

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

July 13th, 2025

10:00 a.m.

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS ~

PRAISE VIDEO ~ “Living Waters” *Keith and Kristin Getty*

CALL TO WORSHIP ~ (based on an adaption from Isaiah 55 by Rebecca Spurrier, formerly of Mennonite Central Committee Ukraine: www.mcc.org/bc/worshiprescource1.html.)

L – Come, all you who are thirsty, come to the waters. And you who have no money, come, buy and eat.

C – We have spent our money on what is not bread and our labor on what does not satisfy. But we will listen, listen to you.

L – Give ear and come to me. Hear me that your soul may live. Seek the Lord while he may be found. Call on him while he is near.

C – We will come to the Lord for mercy. We will call to our God who freely pardons.

L – Come, all you who are thirsty, come to the waters.

C – We will come to the water, we who are thirsty, to meet with the empty handed there.

CONGREGATIONAL PRAISE SONG ~

“I’ve Got Peace Like A River”

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***INVOCATION AND GLORIA PATRI ~**

SCRIPTURE #1 ~ Genesis 1:1-23

SCRIPTURE #2 ~ Revelation 22:1-5, 16-17

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MEDITATION ON SCRIPTURE ~

COMMUNION HYMN ~ “Fill My Cup Lord”

No. 481

ELDER’S PRAYER FOR THE BREAD AND CUP ~

CELEBRATION AT THE TABLE ~ “Let a person examine themselves and so let them eat of the bread and drink of the cup.”

***DOXOLOGY ~**

SHARING OF PRAISES AND CONCERNS ~

SILENT PRAYER / MEDITATION AND PASTORAL PRAYER ~

LORD’S PRAYER (using “sins”) ~

“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 sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever.” Amen.

CONGREGATIONAL SINGING ~

“Shall We Gather at the River”

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RESPONSIVE READING ~ John 4:4-15

NT # 1052 / LP # 1599

MESSAGE ~

Pastor Sharan

***SENDING HYMN ~ “All Creatures of Our God and King”**

No. 347

***BENEDICTION ~**

*Please stand if able

ANNOUNCEMENTS ...

Please welcome Pastor Sharan, from the Valley United Presbyterian Church, to the pulpit this morning, she will give the message today. Worship leader today is Sue Hurd.

Coins for Cause will be given to the Disciples Mission Fund of the Christian Church (DOC).

Items on the table by the front door are the **July 2025 Church Candle**, the “*Our Daily Bread*” (June, July and August 2025), and the latest Board Meeting Packet.

Vacation Bible School –

Begins this evening and continues thru
Thursday, July 17th at the
St. John Lutheran Church (207 South Hopkins
Street) from 6:00 p.m. — 8:00 p.m.
Hosted by: St. John Lutheran Church / in
conjunction with the Valley United
Presbyterian Church, the Sayre Christian
Church, and the Church of the Redeemer
(Episcopal).



Looking Ahead ...

Sunday, July 20th – Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sunday, July 27th – Celebration Sunday – July birthdays and
anniversaries will be recognized. Please bring a snack to
share.

Please welcome Ted Davenport back. He will be providing
the Special Music on July 27th.

SAYRE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

(Disciples of Christ)



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