

Blessing

Be not dismayed, whatever befalls you. You are more valuable than sparrows, and not one of them falls to the ground without the LORD knowing. Do not fear, nor be afraid. Only acknowledge the Christ in word and deed, and you will find yourself in the presence of God.

Amen.

Today's Worship Ministers:

A/V Technician:

Pianist:

Pastor/Worship Leader:

Counters:

All of us

Gary Schulz

Sue Rens Guell

Steve Miller

Marilyn Vander Sanden and Wayne Strehlow

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thanks to Janette and Phil Ruck for sponsoring the bulletin this month: "in celebration of their wedding anniversary"

Monday, June 22: Worship building Q & A – 6:00

Thursday, June 25: Church Conference – 6:00

PRAYER CONCERNS

- Shana Gustafson
- Family and friends of Rowan Lockwood
 - Angie Federer
 - David Schrader, son of Susan
 - Mason, grandson of Susan Schrader
- Ryan Giese, grandnephew of Jeanne Ludjack
 - Those impacted by the coronavirus

Remember our homebound

At Home: Doris Laurain, Rose Muraski, Viola McRobert
Christian Home: Alice Chase, Louise Miescke, Elvera Marsh,
Mary Ziebel

Prairie Place, Ripon: Elaine Stanton, Larry Stanton

Prairie Ridge: June Witowich, Phyllis McDowell

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"What troubles you, Hagar?

Do not be afraid; for

GOD HAS HEARD

the voice of the boy

where he is."

Genesis 21:17, NRSV



Come, let us worship God!

Prelude

Words of Welcome

Musical Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Opening Song

"I Will Call Upon the LORD"

Message to/from the Children

"Never runs out"

Hymn

"Children of the Heavenly Father"

Bible Reading

Genesis 21:8-21

⁸ When Isaac grew up and was about to be weaned, Abraham prepared a huge feast to celebrate the occasion.

⁹ But Sarah saw Ishmael—the son of Abraham and her Egyptian servant Hagar—making fun of her son, Isaac. ¹⁰ So she turned to Abraham and demanded, "Get rid of that slave woman and her son. He is not going to share the inheritance with my son, Isaac. I won't have it!"

¹¹ This upset Abraham very much because Ishmael was his son. ¹² But God told Abraham, "Do not be upset over the boy and your servant. Do whatever Sarah tells you, for Isaac is the son through whom your descendants will be counted. ¹³ But I will also make a nation of the descendants of Hagar's son because he is your son, too."

¹⁴ So Abraham got up early the next morning, prepared food and a container of water, and strapped them on Hagar's shoulders. Then he sent her away with their son, and she wandered aimlessly in the wilderness of Beersheba.

¹⁵ When the water was gone, she put the boy in the shade of a bush. ¹⁶ Then she went and sat down by herself about a hundred yards away. "I don't want to watch the boy die," she said, as she burst into tears.

¹⁷ But God heard the boy crying, and the angel of God called to Hagar from heaven, "Hagar, what's wrong? Do not be afraid! God has heard the boy crying as he lies there. ¹⁸ Go to him and comfort him, for I will make a great nation from his descendants."

¹⁹ Then God opened Hagar's eyes, and she saw a well full of water. She quickly filled her water container and gave the boy a drink.

²⁰ And God was with the boy as he grew up in the wilderness. He became a skillful archer, ²¹ and he settled in the wilderness of Paran. His mother arranged for him to marry a woman from the land of Egypt.

New Living Translation (NLT)

Pastor's Message

"Ishmael – God hears"

Tithes and Offerings

Song of Thanksgiving

on insert

"Give Thanks"

Prayer of Dedication

The Prayers of the People

A Prayer for the Fathers in Our Lives

on insert

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Closing Hymn

"His Eye Is On the Sparrow"