

AN EVER-WIDENING CIRCLE OF GRACE



Ridgefield-Crystal Lake Presbyterian Church

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6th Sunday after Pentecost
July 1, 2018 | 11:00

*As a courtesy, please silence cell phones before worship.
A “+” indicates all are invited to stand in either body or spirit.*

WE GATHER

WELCOME AND NEWS OF THE CHURCH ALIVE!

+CALL TO WORSHIP

One: In our worship, let the Spirit of God
enter the space we open in our hearts.

**All: Let us hear anew those words
so often drowned by the noise of the world,
“You are my beloved, with you I am well-pleased.”**

+HYMN 401: GATHER US IN

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION

One: Oh Lord, how much you love us.
You see the beauty housed within us
and you are intimately familiar with our frailties.

**All: Nurture the beauty within and hold not against us our
faults. Often we are lead astray, yet you still love us.
Teach us to be at our best in response to the world’s
worst. Strengthen and direct us towards the path of life
and never cast us from your presence. Amen.**

~ silence ~

+ASSURANCE OF PARDON

One: Beloved in the Lord, we are set free of all that harms us.

**All: We affirm that we are made in God’s image,
befriended by Christ, and empowered by the Spirit.**

+PASSING THE PEACE

One: Let us celebrate the miracle and wonder of life
and accept the peace which Christ alone can bring.

**All: Lord, lead us from death to life,
from falsehood to truth, from fear to trust,
and let your peace fill our lives and our world.
We accept the gift of peace
and share it with our neighbor.**

(You are invited to greet one another in peace.)

+GLORY TO GOD, WHOSE GOODNESS SHINES ON ME GTG 582

**Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,
and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,
and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.**

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.

World without end, without end. Amen.

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WE GROW

WEE WORSHIP & BLESSING OF THE YOUTH MISSION TRIP

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

SPECIAL MUSIC *Bagatelle in G* N. Faber

SCRIPTURE Luke 23:24-26,33,46-53

MESSAGE *“ish”* Rev. John Dillon

+HYMN 727: WILL YOU LET ME BE YOUR SERVANT

OFFERING: *Swing Low Sweet Chariot* spiritual

+DOXOLOGY: Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow GTG 607

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise Christ, all people here below;
praise Holy Spirit evermore;
praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.**

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

THE 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 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.

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Pastor: For bread and wine, this place, this time, this fellowship.

All: Thanks be to God!

Pastor: For the peace we are promised,
which the world cannot destroy.

All: Thanks be to God!

Pastor: For the hope of heaven on earth, and the final song of joy.

All: Thanks be to God!

WE GO

+HYMN 516: FOR THE BREAD WHICH YOU HAVE BROKEN

+SENDING

*We gather in grace, we grow in grace, we go in grace...
The journey continues in an ever-widening circle of grace.*

NURSERY CARE is provided during all worship services. Infants and pre-kindergarten children are welcomed there by our trained staff.

FLOWERS are given by **Michaeline Bruski and Daniel Duncan** in celebration of Denali Rose Marie Duncan's baptism.

NEWS OF THE CHURCH ALIVE! Details of all church events, meetings etc. are available online at www.rclpc.org. Printed copies are available from the ushers.