

**Ascension  
Sunday  
June 2, 2019**



**Weekly  
Messenger**

**POP Community News!**

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***Today is Milestone Sunday (Graduation) followed by a Bumped-Up-Brunch graciously hosted by the POP Foundation.***

**Summer Service Day – 1st-12th Grade! Monday June 3rd**

8:30a-6p is Summer Service Day! Feed My Starving Children and other community service projects! A day of service and community building with friends! 6th-12th Grade youth will be our guides for the younger kids on this day. Friends welcome! Drivers needed. See Audrey for more info!

***Wear Red to worship on Pentecost Sunday, June 9th***

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*John Cockram took up residence in heaven on May 23, 2019. Our sympathy and condolences are expressed to the Cockram family. A Celebration of Life will be held June 22<sup>nd</sup> at 3pm at Central Lutheran Church in Eugene OR.*

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- ❖ **PRAYER REQUESTS:** Please write down your concern and place it in the offering plate or prayer box and indicate if the name can be published in this newsletter or just shared with our prayer warriors through the Prayer Chain.
- ❖ **HOSPITAL CALLS:** Please call Pastor Rick directly at 408.472.0529 or contact the church office 480.945.9537 to let us know if you or a family member is hospitalized or for a pastoral visit during rehab in a care center or at home.
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## Partnering in Prayer with Our Prince of Peace Family June 2019

### Immediate concerns

Ben Greenwell   Ron Swanson   Mike Jacobs  
Karsten Peterson   Laura Eller   Mel Kowal

### Moving Through Grief

The Cockram Family (*mourning the loss of John Cockram*)  
The Lecker Family (*mourning the loss of Jan Lecker*)  
The Taylor Family (*mourning the loss of Jeanette Taylor*)  
The Anthony Family (*mourning the loss of Dorothy Anthony*)

### Homebound and Care Centers

Betty Schroeder (home)   Donna Hesse (The Springs)   Eleanor Zoellner (home)

### Please Remember Those Who Are in the Armed Forces

Colonel **Heidi** Otis, U.S. Army, Fort Bliss, El Paso TX (Verne and Ellen Schoeneman's daughter)  
Marine Sergeant **Matthew** Jacobs, Twenty Nine Palms, CA (Mike and Gwen Jacob's son)  
Lt. **Mark** Phillips, U.S.S. America, Busan, South Korea, U.S. Navy (Susan Phillip's son)  
**Tim** Phillips, U.S. Army, Saudi Arabia (Susan Phillips' husband)  
Staff Sergeant **Paul** Sandstrom, Fort George Mead, MD. (Sandstrom family)  
**Skylar** and Sarah Pechac, Air Force (Erslund's nephew)  
Sgt. **Becky** McCartney, RAF Mildenhall, England (Kay McCartney's granddaughter)  
Capt. **Brandon** Grone, Vandenberg AFB, California (Marge Harper's grandson)  
Chief Warrant Officer 2 **Adam** Endemano, U.S. Army Ft. Carson, CO (June Larson's grandson)  
**Tres** Logan, U.S. Navy, U.S.S. Kearsarge (Debbie Nelson's son in law)

***Thank you for your prayers and support.***

To remove/add anyone to this list: contact the church office: 480-945-9537 or [office@popphoenix.org](mailto:office@popphoenix.org)



# **Congratulations** **Class of 2019!**

## **Samantha Ayala**

Graduating from Arcadia High School  
Attending Northern Arizona University to pursue a  
degree in Elementary and Special Elementary Education

## **Jared Lara**

Graduating from Saguaro High School  
Attending Los Angeles College of Music to pursue a  
degree in Audio Production and Engineering

## **Lauren Pineda**

Graduating from Arcadia High School  
Attending University of Arizona to pursue a degree in  
Engineering and Theater Production

## **Grant Quinsler**

Graduating from Coronado High School  
Future plans are TBD

## **Kevin Wooden**

Graduating from Arcadia High School  
Attending Grand Canyon University to pursue a degree  
in cyber security and later a masters degree in business  
integration



# Sponsor a Student for Rock-N-Water!

**Where?** Rock-N-Water

**When?** June 15-June 22

**Who?** 28 - 6th-12th Grade Youth and 4 Adult Mentors!

**What?** Our group will be immersed in the beauty of God's creation for a week of faith exploration, nature, friendship, and adventurous challenges! All week, youth will experience character development and the joy of God's Living Word that will help each individual grow in both character and spiritual intimacy with God.

*Rock-N-Water's primary goal is that youth and adults might come to know Jesus and pass on God's love with excitement.*



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## Sponsorship Levels



### Life Vest Sponsorship

\$30

*28 Needed*

*Life Vest Sponsors will receive a postcard from their student!*



### Paddle Sponsorship

\$100

*14 Needed*

*Paddle Sponsors will receive a postcard and group picture!*



### Raft Sponsorship

\$300

*10 Needed*

*Paddle Sponsors will receive a Postcard, group picture & T-shirt!*

**You can place a check in the offering plate today with a note "Youth Sponsorship" or see Audrey after church for more information!**



Prince of Peace Lutheran Church  
Phoenix, Arizona



**June 2, 2019**  
**Ascension Sunday**  
**9:30 a.m.**  
**“Worship, Connect, Serve”**

# Welcome to Worship

## At Prince of Peace

### “Worship, Connect, Serve”

Hymn numbers are provided for use of the red hymnal in the pew racks. Scripture Verses are printed from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible found in the pew racks.

*\*Indicates: Please stand as you are able*

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## Prelude

## \*Welcome and Prayer

## Opening Hymn

## You Servants of God

ELW# 825

You servants of God, your Master proclaim,  
and publish abroad his wonderful name;  
the name, all-victorious, of Jesus extol;  
his kingdom is glorious and rules over all!

Ascended on high, almighty to save,  
yet still he is nigh, his presence we have.  
The great congregation his triumph shall sing,  
ascribing salvation to Jesus, our king!

Salvation to God who sits on the throne!  
Let all cry aloud and honor the Son.  
The praises of Jesus the angels proclaim,  
fall down on their faces, and worship the Lamb.

Then let us adore and give him his right,  
all glory and pow'r and wisdom and might,  
all honor and blessing, with angels above,  
and thanks never ceasing, and infinite love!

## Ascension Sunday Litany

L: Because Jesus ascended and sits at the right hand of God, a new world has broken into ours—

**C: a world in which justice comes for the poor, freedom comes for the prisoners and healing comes for the sick.**

L: Because Jesus ascended and sits at the right hand of God, a new community has been formed—

**C: a community that loves and cares for people, a family that welcomes all who are abandoned and rejected, a place where all find a place of belonging.**

L: Because Jesus ascended and sits at the right hand of God, a new creation has begun—

**C: all that was distorted is being restored, all that is corrupted is being renewed, all that was broken is being made whole.**

L: Because Jesus ascended and sits at the right hand of God, God's new world has begun.

