Fourth Sunday after PentecostJune 28, 2020 INVITATION AND GATHERING

WELCOME

CENTERING WORDS

Those who place their trust in God are like trees planted by streams of water, bearing fruit in due season and with leaves that are ever green.

Amen.

INTRODUCTION TO THE WORD Natalia Lopez)

Here is God's good news. Now is the time. God's kingdom is at hand.

*SCRIPTURE READING 1 John 2:15-17

* CALL TO WORSHIP (Kate Flint and Family)

Kate: Trusting God is the pathway to our deepest joy.

Family: It seems easier for us to trust in the ability and accomplishments of man, but we never find fulfillment or satisfaction in such trust.

Kate: Trusting God requires a more disciplined life, but it promises blessings that know no measure.

Family: We desire the blessing offered to those who trust the Lord and commit ourselves to God's care.

* Let us pray (Jeremy Flint and Family):

Almighty God, who daily refreshes your children who put their trust in you: Bend us from our natural inclination of putting our trust in the dramatic power of mankind, to planting ourselves firmly in the oasis of your loving care that we may enjoy the blessings our providence even into eternity. We pray through Christ our Lord. Amen.

* LET'S WORSHIP THE LORD WITH HYMNS: Goodness of God https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=miOA3AfytJs

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Lisa Schutt)

Forgive us Lord, for the confidence we have placed in the outstanding achievements of our fellow humans. We are skilled in great demonstrations of power, but that power does not protect us. We sentence ourselves to a dry and thirsty land where life becomes lifeless. Forgive us for our misplaced trust. Lead us to the living water which flows from the quiet streams of your love where we may drink until we want no more. In our Savior's name we pray. Amen.

* LET'S WORSHIP THE LORD WITH HYMNS: Christ Our Hope in Life and Death https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Oibli1rz7mw

INTRODUCTION TO THE WORD (Natalia Lopez)

If we listen carefully, God calls out to us still. Listen, that you may hear how God is speaking through the Scriptures today.

*SCRIPTURE READING Exodus 14:12-13 (Natalia Lopez)

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE WORD MADE FLESH: "We can't compromise God's mandates"

* RESPONSE TO THE WORD: Arise https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m1Clz82upe0

CONGREGATION IN PRAYER: Joys and Concerns

*DISMISSAL BLESSING

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This Week's Scripture Readings:

1 John 2:15-17 New King James Version (NKJV)

Do Not Love the World

¹⁵ Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. ¹⁶ For all that *is* in the world—the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life—is not of the Father but is of the world. ¹⁷ And the world is passing away, and the lust of it; but he who does the will of God abides forever.

Exodus 14:12-13 New King James Version (NKJV)

¹² Is this not the word that we told you in Egypt, saying, 'Let us alone that we may serve the Egyptians'? For it would have been better for us to serve the Egyptians than that we should die in the wilderness."

¹³ And Moses said to the people, "Do not be afraid. Stand still, and see the salvation^[a] of the LORD, which He will accomplish for you today. For the Egyptians whom you see today, you shall see again no more forever.

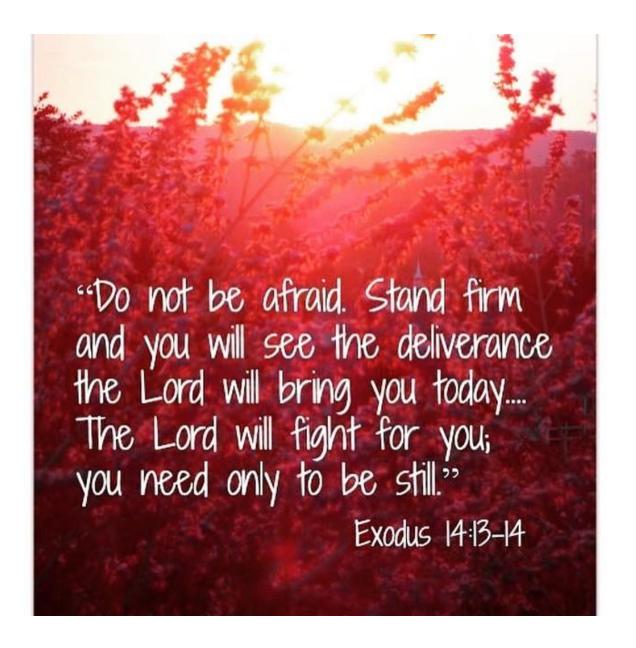
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