

Grand Marais Evangelical Free Church

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PRELUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS/CALL TO WORSHIP

TE DEUM LAUDAMUS

You are God: we praise you;

You are the Lord: we acclaim you;

You are the eternal Father: All creation worships you.

To you all angels, all the powers of heaven,
Cherubim and Seraphim, sing in endless praise:

**Holy, holy, holy, Lord, God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

The glorious company of apostles praise you.

The noble fellowship of prophets praise you.

The white-robed army of martyrs praise you.

Throughout the world the holy Church acclaims you:

Father, of majesty unbounded,

**Your true and only Son, worthy of all worship,
and the Holy Spirit, advocate and guide.**

You, Christ, are the king of glory,
the eternal Son of the Father.

When you became man to set us free
you did not spurn the Virgin's womb.

**You overcame the sting of death,
and opened the kingdom of heaven to all believers.**

You are seated at God's right hand in glory.

We believe that you will come, and be our judge.

**Come then, Lord, and help your people,
bought with the price of your own blood,
and bring us with your saints to glory everlasting.**

Save your people, Lord, and bless your inheritance.

Govern and uphold them now and always.

Day by day we bless you.

We praise your name for ever.

Keep us today, Lord, from all sin.

Have mercy on us, Lord, have mercy.

Lord, show us your love and mercy;

for we put our trust in you.

In you, Lord, is our hope:

and we shall never hope in vain.

SONGS OF WORSHIP & PRAISE

BE THOU MY VISION

Be Thou my vision O Lord of my heart
Naught be all else to me Save that Thou art
Thou my best thought By day or by night
Waking or sleeping Thy presence my light

Be Thou my wisdom Be Thou my true Word
I ever with Thee And Thou with me Lord
Thou my great Father I Thy true son
Thou in me dwelling And I with Thee one

Riches I heed not Nor man's empty praise
Thou mine inheritance Now and always
Thou and Thou only Be first in my heart
High King of heaven My treasure Thou art

High King of heaven When vict'ry is won
May I reach heaven's joys O bright heaven's Sun
Heart of my own heart Whatever befall
Still be my vision O Ruler of all

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WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS

What a friend we have in Jesus
All our sins and griefs to bear
What a privilege to carry
Everything to God in prayer
O what peace we often forfeit
O what needless pain we bear
All because we do not carry
Everything to God in prayer

Have we trials and temptations
Is there trouble anywhere
We should never be discouraged
Take it to the Lord in prayer
Can we find a friend so faithful
Who will all our sorrows share
Jesus knows our every weakness
Take it to the Lord in prayer

Are we weak and heavy laden
Cumbered with a load of care
Precious Savior still our refuge

Take it to the Lord in prayer
Do thy friends despise forsake thee
Take it to the Lord in prayer
In His arms He'll take and shield thee
Thou wilt find a solace there

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HE LEADETH ME

He leadeth me O blessed thought
O words with heavenly comfort fraught
Whate'er I do where'er I be
Still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me

He leadeth me He leadeth me
By His own hand He leadeth me
His faithful follower I would be
For by His hand He leadeth me

Lord I would clasp Thy hand in mine
Nor ever murmur nor repine
Content whatever lot I see
Since 'tis my God that leadeth me
And when my task on earth is done
When by Thy grace the victory's won
E'en death's cold waves I would not flee
Since Thou through Jordan leadeth me

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CHILDREN'S SERMON

PASTORAL PRAYER

Larry Anderson

Larry Anderson, who grew up in Grand Marais, is the son of Eddie & Lil Anderson (founders of the church). Larry worked for Youth for Christ for 46 years and then got involved with Youth Outreach United in the Atlanta, Georgia area.

