



The Journey

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PRE-SERVICE MUSIC The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

GATHERING SONG

Hear Our Praises

Words and Music by
 Reuben Morgan

♩ = 130

VERSE

C C^{sus} C G/B

1. May our homes _____ be filled _____ with danc - ing, _
 2. May our light _____ shine in _____ the dark - ness, _

5 Am F G^{sus} G

may our streets _____ be filled _ with joy; _____
 as we walk _____ be - fore _ the cross; _____

9 C C^{sus} C G/B

May in - jus - tice bow _____ to Je - sus, _
 May Your glo - ry fill _____ the whole _ earth, _

13 Am F G^{sus} G

as the peo - ple turn _____ and pray. _____ From the
 as the wa - ter o - ver the seas. _____

CHORUS

17 C G/B F/A Am⁷

moun - tain _____ to the val - ley, _ hear our prais - es _

22 Em^7 F G^{sus} C G/B

rise to You; From the heav - ens to the

27 F/A Am^7 Em^7 Last time to Coda Coda symbol 1. F

na - tions, hear our sing - ing fill the air.

32 G^{sus} C C^{sus} 2. F G^{sus} D.S. 3. F

air. From the air.

38 **INSTRUMENTAL** G^{sus} C C^{sus} F Dm^7 Am^7

44 Em^7 F Dm^7 G^{sus} G

Hal - le -

49 **BRIDGE** F Dm^7 Am^7 Em^7

-lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le -

53 F Dm^7 G^{sus}

-lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah!

56 1, 2, 3. 4.

G G

Hal - le - From the

D.S. al Coda

58 Coda ENDING

F G^{SUS} C G/B

air. From the moun - tain to the

62 F/A Am⁷ Em⁷

val - ley, hear our prais - es rise to

66 F C^{SUS}/F F C/F F C/E Dm C

You.

OPENING SONG

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

Words and Music by
John Newton, Chris Tomlin
and Louie Giglio

♩ = 60

VERSE 1 & 2

D G/D D

1. A - maz - ing - grace, - how - sweet - the sound, that saved .
(2.) grace that - taught - my - heart - to fear, and grace .

3 A/D

- a - wretch - like - me. I once .
- my - fears - re - lieved. How pre -

5 D D/F# G D

- was - lost, - but now - I'm found, was blind .
- cious - did - that grace - ap - pear, the hour .

7 1. A/D D 2. A/D

- but - now - I - see. 2. 'Twas - I - first - be - lieved .

CHORUS

10 D D/F# G D/F#

- My chains are - gone. - I've been set - free, my God, my

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Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone) - 2

13 G/B D/A D/F# G

Sav - ior has ran - somed — me. And like a — flood — His mer - cy —

16 D/F# Em7 A7 D

— rains, un - end - ing — love, — a - maz - ing grace. — 3. The Lord —

VERSE 3

19 D G/D D

— has — prom - ised good — to me, His word —

21 A/D

— my — hope — se - cures. — He will —

23 D D/F# G D

— my — shield — and por - tion be, as long —

CHORUS

25 A/D D D/F# G

— as — life — en - dures. — My chains are — gone. — I've been set —

28 D/F# G/B D/A D/F#

— free, my God, my Sav - ior has ran - somed — me. And like a —

31 G D/F# Em7 A7



flood His mer - cy rains, un - end - ing love, a - maz - ing grace.

34 1. D D/F# 2. D G/D



My chains are 4. The earth


VERSE 4

37 D G/D D



shall soon dis - solve like snow, the sun for - bear to shine.

40 A/D D D/F# G D



But God, who called me here be - low, will be

43 A/D D A/D



for - ev - er mine, will be for - ev - er mine.

46 D A/D D



You are for - ev - er mine.

OPENING PRAYER

FIRST READING: Hebrews 9:11-14

A reading from Hebrews.

¹¹But when Christ came as a high priest of the good things that have come, then through the greater and perfect tent (not made with hands, that is, not of this creation), ¹²he entered once for all into the Holy Place, not with the blood of goats and calves, but with his own blood, thus obtaining eternal redemption. ¹³For if the blood of goats and bulls, with the sprinkling of the ashes of a heifer, sanctifies those who have been defiled so that their flesh is purified, ¹⁴how much more will the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself without blemish to God, purify our conscience from dead works to worship the living God!

