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LeRoy Presbyterian Church 8th Sunday after Pentecost July 23, 2023 ~ 9:00 am

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

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One: In the anguish and grief of everyday living, God is with us!

All: Hear our cries, O Lord, and quiet our spirits!

One: Come, let us open our hearts and spirits to the Lord.

All: We come, with confidence and hope in the presence of God.

*Hymn 169 vs 1 & 3

Faith of Our Fathers

Celebrations and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Scripture

Romans 8:12-25 & Genesis 28:10-19a

Children's Time

Sermon "Jacob Super Power"

Rev. Donna Murphy-Ceradsky

*Hymn 321 vs 1 & 3

Nearer My God to Thee

Offering Invitation and Offering

*Doxology (inside front cover of Hymnal)

*Prayer of Dedication

God of grace and mercy: we offer our gifts to you, knowing your love and presence sustain us through all our days. Some days fear and anxiety get the better of us, and we need the reminder Paul gave to the Romans, “If God is for us, who is against us?” Help us to share what we have and show love and compassion, as Christ taught us. In his name we pray. Amen.

*Affirmation of Faith:

We confess that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God, and proclaim him Lord and Savior of the world. In Christ’s name and by his grace we accept our mission of witness and service to all people.

We rejoice in God, maker of heaven and earth, and in the covenant of love which binds us to God and one another. Through baptism into Christ we enter into newness of life and are made one with the whole people of God.

In the communion of the Holy Spirit, we are joined together in discipleship and in obedience to Christ. At the table of the Lord we celebrate with thanksgiving the saving acts and presence of Christ.

Within the universal church, we receive the gift of ministry and the light of scripture. In the bonds of Christian faith we yield ourselves to God that we may serve the One whose kingdom has no end. Blessing, glory, and honor be to God forever. Amen.

*Hymn 2214 vs 1 & 2

Lead Me, Guide Me

*Benediction

*Passing of the Peace

One: In the midst of sin, may you find peace.

All: Peace and forgiveness.

One: Fatigued by life's pain, may you find peace.

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One: Burdened by the law of do and do not, may you find peace.

All: Peace and joy. The peace of Christ Jesus be unto us all.

**please stand as you are able*

Romans 8:12-25

¹² Therefore, brothers and sisters, we have an obligation—but it is not to the flesh, to live according to it. ¹³ For if you live according to the flesh, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the misdeeds of the body, you will live. ¹⁴ For those who are led by the Spirit of God are the children of God. ¹⁵ The Spirit you received does not make you slaves, so that you live in fear again; rather, the Spirit you received brought about your adoption to sonship. And by him we cry, “Abba, Father.” ¹⁶ The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God’s children. ¹⁷ Now if we are children, then we are heirs—heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ, if indeed we share in his sufferings in order that we may also share in his glory.

¹⁸ I consider that our present sufferings are not worth comparing with the glory that will be revealed in us. ¹⁹ For the creation waits in eager expectation for the children of God to be revealed. ²⁰ For the creation was subjected to frustration, not by its own choice, but by the will of the one who subjected it, in hope ²¹ that the creation itself will be liberated from its bondage to decay and brought into the freedom and glory of the children of God. ²² We know that the whole creation has been groaning as in the pains of childbirth right up to the present time. ²³ Not only so, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for our adoption to sonship, the redemption of our bodies. ²⁴ For in this hope we were saved. But hope that is seen is no hope at all. Who hopes for what they already have? ²⁵ But if we hope for what we do not yet have, we wait for it patiently.

Genesis 28:10-19a

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*Hymn 328 (sing 2 times)

Surely the Presence of the Lord

Celebrations and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer # 896

Scripture

Romans 8:12-25 & Genesis 28:10-19a

Children's Time

Sermon "Jacob Super Power"

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*Hymn 528 vs 1 - 4

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*Doxology Hymn 95

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*** Invitation to discipleship**

***Hymn 404 vs 1 & 2**

Every Time I Feel the Spirit

***Benediction**

***Hymn 672 vs 1**

God Be with You

***Passing of the Peace**

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