



Peace
be unto this house
St. Luke 10:5

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH - (MISSOURI SYNOD)

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Church Office Hours (Mon-Fri): 9am-1pm Email: stpaulwa@hickorytech.net

Mission Statement

“Empowered by God’s Word, we joyfully share the Love of Jesus with all people.”

Vision Statement

“We will be a vibrant, welcoming church serving the needs of our members, community, and missions by partnering with other churches and organizations while preaching and teaching the inspired Word of God and our Savior Jesus Christ.”

SUNDAY MORNINGS (SEPTEMBER – MAY)

✠ Divine Service w/Holy Communion:

- 9:00 a.m. (also Facebook Live; and Radio 1170 AM/106.3 FM)

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ANNOUNCEMENT'S:

- *Welcome* **WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE HERE!** If you are a visitor, we look forward to visiting with you today and in the near future. Please write your name, address, and phone number in our visitor's book located at the back of church at the visitor's desk. We invite you to fellowship, coffee & treats following the worship service. Adult Bible Study begins at 10:30 a.m. with Sunday School at 10:15 a.m.
- **Individual or Family Pastoral Care:** *Please remember that Private devotion and Holy Communion are available for individuals or couples that are homebound, at greater risk for COVID, or in times of emergency. Call the church office at 507-835-2647 to schedule an appointment when needed.*
- **Live Streaming on Facebook:** The 9:00 worship service will continue to be live-streamed on Facebook.
- **The Church office will be closed on Monday July 4th.** There will be **NO PRAYER TEAM** on this day in observation of the Fourth of July.
- **Secret Sisters:** Please remember to send your new Secret Brother or Sister a card this month and continue to pray for him/her.
- **Our Women's Bible Study plans** to meet next on July 6th and 20th at 9:30am.
- **A FRIENDLY REMINDER:** July 8th is the last day to sign up to go to the Twins Game.
- **The Board of Stewardship will be collecting cereal for the Neighborhood Service Center Food Shelf** during July and August 2022. There will be a collection box at the front and back entrances to the church. If there is a good response, we will consider extending the time frame indefinitely.
- **The Waseca Area Neighborhood Service Center is once again collecting old shoes.** This is a fundraiser for the Thrift store. Place gently used shoes in labeled boxes at the front of church and near the elevator. Thank you in advance for your donations.
- **St Paul Youth Group would like to invite "all members" to a FREE night at the Waseca Waterpark on Friday July 8th from 7:00-9:00PM.** This is the 5th year the youth have hosted this super fun event. If you have any questions, or if you would like to bring a friend that is not a member, please contact Aimee Hill. In case of inclement weather, please check the Facebook page for updates. We hope to see you all there.
- **Thanks to the family of John and Judy Deling** for donating Pastoral Stoles (one for each church season) to be kept here at church and used by pastors during our Sunday Service.
- **VBS July 31st-August 4th 6p-8p** will be held at Christ the King (due to Clear Lake Park construction). Please register and return to church office by July 15th so enough material is available. **Ages kindergarten through 6th grade.**
- **FREE BALDWIN PIANO** in good condition, needs to be tuned. You will need to pick up and load yourself so bring help. If interested contact Pastor Zimmer at 833-5619.
- **Looking for Volunteers** who are willing to help on Sunday morning with the readings. IF you are able to help, please contact the church office.

Pastor Bob's office hours are as follows:

Monday through Thursday 9am to 2pm

OFF Friday's and Saturday's.

Please contact the church office to make an appointment to see him. Thank You

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Jesus' Peace in Our Hearts and Homes

July 3, 2022



AS WE GATHER

"Peace be to this house!" (Luke 10:5b). "The kingdom of God has come near to you" (Luke 10:9b). Did you catch that? Those are more than words spoken long ago; those are the realities of God's Word being proclaimed directly to you today! Through the living voice of Jesus, peace comes into Your heart and home. As you lay the burdens of your brokenness at the foot of Christ's cross, the healing medicine of His Word and Meal fills you with His mercy. The kingdom of God Himself comes to you and your family today as you gather for worship. Within the household of faith, Jesus is here and "brings pleasure eternal"! Since God Himself is present, lift up your hearts to Him in joyful songs of praise!

