthew Smith		Katherine Jorgensen
Minister Assistants	Sherri Wade	Jani Stewart Chris and Julie Frank	Jonathan Lys
Altar Guild	Sarah Skinner		Shirley Porter Martha Williams
Greeters	Scott Fields	Nancy George	Kay Glenn
Prayer of the Day	Andy Lien	Jeff Hecht	John Jager
Readers	Kim Doege	Cathy Racette	David Umbaugh
Ushers	Chris Wade T. J. Hay Rocky Higginbotham Jim Rogerson	Lisa and Scott Mohon	Gene and Judy Pfretzschner John and Sonja Jager



6/19 Marcel Johnson

6/20 Victor Munson Rita Selene

6/22 Daylen Johnson

6/23 Ashley Griffith Nicole Koerth

6/24 Joe Johnson

6/25 Ruth Foster

Gene Pfretszchner



6/19 Craig & Pam Gober

6/21 John & Marlene Berven

6/23 Claude & Barbara Leis

6/24 Ashley & Liz Griffith

### Altar Flowers are given by...



Val Hicks to the glory of God.



Sign up today and make your plans to join us for VBS! We will be meeting every Wednesday for crafts, music and our lesson. (The opening and closing will be incorporated into our Wednesday Worship Services, which will move up one Hour for July, thereby making both more fun!)

## New Beginnings

Ruthie Martin is starting anew in Tennessee. She can be reached at the following address if you would like to keep in touch.

Ruthie Martin 106 Tate Court Springhill, TN 37174



**EDUCATION BUILDING - 9:30 am** 

Conference Room Class: On Hiatus

for the Summer

Lounge Room Class: Discipleship -

Luke 8:26-39

# Catch the Wave of God's Amazing Love! On Sunday Mornings!

During the month of July the first three songs of our Sunday morning worship service will reflect the energy, joy and fun of this year's VBS. As a way of spreading that love we would love to have you help lead these songs as one of our "Surf Shack Singers".

Simply go to Shepherd of Life's You Tube site and learn the songs at your convenience: Everlasting Love, Shout to the North and Waves of Mercy. Then when July comes simply come forward at the beginning of the service you normally attend.!

... AND WEAR YOUR HAWAIIAN SHIRT!

#### **Scripture Reading**

#### 1 Corinthians 13

If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels, but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give away all my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing. Love is patient; love is kind; love is not envious or boastful or arrogantor rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices in the truth. It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never ends. But as for prophecies, they will come to an end; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will come to an end. For we know only in part, and we prophesy only in part; but when the complete comes, the partial will come to an end. When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child; when I became an adult, I put an end to childish ways. For now we see in a mirror, dimly, but then we will see face to face. Now I know only in part; then I will know fully, even as I have been fully known. And now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; and the greatest of these is love.

### Shepherd of Life's Youth and Family Page

June 19th

Younger: Christy and Eric Moore

Older: Barbara Nelson and

Jonathan Lys



June 26th

Younger: Theresa and Dave Jorgensen

Older: Dyann and Kelly Campbell

A fond farewell...