**C: Praise be to God! Amen.**

## Passing of the Peace

## Children's Message/Graduation Milestone Presentation

## Announcements

### First Reading: Acts 1:1-11

<sup>1</sup>In the first book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus did and taught from the beginning <sup>2</sup>until the day when he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. <sup>3</sup>After his suffering he presented himself alive to them by many convincing proofs, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. <sup>4</sup>While staying with them, he ordered them not to leave Jerusalem, but to wait there for the promise of the



Father. "This," he said, "is what you have heard from me; <sup>5</sup>for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now."<sup>6</sup>So when they had come together, they asked him, "Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?" <sup>7</sup>He replied, "It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. <sup>8</sup>But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." <sup>9</sup>When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. <sup>10</sup>While he was going and they were gazing up toward heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. <sup>11</sup>They said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up toward heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven."

L: This is the Word of Life.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

### **Gospel: Luke 24: 44-53**

<sup>44</sup>Then he said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you — that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled." <sup>45</sup>Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, <sup>46</sup>and he said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, <sup>47</sup>and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. <sup>48</sup>You are witnesses of these things. <sup>49</sup>And see, I am sending upon you what my Father promised; so stay here in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high."<sup>50</sup>Then he led them out as far as Bethany, and, lifting up his hands, he blessed them. <sup>51</sup>While he was blessing them, he withdrew from them and was carried up into heaven. <sup>52</sup>And they worshiped him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy; <sup>53</sup>and they were continually in the temple blessing God.

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**Message**

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## Hymn of the Day

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus;  
his the scepter, his the throne;  
Alleluia! his the triumph,  
his the victory alone.  
Hark! The songs of peaceful Zion  
thunder like a mighty flood:  
"Jesus out of ev'ry nation  
has redeemed us by his blood."

Alleluia! Bread of heaven,  
here on earth our food, our stay;  
Alleluia! here the sinful  
flee to you from day to day.  
Intercessor, friend of sinners,  
earth's redeemer, hear our plea  
where the songs of all the sinless  
sweep across the crystal sea.

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ELW# 392 v. 1, 3, 5

## Offering

### Offering Music

*Halle, Halle, Halle*

## Prayers of the Community

### The Celebration of Holy Communion

- L: The Lord be with you.  
**C: And also with you.**  
L: Lift up your hearts.  
**C: We lift them to the Lord.**  
L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

**Distribution:** All are welcome at the Lord's Table. If Communion will be received by **Intinction:** Please take the wafer and dip in either the chalice of wine or the chalice of grape juice. Or if by **Cups,** Proceed to the altar at the direction of the ushers. After you receive the bread and the wine or grape juice, you may return to your seat when you are ready. Those who do not yet (Or do not wish to) receive communion are welcome to come forward for a blessing.

## Communion Hymn

## Beautiful Savior

ELW# 838

Beautiful Savior, King of creation,  
Son of God and Son of Man!  
Truly I'd love thee, truly I'd serve thee,  
light of my soul, my joy, my crown.

Fair are the meadows,  
fair are the woodlands,  
robed in flow'rs of blooming spring;  
Jesus is fairer,  
Jesus is purer,  
he makes our sorrowing spirit sing.

Fair is the sunshine, fair is the moonlight,  
bright the sparkling stars on high;  
Jesus shines brighter,  
Jesus shines purer  
than all the angels in the sky.

Beautiful Savior, Lord of the nations,  
Son of God and Son of Man!  
Glory and honor,  
praise, adoration,  
now and forevermore be thine!

## Post Communion Prayer and Benediction



## Closing Hymn

## Sent Forth by God's Blessing

ELW# 547

Sent forth by God's blessing,  
our true faith confessing,  
the people of God from this dwelling take leave.  
The supper is ended.  
Oh, now be extended  
the fruits of this service in all who believe.  
The seed of Christ's teaching,  
receptive souls reaching,  
shall blossom in action for God and for all.  
Your grace shall incite us,  
your love shall unite us  
to work for your kingdom and answer your call.

With praise and thanksgiving  
to God ever-living,  
the tasks of our ev'ryday life we will face—  
our faith ever sharing,  
in love ever caring,  
embracing God's children, the whole human race.  
With your feast you feed us,  
with your light now lead us;  
unite us as one in this life that we share.  
Then may all the living  
with praise and thanksgiving  
give honor to Christ and his name that we bear.

## Dismissal

## Postlude

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**9:30 a.m. Worship**

**10:45 a.m. Fellowship**

Pastor Rick Sherrill

President: Deb Nelson

Director of Youth and Family Ministry: Audrey Cox

Children's Ministry Coordinator: Angela Sherrill

Music Worship Leader/ Pianist: Lynne McGinley

Organist/Pianist: Dr. Allen Quie

Musician: Jonathan Crissman

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*We welcome people to a relationship with Jesus, equip them with a faith that works well in real life, and send them into the world to serve others.*

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Prince of Peace Lutheran Church  
Phoenix, Arizona



**June 9, 2019**  
**Pentecost Sunday**  
**9:30 a.m.**  
**“Worship, Connect, Serve”**



# Welcome to Worship

## At Prince of Peace

### “Worship, Connect, Serve”

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#### **\*Welcome and Prayer**

#### **Confession and Absolution**

P: In the name of the Father, and the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

P: God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C: Amen.**

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

P: Most merciful God,

**C: we confess that we are captive 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.**

P: God, who is rich in mercy, loves us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

**C: Amen.**

## Opening Hymn

## Holy Spirit, Ever Dwelling

ELW# 582

Holy Spirit, ever dwelling  
in the holiest realms of light;  
Holy Spirit, ever brooding  
o'er a world of gloom and night;  
Holy Spirit, ever raising  
those of earth to thrones on high;  
living, life-imparting Spirit,  
you we praise and magnify.

Holy Spirit, ever living  
as the church's very life;  
Holy Spirit, ever striving  
through us in a ceaseless strife;  
Holy Spirit, ever forming  
in the church the mind of Christ:  
you we praise with endless worship  
for your gifts and fruits unpriced.

Holy Spirit, ever working  
through the church's ministry;  
quick'ning, strength'ning, and absolving,  
setting captive sinners free;  
Holy Spirit, ever binding  
age to age and soul to soul  
in communion never ending,  
you we worship and extol.

## Apostolic Greeting

**L:** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C:** and also with you.

# Kyrie Eleison

*Refrain*



Ky-ri-e e-lei-son, on our world and on our way.



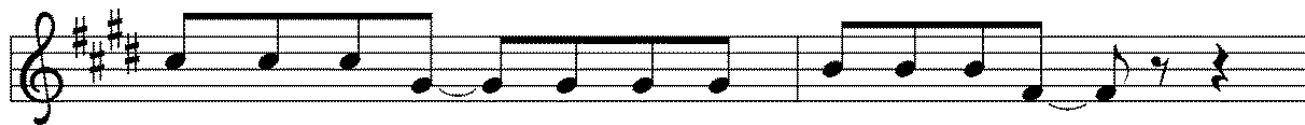
Ky-ri-e e-lei-son, ev-'ry day.



