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Breathing Life Into Worship

by Pastor Phil Robarge, Director of Adult Ministry

Pastor Burcham has prefaced this series as breathing life into ancient practices. But, worship isn't just an ancient practice it is something that is still happening right here in church. Right?

I know I have said it before but we tend to compartmentalize our lives into work, home, hobby, church, friends, etc. Because we do this, we believe that something like worship should go into the category of church and be confined there. But is this really how God views our worship? Does God see it confined to one hour a week, at a time of our choosing? There are 168 hours in a week and many Christians give God one hour. That leaves 167 hours for the rest of the week, what happens to God in those hours? God wants all of you.

In Paul's letter to the church in Rome he says, "Offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God, which is your spiritual act of worship." With sacrifice we think death, but Paul says "living sacrifices" because God wants us to live for him every day that we have breath.

When we recognize that we can worship God in all we do then Christ becomes our identity. Whatever we do and whatever we say comes from that very identity found in Christ. We see then that our hobbies can be used in a God pleasing way. Our work becomes a place we can put our God given talents to use. Our homes become the place where we are stewards of the gifts that God has entrusted to us; whether that is money, property, children, animals, or whatever else we have.

Worship happens when your spirit responds to God. This can happen when you're sitting with a sick friend or running to the store for your spouse or holding a crying baby or sitting in your chair resting after a busy day. Our biggest distraction in worship is ourselves because we let our worry and fear cloud our view of God and the living water he has for us.

Yep, Pastor Burcham had it right all along, we need new breath in our worship – God's breath into our dry and thirsty bones!

Here is how to participate in this week's message:

- 1. Listen to the message** - Today's message revolves around the importance of worship.
- 2. Participate in the experiential rooms** - Last week rooms 135/137 concentrated on listening. This week the space will feature a flowing water setting conducive for worship. Hours are: Saturdays 5 to 7:30 p.m.; Sundays 8 a.m. to noon; Wednesdays 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.; and Fridays 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Please note: If your children are old enough to benefit from the experience, they are welcome to join you in rooms 135/137. If not, the nursery will be open for children of all ages.
- 3. Come to Re:fuel** - Join us Fridays from 7:03 to 8:08 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Re:fuel will concentrate on a variety of musical worship selections and no message will be given.

Missionaries visit today

Brent and Eugenia Friedrichs will speak about God's workings in Nigeria to the children during Grace Place on Sunday, June 20 at 9:20 and 10:50 a.m. and to the adults from 10:05-10:45 a.m. in rooms 131/133. Brent and Eugenia currently serve as independent Lutheran missionaries in Jos, Nigeria, where they have served for more than 13 years. Brent is originally from Charter Oak, Iowa.



Patriotic Concert 2010 Updates

Join us for the Patriotic Concert at Living History Farms on Sunday, June 27 at 6 p.m. as we pay tribute to those who have served or are serving our country. The concert will consist of musical selections from our community-wide orchestra, choir and children's choir. An ice-cream social will be held after the concert. For your convenience, free parking will be available at Living History Farms with a shuttle service to transport you to the concert. If you would like, bring lawn chairs to view the concert.

Invite a friend!

Help Needed: In order to make the Patriotic Concert a success, we need lots of help to set up and tear down risers, chairs and music stands. Please sign up at the Information Center in the narthex or at the back of the Family Life Center to help at various time periods on Saturday morning, June 26 or Sunday, June 27.

Prairie Fire

Saturday, July 24 from 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. (Registration begins at 10 a.m.)

Prairie Fire at the Qwest Center, Omaha, will be an unique event designed to equip God's people for sharing their faith. For only \$25, including lunch, you'll hear LCMS 1st Vice-President Dr. William Diekelman in an opening celebration, attend three workshops of your choice focused on congregational or individual outreach, and participate in a Lutheran Hour Ministries Celebration Event, featuring the Lutheran Hour Speaker, Rev. Ken Klaus. Registration deadline is July 2, so sign up today by downloading the registration form located at Gloria Dei's Web site: www.gloriadeionline.com.