GOSPEL SONG

Vs. 1 Only

Holy Ground

Words and Music by
Geron Davis

$\text{♩} = 88$

VERSE

D A/C# Bm A



1. As I — walked — through the door, I sensed His pres - ence. —
(2. In His) — pres - ence, there is joy be - yond — meas - ure. —

4 Em/G B⁷/F# Em G/A D



— And I knew this was the place — where love a - bounds, —
— And at His feet, — peace of mind — can still be found, —

8 G/A Bm B[♭]7 Am Am/D D⁷ D⁷sus/G G



— for this is a tem - ple, Je - ho - vah God a - bides here.
— If you have a need — I know He has the an - swer.

12 C⁹ D/A D/F# Em⁷ A⁷ D



We are stand - ing in His pres - ence on ho - ly ground.
Reach out and claim it, child you're stand - ing on ho - ly ground.

CHORUS

16 G/A D A⁷/E D/F# G D/F# A⁷/E



We are — stand - ing — on ho - ly ground, —

20 D G/A D/F# B⁷ E/G#



— and — I — know that there are an - gels all a - round, —

24 Gm G/A D A⁷/E D/F# G D/F# A⁷/E

Let us praise Je - sus now.

28 D G/A D/F# G 1. D/A A⁷ D

We are stand - ing in His pres - ence on ho - ly ground.

32 G/A 2. D/A G/A G D/F# G D/A G/A G **ENDING**

2. In His pres - ence, we are stand - ing in His pres - ence, we are -

36 D/F# G D/A A⁷ D^{sus} D

stand - ing in His pres - ence on ho - ly ground.

GOSPEL READING: Mark 12:28-34

A reading from Mark.

²⁸One of the scribes came near and heard them disputing with one another, and seeing that he answered them well, he asked him, "Which commandment is the first of all?" ²⁹Jesus answered, "The first is, 'Hear, O Israel: the Lord our God, the Lord is one; ³⁰you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.' ³¹The second is this, 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these." ³²Then the scribe said to him, "You are right, Teacher; you have truly said that 'he is one, and besides him there is no other'; ³³and 'to love him with all the heart, and with all the understanding, and with all the strength,' and 'to love one's neighbor as oneself,' — this is much more important than all whole burnt offerings and sacrifices." ³⁴When Jesus saw that he answered wisely, he said to him, "You are not far from the kingdom of God." After that no one dared to ask him any question.

MESSAGE

MESSAGE SONG

Diamonds

Words and Music by
Jason Ingram, Matt Bronleewe
and Jonathan Steingard

VERSE

$\text{♩} = 105$
D5



Here and now I'm in the fi - re in a - bove my head.
I'll sur - ren) - der to the pow'r of be - ing crushed by love

D5



Be - ing held un - der the pres - sure; don't know what will be left.
'til the beau - ty that was hid - den is - n't cov - ered up.

Bm A G Bm A



But it's here in the ash - es I'm find - ing treas - ure.
Oh, it's not what I hoped for; it's some - thing much bet - ter. —

CHORUS 1

G D Em Bm G D



He's mak - ing dia - monds, dia - monds. He's mak - ing dia - monds out of dust.

A G D Em Bm G



He is re - fin - ing, and in His tim - ing He's mak - ing dia - monds out of us.

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(1) | 2 **BRIDGE 1**

N.C. G D G/D D

I'll sur - ren dia - monds out of us. Oh, the joy of the Lord, it will

1, 2

Dsus D G/D D Dsus D

be my strength. When the pres - sure is on, He's mak - ing dia - monds. Oh, the

CHORUS 2

3 N.C. G D

He's mak - ing, He's mak - ing dia - monds, dia - monds. Mak - ing us rise up from the dust.

32 A G D Em Bm G

He is re - fin - ing, and in His tim - ing He's mak - ing dia - monds out of dust,

BRIDGE 2

36 Bm G G D Bm A

mak - ing dia - monds out of us. I won't be a - fraid to shine.

