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Focus for Next Week

June 1st, 2025

"Watching and Waiting"

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Luke 24:44-55 Acts 1:1-11

Let us know you are worshiping with us, whether you are in the Sanctuary or on Facebook. Please fill out a connect card in your bulletin or use the comment section on Facebook to make your prayer request known to the pastor. He will include your thanks to God and your prayer concerns in our pastoral prayer.

9:00 AM Non-Traditional Service 10:30 AM Traditional Service

All services are both in person and live-streamed on our Facebook page.

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May 25th, 2025 *Help Us!*

"Sixth Sunday of Easter"

10:30 AM Service

Serving Christ, Changing Lives!

*Congregation standing, as able

Help Us!

Prelude

*Choral Call to Worship "Let All the World in Every Corner Sing" see insert

*Call to Worship Wilson p. 106 (Lectionary Worship Aids)

Leader: Come, let every tongue proclaim

the glory of Christ, our Lord and Savior!

People: People in every corner of the world must hear the Good News of Christ.

Leader: For unless they hear,

how will they know the joy of the Lord?

People: We are each called by the Lord

to share the gospel we have been given.

Leader: Then let us share the Good News this day

in our songs and praise!

All: Blessed be the name of the Lord!

*Opening Hymn #569 "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations"

Opening Prayer Laughlin p. 125 (Lectionary Worship Aids)

God of Israel,

old and new, you have sent your salvation, first to the Jews, then to the early disciples, and now to us. Give us the faith and courage, not only to follow, but to spread the Gospel, so one day the whole earth shall be renewed by the power of your redeeming Word of love. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Silent Prayers of Confession Words of Assurance and Pardon

The Lord's Prayer "using the word sins instead of trespasses"

Prayer for Illumination

First Reading Acts 16:9-15

Gospel Reading John 14:23-29

Sermon "Help Us!"

*Hymn of Response #649 "How Shall They Hear the Word of God"

Report from Annual Conference

Offering

*Offertory Response #95 "Praise God For Whom...."

*Prayer of Dedication

Pastoral Prayer

*Closing Hymn #438 "Forth in Thy Name, O Lord"

*Benediction

*Choral Response #664 v. 2 "With Praise and Thanksgiving..."

Postlude