Thrivent Builds

Thrivent Builds with Habitat for Humanity is helping a low-income Des Moines mother open the door to a new life through affordable home ownership—and you can help! They need individuals and groups to help build Matilda's home at 1318 Mondamin, Des Moines. No experience required. Gloria Dei has designated Saturday, July 10 to help. If you are interested, please contact Amber Duimstra at aduimstra@gdmhabitat.org or at 471-8686 ext. 112.

Book Club

Join us on the first Wednesday of the month at 6:15 p.m. in the cry room. Upcoming summer reads and discussion:

Wednesday, July 7 - "A Murder, Mayhem and A Fine Man" by Claudia Mair Burney

Food Pantry

Don't forget about our monthly Urbandale Food Pantry donation drive. All items can be placed in the Urbandale Food Pantry bin in the narthex. June's requested item: feminine hygiene products.

Mission team getting ready for Honduras

We have ten individuals from Gloria Dei who are preparing to leave for Honduras on June 26. They have been busy praying; gathering items to be given to the Hondurans, such as quilts and vitamins; and helping with a few fundraiser events.

While in Honduras the team will give free medical, dental and optical care to Hondurans as well as sharing the story of Jesus with children and adults. Please keep them in your prayers.

Bill Clark

Jamison Dierenfield

Randy Dierenfield

Brian Gilg

Cheryl Gilg

Katie Gilg

Mary Sloan

Dennis Trollope

Gary Wasko

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For a complete staff listing; go to our Web site at: www.gloriadeionline.com

Did you know?

Our Web site has all the information that you need.

- More information on all of Gloria Dei's activities can be found on our Web site.
- Online payments are now available.
- All of our calendar events are updated daily.
- Up-to-date releases.
- Message supplement materials.
- All children's, youth and adult activities are online.
- Registration for all of our events is easy and fast.

www.gloriadeionline.com

This Week's Bible Verse

John 4:19-26 (NIV)

“Sir,” the woman said, “I can see that you are a prophet. Our fathers worshiped on this mountain, but you Jews claim that the place where we must worship is in Jerusalem.” Jesus declared, “Believe me, woman, a time is coming when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. You Samaritans worship what you do not know; we worship what we do know, for salvation is from the Jews. Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks. God is spirit, and his worshipers must worship in spirit and in truth.” The woman said, “I know that Messiah (called Christ) is coming. When he comes, he will explain everything to us.”

Then Jesus declared, “I who speak to you am he.”

Altar flowers



The flowers on the altar on Sunday, June 20 in the Sanctuary are provided by Doug and Deb Mertz for Len and Shirley Daib in celebration of their 60th wedding anniversary on June 18 and by Dale and Kay Readinger in celebration of their 56th wedding anniversary on June 20.

Servers

Officiant/Liturgist:

5:30 p.m. (FLC):
Rev. Philip Robarge

7:45 a.m. (Sanctuary):
Rev. Philip Robarge

9 a.m. (Sanctuary):
Rev. Philip Robarge

9 a.m. (FLC):
Rev. Tim Phillips

10:30 a.m. (Sanctuary):
Rev. Philip Robarge

Preacher:
Rev. Philip Robarge

Organist:
Kathy Stange

Acolytes:

7:45 a.m.
Eddie Steinfeldt

9:00 a.m.
Natalie Larimer

10:30 a.m.
Michael Schmidt

Elders:

Devin Wren
Ken Meythaler
Gary Wasko

Ushers

Northwind
Randy Bosworth
Dennis Dean
Mike Mahler

7:45 a.m.

Mike Collins
Joe Gilg
Kory Meyeraan
Dan Timmons

9 a.m.

John Brown
Dick Larimer
Glenn Larson
Don Pevestorf
Don Zimmerman
Sandy Zimmerman

9 a.m. (FLC)

Jeff Johnston
Kory Schramm

10:30 a.m.

Dean Miller

Scripture Readings:

Romans 12:1-2 and John 4:19-26 (NIV)

Prayers

Blue prayer request cards are beneath the pews. Please indicate your prayer request and place the card in the offering plate. We have both e-mail and phone prayer chains available. Call Pastor Phillips in the church office, 276-1700, or Diane Young between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. at 993-3870 with your request.