40 G D Bm A G D Bm A

I won't be a - fraid to shine. I won't be a - fraid to shine, 'cuz He's mak - ing

ENDING

G Bm G D

dia - monds out of dust, mak - ing dia - monds out of us. —

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Rooted in God's abundant love for the world, let us pray for our neighbors, the church, and all of creation.

A brief silence.

O Lord our God, you sustain your church in every time and place. Inspire preachers and teachers of your word, so that we may always proclaim your love to our children and our children's children.

You lead us into lands flowing with your good gifts. Deepen our connection to the lands we inhabit and share with our fellow creatures, that all may delight and be nourished by the fruits of the earth.

You establish statutes and ordinances for the well-being of your people. Guide public officials and the leaders whom we will elect this week in the way of love, for there is no commandment or law greater than this. Grant discernment to all voters and safety to election officials.

You show us your love in Jesus our healer. Draw near to those who are ill, hospitalized, or undergoing rehabilitation or treatment *especially* those who have asked for our prayers, those most dear to us whom we name aloud or in the silence of our hearts (pause)...Reveal your love and healing presence through nurses, doctors, aides, and chaplains.

You hold us close all the days of our life. Instill in children and adults alike a desire for learning. Guide the faith formation ministries of this congregation, that we are emboldened to share our faith, whether at home or away.

Here other intercessions may be offered.

You are the God of our ancestors. With thanksgiving we remember all your saints. Inspire us by their lives of love for you and for their neighbors.

We offer our prayers to you, gracious God, trusting in your boundless love for all that you have made, through Jesus Christ our Savior.

Amen.

OFFERING

Let us give thanks to God for our many blessings as we offer our monetary gifts for the mission and ministry of this community of faith. For those who are online, you can offer your financial support for our mission and ministries by going to our website livinglordfl.org and clicking on the give button at the top of the home page.

OFFERING MUSIC

When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder

James Black/Stevens

APOSTLES CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.*
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come 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.**

THE MEAL

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 for the remembrance of me. 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.

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Fa - ther who art in hea - ven hal low ed be thy
name Thy king dom come thy will be done on earth as it
is in hea ven Give us this day our dai - ly bread and for
give us our tres pass es as we for give those who tres - pass a gainst
us And lead us not in to temp ta - tion but de li ver us from
e - vil for the king dom and the pow er and the glo ry are Yours Now and for
ev er A men

MEAL INSTRUCTIONS

Holy Communion here is just this simple: All are welcome because this is the Lord's table. It is Jesus who invites us to share in this meal. So, it doesn't matter who you are or how you are but that you simply come because God's gifts are... **C Free**

In Christ There Is No East or West



- 1 In Christ there is no east or west, in him no south or north,
- 2 In Christ shall true hearts ev-'ry-where their high com-mu-nion find;
- 3 Join hands, dis-ci-ples of the faith, what-e'er your race may be.
- 4 In Christ now meet both east and west, in him meet south and north;



but one com-mu-ni-ty of love through-out the whole wide earth.
 his ser-vice is the gold-en cord close bind-ing hu-man-kind.
 All chil-dren of the liv-ing God are sure-ly kin to me.
 all Christ-ly souls are one in him through-out the whole wide earth.

Text: John Oxenham, 1852-1941, alt.

Music: MCKEE, African American spiritual; adapt. Harry T. Burleigh, 1866-1949

MEAL SONG 2

Lead Sheet
(Key of Bb)

God Only Knows

(based on the recording from the For King & Country album "Burn The Ships")
www.praisecharts.com/71625

Joel Smallbone, Jordan Reynolds, Josh Kerr,
Luke Smallbone, & Tedd Tjornhom

♩ = 72

Mmm, mmm, mmm. Mmm, mmm, mmm.

E♭ Gm F

m² + Synth pads
Claps on 2 & 4

Mmm, mmm, mmm. Mmm, mmm, mmm.

E♭ Gm F E♭ Gm F

1 Verse

Pads only
Snaps on 2/4

1. Wide a-wake while the world is sound a-sleep and, too a-fraid of what might show up while you're dream-in'.

E♭ Gm F

No-bod - y no-bod - y no-bod - y sees you. No-bod - y no-bod - y will be-lieve you.