- 1 For peace in the world, for the health of the church, for the
- 2 That we may live out your im-passioned re-sponse to the
- 3 For peace in our hearts, . . . for peace in our homes, . . for
- 4 For your Spir-it to guide; that you cen-ter our lives in the



u-ni-ty of all; for  
hun-gry and the poor; that  
friends and fam-i-ly; for  
wa-ter and the word; that you



this ho-ly house, for all who wor-ship and praise,  
we may live out . . . . . truth and jus-tice and grace,  
life and for love, . . . . . for our work and our play,  
nour-ish our souls . . . with your bod-y and blood,



let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord.

*Refrain*

## **Prayer of the Day**

God our creator, the resurrection of your Son offers life to all the peoples of earth. By your Holy Spirit, kindle in us the fire of your love, empowering our lives for service and our tongues for praise, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

## **Special Music**

*I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light* arr. By Brenda Portman  
*Harper Denhard, soloist*

## **Children's Message**

## **Announcements**

### **First Reading: Acts 2:1-21**

<sup>1</sup>When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup>And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. <sup>3</sup>Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. <sup>4</sup>All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. <sup>5</sup>Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. <sup>6</sup>And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. <sup>7</sup>Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?" <sup>8</sup>And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? <sup>9</sup>Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, <sup>10</sup>Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, <sup>11</sup>Cretans and Arabs — in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." <sup>12</sup>All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" <sup>13</sup>But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine." <sup>14</sup>But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. <sup>15</sup>Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. <sup>16</sup>No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: <sup>17</sup>In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and

your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. <sup>18</sup>Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. <sup>19</sup>And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. <sup>20</sup>The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. <sup>21</sup>Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

L: This is the Word of Life.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

### **Gospel: John 14: 8-17**

<sup>8</sup>Philip said to him, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." <sup>9</sup>Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? <sup>10</sup>Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. <sup>11</sup>Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. <sup>12</sup>Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. <sup>13</sup>I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. <sup>14</sup>If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it. <sup>15</sup>If you love me, you will keep my commandments. <sup>16</sup>And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. <sup>17</sup>This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

L: This is the Gospel of Life.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

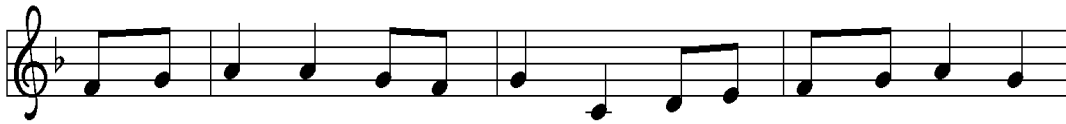
**Message**

Pastor Paul Nelson

## Hymn of the Day

## Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song

ELW# 403



1 Like the mur - mur of the dove's song, like the chal - lenge of her  
2 To the mem - bers of Christ's bod - y, to the branch-es of the  
3 With the heal - ing of di - vi - sion, with the cease - less voice of



flight, like the vig - or of the wind's rush, like the  
vine, to the church in faith as - sem - bled, to our  
prayer, with the pow'r to love and wit - ness, with the



new flame's ea - ger might: come, Ho - ly Spir - it, come.  
midst as gift and sign: come, Ho - ly Spir - it, come.  
peace be - yond com - pare: come, Ho - ly Spir - it, come.

## Prayers of the Community

## Passing of the Peace

## Special Music

*How Can I Keep from Singing*  
*POP Adult Bells*

*arr. By Arnold Sherman*

## Offering



## Offering Song

## Give Thanks

Don Moen

Give thanks with a grateful heart  
Give thanks to the Holy One  
Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son

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And now let the weak say, "I am strong"  
Let the poor say, "I am rich"  
Because of what the Lord has done for us"

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Let the poor say, "I am rich"  
Because of what the Lord has done for us"

Give thanks

## The Celebration of Holy Communion

L: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

L: Lift up your hearts.

**C: We lift them to the Lord.**

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## The Lord's Prayer

**Distribution:** All are welcome at the Lord's Table. If Communion will be received by **Intinction:** Please take the wafer and dip in either the chalice of wine or the chalice of grape juice. Or if by **Cups,** Proceed to the altar at the direction of the ushers. After you receive the bread and the wine or grape juice, you may return to your seat when you are ready. Those who do not yet (Or do not wish to) receive communion are welcome to come forward for a blessing.

# Communion Hymn

# Spirit of the Gentleness

ELW# 396

*Refrain*

Spir - it, Spir - it of gen - tle - ness, blow through the wil - der - ness

call - ing and free; Spir - it, Spir - it of rest - less - ness,

stir me from plac - id - ness, wind, wind on the sea.

- 1 You moved on the wa - ters, you called to the deep,
- 2 You swept through the des - ert, you stung with the sand,
- 3 You sang in a sta - ble, you cried from a hill,
- 4 You call from to - mor - row, you break an - cient schemes.

then you coaxed up the moun - tains from the val - leys of sleep;  
and you goad - ed your peo - ple with a law and a land;  
then you whis - pered in si - lence when the whole world was still;  
From the bond - age of sor - row all the cap - tives dream dreams;

and o - ver the e - ons you called to each thing:  
and when they were blind - ed with i - dols and lies,  
and down in the cit - y you called once a - gain,  
our wom - en see vi - sions, our men clear their eyes.

*Refrain*

“A - wake from your slum - bers and rise on your wings.”  
then you spoke through your proph - ets to o - pen their eyes.  
when you blew through your peo - ple on the rush of the wind.  
With . . . bold new de - ci - sions your peo - ple a - rise.

## Post Communion Prayer and Benediction



## Closing Hymn

O day full of grace that now we see  
appearing on earth's horizon,  
bring light from our God that we may be  
abundant in joy this season.  
God, shine for us now in this dark place;  
your name on our hearts emblazon.

O day full of grace, O blessed time,  
our Lord on the earth arriving;  
then came to the world that light sublime,  
great joy for us all retrieving;  
for Jesus all mortals did embrace,  
all shame and despair removing.

## O Day Full of Grace

God came to us then at Pentecost,  
the Spirit new life revealing,  
its pow'r over us dispelling.  
This flame will the mark of sin efface  
and bring to us all true healing.

When we on that final journey go  
that Christ is for us preparing,  
we'll gather in song, our hearts aglow,  
all joy of the heavens sharing,  
and there we will join God's endless  
praise, with angels and saints adoring.

ELW# 627 v. 1, 2, 4, 5

## Dismissal

## Postlude

*Please head over to Gangsei Hall for coffee and fellowship.*



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### Sunday Worship Schedule:

**9:30 a.m. Worship**

**10:45 a.m. Fellowship**

Pastor Rick Sherrill

### Prince of Peace Lutheran Church and Preschool Mission Statement

*We welcome people to a relationship with Jesus, equip them with a faith that works well in real life, and send them into the world to serve others.*

**Holy Trinity  
Sunday  
June 16, 2019**



**Weekly  
Messenger**

## **POP Community News!**

*The Nursery is in Preschool classroom 1-follow the signs!*

### **Prayers for Healing – June 30<sup>th</sup>**

*Psalms 30:2 – “O Lord my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me.”* Whatever you are dealing with, prayer can help. The simple act of turning your worry and pain over to God is wonderfully powerful. You are invited to the holy experience of healing prayer. Come to the altar directly following worship and your pastors will pray with you about anything on your mind. God has so much to offer!