SCRIPTURE READING

4 ¹What is the source of quarrels and conflicts among you? ²Is the source not your pleasures that wage war in ³your body's parts? ⁴You lust and do not have, so you commit murder. And you are envious and cannot obtain, so you fight and quarrel. You do not have because you do not ask. ⁵You ask and do not receive, because you ask ⁶with the wrong motives, so that you may spend *what you request* ⁷on your pleasures. ⁸You adulteresses, do you not know that friendship with the world is hostility toward God? Therefore whoever wants to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God. ⁹Or do you think that the Scripture says to no purpose, "¹⁰He ¹¹jealously desires the Spirit whom He has made to dwell in us"? ¹²But He gives a greater grace. Therefore *it* says, "GOD IS OPPOSED TO THE

PROUD, BUT GIVES GRACE TO THE HUMBLE.” ⁷ Submit therefore to God. But ⁸ resist the devil, and he will flee from you. ⁸ Come close to God and He will come close to you. Cleanse *your* hands, you sinners; and purify *your* hearts, you ⁹ double-minded. ⁹ Be miserable, and mourn, and weep; let your laughter be turned into mourning, and your joy into gloom. ¹⁰ Humble yourselves in the presence of the Lord, and He will exalt you.

¹¹ Do not speak against one another, brothers *and sisters*. The one who speaks against a brother *or sister*, or judges his brother *or sister*, speaks against the law and judges the law; but if you judge the law, you are not a doer of the law but a judge *of it*. ¹² There is *only* one Lawgiver and Judge, the One who is able to save and to destroy; but who are you, ¹² judging your neighbor?

MESSAGE

Draw Near to God

Dave Harvey

CLOSING HYMN

GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS

Great is Thy faithfulness
Great is Thy faithfulness
Morning by morning
New mercies I see
All I have needed
Thy hand hath provided
Great is Thy faithfulness
Lord unto me
Great is Thy faithfulness O God my Father
There is no shadow Of turning with Thee
Thou changest not Thy compassions they fail not
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be

Summer and winter And springtime and harvest
Sun moon and stars In their courses above
Join with all nature In manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness Mercy and love

Pardon for sin And a peace that endureth
Thy own dear presence To cheer and to guide
Strength for today And bright hope for tomorrow
Blessings all mine With ten thousand beside

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BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Monday Nov 22** **6:00 Women's Bible Study.** We will be studying the book of Hebrews. Zoom link can be found on the group Facebook page
- 6:00 – 7:30 pm Youth Group** - Middle School Girls
- Tuesday Nov 23** **6:00 – 7:30 pm Youth Group** – All Guys
- 7:00 pm Advent & Christmas program** planning meeting via Zoom.
- Wednesday Nov 24** **4:00 pm Adult Prayer** upstairs in the foyer
- 6:00 – 7:30 pm Youth Group** - High School Girls



Marisa & Paul Ramey are looking for help with meals for them and the 4 boys on Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays. Please sign up to help on Meal Train <https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/v1701y>

Happy Birthday, what a gift you are to our church... Salomon R. 11/23, Sheryl M. 11/25, Brad A. 11/27

A graphic titled "FAITH PROMISE MISSIONS GOAL \$18,000" set against a world map background. It includes a thermometer showing progress, a list of missionaries, and contact information for pledges.

FAITH PROMISE MISSIONS GOAL
\$18,000

October is Missions Month

The Missions Committee is currently collecting pledges from the church family for 2021. We will support 6 missionaries this year. We are not taking on new missionaries because we'd like to raise the monthly amount we give to our current missionaries. Please email your pledge for 2021 to margie.delamater@gmail.com

Steve & Kathy Austvold
Celebrate Recovery
Choices & Voices
Kevin & Jen Sutton - Coldwater Foundation
Jun & Regina Malon – Philippines
Amy & Andy Schmidt – Tanzania

Amount Pledged:
\$17,480.00

Here are some options to give while we are currently not meeting for regular worship together:

- **Drop a check off at the church office 8-4:30 Thursdays.**
- Send a check made out to the Grand Marais Evangelical Free Church in the mail to PO Box 396, Grand Marais, MN 55604
- If you have an account at the North Shore Federal Credit Union -
 - Set up an E-Pay online at www.northshorefcu.org Please remember to put your name in the memo field so Margie knows who the check came from.
 - Stop by one of the branches and arrange a direct transfer from your account into the Church's checking account. Please have the teller add a memo with your name so Margie knows who the money came from.
- Through Pay Pal on our website www.grandmaraisfree.church PayPal will charge each transaction with a 2.9% + \$0.30 fee.

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