✠ PREPARATION ✠

HYMN "America the Beautiful" [See Music Insert]

INVOCATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
People: Amen.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION *Psalm 124:8; 30:3-4*

Pastor: Our help is in the name of the LORD,
People: who made heaven and earth.

Pastor: If You, O LORD, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?
People: But with You there is forgiveness; therefore, You are feared.

Pastor: Almighty God, heavenly Father, hear the prayers of confession we bring before You. Together we pray:

People: Gracious Lord, we confess that we have not feared, loved, and trusted in You above all things. We have allowed other things to distract us from Your presence in our lives. We have not extended Your saving love to others. Have mercy upon us, O Lord. Grant us the Spirit of Jesus, who cleanses us from our sin that we may worship You with joyful hearts and proclaim Your kingdom. Amen.

Pastor: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. His kingdom has come near to you in Christ, and you are blessed to be part of His mission and ministry. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, it is my joy to proclaim Jesus' words of peace to you and, by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

✠ WORD ✠

INTROIT *Psalm 19:2, 4-6; antiphon: v. 1*

Lector: The heavens declare the glory of God,
People: and the sky above proclaims His handiwork.

Lector: Day to day pours out speech, and night to night reveals knowledge.

People: Their measuring line goes out through all the earth, and their words to the end of the world.

Lector: In them He has set a tent for the sun, which comes out like a bridegroom leaving his chamber,

People: and, like a strong man, runs its course with joy.

Lector: Its rising is from the end of the heavens, and its circuit to the end of them,

People: and there is nothing hidden from its heat. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

Lector: The heavens declare the glory of God,

People: and the sky above proclaims His handiwork.

KYRIE

Pastor: In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For the gift of divine peace and of pardon, with all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For the holy Christian Church, here and scattered throughout the world, and for the proclamation of the Gospel and the calling of all to faith, let us pray to the Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.

SALUTATION

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also, with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray.

Almighty God, You have built Your Church on the foundation of the apostles and prophets with Christ Jesus Himself as the cornerstone. Continue to send Your messengers to preserve Your people in true peace that, by the preaching of Your Word, Your Church may be kept free from all harm and danger; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING: *Isaiah 66:10–14* (The Lord will extend His peace)

“Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her, all you who love her; rejoice with her in joy, all you who mourn over her;¹¹ that you may nurse and be satisfied from her consoling breast; that you may drink deeply with delight from her glorious abundance.”¹² For thus says the LORD: “Behold, I will extend peace to her like a river, and the glory of the nations like an overflowing stream; and you shall nurse, you shall be carried upon her hip, and bounced upon her knees.¹³ As one whom his mother comforts, so I will comfort you; you shall be comforted in Jerusalem.¹⁴ You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice; your bones shall flourish like the grass; and the hand of the LORD shall be known to his servants, and he shall show his indignation against his enemies.

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL *Romans 10:15b, 18b; Isaiah 52:7b, alt.*

Lector: How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news,

People: who publish peace and bring good news of salvation.

Lector: Their voice has gone out to all the earth,

People: and their words to the ends of the world.

EPISTLE *Galatians 6:1–10, 14–18* (Sharing peace, mercy, and all good things in the household of faith)
6 Brothers, if anyone is caught in any transgression, you who are spiritual should restore him in a spirit of gentleness. Keep watch on yourself, lest you too be tempted. 2 Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ. 3 For if anyone thinks he is something, when he is nothing, he deceives himself. 4 But let each one test his own work, and then his reason to boast will be in himself alone and not in his neighbor. 5 For each will have to bear his own load. 6 Let the one who is taught the word share all good things with the one who teaches. 7 Do not be deceived: God is not mocked, for whatever one sows, that will he also reap. 8 For the one who sows to his own flesh will from the flesh reap corruption, but the one who sows to the Spirit will from the Spirit reap eternal life. 9 And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up. 10 So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith. 14 But far be it from me to boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. 15 For neither circumcision counts for anything, nor uncircumcision, but a new creation. 16 And as for all who walk by this rule, peace and mercy be upon them, and upon the Israel of God. 17 From now on let no one cause me trouble, for I bear on my body the marks of Jesus. 18 The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, brothers. Amen.

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

VERSE *Luke 10:5b, 9b*

Pastor: Alleluia. Peace be to this house!

People: The kingdom of God has come near to you. Alleluia.

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the tenth chapter.

People: Glory to You, O Lord.

