

July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
Eighth Sunday after Pentecost  
*GATHERING FOR WORSHIP*

**PRELUDE:**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**QUIET HYMN: Holy Ground** #2272

**SILENT PRAYER**

**\*HYMN: Amazing Grace** #378 (vs 1-4)

*CENTERING FOR WORSHIP*

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Come, sing and dance before God.

**P: Praise God with the sound of music and dancing!**

L: Let every soul sing God's praises!

**P: Let the mountains tremble and the seas roar!**

L: Praise the God of glory who guides our lives.

**P: Praise the Lord of hosts who watches over us.**

**\* PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

God of justice and mercy, we come to you this day seeking your healing and reconciling love. Help us be open to your word, presence, and compassion. Clear our hearts of those things that block your will. Keep us focused on your enabling power so that we, having been healed, may more fully serve you. In Jesus' Name, we pray. Amen.

*PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD*

**SCRIPTURE LESSON**

2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12-16

Ephesians 1:3-14

**\*HYMN: Blessed Assurance** #369

**THE WORD OF GOD EXPLORED**

Pastor Joel Holcomb

*GRATEFUL RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD*

**OFFERTORY**

**\*DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING**

**\*DOXOLOGY** #95

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND PASTOR**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

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, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

**\*HYMN: Grace Alone** #2162

**\*BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE:**

*\*Indicates standing if that is comfortable for you.*

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