E♭ Gm F

m² + Band
Light groove

Ev-'ry day you try to pick up all the piec - es. All the mem - o - ries they some-how nev - er leave ya.

E♭ Gm F

No-bod - y no-bod - y no-bod - y sees you. No-bod - y no-bod - y will be-lieve you.

E♭ Gm F N.C.

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2 Chorus *Band out*
Piano diamonds only



17 *E \flat* *G \flat m* *F(4)* *B \flat* *E \flat*
God on - ly knows what you been through. God on - ly knows what they say a - bout




19 *G \flat m* *F(4)* *N.C.*
you. God on - ly knows how it's kill - ing you, there's a kind of a love that God on - ly knows.

+ Band
Medium groove

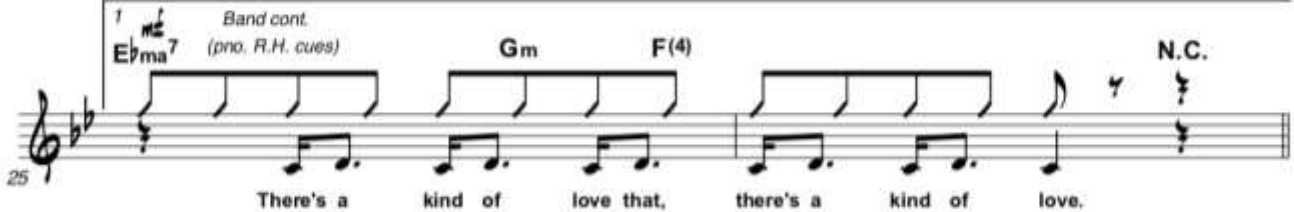


21 *E \flat ma⁷* *G \flat m* *F(4)* *B \flat*
God on - ly knows what you been through. God on - ly knows what they say a - bout



23 *E \flat ma⁷* *G \flat m* *F(4)* *B \flat*
you. God on - ly knows the real you, there's a kind of love that God on - ly knows.

1 *Band cont.*
(pno, R.H. cues)



25 *E \flat ma⁷* *G \flat m* *F(4)* *N.C.*
There's a kind of love that, there's a kind of love.

3 Verse *Light groove*



27 *E \flat* *G \flat m* *F*
2. You keep a cov - er o - ver ev - 'ry sin - gle se - cret. So a - fraid if some - one saw them they would leave.



29 *E \flat* *G \flat m* *F* *N.C. Drum fill - - - - -*
But some - bod - y some - bod - y some - bod - y sees you. Some - bod - y some - bod - y will nev - er leave you.

2 *Band cont.*
E \flat ma⁷ (*pno. R.H. cues*) **Gm** **F(4)** (*pno. lead cont.*) **B \flat** **E \flat ma⁷** **Gm** **F(4)**

31 There's a kind of love that, there's a kind of love. There's a kind of love that,

(*pno.*) **B \flat** (*break*) **4 Bridge** *Breakdown - Synth organ*
E \flat *4 on the floor*

34 there's a kind of love. For the lone - ly, for the a - shamed the mis - un - der - stood

F **Gm**

36 and the ones to blame. What if we can start o - ver, we could start o - ver, we could start o -

F **A** **B \flat** **E \flat** *Band in, building . . .*

38 ver. For the lone - ly, for the a - shamed the mis - un - der - stood

F **Gm**

40 and the ones to blame. What if we can start o - ver, we could start o - ver, we could start o -

E **A** **N.C.** *Big swell on B!* **5 Chorus** *All in on 2!* *Full groove*
E \flat ma⁷ **Gm** **F(4)**

42 ver. 'Cause there's a kind-a love that God on - ly knows. God on - ly knows what you been through.

B \flat **E \flat ma⁷** **Gm** **F(4)**

44 God on - ly knows what they say a - bout you. God on - ly knows the real you,

46 $B\flat$ $E\flat ma^7$ Gm $F(4)$
 There's a kind of love that God on - ly knows, God on - ly knows what you been through.

