

**You Are Always Welcome Here
Just As You Are!**



in the
shadow
of your
wings.

PSALM 17:8

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Gather

Call to Worship

P. We gather in the name of the Creator, Redeemer, and the Nurturer. (start video and music).
“Know that the LORD is God. It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people” (Ps 100:3).

P. Then Moses went up to God, and the LORD called to him from the mountain and said, “This is what you are to say to the descendants of Jacob and what you are to tell the people of Israel: ‘You yourselves have seen what I did to Egypt, and how I carried you on eagles’ wings and brought you to myself. Now if you obey me fully and keep my covenant, then out of all nations you will be my treasured possession. Although the whole earth is mine, you will be for me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation.’ These are the words you are to speak to the Israelites.”

(Exodus 19:3-6 NIV)

(You TubeVideo: Beautiful Eagles 110 worship and praise in Flight Fly Eagle Fly plays with no sound while On Eagle’s Wings is played by Carol. Start with Reading on Ps 100 and end with Exodus)

Litany and Opening Prayer

A. You lift us up to the heights, Holy One. On wings like eagles you enable us to soar with the possibilities of transformation both within our own souls and within this world which needs so much care.

C. It is not the bright skies where we most often live. We are here with our feet on the ground—your feet planted firmly beside us as we try to walk without fainting: walk through the shadows of death and ill-health; walk through life-changes: moves, births, aging, loss.

A. We need your strength to not grow weary as we continue to hope for new life amidst old attitudes and injuries. We long to run and not grow faint as we challenge demeaning political tirades that seep into our own daily encounters; and as we work for your compassion and wholeness for all people, and all creatures, and the very earth.

C. Lift us up to the heights, Holy One, so we may again catch a glimpse of the vast possibilities of your Shalom even as we pray for it here on earth.

A. We Pray: Holy God of Peace, Nurture, Support. The world rages, but we are with You in Your incredible Hope. Let us soar in this great creation, lifted by You to live with grace with You and one another. Raise us up on eagles’ wings. Bear us on the breath of dawn. Make us to shine like the sun; and hold us in the palm of Your hand. Amen.

Song of Praise “On Eagle’s Wings” Worship Team (110 W&P)

You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord, Who abide in His shadow for life,
Say to the Lord, "My Refuge, My Rock in Whom I trust."

Refrain: And He will raise you up on eagle's wings, Bear you on the breath of dawn,
Make you to shine like the sun, And hold you in the palm of His Hand.

The snare of the fowler will never capture you, And famine will bring you no fear;
Under His Wings your refuge, His faithfulness your shield. Refrain.

Word

Readings

Romans 5: 1-8 Peace and Hope

5 Therefore, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ² through whom we have gained access by faith into this grace in which we now stand. And we boast in the hope of the glory of God. ³ Not only so, but we also glory in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; ⁴ perseverance, character; and character, hope. ⁵ And hope does not put us to shame, because God’s love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us. ⁶ You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. ⁷ Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous person, though for a good person someone might possibly dare to die. ⁸ But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Matthew 9:35-10:8

The Workers Are Few

³⁵ Jesus went through all the towns and villages, teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and healing every disease and sickness. ³⁶ When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. ³⁷ Then he said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. ³⁸ Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field.”

Jesus Sends Out the Twelve

1 Jesus called his twelve disciples to him and gave them authority to drive out impure spirits and to heal every disease and sickness. ² These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon (who is called Peter) and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; ³ Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; ⁴ Simon the Zealot and Judas Iscariot, who betrayed him. ⁵ These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: “Do not go among the Gentiles or enter any town of the Samaritans. ⁶ Go rather to the lost sheep of Israel. ⁷ As you go, proclaim this message: ‘The kingdom of heaven has come near.’ ⁸ Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse those who have leprosy, drive out demons. Freely you have received; freely give. **Children’s Message**

Organ Solo **9:00am** **“You Raise Me Up”**

Women’s Trio **11:00am** **“You Raise Me Up”**

Prayers of the People(Freely, Freely TOS #47)

WT. God forgave my sin in Jesus' name, I've been born again in Jesus' name;
And in Jesus' name I come to you To share His love as He told me to:

A. Our gracious, eternal God, we bow this day aware of how much we need your compassion. We come before you sometimes with little expectation because of the “dry and weary land” nature of our lives at those moments.