*Happy Father’s Day! Today is a special Father’s Day worship service honoring the fathers in our lives.*

*Thank you to Karen Wolfinger for taking over the scheduling of communion servers. Please reach out to Karen to be put on the rotation list 480.254.6116.*

### **Travel Opportunity**

There are a few spaces available for an exciting trip to Eastern Europe that will be highlighted by attendance at the Passion Play in Oberammergau, Germany. This is a once-a-decade event and you surely want to be a participant. The trip is May 25, 2020 – June 2020. Please contact Pastor Paul (602.740.7187) for complete information.

### **Compassion Central – POP’s Visitation and Care Ministry**

If you are being called by God to share your care-giving gift, or If you have a need of care, let us know by contacting Pastor Paul 602.740.7187 or the church office 480.945.9537.

### **Special prayers for all the youth and adults attending RockNWater this week!**

Samantha Ayala, Ben Ayala, Tyler Beebe, Hannah Cox, Hailey Cox, Hayden Cox, Audrey Cox, Chase Engstrom, Jackson Green, Jack Ingram, Brody Kainass, Jacob Lara, Joe Mellen, Garrett Nelson, Lauren Pineda, Angela Sherrill, Madison Sherrill, Richard Sherrill, Kaylin Sherrill, Tyler Wagner, Noah Wagner, Tristan Wagner, Ethan Wagner, and Kevin Wooden.

*Special Thanks to all who donated to our RockNWater Sponsorship program! Your support means so much and has allowed all the youth listed above to experience an amazing faith-filled adventure!*

Bonnie Rockwood, Ilene Darland, Judy Edmonson, Mary & Harry Quinsler, Arlene Michaelson, Suzy Steinmetz, Elaine Zapfel, Creedon Family, Eckrote Family, Lidmans, Martha Weld Peter & Cathie Westby, Lindsey & Scott Smidlein, Beth Schneider, Steven & Kyrrha Wacker, Jan Beebe, Mark & Ginny Wooden, Nancy & Scott Stevens, Laurie Peterson & Earl Fuchs, Allen Quie & Jim Taylor, Paul & Nan Nelson, Dave & Janet DeJonge

## This week at Prince of Peace

### Sunday, June 16

9:00 a.m. Ch.i.L.L, Conference R  
9:00 a.m. Nursery, Preschool room 1  
9:30 a.m. Father's Day Worship, Sanctuary  
10:30 a.m. Fellowship, Gangsei Hall

### Monday, June 17

### Tuesday, June 18

10:00 a.m. Library Meeting  
1:00 p.m. Knitting Group

### Wednesday, June 19

No Bible Study

### Thursday, June 20

5:30 p.m. BG's at Angels Trumpet Ale House

### Friday, June 21

### Saturday, June 22

### Sunday, July 23

9:00 a.m. Ch.i.L.L, Conference R  
9:00 a.m. Nursery, Preschool room 1  
9:30 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary  
10:30 a.m. Fellowship, Gangsei Hall



## Assisting in Worship

<b>Altar Guild</b>	Tracy Fish
<b>Lector</b>	Bonnie Rockwood
<b>Ushers</b>	Ruth Stone    Ed Zollars
<b>Greeters</b>	Elaine Zapfel    Suzy Steinmetz
<b>Communion Servers</b>	Greg and Dena Welch-Rowland

***The flowers on the altar are given in honor of the birth of Henry Jeff Read. The parents are Alexandra (Stevens) and Kyle Read and great grandmother Jan Stevens.***

*You may order flowers through the church office, the offering plate or online on our website- [www.poppheoenix.org](http://www.poppheoenix.org) (\$40).*

*Scroll down to the bottom of the page to 'Contact POP' and click on 'Altar Flowers'. Then follow the directions on that page.*

## Partnering in Prayer

Les Holland	Bud Frye	Ron Swanson
Mike Jacobs	Laura Eller	Mel Kowal
Ben Greenwell	Karsten Peterson	

## Welcome To Prince of Peace

**Worship at Prince of Peace**, an ELCA Lutheran congregation, is a time for each of us, gathered in community, to meet our living Lord Jesus. We extend an invitation to all who believe in Jesus Christ to commune when we celebrate Holy Communion. If you are **searching for a church home**, please know you are welcome at Prince of Peace. Return, let's worship together often.

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**June 16, 2019**  
**The Holy Trinity**  
**9:30 a.m.**  
**“Worship, Connect, Serve”**

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**Prelude**

*Holy, Holy, Holy*

*arr. By Brickman*

**\*Welcome**

### **Confession and Absolution**

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever,

**C: Amen.**

P: Let us pray together,

**C: God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen**

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

(silence for reflection)

P: Gracious God,

**C: have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and give ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion for us our sin, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you and uphold us by your Spirit that we may love and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

P: God, who is rich in mercy, loves us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

**C: Amen.**

### Opening Hymn

### Come, Thou Almighty King

ELW# 408

Come, thou almighty King,  
help us thy name to sing;  
help us to praise;  
Father all-glorious,  
o'er all victorious,  
come and reign over us,  
Ancient of Days.

Come, thou incarnate Word,  
merciful, mighty Lord;  
our prayer attend.  
Come and thy people bless,  
and give thy word success,  
and let thy righteousness  
on us descend.

Come, holy Comforter,  
thy sacred witness bear  
in this glad hour!  
Thou who almighty art,  
rule now in ev'ry heart,  
never from us depart,  
Spirit of pow'r.

To thee, great One in Three,  
eternal praises be  
hence evermore!  
Thy sov'reign majesty  
may we in glory see,  
and to eternity  
love and adore.

### Apostolic Greeting

L: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

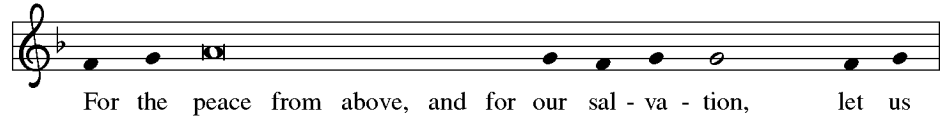
**C: and also with you.**



# Kyrie Eleison



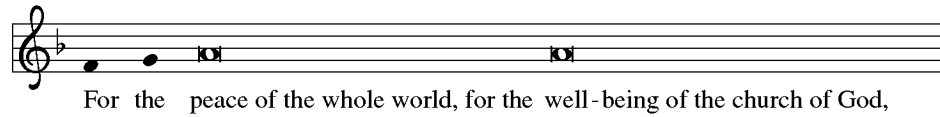
In peace, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mer-cy.**



For the peace from above, and for our sal - va - tion, let us



pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mer - cy.**



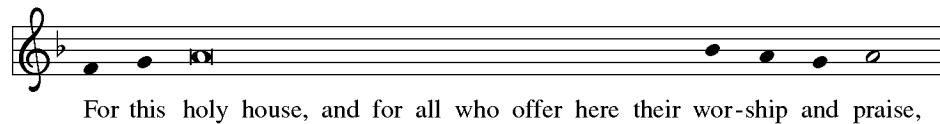
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



and for the u - ni - ty of all, let us pray to the Lord.



