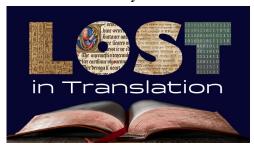


Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost



Exodus 34:29

WE GATHER

Prelude Scott Ayers

Welcome Neil Moseley

LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE

Leader: Christ is with us; People: Christ is in our midst.

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Who is this God whom we have come to worship?

Many: God is the creator of all.

One: The creator of birds and trees, wind and sea?

Many: God is the creator of all things seen and unseen.

One: Then let us worship the God of creation, the God of all things great and small.

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*OPENING HYMN — #100 When Morning Gilds the Skies (vv. 1-4)

When morning gilds the skies, my heart awaking cries, may Jesus Christ be praised!

Alike at work and prayer to Jesus I repair; may Jesus Christ be praised!

Discordant humankind, in this your concord find, may Jesus Christ be praised! Let all earth around ring joyous with the sound, may Jesus Christ be praised!

Sing, suns and stars of space, sing, all that see his face; may Jesus Christ be praised! God's whole creation o'er, both now and evermore: may Jesus Christ be praised!

Be this, while life is mine, my canticle divine; may Jesus Christ be praised! Be this the eternal song, through all the ages: long may Jesus Christ be praised!

Please register your attendance here: Connect to NCC Guest Wi-Fi with password: BeOurGuest!



WE RESPOND

MORNING PRAYER Neil Moseley

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PASSING THE PEACE Rev. Bill Coburn

As part of our Table-centered spirituality, the "peace of Christ" is offered as a sign of our reconciliation to God and neighbor. It is a visible symbol of our being "a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world," preparing us to "welcome all to the Lord's Table as God has welcomed us."

COMMUNION HYMN — #426 The Voice of Jesus Calls His People (vv. 1-2)

The voice of Jesus calls his people, "Come to my table and be fed!"
For those who come to him believing, he is the Wine, he is the Bread.
All who are lost, or bear great burdens, all who need comfort or release,
come where the presence of Christ Jesus will nourish us with rest and peace.

Children and elders, men and women, whatever color, race or tongue, in Jesus find themselves united, in him a home where they belong. We hear your loving voice, O Jesus, we long, we hunger to be fed; in joy we gather at the table where you are Wine, and you are Bread.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION Rev. Bill Coburn

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING

Katie Hussey and Rod Fisher

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Leader: The Body of Christ was given for us.

People: Amen
Leader: The Blood of Christ was poured out for us.

People: Amen

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

Rev. Bill Coburn

We believe in "open communion" as a church, which means that we do not require you to be a member of Northway in order to participate in the service of the Lord's Supper.

Remember what God has done for you in Christ and respond by faith.

You don't have to have it all figured out or recite a creed; it is not a requirement of the head, but an invitation addressed to your heart.

Committed to our value of an Open Table—inviting all to the table where our diversity finds unity in Christ.

MOMENT FOR MISSION — Seeds of Faith Community Garden Workday

*Doxology — #46 Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Rev. Virzola Law

Following the Prayer of Dedication, children are invited to their own kid-friendly worship experience, *Worship Rocks*. Preschool—K aged children will be escorted to the Nursery. Children in 1st—3rd Grade will be escorted to F-102. Following the worship service, your children will be waiting for you in the hallway outside the Sanctuary.

WE PROCLAIM

SCRIPTURE — Exodus 34:29

Katie and Norah Hussey

People: Thanks be to God!

Leader: For the Word of God in Scripture,

for the Word of God among us, and for the Word of God within us:

WORD IN SONG — *Immortal, Invisible* (Eric H. Thiman)

Northway Chancel Choir

THE MORNING MESSAGE — Autocorrected Faith

Rev. Virzola Law

WE GO FORTH

INVITATION

*Invitation Hymn — #323 Wonderful Words of Life (vv. 1-3)

Sing them over again to me, wonderful words of life; let me more of their beauty see, wonderful words of life. Words of life and beauty, teach me faith and duty;

Refrain: beautiful words, wonderful words, wonderful words of life. (x2)

Christ, the blessed one, gives to all, wonderful words of life; sinner, list to the loving call, wonderful words of life.

All so freely given, wooing us to heaven; Refrain

Sweetly echo the gospel call, wonderful words of life; offer pardon and peace to all, wonderful words of life.

Jesus, only Savior, sanctify forever; Refrain

BENEDICTION Rev. Virzola Law

MUSICAL REFLECTION Scott Ayers

Following the worship service, an Elder will remain at the front of the sanctuary to speak or pray with congregants.



We're Taking Names.

If you or someone you know would like to join in building Northway's spiritual life, please share names with Kelly Durrett (kellydurrett@mac.com) for the nomination process.





A LOOK AHEAD		
9/14 After-Church Choir Rehearsal	11:45 am	Music Suite
9/15 Tai Chi	10:30 am	F-101
9/16 Mobile Food Pantry	11:30 am	Front Parking Lot
9/17 Chancel Choir Rehearsal	7:00 pm	Music Suite
9/20 Seeds of Faith Garden Workday	9:00 am	Greater Garth AMEC
9/21 Children's Music	9:00 am	E-112
9/21 Sunday School Classes	9:00 am	(various)
9/21 Sunday Worship Service	10:30 am	Sanctuary & Online
9/21 After-Church Choir Rehearsal	11:45 am	Music Suite
9/21 After-Church Youth Group	11:45 am	Youth Hall
9/27 Solomon's Porch (Men's Group)	7:30 am	Music Suite
9/27 Diaper Distribution	10:00 am	Circle Drive
9/28 Jarvis Christian University Choir	10:30 am	Sanctuary & Online
9/28 Fellowship Potluck Lunch	11:45 am	F-101

NORTHWAY WORSHIP LEADERS:

Rev. Virzola Law—Senior Minister
Rev. Chesna Riley—Minister to Children,
Youth, and Families
Leanne Seabright—Director of Music and Worship
Scott Ayers—Organist and Collaborative Pianist
Dawn Ziesmer—Children's Ministry Coordinator
Noelle Rivera—Youth Ministry Coordinator
Neil Moseley—Director of Community Engagement
Donna Schmidt—Children's Choir Director

GIVING OPTIONS:

Online giving is available at northwaychristian.org or by texting NORTHWAY to 73256. Gifts may also be mailed to the church office at 7202 W. Northwest Hwy., Dallas, TX 75225

WELCOME!

We are glad you have chosen to worship with us today. Northway's mission is to share Christ with those seeking meaning and purpose. That's why, in addition to worship, we also provide ways for you to discover the God we know in Jesus Christ, to connect with one another, and serve others from our front doorsteps to the ends of the earth.

We want to help you take the next step in your own search for: a church home...deeper engagement with scripture... meaningful relationships...purpose in your life. To learn more about our beliefs, history, staff, and opportunities, please visit the Welcome Center, located at the main entrance.

