



**8th Sunday after Pentecost**  
**Rev. Dr. Barbara Booth-Jarmon**  
**July 14, 2024**  
**9.30am**

PRELUDE

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Gathering of the People*

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

(Adapted from Psalm 146)

Liturgist: Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord, O my soul!

**People: I will praise the Lord and sing praises to my God all my life.**

Liturgist: Do not put your trust in princes, in mortals, in whom there is no help.

**People: When their breath departs, they return to the earth; on that very day their plans perish.**

Liturgist: Happy are those whose hope is in the Lord who made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them; who keeps faith forever; who executes justice for the oppressed.

**People: The Lord feeds the hungry. The Lord sets the prisoners free; the Lord opens the eyes of the blind. The Lord lifts up those who are bowed down; the Lord loves the righteous.**

All: **The Lord will reign forever for all generations. Praise the Lord!**

**\*GATHERING SONGS**

"Your Name"

Paul Baloche and Glenn Packiam

"Great Are You Lord"

David Leonard, Jason Ingram & Leslie Jordan

**CALL TO CONFESSION**

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Creator God, who made heaven and earth, the seas and all that is in them, who keeps faith forever, we stumble and falter in our faith in You. We are heavy laden with the negative events in the world, doubting that You are in control. You execute justice for the oppressed, give food to the hungry, open the eyes of the blind, and lift those who are bowed down. You watch over us all. We look to the rulers of the world to resolve the conditions that cause pain, instead of looking to You as the One who came to save us. We are concerned that there is not a ruler who will care for the world as You do.**

*(Silent Confession)*

**Help us, O Lord, to look to You for our comfort, peace, healing. Remind us that You will reign forever for all generations. Forgive us for what we have done to exploit your world and your people. Show us how we can be messengers of Your grace. In Christ we pray. Amen**

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**\*GLORIA PATRI**

Hymn #813

*The Word*

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**CHILDREN'S SERMON**

**SCRIPTURE** Deuteronomy 6:1-9  
Ruth 1:1-19

p. 178  
p. 258

**SERMON**

**"Running On Empty"**

Pastor Barbara

*Responding to the Word*

**\*HYMN OF RESPONSE** "Blessed Assurance"

# 597

**GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**OFFERTORY**

**PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**Generous God, we thank you for the abundance you have given to us in different parts of our lives. Accept our humble gifts offered so that the ministries of the church may continue to prosper. In Christ we pray.**

**\*DOXOLOGY**

#815

**Prayers of the People  
The Lord's Prayer**

*Sending*

**\*SENDING HYMN** "To God Be the Glory"

# 56

**CHARGE AND BLESSING**

## Announcements

**Prayer Concerns** - If you are worshipping with us online, please use the chat feature to type your prayers and we will include your concerns.

### **Staff Vacation:**

Pastor Barbara will be on vacation on Tuesdays for the month of July.

Chris will be on vacation July 29-August 1. She is off on Fridays.

**Art Camp** will be held this year at Kirkpatrick Memorial Presbyterian Church

August 12, 13 + 14! Time: 6-8pm

Ages: Kindergarten thru entering grade 6 (There is no cost for camp.)

**Project Backpack:** We are collecting school supplies for our young friends at the Friendship Center for New Beginnings. Please take a shopping list on the table and donate what you can.

**Flowers:** If you would like to provide flowers for worship please let Sharyn D. or Chris in the office know.

**Food Ministry:** Our Blessing Box has been used frequently lately. I filled it on Sunday before church and again on Monday morning. We always need toiletries and individual food items. We sometimes have homeless people use our box, so peanut butter crackers or granola bars are great items to be included. Also things like spaghetti or baked beans are also needed. FYI: I have seen members of our community put food in the Blessing Box. It has truly become a community outreach. It is a Blessing for those that use it and those that contribute to it. For our Grocery Giveaway we especially need jelly, syrup, pancake mix, peanut butter and Mac and cheese. Thank you for helping our neighbors who suffer from food insecurities. Our next Giveaway is July 27.

**2024 KMPC Capital Fund Campaign:** Please prayerfully consider joining us in making a contribution to our Capital Fund while continuing your current level of Sunday offering. Please note "Capital Fund" for your contribution. Thank you! *The Session of KMPC*

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