**Lord, have mer - cy.**



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their wor-ship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mer - cy.**



Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gra - cious Lord.



**A - men.**

## Hymn of Praise

*Refrain*

This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God. Al - le -  
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

## Prayer of the Day

L: Let us pray together.

C: Almighty God we give you thanks for planting in us the seed of your word. By your Holy Spirit help us to receive it with joy, live according to it and grow in faith and hope and love, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

## Announcements

## Children's Message

### First Reading: Romans 5:1-5

<sup>1</sup>Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>2</sup>through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. <sup>3</sup>And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, <sup>4</sup>and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, <sup>5</sup>and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

L: This is the Word of Life.

**C: Thanks be to God.**



**Gospel: John 16: 12-15**

<sup>12</sup>I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. <sup>13</sup>When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. <sup>14</sup>He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. <sup>15</sup>All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

L: This is the Gospel of Life.

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**Message**

Pastor Paul Nelson

**Hymn of the Day**      **Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!**      **ELW# 413 v. 1, 2, 4**

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty!

Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.

Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!

God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,  
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;  
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,  
which wert and art, and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!

All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.

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**\*Apostles' Creed:** 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.

## Prayers of the Community

Offering

How Great Thou Art

arr. By Gregory Stone

### Offertory Prayer

L: Let us pray, Holy God, gracious and merciful, you bring forth food from the earth and nourish your whole creation. Turn our hearts toward those who hunger in any way that all may know your care; and prepare us now to feast on the bread of life, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

### Great Thanksgiving

L: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

L: Lift up your hearts.

C: **We lift them to the Lord.**

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

L: It is indeed right and salutary . . . we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

C:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,  
heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the  
high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -  
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

## Consecration of the Elements

**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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### Offering Song

We come to the hungry feast  
hungry for a word of peace.  
To hungry hearts unsatisfied  
the love of God is not denied.  
We come, we come to the hungry feast.

### We Come to the Hungry Feast

We come to the hungry feast  
hungry that the hunger cease,  
and knowing, though we eat our fill,  
the hunger will stay with us; still  
we come, we come to the hungry feast.

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We come to the hungry feast  
hungry for a world released  
from hungry people of ev'ry kind,  
the poor in body, poor in mind.  
We come, we come to the hungry feast.

### Post Communion Prayer

**L:** God of abundance, with this bread of life and cup of salvation you have united us with Christ, making us one with all your people. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continues in the risen life of Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**C: Amen.**

## **Blessing**

L: The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

C: **Amen.**

## **Communion Hymn**

### **Closing Hymn**

### **Do Lord**

Do Lord, O, Do Lord, O do remember me,  
Do Lord, O, Do Lord, O do remember me,  
Do Lord, O, Do Lord, O do remember me,  
Way beyond the blue.

I've got a home in glory land that out-shines the sun.  
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I took Jesus as my Savior, You take Him too.  
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## **Dismissal**

## **Postlude**

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Organist/Pianist: Dr. Allen Quie

Musician: Jonathan Crissman

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**Second Sunday  
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June 23, 2019**



**Weekly  
Messenger**

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9:30 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary  
10:30 a.m. Fellowship, Gangsei Hall

### **Monday, June 24**

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10:00 a.m. Library Meeting  
1:00 p.m. Knitting Group

### **Wednesday, June 26**

No Bible Study

### **Thursday, June 27**

### **Friday, June 28**

### **Saturday, June 29**

9:00 a.m. Quilters, Choir Room

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<b>Ushers</b>	Brenda Johnston Ruth Stone
<b>Greeters</b>	Susan Robinson Sam Ward
<b>Communion Servers</b>	

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## **Partnering in Prayer**

Ilene Darland	Les Holland	Bud Frye
Ron Swanson	Mike Jacobs	Laura Eller
Ben Greenwell	Karsten Peterson	Mel Kowal

## **Welcome To Prince of Peace**

**Worship at Prince of Peace**, an ELCA Lutheran congregation, is a time for each of us, gathered in community, to meet our living Lord Jesus. We extend an invitation to all who believe in Jesus Christ to commune when we celebrate Holy Communion. If you are **searching for a church home**, please know you are welcome at Prince of Peace. Return, let's worship together often.

- ❖ **Children are always welcome in worship.** Activity bags are available for young worshippers at the center entrance to the sanctuary. If you are in need of assistance for children through the age of three, a staffed nursery is available from 9:15 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in Room 16 in the Education Building
- ❖ **Sunday School** for children age 4- 6<sup>th</sup> grades is available every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. during the school year.
- ❖ **6-12th Grade Youth and Families** -- Grow in faith and in community through fun, fellowship, service, and more! For a full schedule, visit our website or see Audrey Cox.
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- ❖ **Prayer Requests:** Please write down your concern and place it in the offering plate or prayer box and indicate if the name can be published in this newsletter or just shared with our prayer warriors through the Prayer Chain.
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There is neither Jew nor Greek  
there is neither slave nor free  
there is no male and female

for you are all one  
in Christ Jesus

June 23, 2019  
Second Sunday after Pentecost  
9:30 a.m.  
“Worship, Connect, Serve”



# Welcome to Worship

## At Prince of Peace

### “Worship, Connect, Serve”

Hymn numbers are provided for use of the red hymnal in the pew racks. Scripture Verses are printed from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible found in the pew racks.

*\*Indicates: Please stand as you are able*

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## Prelude

## \*Welcome and Prayer

## Confession and Absolution

P: In the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

P: God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C: Amen.**

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

*(silence for reflection)*

P: Most merciful God,

**C:** we confess that we are captive 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.

**C: Amen.**

P: God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of † Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

**C: Amen.**

## Opening Hymn

### Litany of the Day

L: Grace and peace to you from God our Father, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing that comes from heaven:

**C: who knew you and chose you before the world began;**

L: who loves you so much that he calls you his own children;

**C: who has brought you from darkness into light and filled you with his glorious power;**

L: who has prepared an inheritance for you that will never spoil or fade;

**C: who encourages and strengthens you in every good deed and word;**

L: who comforts you in your troubles so that you can comfort others.

**C: This is our God, the ultimate source of all things and the One who give us life.**

### Prayer of the Day

O Lord God, we bring before you the cries of a sorrowing world. In your mercy set us free from the chains that bind us, and defend us from everything that is evil, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

### Children's Message

### Announcements



## **First Reading: Galatians 3:23-29**

<sup>23</sup>Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed. <sup>24</sup>Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith. <sup>25</sup>But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian, <sup>26</sup>for in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith. <sup>27</sup>As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. <sup>28</sup>There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. <sup>29</sup>And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise.

