

**St. Olaf Lutheran Church**  
**11 am, Sunday, July 11, 2021**  
**Lectionary 15, Year B**

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Opening Prayer**

**"Eye of the Storm"**

**Verse 1**

When the solid ground is falling out from underneath my feet  
Between the black skies and my red eyes, I can barely see  
When I feel like I've been let down by my friends and my family  
I can feel the rain reminding me

**Chorus**

In the eye of the storm, You remain in control  
In the middle of the war, You guard my soul  
You alone are the anchor, when my sails are torn  
Your love surrounds me  
In the eye of the storm

**Verse 2**

When my hopes and dreams are far from me  
And I'm runnin' out of faith  
I see the future I pictured slowly fade away  
And when the tears of pain and heartache  
Are pouring down my face  
I find my peace in Jesus' name

### **Chorus**

In the eye of the storm, You remain in control  
In the middle of the war, You guard my soul  
You alone are the anchor, when my sails are torn  
Your love surrounds me  
In the eye of the storm

### **Verse 3**

When they let me go and I just don't know  
how I'm gonna make ends meet  
I did my best now I'd scared to death  
that we might lose everything  
And when a sickness takes my child away,  
and there's nothing I can do  
My only hope is to trust You  
I trust you Lord

### **Chorus**

In the eye of the storm, You remain in control  
In the middle of the war, You guard my soul  
You alone are the anchor, when my sails are torn  
Your love surrounds me  
In the eye of the storm

### **"Oceans"**

#### **Verse 1**

You call me out upon the waters  
The great unknown where feet may fail  
And there I find You in the mystery  
In oceans deep my faith will stand

#### **Chorus 1**

And I will call upon Your name  
And keep my eyes above the waves

When oceans rise  
My soul will rest in Your embrace  
For I am Yours and You are mine

### **Verse 2**

Your grace abounds in deepest waters  
Your sov'reign hand will be my guide  
Where feet may fail and fear surrounds me  
You've never failed and You won't start now

### **Interlude**

Oh and You are mine oh

### **Bridge**

Spirit lead me where my trust is without borders  
Let me walk upon the waters  
Wherever You would call me  
Take me deeper than my feet could ever wander  
And my faith will be made stronger  
In the presence of my Saviour

### **Interlude**

Yeah yeah yeah yeah  
Oh Jesus yeah my God

### **Chorus 2**

I will call upon Your name  
Keep my eyes above the waves  
My soul will rest in Your embrace  
I am Yours and You are mine

### **Prayer of the Day**

AM: Let us pray.

**C: O God, from you come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works. Give to us, your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey your commandments; and also that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may live in peace and quietness, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.  
Amen.**

## **Gospel: Mark 10:13-16**

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the 10<sup>th</sup> chapter.

C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>13</sup> People were bringing little children to Jesus for him to place his hands on them, but the disciples rebuked them. <sup>14</sup> When Jesus saw this, he was indignant. He said to them, “Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. <sup>15</sup> Truly I tell you, anyone who will not receive the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it.” <sup>16</sup> And he took the children in his arms, placed his hands on them and blessed them.

P: The gospel of our Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

## **CHILDREN’S SERMON**

*Emily Wikner*

## **SERMON**

*Grace Braun*

### **“It is Well Oh My Soul”**

#### **Verse 1**

When peace, like a river, attendeth my way

When sorrows like sea billows roll

Whatever my lot, You taught me to say

It is well, it is well, with my soul

#### **Verse 2**

My sin, oh, the bliss of this glorious thought

My sin, not in part but the whole

Is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!

#### **Chorus**

It is well, with my soul

Here's my heart, make it whole

For You I live, in You I dwell

Oh my soul

It is well

### **Verse 3**

And Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight  
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll  
The trumpet will sound, and the Lord shall descend  
Even so, it is well with my soul

### **Chorus**

It is well, with my soul  
Here's my heart, make it whole  
For You I live, in You I dwell  
Oh my soul  
It is well

### **Chorus**

### **Prayers of Intercession**

AM: Lord, in your mercy,  
**hear our prayer.**

We lift our prayers to you, O God, trusting in your abiding grace.  
**Amen.**

### **Invitation to Communion**

**P. 144**

Beloved: here is bread; here is wine. Here is Jesus.  
Come and be fed.

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

**C: We lift them up to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

### **\*Words of Institution**

**p. 144**

## **\*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.**

## **Prayer after Communion**

Christ Jesus,

at this table we have feasted on your very life

and are strengthened for our journey.

Send us forth from this banquet

nourished in body and in spirit

to proclaim your good news

and serve others in your name.

**Amen.**

## **\*Blessing**

P: May the God of all creation,  
in whose image we are made,  
who claims us and calls us beloved,  
who strengthens us for service,  
give you reason to rejoice and be glad!  
The blessing of God,  
Sovereign, † Savior, and Spirit,  
be with you today and always.  
**Amen.**

## *“Glorious Day”*

### **Verse 1**

I was buried beneath my shame  
Who could carry that kind of weight  
It was my tomb 'til I met You

### **Verse 2**

I was breathing but not alive  
All my failures I tried to hide  
It was my tomb 'til I met You

### **Chorus**

('Cause when) You called my name (and)  
I ran out of that grave  
Out of the darkness into Your glorious day  
You called my name (and) I ran out of that grave  
Out of the darkness into Your glorious day

### **Verse 3**

Now Your mercy has saved my soul  
Now Your freedom is all that I know  
The old made new Jesus when I met You

### **Bridge**

I needed rescue my sin was heavy  
But chains break at the weight of Your glory  
I needed shelter I was an orphan  
Now You call me a citizen of Heaven  
When I was broken You were my healing  
Now Your love is the air that I'm breathing  
I have a future my eyes are open

### ***\*Dismissal***

AM: Go in peace. Christ is with you.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

### **Assisting in Worship**

Presider:	Grace Braun
Assisting Minister:	Pastor Emily Sauer
Children's Sermon:	Emily Wikner
Music:	Matt Drees
Sound Tech(s):	Marc Matthes
	Mark Oester
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