Thanksgivings

- For Len and Shirley Daib celebrating their 60th anniversary on June 18
- For Dale and Kay Readinger celebrating their 56th wedding anniversary on June 20
- For all fathers

Prayers

- For the Lutz family grieving the loss of their husband and father, Steve Lutz
- For the health concerns of Jolene Norviel
- For Marsha Fries following knee replacement surgery
- For Kayleigh Wren, who is recovering from surgery
- For Vicki Larimer's upcoming surgery on July 8
- For Vicki Larimer's co-worker, Dianne Gorden, whose granddaughter, Olivia, has been diagnosed with leukemia
- For the health concerns of Wendell Dickey
- For the health concerns of Alice Wegner
- For the health of Shirley Kramer
- For the health concerns of Dale Readinger

Prayer ministry team

If you are interested in joining the prayer ministry team, please e-mail Pastor Phillips at: tphillips@gloriadeionline.com with your name, e-mail address and phone number.

Summer is filled with lots of fun!

Summer VBS

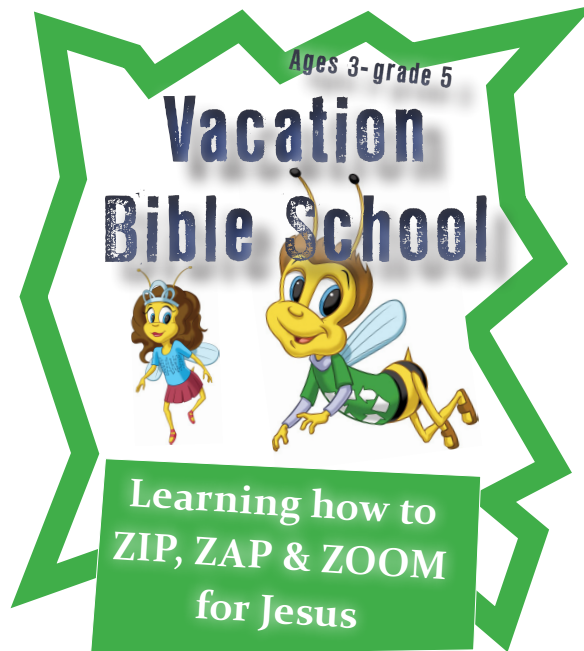
Starts Wednesday, July 7 from 6-8 p.m.

At Planet Zoom, kids will discover a whole new world where little is big! Kids will have a blast as they discover a place where bold bee-lievers ZIP, ZAP AND ZOOM for Jesus.

Ages: 3 years old-grade 5.

Cost: Suggested donation of \$20 per family.

Dates and Times: July 7, 14, 21 and 28 from 6-8 p.m.



Summer Needs

Ministry Partners: Can you help for a week or two this summer? We need teachers to help us during one of our summer Grace Place times. We will provide all the materials, so preparation time is small, but the rewards are huge.

Clocks: We need wind-up clocks for our summer camps. They do not need to be in working condition and will not be returned. If you have one, please drop it off at the Information Center.

Summer Camps - June and July



Our camps cover fine arts, science and everything in between. So, check it out by picking up a Summer Camps booklet today.

Register today at www.gloriadeionline.com or call DeAnn at 278-5544, ext. 207.

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Summer Grace Place

Saturday, at 5:50 p.m. and Sunday, at 9:20 a.m. and 10:50 a.m.

Join us this June and July for Grace Place as we learn "Even the Wind and the Waves Obey Him." We'll search the Bible to hear of amazing lessons of when God changed the weather or other natural elements! **Ages:** 2 years old-grade 5.

Lutheran Day at Adventureland

Wednesday, June 23, 2010 from 10 a.m. to closing.

Bring your family and enjoy a day at Adventureland Park in Altoona for Lutheran's Day. This event is open to all families. Tickets can be purchased at the entrance to Adventureland for \$20 per person. For more details, contact Leon Kroemer at 319-363-3349.