L: This is the Word of Life.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

## **Gospel: Luke 8: 26-39**

<sup>26</sup>Then they arrived at the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. <sup>27</sup>As he stepped out on land, a man of the city who had demons met him. For a long time he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. <sup>28</sup>When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me" — <sup>29</sup>for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.) <sup>30</sup>Jesus then asked him, "What is your name?" He said, "Legion"; for many demons had entered him. <sup>31</sup>They begged him not to order them to go back into the abyss. <sup>32</sup>Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding; and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So, he gave them permission. <sup>33</sup>Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned. <sup>34</sup>When the swineherds saw what had happened, they ran off and told it in the city and in the country. <sup>35</sup>Then people came out to see what had happened, and when they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they were afraid. <sup>36</sup>Those who had seen it told them how the one who had been possessed by demons had been healed. <sup>37</sup>Then all the

people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them; for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned. <sup>38</sup>The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but Jesus sent him away, saying, <sup>39</sup>Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you. So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

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**Message**

Radical Change

Pastor Paul Nelson

**Hymn of the Day**

**Prayers of the Community**

**Passing of the Peace**

**Offering**

**Offering Song**

**Give Thanks**

*written by Don Moen*

Give thanks with a grateful heart, Give thanks to the Holy One

Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son

Give thanks with a grateful heart, Give thanks to the Holy One

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And now let the weak say, "I am strong", Let the poor say, "I am rich

Because of what the Lord has done for us"

And now let the weak say, "I am strong", Let the poor say, "I am rich

Because of what the Lord has done for us", Give thanks

## \*The Celebration Of Holy Communion



**'Round the Table  
Chorus  
Come together 'round the table  
come and taste the wonder  
A healing touch and a deep connection  
from the living center of it all**

**L:** We gather around this table to share in the holy meal of Jesus' presence. Let all who gather here be renewed and refreshed. We gather here seeking to taste the gift of grace. Let all receive the bounty of this meal. We gather because we have been invited. Let all who come know the wonder and mystery of this moment. May our hearts and lives be transformed by God's power and purpose in this time.



**Seeking meaning on the run  
you try and save the day  
but all is ready, will you come?  
Love invites the way  
Chorus**

**L:** In the night in which he was betrayed our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.



**Bring your friend or enemy  
or one you hold or blame  
With each other we are one  
here in Jesus' name  
Chorus**

**L:** Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.



**Hear creation groan for life  
Will hate and hunger cease?  
In the roar of violence  
The world cries for peace  
Chorus**

## Lord's Prayer

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## Distribution Song

## We Come to you for Healing, Lord

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1 We come to you for heal - ing, Lord, of  
2 As once you walked through an - cient streets and  
3 You touch us through phy - si - cians' skills, through  
4 When nights are long with wake - ful - ness, through  
5 We come to you, O lov - ing Lord, in



bod - y, mind, and soul, and pray that by your  
reached toward those in pain, come, ris - en Christ, a -  
nurs - es' gifts of care, and through the love of  
days when strength runs low, grant us your gift of  
our dis - tress and pain, in trust that through our



Spir - it's touch we may a - gain be whole.  
mong us still with pow'r to heal a - gain.  
faith - ful friends who lift our lives in prayer.  
pa - tience, Lord, your calm - ing peace to know.  
nights and days your grace will heal, sus - tain.

## Post Communion Prayer and Benediction

### Closing Hymn

### Dismissal

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**Special prayers for all the youth and adults attending Lutheran Campformation  
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Ben Ayala, Lilly Belfany, Hailey Cox, Hayden Cox , Audrey Cox, Merran Garmon, Kennedy Hammer, Nicole Hilden, Jacob Lara(Counselor), Jordan Lara(Counselor), Susan Robinson, Pastor Rick Sherrill, Lana Welch-Rowland, and Kevin Wooden(Counselor).

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### *Monday, July 1*

### *Tuesday, July 2*

10:00 a.m. Library Meeting  
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### *Wednesday, July 3*

No Bible Study

### *Thursday, July 4*

*Office and Pres Closed- Independence Day*  
6:00 p.m. BG's, Jana Petersons house

### *Friday, July 5*

### *Saturday, July 6*

9:00 a.m. Quilters, Choir Room

### *Sunday, July 7*

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<b>Greeters</b>	Ernst and Elisabeth Zeiner
<b>Communion Servers</b>	Tony and Abby Hammond

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## *Partnering in Prayer*

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Ron Swanson	Mike Jacobs	Laura Eller
Ben Greenwell	Karsten Peterson	Mel Kowal

