

Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church

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3rd Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, June 21, 2026 • 10:30 AM

Welcome to Worship & Announcements

*Greeting

P: The grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

Opening Verse

*Opening Song “Firm Foundation (He Won’t)” CCLI #7188203

*Confession & Forgiveness

“Restore To Me” CCLI #4923742

The Word

READING – COLOSSIANS 2:6-23

Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.

See to it that no one takes you captive by philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the world, and not according to Christ. For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, and you have been filled in him, who is the head of all rule and authority. In him also you were circumcised with a circumcision made without hands, by putting off the body of the flesh, by the circumcision of Christ, having been buried with him in baptism, in which you were also raised with him through faith in the powerful working of God, who raised him from the dead. And you, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made alive together with him, having forgiven us all our trespasses, by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands. This he set aside, nailing it to the cross. He disarmed the rulers and authorities and put them to open shame, by triumphing over them in him.

Therefore let no one pass judgment on you in questions of food and drink, or with regard to a festival or a new moon or a Sabbath. These are a shadow of the things to come, but the substance belongs to Christ. Let no one disqualify you, insisting on asceticism and worship of angels, going on in detail about visions, puffed up without reason by his sensuous mind, and not holding fast to the Head, from whom the whole body, nourished and knit together through its joints and ligaments, grows with a growth that is from God.

If with Christ you died to the elemental spirits of the world, why, as if you were still alive in the world, do you submit to regulations—“Do not handle, Do not taste, Do not touch” (referring to things that all perish as they are used)—according to human precepts and teachings? These have indeed an appearance of wisdom in promoting self-made religion and asceticism and severity to the body, but they are of no value in stopping the indulgence of the flesh.

Sermon by Pastor Mike

*Sermon Song – “Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)” CCLI #4768151

Baptism

Gemma Lange Carrathers, daughter of Reade & Jennifer Carrathers, sponsors are Jacee Carrathers & Dominic Ferrera.

***Prayer for the Needs of All**

Offering & Reflection Music

***Words of Institution**

***Lord's Prayer**

C: 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, the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Sharing the Meal

Our Lord Jesus is the host of this communion meal. We welcome all baptized Christians to join us.

- All those who believe Jesus is Lord are welcome.
- Children who haven't received communion instruction are more than welcome to come forward for a blessing.
- If you need non-alcoholic or Gluten Free, just ask your server.
- And the ushers will direct you forward.

Communion Song – “After All (Holy)” CCLI #6191221

***Communion Blessing**

Benediction and Dismissal

***Sending Song “This Is Amazing Grace” CCLI #6333821**

***Sending**

A: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

Offerings can be placed in the baskets on your way out.

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Our Mission:

"We are called to Love God, Grow in the Holy Spirit, and Serve Others."

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