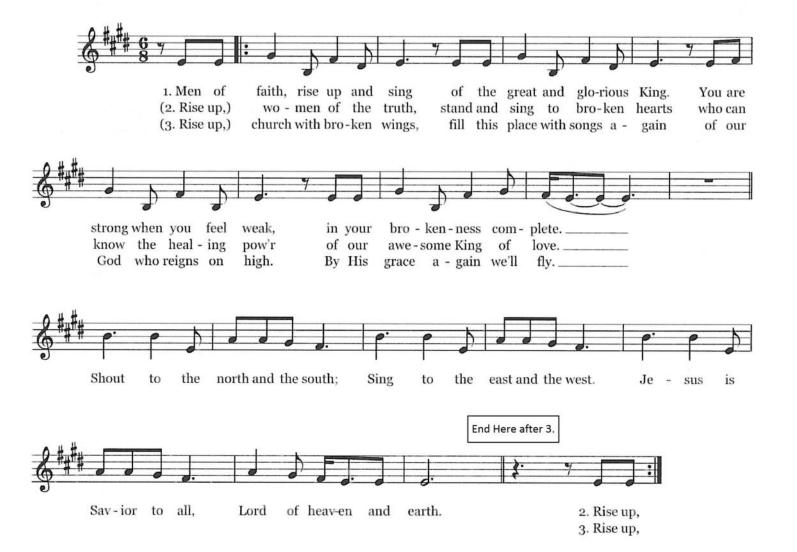
Dear friends,

I am writing to let you know that after much prayerful consideration I have decided to leave Shepherd of Life Lutheran Church. This has not been an easy decision for me. Please understand that it is not any one particular reason, but as Mark is becoming a bigger part of our lives I think it important that we find a church that we can all 4 of us worship, serve and grow in Christ together. I know it will not be an easy task and will take time... I remember how long it took Tom and I to find SOL. We have decided to take the summer and start exploring other churches and denominations. I think it will be good for the boys to see and experience various denominations and how they each live out their faith in unique ways. Change is hard, even when it's for the best, but it is time for us to move on to our next chapter. There is so much that I will miss. Thank you for everything you have done for me and my family over the years. I wish you all the best!