48 $B\flat$ $E\flat ma^7$ Gm $F(4)$
 God on - ly knows what they say a - bout you. God on - ly knows the real you,

50 $B\flat$ $E\flat ma^7$ Gm $F(4)$
Band cont. (pno. 8ths)
 there's a kind of love that God on - ly knows. There's a kind of love that,

52 $B\flat$ $E\flat ma^7$ Gm $F(4)$ $B\flat$
 there's a kind of love. There's a kind of love that, there's a kind of love.

55 **6 Tag** $E\flat ma^7$ Gm $F(4)$ $B\flat$ $E\flat ma^7$
Band ring out
Piano only (diamonds)
 God on - ly knows where to find you. God on - ly knows how to break through.

57 Gm $F(4)$ *Rit.* $B\flat$ D $E\flat$
 God on - ly knows the real you. There's a kind of love that God on - ly knows.

BLESSING AFTER COMMUNION

May this body and blood of our Lord and Savior, Jesus the Christ, strengthen you and keep you in God's grace now and forevermore.

C Amen

SENDING SONG

Jesus Is Coming Back

(based on the recording by Jordan Feliz)

Words and Music by
Jordan Feliz, Paul Duncan
and Colby Wedgeworth

♩=72

INTRO



(We know that He's com - ing back.) _ (We know that He's com - ing back.) _



(We know that He's com - ing back.) _ (We know that He's com - ing back.) _

VERSE 1

6



1. Have you ev - er thought that the world has kind - a lost its way? _
(2.) got - ta stay a - wake, 'cause no - bod - y knows the day or time. _ The

8



Cra - zy as it seems, yeah, I know it's gon - na be o - kay. _
trum - pet's gon - na blow, and the skies are gon - na o - pen wide. _

10



It does - n't scare me; it's tem - po - rar - y. There's some - thing bet - ter: we got for - ev - er.
He's com - ing for us just like He told us. It's been a long wait, but there's a new _ day.

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12 G

And it won't be long, 'cause we know our help is on the way, —
And we're gon - na sing hal - le - lu - jah when the King ar - rives. —

CHORUS 1

13 F G

the way. — So keep your head up. Je - sus is com -
Oh, — you know you got - ta keep your

15 F C G

-ing back, Je - sus is com - ing back. No, don't you give up. Je - sus is com -

17 F C G

-ing back, Je - sus is com - ing back. And when the world gets com - pli - cat - ed, we're gon - na

19 Dm C G

keep on cel - e - brat - ing, 'cause we know — Je - sus is com -

INSTRUMENTAL

21 1. F C 2. F C G

-ing back, Je - sus is com - ing back. 2. We - ing back, Je - sus is com - ing back.

BRIDGE

24 Dm⁷ Am⁷ G Dm⁷ Am⁷

Are you read - y? Are you read - y? Peo - ple get read - y, peo - ple get read - y.

27 G Dm⁷/F Am⁷

Are you read - y? Are you read - y? Peo - ple get read - y, peo - ple get read - y.

29 G Dm⁷/F Am⁷

Are you read - y? Are you read - y? Peo - ple get read - y, yeah, let's get read -

31 N.C. CHORUS 2 G

- y. Oh, He's com - ing back. — Je - sus is com -

33 F C G

-ing back, Je - sus is com - ing back. No, don't you give up. — Je - sus is com -

35 F C G

-ing back, Je - sus is com - ing back. And when the world gets com - pli - cat - ed, we're gon - na

37 Dm C G

keep on cel - e - brat - ing, 'cause we know — Je - sus is com -

39 F C G ENDING

-ing back, Je - sus is com - ing back. Are you read - y now? Are you read - y now? Yeah.

41 Dm C G

(Peo-ple get read - y.) We just wan-na cel-e-brate ___ it. ___ Je - sus is com -

43 F C

-ing back, Je - sus is com - ing back, So keep your

44 G (slow) Dm Am⁷

head up. Je - sus is com - ing back, Je - sus is com - ing back.

