



We are a community of faith seeking to provide nourishment for the hungers of life. We welcome all people, inclusive of race, ethnic background, gender identity, sexual orientation, capability, and circumstances of life. Welcome to White Bear Lake United Methodist Church!

10 am Summer Worship | July 24, 2022

**PRELUDE** *Jesus, Friend of Sinners, Casting Crowns*

**WELCOME**

**CALL TO WORSHIP** *Mercy, Casting Crowns*

**OPENING WORDS**

We worship the God who inhabits our world  
and indwells our lives.

**We need not look up to find God,  
we need only to look around:**

**within ourselves,  
beyond ourselves,  
into the eyes of another.**

We need not listen for a distant thunder to find God,  
we need only listen to the music of life,

**the words of children,  
the questions of the curious,  
the rhythm of a heartbeat.**

**We worship the God who inhabits our world  
and who indwells our lives.**

**OPENING HYMN** *Change My Heart, O God, No. 2152*

**UNISON PRAYER**

**Holy God, eternal and faithful: enlarge our minds with the knowledge of your truth, and inspire our lives with the witness of your mercy. Draw us more deeply into the mystery of your love, that we may truly worship you and faithfully follow in the way of Jesus Christ all our days. Amen.**

**ANTHEM** *He Will Not Let Go, Laura Story*

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

*After the message, children and youth through 8<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to leave for Sunday school.*

**MORNING PRAYER**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**SCRIPTURE** John 8:2-11 | Reader: Sherry Jordon

**MESSAGE** Stone-throwing and Stone-catching | Pastor Bill Eaves

**HYMN** *Grace Alone, No. 2162*

**OFFERING** *Roll Away the Stone, Tom Conry*

Text to Give: WBLUMC to 73256

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CLOSING HYMN** *What a Friend We Have in Jesus, No. 526*

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE** *Like A Rolling Stone, Bob Dylan*



**July 24, 2022**

**10am Worship**

Masks are optional for those who are vaccinated.  
*10am online worship will continue.*

### **HAPPENING AT WBLUMC**

**Celebrate Pastor Bill Eaves' 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination as a United Methodist pastor!** Join us in Fellowship Hall right after service for coffee and cake.

**Summer Pizza Picnic: Thursday, July 28, 5–7pm.** Come join us for food, fun and games in Fellowship Hall and the north patio. Enjoy fresh brick oven baked pizzas made by our Bread Team while listening to the sounds of summer played by John Koziol.

**Sign up in the narthex to help prepare 2-6:30pm on Wed., July 27 or to help bake and serve 5-7pm on Thurs., July 28.**

**Blue Hat Anti-Bullying Project** hats need to be turned in to **Barb Hinz by tomorrow, July 25th.** You can give them to Barb in church today or make other arrangements with her (e-mail - [barbhinz@juno.com](mailto:barbhinz@juno.com) or 651-777-0465). Thanks for your help with this worthwhile project!

**BeFrienders** is sponsoring a church service at the **Waverly Gardens chapel on July 26th at 3:30.** Our church members there **love to visit with any church members able to attend** this short service which is followed by juice and treats. If you are interested in attending or know someone who would like to attend, contact Barb Hinz ([barbhinz@juno.com](mailto:barbhinz@juno.com) or 651-777-0465) for more information.

**BeFrienders training this fall:** Looking for a rewarding ministry that provides support to people experiencing changes in their lives? BeFriender Ministry provides a listening presence for those going through transitional experiences in their lives. Trained BeFrienders are paired with those seeking support for regular visits. There will be **training this fall in listening skills and the foundations of BeFriender Ministry** for people interested in becoming a BeFriender. For more information contact Barb Hinz (651-777-0465 or [barbhinz@juno.com](mailto:barbhinz@juno.com)).

**Next Sandwich Project opportunities: Sunday, July 31,** for **Waite House** in Minneapolis and **Sunday, Aug. 28,** for **Simpson Food Shelf.** Both events will be in **Room 200** following regular 10am worship. A **"2nd Mile Offering"** will be taken at worship on **July 31,** to help purchase the sandwich ingredients. For more information, contact Lori McBride at [lori.mcbride@wblumc.org](mailto:lori.mcbride@wblumc.org)

**Save the Date: Tuesday, Aug. 9** for an evening discussion led by Pastor Christine Ford and Music Director John Koziol on the **Theology of 60's Music.**

**Henri Nouwen podcast discussions: Tuesday, Aug 16, 6:30 pm in Room 200 and Zoom.** Pastor Christine Ford will host discussion of a second podcast episode from Henri Nouwen's, "Now & Then" series. The Aug. 16 discussion will explore the episode "Decolonizing Christian Spirituality." See the eblast for links. For more information, email Pastor Christine at [Christine.ford@wblumc.org](mailto:Christine.ford@wblumc.org).

**Summer Music Series,** last three Sundays in August at **4pm:** (The concert series is in addition to 10am worship.)

**Aug. 14:** The Music of Simon and Garfunkel with the Super Duos (Pat Balder and Glen Everhart)

**Aug. 21:** The Magic of Disney Music with Trish Sisson, Jay Soulen, Peter Soulen, John Koziol, and special guest Laila Mantini.

**Aug. 28:** Country Music through the Decades with Hitchville

### **TODAY'S MUSICIANS & PRODUCTION TEAM**

Mark Fleischhaker and Laurel Kaeferlein, vocals;  
John Koziol, piano; Bernie Kaeferlein, sound technician;  
Gerry Keith, PowerPoint