Read a book with a friend this summer

Calling all children in preschool through sixth grade! Gloria Dei's summer reading program will be held May to August on Saturday nights from 5-5:30 p.m. or Sundays from 8-11:30 a.m. Sign up with a friend and earn a prize.

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All grades

Adventureland

All grades! We will be going to Adventureland on Wednesday, June 23. Meet at Gloria Dei at 9:15 a.m. We will return around 6:30 p.m. Cost is \$20, plus money for food and games.

Fifth graders

It's here! Join us for Castaway Sunday at 9:20 and 10:50 a.m.

Current grades 5-7

Please sign up to be an acolyte this summer. Sign-up sheet is on the youth bulletin board. You may also contact Lisa at 276-1700, ext. 221 or lisa@gloriadeionline.com. This will serve as service hours for next year's Confirmation.

Junior high grades 6-8

Sunday: Castaway

Castaway will be held in June and July at 9:20 and 10:50 a.m.

"Value Pac"

June 20: "Respect"

June 27: "Responsibility"

Senior high grades 9-12

Wednesday evening - The Point

The Point will meet Wednesdays throughout the summer at 6 p.m. in the Youth Center. Summer focus: "What is God really like?"

June 23: Adventureland, 9:15 a.m.-6:30 p.m.

June 30: "God is for You" to be held at the Kightlinger's followed by mud sliding.

Urbandale Food Pantry

Calling all gardeners! The Urbandale Food Pantry is asking for your help in providing their clients with fresh, nutritious produce this summer. As you harvest your garden this season, please consider donating your surplus fruits and veggies to the food pantry. Last year they had a great response and their clients were very appreciative.

Donations will be accepted during our normal operating hours of 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. If you have a donation and are unable to deliver it during these hours, please contact us at 251-6688. The pantry is located at 7611 Douglas Ave., Suite 31, Urbandale.

Week of June 19-26, 2010

Saturday, June 19

- 4:00 p.m. Northwind Worship Rehearsal
- 5:00 p.m. Listening To God Rooms Open
- 5:30 p.m. Northwind Worship Service in Family Life Center
- 5:50 p.m. Summer Grace Place

Sunday, June 20

- 7:45 a.m. Traditional Worship Service in Sanctuary with Communion
- 8:00 a.m. Listening To God Rooms Open
- 9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service in Sanctuary with Communion
- 9:00 a.m. H3 Worship Service in Family Life Center
- 9:20 a.m. Friedrichs Missionary Visit
- 9:20 a.m. Worship Team Warm-up
- 9:20 a.m. Castaway
- 9:20 a.m. Summer Grace Place
- 10:05 a.m. Friedrichs Missionary Visit
- 10:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service in Sanctuary with Communion
- 10:50 a.m. Summer Grace Place
- 10:50 a.m. Castaway
- 10:50 a.m. Friedrichs Missionary Visit
- 2:00 p.m. Chapel at Emeritus of Urbandale
- 5:30 p.m. AA Meeting

Monday, June 21

- 9:00 a.m. Fine Arts Camp - elementary
- 9:00 a.m. Fine Arts Camp - preschool
- 9:30 a.m. Summer Bible Study - Living Beyond Yourself
- 1:00 p.m. Stephen Ministry Supervision- afternoon
- 4:30 p.m. Kindermusik Young Child, Semester 2
- 6:00 p.m. Beginning Dance for Preschoolers
- 6:30 p.m. Summer Bible Study - Living Beyond Yourself
- 6:30 p.m. Men's Basketball
- 6:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry Supervision - evening
- 6:45 p.m. Creative Dance

Tuesday, June 22

- 9:00 a.m. Fine Arts Camp - elementary
- 9:00 a.m. Fine Arts Camp - preschool
- 1:00 p.m. Staff Meeting
- 5:45 p.m. Beginning Tumbling
- 6:00 p.m. Kindermusik Confetti Days
- 6:00 p.m. Kindermusik Creatures in My Backyard
- 6:30 p.m. Financial Peace University
- 7:00 p.m. Board of Elders Meeting
- 7:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study