We come before you sometimes as did the crowds, harassed, under stress, wondering how we will meet the demands about us. We come before you sometimes with little confidence in our own adequacy to meet the expectations placed upon us. We come before you sometimes feeling like helpless children. We come before you sometimes as did that crowd feeling like sheep without a shepherd. We come before you sometime in such personal confusion that we find the call to be your laborers to the world daunting and impossible.

WT. He said, Freely, freely You have received Freely, freely give;
Go in My name and because you believe, Others will know that I live.

A. We ask for your compassion anew. Brace up our faltering wills. Help us less to rely upon ourselves and more to rely upon and to place our trust in you and your strength. Give us courage in the face of a vision which seems impossible. Give us the fortitude to rise to the serious challenge of being your servant people. Give us authority to confront the demons of our age and to present the message of the holy one Jesus to the world.

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Go in My name and because you believe, Others will know that I live.

A. Raise up Bishops, Pastors, leaders of churches. Lift up government leaders of the world. Carry all of the body of Christ. Give us healing, comfort, and peace. Especially Peggy Scholl, Bob Rank, Kathy Schoembs, Sam Schlegel, Claudia Sauer, Marilynn Granucci, Keira Hall Sheila, MacKay Davidson, Marcene Jackson, Leslie Bean, Phyllis Ballas, Kathryn Robert, Jacob Gulch, Don Gurwell, David Poulson, Joanne Hummel, Diane Swartz, Owen Anthony, Tom & Betsy Naveaux, Dave Gilbert, Mary Lund, The family of Chuck Rhegness and the family of Richard Fisher, Char Bachmayer **Members of our military to keep in your prayers:** Ryan Woods, Henry Kozak, Dustin Pawloski, Reid Leslie

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Go in My name and because you believe, Others will know that I live.

A. In the process we pray that you would help us rid from our souls all haughtiness, false pride, and all of our tendencies to draw circles which are too small and shut others out. Expand our ability to love others by your great love demonstrated in the cross of Jesus where you have met and embraced all the earth.

WT. All pow'r is giv'n in Jesus' name, In earth and heav'n in Jesus' name'
And in Jesus' name I come to you To share His pow'r as He told me to.

C. Amen.

Meal

The Great Thanksgiving

P. The Lord Be with you. **C. And also with you.**

P. Lift up your hearts. **C. We lift them to the Lord.**

P. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C. It is good to give God thanks and praise.

The Words of Institution

P. "Our Lord Jesus Christ, the same night in which He was betrayed, took bread and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to His disciples saying: 'Take, eat; this is My body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.' "In the same way also He took the cup after supper, gave thanks, and gave it to them saying: 'Drink of it all of you; this cup is the New Testament in My blood, which is shed for you and for many, for the forgiveness of sins. This do as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.'"

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 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.

Post Communion Prayer

P. May the body and blood of our Savior, strengthen and preserve you giving you peace and grace. Amen.

Sending

Blessing

P. May God, Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer raise you up on eagles' wings. May God bear you on the breath of dawn. May God make us to shine like the sun; and hold you in the palm of His hand. **C. Amen.**

Song "God Will Make A Way" (Fake Book #127) Worship Team

God will make a way where there seems to be no way.

He works in ways we cannot see He will make a way for me.

He will be my guide hold me closely to His side.

With love and strength for each new day He will make a way, He will make a way .

Dismissal

A. Go raised in God's Peace and freely serve the Lord. **C. Thanks be to God.**