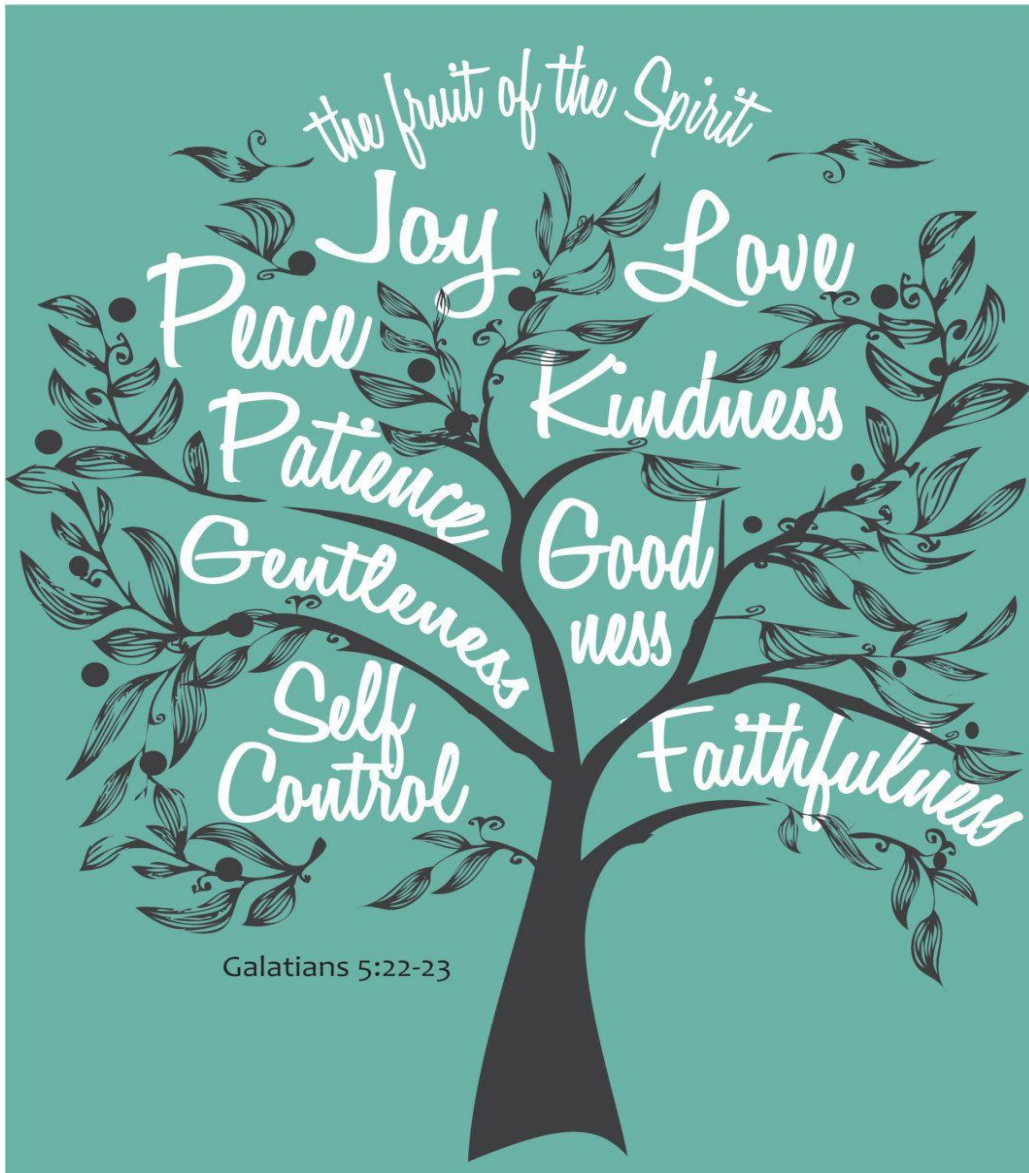
## *Welcome To Prince of Peace*

**Worship at Prince of Peace**, an ELCA Lutheran congregation, is a time for each of us, gathered in community, to meet our living Lord Jesus. We extend an invitation to all who believe in Jesus Christ to commune when we celebrate Holy Communion. If you are **searching for a church home**, please know you are welcome at Prince of Peace. Return, let's worship together often.

- ❖ **Children are always welcome in worship.** Activity bags are available for young worshippers at the center entrance to the sanctuary. If you are in need of assistance for children through the age of three, a staffed nursery is available from 9:15 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in Room 16 in the Education Building
- ❖ **Sunday School** for children age 4- 6<sup>th</sup> grades is available every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. during the school year.
- ❖ **6-12th Grade Youth and Families** -- Grow in faith and in community through fun, fellowship, service, and more! For a full schedule, visit our website or see Audrey Cox.
- ❖ **Communion Needs:** Gluten-free bread and grape juice are available. If you desire to receive communion in the pew, please notify an usher.
- ❖ **Prayer Requests:** Please write down your concern and place it in the offering plate or prayer box and indicate if the name can be published in this newsletter or just shared with our prayer warriors through the Prayer Chain.
- ❖ **Hospital Calls:** Please call Pastor Rick directly at 408.472.0529 or contact the church office to let us know if you or a family member is hospitalized or for a pastoral visit during rehab in a care center or at home.
- ❖ **Pastoral Care:** If you are seeking help with baptisms, weddings, memorial services or seek pastoral counseling, please contact Pastor Rick Sherrill at 408.472.0529 or the church office directly.
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Prince of Peace Lutheran Church  
Phoenix, Arizona



**June 30, 2019**  
**Third Sunday after Pentecost**  
**9:30 a.m.**  
**“Worship, Connect, Serve”**

# Welcome to Worship

## At Prince of Peace

### “Worship, Connect, Serve”

*Hymn numbers are provided for use of the red hymnal in the pew racks. Scripture Verses are printed from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible found in the pew racks.*

*\*Indicates: Please stand as you are able*

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#### **\*Welcome and Prayer**

#### **Confession and Absolution**

P: In the name of the Father, and the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

P: God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C: Amen.**

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

P: Most merciful God,

**C: we confess that we are captive 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.**

P: God, who is rich in mercy, loves us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

**C: Amen.**

## Opening Hymn

## Here I Am, Lord

ELW# 574

"I, the Lord of sea and sky,  
I have heard my people cry.  
All who dwell in dark and sin  
my hand will save.  
I, who made the stars of night,  
I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear my light to them?  
Whom shall I send?"

"I, the Lord of wind and flame,  
I will tend the poor and lame.  
I will set a feast for them.  
My hand will save.  
Finest bread I will provide  
till their hearts be satisfied.  
I will give my life to them.  
Whom shall I send?" *Refrain*

### *Refrain*

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?  
I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.  
I will hold your people in my heart.

"I, the Lord of snow and rain,  
I have borne my people's pain.  
I have wept for love of them.  
They turn away.  
I will break their hearts of stone,  
give them hearts for love alone.  
I will speak my word to them.  
Whom shall I send?" *Refrain*

## Apostolic Greeting

L: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: **and also with you.**



# Kyrie Eleison

*Refrain*



Ky-ri-e e-lei-son, on our world and on our way.



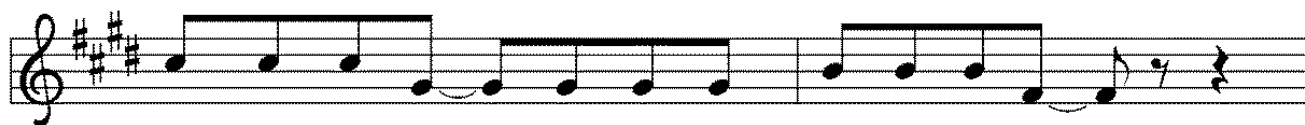
Ky-ri-e e-lei-son, ev-'ry day.



- 1 For peace in the world, for the health of the church, for the
- 2 That we may live out your im-passioned re-sponse to the
- 3 For peace in our hearts, . . . for peace in our homes, . . for
- 4 For your Spir-it to guide; that you cen-ter our lives in the

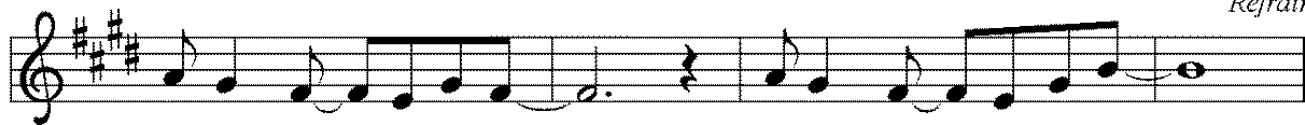


u-ni-ty of all; for  
 hun-gry and the poor; that  
 friends and fam-i-ly; for  
 wa-ter and the word; that you



this ho-ly house, for all who wor-ship and praise,  
 we may live out . . . . . truth and jus-tice and grace,  
 life and for love, . . . . . for our work and our play,  
 nour-ish our souls . . . with your bod-y and blood,

*Refrain*



let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord.