Wednesday, June 23

- 9:00 a.m. Fine Arts Camp - elementary
- 9:00 a.m. Fine Arts Camp - preschool
- 5:30 p.m. Listening To God Rooms Open
- 6:00 p.m. Summer Point
- 6:00 p.m. Carrilloneurs
- 6:00 p.m. Patriotic Concert Choir Rehearsal
- 6:00 p.m. Patriotic Concert Children's Choir
- 6:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry Leadership
- 7:00 p.m. Patriotic Concert Orchestra Rehearsal

Thursday, June 24

- 6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study
- 9:00 a.m. Fine Arts Camp - elementary
- 9:00 a.m. Fine Arts Camp - preschool
- 10:00 a.m. Joyful Stitchers
- 6:00 p.m. Kindermusik Peek-a-Boo, I Love You
- 6:00 p.m. Infusion Rehearsal

Friday, June 25

- 5:30 p.m. Devi Spencer and Adam Dunker Rehearsal
- 6:30 p.m. Listening To God Rooms Open
- 7:03 p.m. Re:fuel Experiential Worship

Saturday, June 26

- 7:00 a.m. Patriotic Concert Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00 a.m. Patriotic Concert Orchestra Rehearsal
- 4:00 p.m. Devi Spencer and Adam Dunker Wedding
- 4:00 p.m. Northwind Worship Rehearsal
- 5:00 p.m. Listening To God Rooms Open
- 5:30 p.m. Northwind Worship Service in Family Life Center with Communion
- 5:50 p.m. Summer Grace Place

Worship	Attendance	Communion
Northwind	164	109
7:45 a.m.	98	
9 a.m. (Sanctuary)	255	
9 a.m. (FLC)	71	34
10:30 a.m. (FLC)	224	
Total	812	143

Outpouring of Love	
General Fund Offerings	\$33,232
Fourth QTD Offering	\$357,901
Fourth QTD Budget	\$369,775

Week of June 26-July 3, 2010

Saturday, June 26

- 7:00 a.m. Patriotic Concert Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00 a.m. Patriotic Concert Orchestra Rehearsal
- 4:00 p.m. Devi Spencer and Adam Dunker
Wedding
- 4:00 p.m. Northwind Worship Rehearsal
- 5:00 p.m. Listening To God Rooms Open
- 5:30 p.m. Northwind Worship Service in
Family Life Center with Communion
- 5:50 p.m. Summer Grace Place

Sunday, June 27

- 7:45 a.m. Traditional Worship Service in Sanctuary
- 8:00 a.m. Listening To God Rooms Open
- 9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service in Sanctuary
- 9:00 a.m. H3 Worship Service in Family Life Center
with Communion
- 9:20 a.m. Worship Team Warm-up
- 9:20 a.m. Castaway
- 9:20 a.m. Summer Grace Place
- 10:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service
in Sanctuary
- 10:50 a.m. Summer Grace Place
- 10:50 a.m. Castaway
- 5:30 p.m. AA Meeting
- 6:00 p.m. Patriotic Concert

Monday, June 28

- 9:00 a.m. Gadgets and Gears - preschool
- 9:00 a.m. Gadgets and Gears - elementary
- 9:30 a.m. Summer Bible Study - Living Beyond
Yourself
- 4:30 p.m. Kindermusik Young Child, Semester 2
- 6:00 p.m. Beginning Dance for Preschoolers
- 6:30 p.m. Summer Bible Study - Living Beyond
Yourself
- 6:30 p.m. Men's Basketball
- 6:45 p.m. Creative Dance

Tuesday, June 29

- 9:00 a.m. Gadgets and Gears - preschool
- 9:00 a.m. Gadgets and Gears - elementary
- 1:00 p.m. Staff Meeting
- 5:45 p.m. Beginning Tumbling
- 6:00 p.m. Kindermusik Confetti Days
- 6:00 p.m. Kindermusik Creatures in My Backyard
- 6:30 p.m. Financial Peace University
- 7:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study

