

**Serving today August 6th, 2023
Time after Pentecost
Holy Communion**

Presiding Minister: *Rev. Bart Coleman*
Assisting Minister: Mike Bernatz
Reader: Mike Bernatz
Organist: *Sheila Brown*
Altar Preparations: Margaret Young
Usher: *Jerry Marr*

GATHERING

Greeting
Song of Praise "Glory be to God in Heaven"
Prayer of the Day

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WORD

First Reading

Psalm 145:8-9, 14-21 **Bold spoken by all**
8 The Lord is gracious and full of compassion,
Slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

Isaiah 55:1-5

9 Lord, you are good to all,
And your compassion is over all your works.

14 The Lord upholds all those who fall
And lifts up those who are bowed down.

15 The eyes of all wait upon you, O Lord,
And you give them their food in due season.

16 You open wide your hand
And satisfy the desire of every living thing.

17 you are righteous in all your ways
And loving in all your works.

18 You are near to all who call upon you,
To all who call upon you faithfully.

19 You fulfill the desire of those who fear you;
You hear their cry and save them.

20 You watch over all those who love you,
But all the wicked you shall destroy.

21 My mouth say speak the praise of the Lord;
Let all flesh bless God's holy name forever and ever.

Second Reading

Romans 9:1-5

Gospel Acclamation "Alleluia"

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Gospel

Matthew 14:13-21

Sermon

Hymn of the Day

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Prayers of Intercession

Sharing the Peace

MEAL

Offering Prayer

God of mercy and grace, the eyes of all wait upon you and you open your hand in blessing. Fill us with good things at your table, that we may come to the help of all in need, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and Lord. Amen.

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Eucharistic Prayer

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Distribution of Communion

Hymn during Communion

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