## **Prayer of the Day**

Sovereign God, ruler of all hearts, you call us to obey you, and you favor us with true freedom. Keep us faithful to the ways of your Son, that, leaving behind all that hinders us, we may steadfastly follow your paths, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Amen.**

## **Children's Message**

## **Announcements**

### **First Reading: Galatians 5:1, 13-25**

<sup>1</sup> For freedom Christ has set us free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery. <sup>13</sup>For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. <sup>14</sup>For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." <sup>15</sup>If, however, you bite and devour one another, take care that you are not consumed by one another. <sup>16</sup>Live by the Spirit, I say, and do not gratify the desires of the flesh. <sup>17</sup>For what the flesh desires is opposed to the Spirit, and what the Spirit desires is opposed to the flesh; for these are opposed to each other, to prevent you from doing what you want. <sup>18</sup>But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not subject to the law. <sup>19</sup>Now the works of the flesh are obvious: fornication, impurity, licentiousness, <sup>20</sup>idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, anger, quarrels, dissensions, factions, <sup>21</sup>envy, drunkenness, carousing, and things like these. I am warning you, as I warned you before: those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. <sup>22</sup>By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, <sup>23</sup>gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. <sup>24</sup>And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. <sup>25</sup>If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit.

L: This is the Word of Life.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

## **Gospel: Luke 9: 51-62**

<sup>51</sup>When the days drew near for him to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. <sup>52</sup>And he sent messengers ahead of him. On their way they entered a village of the Samaritans to make ready for him; <sup>53</sup>but they did not receive him, because his face was set toward Jerusalem. <sup>54</sup>When his disciples James and John saw it, they said, "Lord, do you want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them?" <sup>55</sup>But he turned and rebuked them. <sup>56</sup>Then they went on to another village. <sup>57</sup>As they were going along the road, someone said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." <sup>58</sup>And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests; but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head." <sup>59</sup>To another he said, "Follow me." But he said, "Lord, first let me go and bury my father." <sup>60</sup>But Jesus said to him, "Let the dead bury their own dead; but as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." <sup>61</sup>Another said, "I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home." <sup>62</sup>Jesus said to him, "No one who puts a hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God."

L: This is the Gospel of Life.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

**Message**

**Laser Focus**

**Pastor Rick Sherrill**



## Hymn of the Day

## Will You Come and Follow Me

ELW# 798

"Will you come and follow me  
if I but call your name?  
Will you go where you don't know  
and never be the same?  
Will you let my love be shown,  
will you let my name be known,  
will you let my life be grown  
in you and you in me?"

"Will you leave yourself behind  
if I but call your name?  
Will you care for cruel and kind  
and never be the same?  
Will you risk the hostile stare,  
should your life attract or scare?  
Will you let me answer pray'r  
in you and you in me?"

"Will you let the blinded see  
if I but call your name?  
Will you set the pris'ners free  
and never be the same?  
Will you kiss the leper clean,  
and do such as this unseen,  
and admit to what I mean  
in you and you in me?"

"Will you love the you you hide  
if I but call your name?  
Will you quell the fear inside  
and never be the same?  
Will you use the faith you've found  
to reshape the world around,  
through my sight and touch and sound  
in you and you in me?"

Lord, your summons echoes true  
when you but call my name.  
Let me turn and follow you  
and never be the same.  
In your company I'll go  
where your love and footsteps show.  
Thus I'll move and live and grow  
in you and you in me.

## Prayers of the Community

## Passing of the Peace

## Offering

## Offering Special Song

*It Is No Secret*  
*Kirsten Fuchs, soloist*



## Offering Song

## Give Thanks

Don Moen

Give thanks with a grateful heart  
Give thanks to the Holy One  
Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son

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And now let the weak say, "I am strong"  
Let the poor say, "I am rich  
Because of what the Lord has done for us"

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Give thanks

## The Celebration of Holy Communion

L: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

L: Lift up your hearts.

**C: We lift them to the Lord.**

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## The Lord's Prayer

**Distribution:** *All are welcome at the Lord's Table. If Communion will be received by* **Intinction:** *Please take the wafer and dip in either the chalice of wine or the chalice of grape juice. Or if by* **Cups,** *Proceed to the altar at the direction of the ushers. After you receive the bread and the wine or grape juice, you may return to your seat when you are ready. Those who do not yet (Or do not wish to) receive communion are welcome to come forward for a blessing.*

**Communion Hymn      Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us With Your Love**

**ELW# 708**

*Refrain*

Jesu, Jesu,  
fill us with your love,  
show us how to serve  
the neighbors we have from you.

Kneels at the feet of his friends,  
silently washes their feet,  
master who acts as a slave to them. Refrain

Neighbors are wealthy and poor,  
varied in color and race,  
neighbors are near us and far away. Refrain

These are the ones we will serve,  
these are the ones we will love;  
all these are neighbors to us and you. Refrain

Kneel at the feet of our friends,  
silently washing their feet:  
this is the way we will live with you. Refrain

**Post Communion Prayer and Benediction**

**Closing Hymn**

**I Will Call Upon the Lord**

I will call upon the Lord  
Who is worthy to be praised  
So shall I be saved from my enemies  
The Lord liveth and blessed be the Rock  
And let the God of my salvation be exalted  
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And let the God of my salvation be exalted  
Repeat

**Dismissal**

**Postlude**

*Please head over to Gangsei Hall for coffee and fellowship.*



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**Sunday Worship Schedule:**

**9:30 a.m. Worship**

**10:45 a.m. Fellowship**

Pastor Rick Sherrill

President: Deb Nelson

Director of Youth and Family Ministry: Audrey Cox

Children's Ministry Coordinator: Angela Sherrill

Music Worship Leader/ Pianist: Lynne McGinley

Organist/Pianist: Dr. Allen Quie

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**Prince of Peace Lutheran Church and Preschool Mission Statement**

*We welcome people to a relationship with Jesus, equip them with a faith that works well in real life, and send them into the world to serve others.*



## Partnering in Prayer with Our Prince of Peace Family July 2019

### Immediate concerns

**Bud Frye**   **Ilene Darland**   **Ron Swanson**   **Mike Jacobs**  
**Ben Greenwell**   **Karsten Peterson**   **Laura Eller**   **Mel Kowal**   **Les Holland**

### Moving Through Grief

The Cockram Family (*mourning the loss of John Cockram*)  
The Lecker Family (*mourning the loss of Jan Lecker*)

### Homebound and Care Centers

**Betty Schroeder** (home)   **Donna Hesse** (The Springs)   **Eleanor Zoellner** (home)

### Please Remember Those Who Are in the Armed Forces

Colonel **Heidi Otis**, U.S. Army, Fort Bliss, El Paso TX (Verne and Ellen Schoeneman's daughter)  
Marine Sergeant **Matthew Jacobs**, Twenty Nine Palms, CA (Mike and Gwen Jacob's son)  
Lt. **Mark Phillips**, U.S.S. America, Busan, South Korea, U.S. Navy (Susan Phillip's son)  
**Tim Phillips**, U.S. Army, Saudi Arabia (Susan Phillips' husband)  
Staff Sergeant **Paul Sandstrom**, Fort George Mead, MD. (Sandstrom family)  
**Skylar and Sarah Pechac**, Air Force (Ersland's nephew)  
Sgt. **Becky McCartney**, RAF Mildenhall, England (Kay McCartney's granddaughter)  
Chief Warrant Officer 2 **Adam Endemano**, U.S. Army Ft. Carson, CO (June Larson's grandson)  
**Tres Logan**, U.S. Navy, U.S.S. Kearsarge (Debbie Nelson's son in law)

***Thank you for your prayers and support.***

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