Wednesday, June 30

- 9:00 a.m. Gadgets and Gears - preschool
- 9:00 a.m. Gadgets and Gears - elementary
- 5:30 p.m. Listening To God Rooms Open
- 6:00 p.m. Summer Point
- 6:00 p.m. Carrilloneurs
- 6:00 p.m. Summer VBS Leader Meeting

Thursday, July 1

- 6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study
- 9:00 a.m. Gadgets and Gears - preschool
- 9:00 a.m. Gadgets and Gears - elementary
- 10:00 a.m. Joyful Stitchers
- 6:00 p.m. Kindermusik Peek-a-Boo, I Love You
- 6:00 p.m. Infusion Rehearsal

Friday, July 2

- 9:30 a.m. MOM's Club of West Des Moines
- 6:30 p.m. Listening To God Rooms Open
- 7:03 p.m. Re:fuel Experiential Worship

Saturday, July 3

- 4:00 p.m. Northwind Worship Rehearsal
- 5:00 p.m. Listening To God Rooms Open
- 5:30 p.m. Northwind Worship Service in
Family Life Center

Welcome to Gloria Dei! We are glad you are here!

Welcome! Please take some time to get to know us. If you have any questions, ask any of our member or stop by the Information Center today!

Weekend Worship Services

Northwind Contemporary Worship Service: Saturdays at 5:30 p.m. in the Family Life Center: This come-as-you-are service offers high-energy worship. Families are encouraged to worship together; children will be invited to an educational time 20 minutes after the service begins.

Traditional Worship Service: Sundays at 7:45 a.m. in the Sanctuary: Join us in this classical Lutheran worship service that utilizes all three liturgies from the new Lutheran Service Book.

Traditional Worship Service: Sundays at 9 a.m. in the Sanctuary: Our classical Lutheran worship makes use of written and free-flow liturgy with traditional hymns. Families are encouraged to worship together; children and youth will be invited to an educational time 20 minutes after the service begins.

H-3 Family Worship Service: Sundays at 9 a.m. in the Family Life Center: Experience the wonder of a child in this casual and friendly-family atmosphere where families with young children worship together. Toe-tapping hymns, lively praise music and puppets will capture the heart of all family members. Children and youth will be invited to an educational time 20 minutes after the service begins.

Contemporary Worship: Sundays at 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary: This service offers high-energy worship using contemporary Christian songs and praise music. Families are encouraged to worship together; children and youth will be invited to an educational time 20 minutes after the service begins.

Other Important Items

Nursery: Infants to age 3. Located on the lower level with access through the doors in the narthex. The nursery is staffed during all worship services for children ages 3 and under at no cost to the parent.

Cry room: Located in the southwest corner of the narthex is a room with a full view of the Sanctuary for parents to take their small children when they are upset or crying.

Gloria Dei Weekend Worship Times

Saturday Evening: 5:30 Northwind Contemporary

Sunday Morning: 7:45 Traditional • 9:00 Traditional
9:00 H3 Service • 10:30 Contemporary

Grace Place June and July: Saturday at 5:50 p.m.

Sundays 9:20 and 10:50 a.m.

Staffed nursery from 8 a.m.-noon

Communion

Communion is offered on the first and third Sundays of each month during the services in the Sanctuary and the second and fourth Saturdays and Sundays during the services in the Family Life Center.

A note to our guests and visitors: The Lord's Supper is celebrated at Gloria Dei in the belief and with the confession that this Sacrament is the very body and blood of Christ (The Doctrine of the Real Presence) which is received with the bread and the wine for us to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our faith. Our Lord invites to his table those who trust his words, repent of all sin, and seek to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us. If you agree with our beliefs regarding the nature and meaning of this Sacrament and desire to commune with us, you are welcome! For the medical and/or physical needs of members or visitors, non-alcoholic wine will be in the inner circle of each communion tray and will be lighter in color than the regular wine. In addition, gluten-free wafers are available, please alert the elders before the service if possible.



Don't forget to invite a neighbor or a friend to the Patriotic Concert