With Warm Regards, Julie Smith

#### Shout To The North

Words and Music by Martin Smith

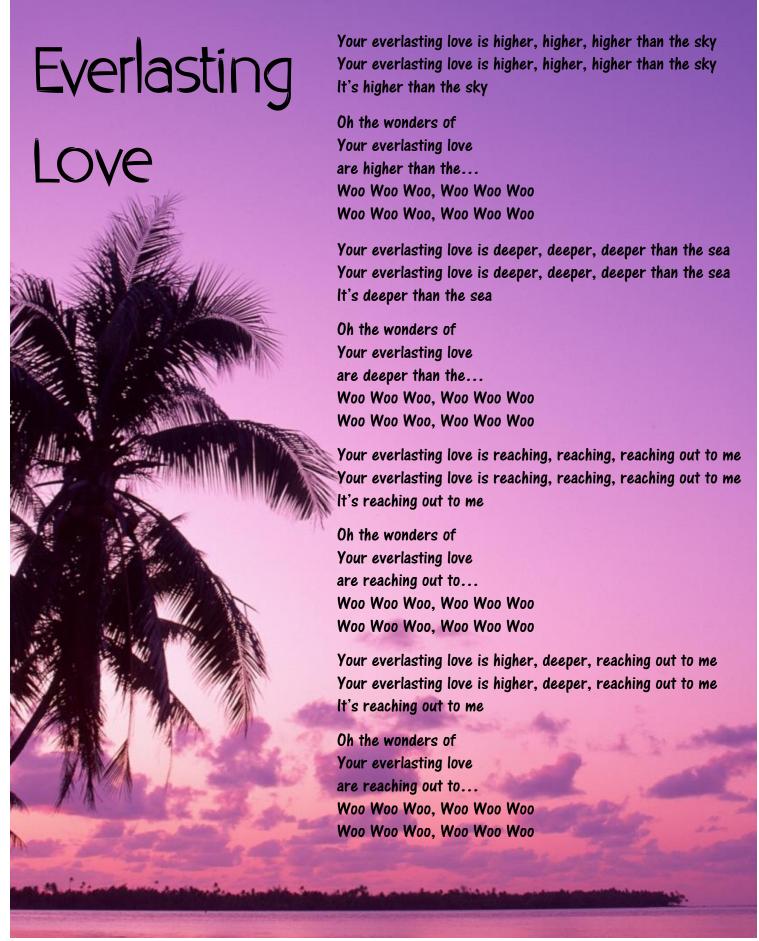


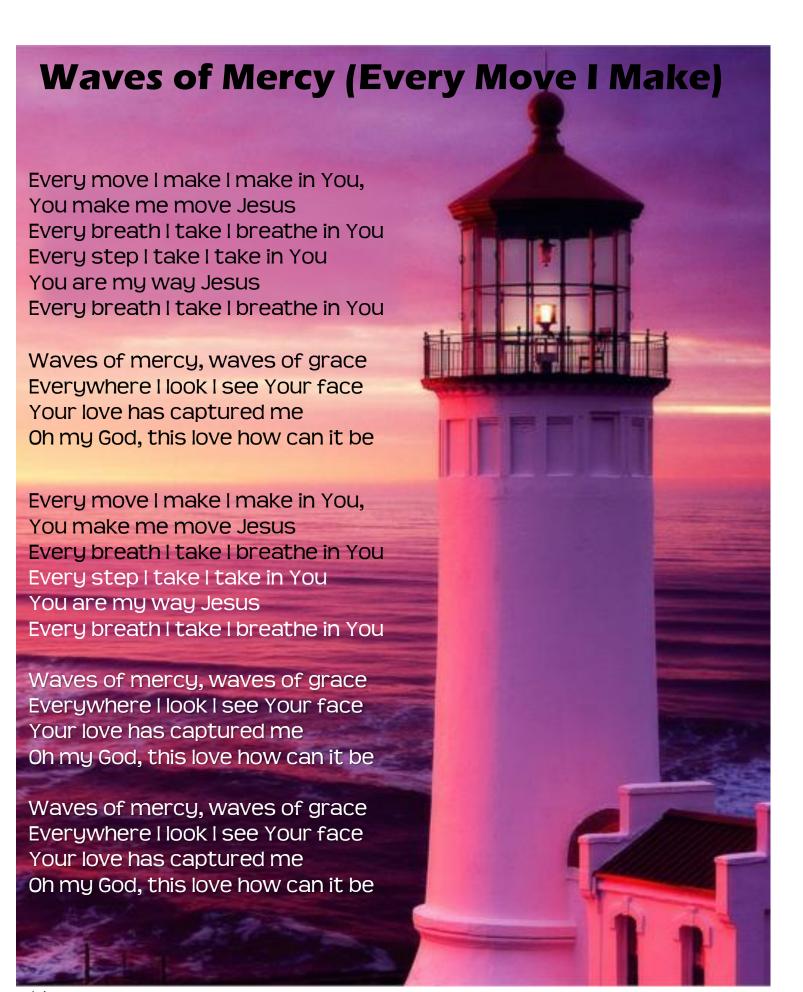


More than 5 million people in the U.S. suffer from Alzheimer's disease. It is the sixth leading cause of death in our country,. That

is why, when Pete Hickman approached us, we knew we had to help with the Banker's Life Forget Me Not Days fundraiser. A gift of \$500.00 has been given to this campaign, 100% of which will go to the Alzheimer's Association to help fund research and provide care to those afflicted.

As a thank you, there is a box of forget me not seeds in the narthex. Feel free to help yourself.









#### Let us come before Him with Thanksgiving...

For our fathers and their sacrifice, love, and example.

#### For I am the Lord who heals you...

- † Diana Osborn who is in need of back surgery and her mother, Gwen who is undergoing evaluation for dementia
- ♣ For Amy Keller who is in treatment for cancer
- ♣ For John Delude who is awaiting results from tests on his heart
- ♣ For Chris Siefken who will be having surgery in June
- ♣ For Edye Boyse who is continuing tests for her treatment for cancer
- \$\for Jerry Johnson who is experiencing ongoing health concerns
- ♣ For Cathy Racette who is recovering from knee surgery
- ♣ For Curtis Harvey who is in treatment for cancer

#### Our God is full of compassion...

If you have a prayer request or would like to be part of the prayer chain, please contact Judy Pfretzschner at jajohn16@att.net.

#### **Extending our prayers**

Your prayer requests for family members and friends are often included in the prayers of our church. We think they would be blessed to know that. By providing a mailing address to Pastor John he will then send them a personal note to let them know that our church has prayed for them during worship.

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Message FIRST DADS Pastor John Foster

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### Plan now for these five Amoring Sundays in July

# July 3 IGE CREAM SUNDAE SUNDAYA

We would love for you to bring a beach towel this Sunday for us to use in July in order to decorate our Fellowship Hall. Plus, there will be a huge area to make your own Sundae!

### July 10 TIMY BUBBLES SUNDAYI

Enjoy the music of Don Ho and Over the Rainbow. Plus, take a bottle of bubbles and join in the fun!

# July 17 BEACH GAMES SUNDAY!

Between services the narthex will be filled with opportunities to play everything from Ping Pong to Air Hockey! How long has it been since you've picked up a Hula Hoop or Frisbee?!

# July 24 A TASTE OF THE TROPICS!

Sample some Pineapple, Mango, Kiwi or Coconuts.... All topped with a sprinkling of God's Amazing Grace!

# July 31 SPLASH SUNDAYA

Our month long celebration ends with lots and lots of water! There will be a huge water slide in the playground. Food, drinks, popsicles and little water squirters for everyone. Kids are invited to bring their suits and adults should be prepared to remember their baptism!