



## PRELUDE

## “Cryin’ Holy”

Crying holy unto the Lord  
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Oh if I could I surely would  
Stand on that rock where Moses stood

Lord I ain't no sinner now  
Lord I ain't no sinner now  
I've been to the river and I've been baptized  
And I ain't no sinner now [chorus]

Sinners run and hide your face  
Sinners run and hide your face  
Sinners run to that rock and hide your face  
The rocks cried out no hiding place  
[chorus]

Lord I ain't no stranger now  
Lord I ain't no stranger now  
I've been introduced to the Father and the Son  
And I ain't no stranger now  
[chours]

## WELCOME

## SONG

## “Jesus Told Me So”

Do you believe that there's a heaven?  
Do you believe He'll save your soul?  
Do you believe we're bound for glory?  
Well Jesus told me so.

I believe in Holy Water  
And I believe in the Holy Ghost.  
Oh, I believe he died to save me  
Cuz Jesus told me so.

I believe that God's in heaven  
And I believe we're free to go.  
I believe He is my Savior  
Cuz Jesus told me so.

I believe He's here beside me  
And I believe we're free from woe.  
Oh, I believe that Jesus loves me  
Cuz Jesus told me so

## CALL TO WORSHIP

Welcome to worship. Today we have a special, lively musical service to give praise to God and to uplift our spirits. We also will hear from our high school Boundary Waters group about their adventure that turned out quite differently than they had planned.

**We gather in Christ's name as the people of God.**

## GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.  
**And also with you.**

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray together:

**Glorious God, your generosity waters the world with goodness, and you cover creation with abundance. Awaken in us a hunger for the food that satisfies both body and spirit, and with this food fill all the starving world; through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

## SCRIPTURE: Mark 4:35-41

The holy gospel according to St. Mark, the 4<sup>th</sup> chapter.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>35</sup> On that day, when evening had come, he said to them, "Let us go across to the other side." <sup>36</sup> And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. <sup>37</sup> A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. <sup>38</sup> But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion, and they woke him up and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" <sup>39</sup> And waking up, he rebuked the wind and said to the sea, "Be silent! Be still!" Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. <sup>40</sup> He said to them, "Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?" <sup>41</sup> And they were filled with great fear and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?"

The gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

## SERMON

**Pastor Paul Bulgerin and Boundary Waters Trip VIDEO**

## SERMON SONG

He leadeth me! O blessed thought!  
O words with heavenly comfort fraught!  
What-e'er I do, wher-e'er I be,  
Still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me.

*[chorus]*

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.

## "He Leadeth Me"

Lord, I would clasp my hand in Thine,  
Nor ever murmur nor repine;  
Content, whatever lot I see,  
Since 'tis my God that leadeth me.  
*[chorus]*

And when my task on earth is done,  
When, by Thy grace, the victory's won,  
E'en death's cold wave I will not flee,  
Since God through Jordan leadeth me.  
*[chorus]*

## APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Merciful God  
receive our prayer.

## SHARING OF THE PEACE

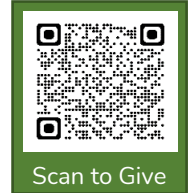
### OFFERING

### “I Love to Tell the Story”

*Offering is an act of worship – giving back to God in response to the blessings, grace, and love received.*

*Offering may be given by:*

- Going to our website [makedisciples.com](http://makedisciples.com) and clicking on “Ways to Give”
- Scanning this QR code.
- Mailing to St. John’s Lutheran, 20275 Davidson Road, Brookfield, WI 53045



I love to tell the story of unseen things above  
Of Jesus and His glory of Jesus and his love  
I love to tell the story because I know 'tis true  
It satisfies my longings as nothing else can do.  
I love to tell the story 'twill be my theme in glory  
To tell the old, old story of Jesus and his love.

I love to tell the story 'tis pleasant to repeat  
What seems each time I tell it more wonderfully sweet  
I love to tell the story for some have never heard  
The message of salvation from God's own holy word.  
I love to tell the story 'twill be my theme in glory  
To tell the old, old story of Jesus and his love.

I love to tell the story, for those who know it best  
Seem hungering and thirsting to hear it like the rest.  
And when in scenes of glory I sing the new, new song  
Twill be the old, old story that I have loved so long.  
I love to tell the story 'twill be my theme in glory  
To tell the old, old story of Jesus and his love.

### CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Let us confess our sin to God.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

Compassionate God,  
**we confess to you all our sins.**  
**Our burden is heavy, and we cannot free ourselves.**  
**In your mercy, call us back to you.**  
**Restore us to dwell in your peace.**  
**In Christ's name we pray,**  
**Amen.**

Jesus says, “Come to me, all you who are weary  
and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest.”  
In the name of God, Father, ✝ Son, and Holy Spirit,  
your sins are forgiven. Rest in God's love.  
**Amen.**

## HOLY COMMUNION

### Words of Institution

#### 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 and ever. Amen.

#### Distribution

“Will the Circle be Unbroken”

*Please self-serve your communion.*

*Whatever you have to represent the bread and wine is acceptable.*

I was standing by my window  
on a cold and cloudy day  
when I saw that hearse come rolling  
for to carry my mother away.

Lord, I told that undertaker,  
undertaker please drive slow  
for this body that you are hauling  
Lord, I hate to see her go. *CHORUS*

#### CHORUS

Will the circle be unbroken  
bye and bye Lord, bye and bye,  
there's a better world home a-waiting  
in the sky Lord, in the sky.

I went back home Lord, my home was empty  
missed my mother, she was gone  
all my brothers, sisters crying  
what a home so sad and alone *CHORUS x2*

## COMMUNION BLESSING AND PRAYER

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

(See last page)

### FAMILY BLESSING

#### SENDING SONG

I wandered so aimless, life filled with sin.  
I wouldn't let my dear Savior in.  
Then Jesus came like a stranger in the night.  
Praise the Lord, I saw the light.

*[chorus]*

I saw the light, I saw the light.  
No more in darkness, no more night  
Now I'm so happy, no sorrow in sight.  
Praise the Lord, I saw the light.

#### “I Saw the Light”

Just like a blind man, I wandered along.  
Worries and fears I claimed for my own.  
Then like the blind man that God gave back his  
sight

Praise the Lord, I saw the light.

*[chorus]*

I was a fool to wander and stray.  
For straight is the gate and narrow the way.  
Now I have traded the wrong for the right.  
Praise the Lord, I saw the light.

*[chorus x2]*

### DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Following Jesus, making disciples, serving the world.  
**Thanks be to God.**

### POSTLUDE

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## Today's Worship Team:

|                     |                                              |
|---------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| Pastor:             | Pr. Paul Bulgerin                            |
| Assisting Minister: | Roy Osmon                                    |
| Praise Band:        | Kenn Anderson, director                      |
| Lector:             | Debbie Morgan                                |
| Ushers:             | Jim Morgan, Michelle Werner                  |
| Communion Set Up:   | Keith Paukner                                |
| Communion Server:   | Karen Bulgerin, Keith Paukner, Sandy Paukner |
| Greeters:           | Sue Keith, Patrice Krimpelbein               |
| AV:                 | Josh Werner, Phil Peters                     |

# Announcements

## Worshiping

### Altar Flowers

Today's altar flowers are provided by Ben and Carrie Allbaugh in memory of our daughter, Lilly, on her 6<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Please use the signups on the website to provide altar flowers to honor a loved one or to celebrate an event. Cost of the arrangements is \$50.

### Sunday Sing-a-Long

See the display in the gathering space to request your favorite worship songs – traditional hymns or contemporary. There will be Sunday Sing-a-Longs for three weeks in August, before worship.



## On the Calendar

|         |                   |
|---------|-------------------|
| Aug 3-6 | VBS               |
| Aug 6   | Family Fun Night  |
| Aug 29  | Trivia Night      |
| Aug 30  | Backpack Blessing |



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## Serving and Connecting

### Outreach Collections

Hello, my name is Liam Sadowski and for my confirmation project I am hoping to help our local food pantry. I am trying to collect canned goods for the Waukesha FOOD Pantry to give families shelf stable meal options as housing and grocery costs increase. Hundreds of families rely on the FOOD Pantry every year, and I think that it is important that everyone has something to eat every night.

My project, Fill the Shelves, will aim to gather canned food such as tuna or canned vegetables and fruit for the month of August to donate to the FOOD Pantry. Any other non-perishable items and can-openers are also welcome! Thank you for helping me and our community!

