** Welcome!**

**Bethlehem Lutheran Church June 11,** **2021**

Announcements

**Song- “Now is the Time to Worship”**

Confession of Sins

Prayer of the Day: In unison

**Richly inspire us, O Lord, to consider and accomplish what you see is good. For**

**you are the author and giver of all good gifts. We know that we cannot live**

**without you, but that with you, we shall prevail! Increase in us the true faith. Give**

**us a love and fear of your holy name. And by your great mercy, sustain us in**

**goodness and holiness all our days. Through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord,**

**who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.**

**Amen.**

**Song- “Good, Good Father”**

First Reading: Amos 7:7-15

**Song- “Amazing Grace” verse 1**

Psalm 85:1-13

L: LORD, you were favorable to your land;

you restored the fortunes of Jacob.

You forgave the iniquity of your people;

you covered all their sin.

**C: You withdrew all your wrath;**

**you turned from your hot anger.**

**Restore us again, O God of our salvation,**

**and put away your indignation toward us!**

L: Will you be angry with us forever?

Will you prolong your anger to all generations?

Will you not revive us again, that your people may rejoice in you?

**C: Show us your steadfast love, O LORD,**

**and grant us your salvation.**

**Let me hear what God the LORD will speak,**

**for he will speak peace to his people, to his saints;**

**but let them not turn back to folly.**

L: Surely his salvation is near to those who fear him,

that glory may dwell in our land.

Steadfast love and faithfulness meet;

righteousness and peace kiss each other.

**C: Faithfulness springs up from the ground,**

**and righteousness looks down from the sky.**

L: Yes, the LORD will give what is good,

and our land will yield its increase.

**C: Righteousness will go before him**

**and make his footsteps a way.**

**Song- “Amazing Grace” verse 2**

Second Reading - Ephesians 1:3-14

**Song- “Amazing Grace” verse 3 & 4**

Prayers of the Church

The Lord’s Prayer

**Closing Song- “Shine Jesus Shine ”**

Go In Peace and Serve the Lord:

**Amen.**

**Offering from last Sunday………………$986.00**

**Attendance…………………………………34 present, 10 online**

**🎶 Come Now Is The Time To Worship 🎶**

**Come now is the time to worship**

**Come now is the time to give your heart**

**Come just as you are to worship**

**Come just as you are before your God**

**Come**

**Chorus**

**One day every tongue**

**Will confess You are God**

**One day every knee will bow**

**Still the greatest treasure remains**

**For those who gladly choose You now**

**Ending**

**Come come just as you are come come**

**✝ Amazing Grace ✝**

**Verse 3**

**Through many dangers toils and snares**

**I have already come**

**'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far**

**And grace will lead me home**

**Verse 4**

**When we've been there ten thousand years**

**Bright shining as the sun**

**We've no less days to sing God's praise**

**Than when we've first begun**

**Verse 1**

**Amazing grace how sweet the sound**

**That saved a wretch like me**

**I once was lost but now am found**

**Was blind but now I see**

**Verse 2**

**'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear**

**And grace my fears relieved**

**How precious did that grace appear**

**The hour I first believed**

**🙏 Good Good Father 🙏**

**Verse 1**

**I've heard a thousand stories**

**Bridge**

**You are perfect in all of Your ways**

**You are perfect in all of Your ways**

**You are perfect in all of Your ways to us**

**Verse 3**

**Love so undeniable I can hardly speak**

**Peace so unexplainable I can hardly think**

**As You call me deeper still**

**As You call me deeper still**

**As You call me deeper still**

**Into love love love**

**Of what they think You’re like**

**But I've heard the tender whisper**

**Of love in the dead of night**

**You tell me that You’re pleased**

**And that I'm never alone**

**Chorus**

**You're a Good Good Father**

**It's who You are**

**It's who You are**

**It's who You are**

**And I'm loved by You**

**It's who I am**

**It's who I am**

**It's who I am**

**Verse 2**

**I've seen many searching for answers**

**Far and wide**

**But I know we're all searching for**

**answers**

**Only You provide**

**Because You know just what we need**

**Before we say a word**

**✨ Shine Jesus Shine ✨**

**Chorus**

**Shine Jesus shine**

**Fill this land**

**With the Father's glory**

**Blaze Spirit blaze**

**Set our hearts on fire**

**Flow river flow**

**Flood the nations**

**With grace and mercy**

**Send forth Your word Lord**

**And let there be light**

**Verse 1**

**Lord the light of Your love is shining**

**In the midst of the darkness shining**

**Jesus Light of the world shine upon us**

**Set us free by the truth You now bring us**

**Shine on me shine on me**

**Verse 2**

**Verse 3**

**As we gaze on Your kingly brightness**

**So our faces display Your likeness**

**Ever changing from glory to glory**

**Mirrored here may our lives tell Your story**

**Shine on me shine on me**

**Lord I come to Your awesome presence**

**From the shadows into Your radiance**

**By the blood I may enter Your brightness**

**Search me try me consume all my**

**darkness**

**Shine on me shine on me**

**THANK YOU FOR JOINING US TODAY…. MAKE IT A GREAT ONE!**

**ANNOUNCMENTS**

July 14th 125th Anniversary planning meeting@9:30am

July 17th Jordon & Amanda Penning, Baby Boy Shower@10:30a

July 25th SS Registration/Fun Day @ the park, 11:00am

Aug 3-6th Vacation Bible School at Congregational Church.

Aug. 7th Memorial service for Bonnie Johnson, 11-1pm

Conversations, Memories, Coffee and fellowship.

Aug. 29th Bethlehem Lutheran’s 125th Anniversary Celebration.

**Food Bank Needs for July:**

Juice, Cookie Mix, Can Fruit and Vegetables, Pickles, and Snack Crackers.

**Membership Forms** are available in the Narthex and on our website, **www.bethlehemlutheranbc.com** We are in the process of compiling and updating many old and new lists. You may be thinking that we already have your information, but we have a new program that is a little more detailed and user friendly. It will be so good to have a completed and updated list for our new incoming Pastor. Please drop them at the office or in the basket provided in the back of the church. Thank You.

**Attention Singers!!!**

The 125 Anniversary Committee is getting together an adult choir to sing at the Sunday morning service on August 29th. If you would like to join the choir contact Cheryl Baumann. We would love to have you!

**Bethlehem Lutheran Church has moved to Tier 0 for our pandemic plan**.

While there are no special conditions at Tier 0, as always BLC will:

Respect others by allowing them the dignity to protect themselves, as well as others to have the dignity of risk.

· We will follow the guidance, as directed, by IDPH when appropriate.

· We will clean areas with reasonable care.

· As always, if they are sick, please take care and stay home.

**Missions**

Your church council has voted to do a quarterly rotation for distribution of our missions giving as a church body. The order will be as follows:

1) LCMC Synod,

2) Local missions

3) Missions abroad.

If anyone has any suggestions for our missions ministry, please let Amy Walk or

Jen McGrady know. Thank you.

**Save the Date!!!**

Bethlehem will be celebrating 125 years. Join us on Sunday August 29th@ 9:30am

for a special service, a meal and a time of remembrance and fellowship