We Dedicate Ourselves to Holy Living

*Apostles Creed

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*Charge: Romans 6:1-13

We are Sent with God's Blessing

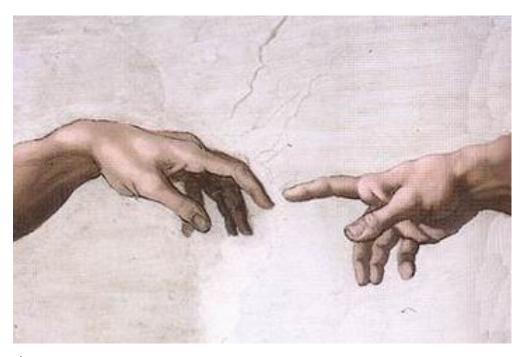
*Parting Blessing

*Closing Song: "I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"

LUYH 854

Ordinary Time

July 23, 2017



† The Creation of Adam by Michelangelo

Worship Participants

Genesis 9:11

"I establish my covenant with you: Never again will all life be cut off by the waters of a flood; never again will there be a flood to destroy the earth."

God Gathers Us for Worship

Welcome

*Call to Worship: from Psalm 136 O give thanks to the Lord, for He is good, O give thanks to the Lord of lords who alone does great wonders, for his steadfast love endures forever: who by understanding made the heavens, who spread out the earth on the waters, for his steadfast love endures forever: who struck Egypt through their firstborn and brought Israel out from among them with a strong hand and an outstretched arm, for his steadfast love endures forever: who divided the Red Sea in two and made Israel pass through the midst of it but overthrew Pharaoh and his army in the Red Sea; for his steadfast love endures forever. It is He who remembered us in our low estate and rescued us from our foes, who gives food to all flesh. O give thanks to the God of heaven. for his steadfast love endures forever. *Songs of Praise: "Bless the Lord, O My Soul" LUYH 516 "What the Lord Has Done in Me" LUYH 800 *God Greets Us, We Greet One Another *Hymn: "You Are Our God; We Are Your People" LUYH 35 We Celebrate God's Covenant Promises The Promises of Baptism

The Baptismal Vows

Brothers and sisters, do you, the people of the Lord, promise to receive Annika in love, pray for her, help instruct her in the faith, and encourage and sustain her in the fellowship of believers? Brothers and sisters, what is your answer? We do, God helping us.

Prayer of Consecration and Thanksgiving	
The Baptism of Annika Catherine Frisch	
Presentation of Bible and Quilt	
Hymn: "Be Thou My Vision"	LUYH 859
Children's Blessing: "Jesus Is Our King" (chorus only)	LUYH 602

Children ages 3 years old through Kindergarten are invited to come to the front of the sanctuary to receive a prayer of blessing before going downstairs to the Multi-Purpose Room for a time of worship designed especially for young children. Our young guests are welcome to participate in this service.

God Speaks to Us Through His Word

Scripture: Genesis 9:1-17	p.12
Sermon: "The Warrior"	Pastor Kory Plockmeyer
*Song of Response: "When Peace Like a River"	LUYH 451

We Offer Our Gifts and Prayers

Offertory Prayer

We Offer our Gifts

Each week at Covenant we receive a monetary offering to support the mission and ministry of the church. This morning's offering will support the Tuition Assistance Fund which helps support families who otherwise would still not be able to meet the financial obligations of Christian education.

We Share Our Joys & Concerns and Pray for One Another