DISMISSAL

DISMISSAL SONG

JOY IN THE JOURNEY

SWING
♩ = 168

INTRO

5 THERE IS A JOY IN THE JOUR - NEY THERE'S A

9 LIGHT WE CAN LOVE ON THE WAY

13 THERE IS A WON - DER AND WILD - NESS TO LIFE AND

17 FREE - DOM FOR THOSE WHO O - BEY AND

21 ALL THOSE WHO SEEK IT SHALL FIND IT A

25 PAR - DON FOR ALL WHO BE - LIEVE

29 HOPE FOR THE HOPE - LESS AND SIGHT FOR THE BLIND

33 AND FREE - DOM FOR THOSE WHO O - BEY

Chords: C, A-7, F, G⁷, G^{sus7}, D-7, E-7, G/F, F, D-7, C/G, G⁷, C

Tempo: RIT....



The Altar Flowers are given by Mike and Madelyn Tetmeyer in celebration of their son's birthday.

The Eternal Candle for the month of October is given by Denny and Lisa Pyeatt.

The Altar Guild Karen Hansing and Kathy Murgatroyd

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION *All who have faith in the words, "given for you" and "shed for you for the forgiveness of sin" is really worthy and well prepared to receive this sacrament. Communion is by individual cup (wine or white grape juice and gluten free wafers are available). Let an usher know if you need communion brought to you.*

The **Sunday bulletin** focuses on the what, when, and where of announcements and ministry opportunities for the upcoming week. Detailed information is available on our **Facebook** page, in the **Link**, which is published weekly, and in the **Voice**, our monthly newsletter, and on our **website** – www.livinglordfl.org. Extra copies of the **VOICE** are available in the Narthex in the mail bins on the south wall.

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Attendance Pads Please fill out the attendance register and pass it down the aisle and let us know you were here. Add your name and if you are communing place a "C" in the member or visitor column. Otherwise, simply place a checkmark (✓) in that column. This is a change to satisfy our constitutional requirement to maintain a record of those who have communed. Thank you for helping us with this detail.

Covid-19 Guidelines Update:

The Worship Team's current guidelines include:

- The wearing of masks is optional. Each individual should choose what is right for them.
- The use of the common cup during communion distribution is suspended until further notice.

Fully participate in the mission and ministries here at Living Lord by helping: **Live Stream, Sound system, Celebration of Life, Life Group Coordinator.** Contact the office if interested.

SCRIP after each service. An ongoing fundraiser designated towards Building Improvement. Purchase gift cards at the table. Orders are placed every week for pick-up the following week.

SUNDAY SCHOOL K thru 3rd grade, 4th grade thru 7th grade and Faith Formation for teens - every Sunday from 10:05 to 10:55. Confirmation class is still being determined.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:05-10:50am in the Activities Hall. Bible study of the Old testament and Epistle lessons read in Sunday worship is an opportunity to dig deeper into the message with other adults. Bring your cookie, coffee, questions and insights as we explore with friends the readings' connections to our lives today.

GENERAL OFFERING #4010		
YEAR-TO-DATE	2024 BUDGET	2023 ACTUAL
September 30, 2024 \$243,062.23	September 30, 2024 \$278,009.28	September 30, 2023 \$275,822.29

Hurricane Helene & Milton Lutheran Disaster Response working alongside synods and other partners, is prepared to provide support throughout the impacted region. Gifts to “Hurricane Response” will be used (100%) to assist those affected by hurricanes, until the response is complete. Give through your congregation **or** make your check out to Lutheran Disaster Response and send to: Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, ELCA Gift Processing Center, P.O. Box 1809, Merrifield, VA 22116-8009 and write “Where needed most” or “Hurricane Response” on your the memo line.

FAMILY FUN NIGHT Will be a Scarecrow Smorgasbord on November 8 at 6:00 pm. Bring whatever you want and enjoy fun and fellowship. Sign -up in the narthex.”

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS Due to recent damages from the hurricane, Poinsettia Flowers will be limited to 6” (\$8.00) and 8” (\$12.00) Red ONLY. Order forms will be available November 10 as we MUST have our order returned by December 1st. - *Thank you and Happy Holidays, Altar Guild*

PUB THEOLOGY All are welcome to join us on Wednesday, Nov. 13th. Share views about how God interacts in our everyday lives? At the Beef O' Brady's, Lakewood Ranch Blvd, 6:30pm. The format is simple: beer, conversation, and God. For more information contact Doug Holst at (813) 447-9917.

STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN

As we begin our Stewardship campaign, we thank everyone for your continued support. We hope you will open your heart and reflect on your commitment to our church and our ministries in your giving plan as we prepare for next year. On Sunday, **November 10th at 10am** we are hosting a **Meet and Greet** to give you more information on our ministries and volunteer opportunities. We hope everyone will join us in sharing your Time, Talents and Treasures with Living Lord. Giving Tip:

Credit card— Make your contributions through your credit card. If you have a rewards credit card you can receive rewards and also support Living Lord (livinglordfl.org—Giving tab)

LUNCH BUNCH INVITATION The second Thursday of every month the LLL lunch bunch meets for lunch. November 14th at **11:15**. We will meet at Skillet's located at 9722 SR 64. NOTE: For this one time only, we are meeting at **11:15** because the restaurant needs us out by 12:45 that day. This luncheon is open to all who wish to attend. There is a signup sheet posted in the narthex. If you have any questions, please contact Deb Miller at 616-540-1745.

Week of November 4-10

Monday

Faith Talks 10am
Tai Chi 10am
AA Meeting 11:30am
Worship and Music 2:30pm
Boy Scouts 6pm
GA Meeting 7pm

Tuesday

AA & Al-Anon Meeting 11:30 am
Cub Scouts 6pm
AA Meeting 7pm

Wednesday

AA Meeting 9:30am, 11:30am
Pastor's Bible Study 1pm
Girl Scouts 6pm

Thursday

AA Meeting 11:30am
Building Improvement Mtg 3pm
By Grace 6:30pm

Friday

GA Meeting 9:30am
Crafting 10:30am
AA Meeting 11:30am
Family Fun Night 6:30pm
AA Meeting 6pm, 8pm

Saturday

AA Meeting 4pm
Al-Anon Meeting 4pm

Sunday

7:45am *Traditional Service*
9am *The Journey*
11am *Traditional Service*
AA Meeting 6:30pm

PROPERTY TEAM REMINDER Monday mornings are property volunteer Work Days. Bill Hoth, team leader, is at church every Monday morning at 9:00am to work around the building or the yard doing anything and everything that needs to be done to make sure our property looks good and is well taken care of. Please consider volunteering for this important ministry.

A New Season Calls YOU for Faith Talks!
Let's get together on
Mondays at 10:00-11:30 AM in Activities Hall

Beginning in October, we will resume thought-provoking discussions from current news and talk about some related Bible readings. All members and friends are welcome to attend any or all sessions. Each week's topic will be different.

What is included in this 90-minute adult forum experience?

- 1. In the News.** Printed lessons will present a quick summary of a news topic and cite the sources for more detail. (*Selected by The Wired Word editorial team.*)
- 2. The Big Questions.** We will be challenged with 3-6 critical questions raised by the topic being discussed. We often expand based on our own ideas and experiences.
- 3. Scripture Confronts the News.** From Old and New Testament, we will read 5-6 verses to enlighten today's issue. What does God want us to know? How is the Holy Spirit guiding our responses? Can we connect living today to the message?
- 4. Participation.** Members explore the ideas presented, contribute their own experiences, raise questions, and consider how to apply faith today. We expect diverse opinions, expressed in love and friendship. We encourage self-expression.
- 5. Closing prayer.** We address God and focus on ways He has guided us today.

The Wired Word offers us two the topics, based on recent news events. One of these weekly topics will be covered in our 90 minutes together. All printed lesson materials are provided every week at the Monday class to all attending. Unlike previous church courses, there is NO video component for this class. We will read aloud and use our Bibles. We will learn through active thinkers, personal experiences, and conversational insights. (<https://www.thewiredword.com>)

Abundant life means adapting to changes in society. Be informed with us!

Just 90 minutes on Mondays offers a chance to practice and grow by expressing ourselves in matters of Christian daily life.
We are free to speak our concerns and seek answers,
because we trust our relationships among friends!
Sometimes we even change our minds about the subject!

For more information and to join us, contact Ruth McConnell, Facilitator, 941-751-8053.



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