HOLY GOSPEL: *Luke 10:1–20* (Jesus sends out His messengers of peace to proclaim the kingdom of God.)
10 After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them on ahead of him, two by two, into every town and place where he himself was about to go. 2 And he said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore, pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest." 3 Go your way; behold, I am sending you out as lambs in the midst of wolves. 4 Carry no moneybag, no knapsack, no sandals, and greet no one on the road. 5 Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace be to this house!' 6 And if a son of peace is there, your peace will rest upon him. But if not, it will return to you. 7 And remain in the same house, eating and drinking what they provide, for the laborer deserves his wages. Do not go from house to house. 8 Whenever you enter a town and they receive you, eat what is set before you. 9 Heal the sick in it and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' 10 But whenever you enter a town and they do not receive you, go into its streets and say, 11 'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet we wipe off against you. Nevertheless know this, that the kingdom of God has come near.' 12 I tell you, it will be more bearable on that day for Sodom than for that town. 13 'Woe to you, Chorazin! Woe to you, Bethsaida! For if the mighty works done in you had been done in Tyre and Sidon, they would have repented long ago, sitting in sackcloth and ashes. 14 But it will be more bearable in the judgment for Tyre and Sidon than for you. 15 And you, Capernaum, will you be exalted to heaven? You shall be brought down to Hades. 16 "The one who hears you hears me, and the one who rejects you rejects me, and the one who rejects me rejects him who sent me." 17 The seventy-two returned with joy, saying, "Lord, even the demons are subject to us in your name!" 18 And he said to them, "I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. 19 Behold, I have given you authority to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall hurt you. 20 Nevertheless, do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to You, O Christ.

CREED *Nicene Creed*

People: I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life α of the world to come. Amen.

HYMN "Lift High the Cross" [LSB 837]

SERMON

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Pastor: Let us pray for the whole people of God...where You dwell by Your Holy Spirit.

People: Enable us to receive Your Word with trusting hearts, knowing that the message we hear today is the living and active voice of Jesus.

Pastor: When You sent out workers Your ongoing presence in their lives.

People: We praise You for doing the same in our lives today, gracious Lord! Even as Your Church goes through challenging times, remind us that Your mission continues and Your presence remains with us always.

Pastor: Merciful King, equip all pastors, teachers, missionaries..... Christ in the ventures You have prepared for us.

People: Bless our ministry and mission here that we may worship You in Spirit and in truth, doing all that we can to proclaim Your Word in our community.

Pastor: Healing Lord, You give the pure medicinepraise You for Your work in their lives.

People: We thank You, O Lord, that You hear and heal. Answer and bless all those who call out to You for mercy.

Pastor: Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend ourselves and all those for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

People: Amen.

✠ SACRAMENT ✠

PREFACE *2 Timothy 4:22*

Pastor: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.
People: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

PROPER PREFACE

Pastor: It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, for the countless blessings You so freely give to us and to all who belong to the household of faith. Above all, we give thanks for Your boundless love shown to us when You sent Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, into this world to bear our burdens and pay the penalty for our sins by His death upon the cross. Because He is now risen from the dead and lives and reigns to all eternity, Satan is defeated and the peace of Jesus is offered to all who trust in Him! Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

SANCTUS *Jesus Christ Is Risen Today (LSB 457 Verse 1)*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Pastor: Blessed are You, O Lord our God, King of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life. Your Word has declared to all who trust in Him that we are now members of a Kingdom that can never be taken away. We give You thanks for the redemption You have prepared for us through Jesus Christ. Grant that the healing medicine of Your Word and Sacrament may put to flight the diseases of our souls that, with willing hearts, we may ever love and serve You. Hear us as we pray in His name and as He has taught us:

LORD'S PRAYER **People: 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**

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

Matthew 26:26-28

Pastor: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."
In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the New Testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

PAX DOMINI

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.
People: Amen.

AGNUS DEI *Jesus Christ Is Risen Today (LSB 457 Verse 4)*

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

“When Peace Like a River”

(LSB 763)

“A Hymn for God’s People in Two Kingdoms”

(Tune Only LSB 965 - Choir)

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

(LSB 425)

POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING

Pastor: Let us pray.

O God the Father, the fountain and source of all goodness, who in loving-kindness sent Your only-begotten Son into the flesh, we thank You that for His sake You have given us pardon and peace in this Meal of mercy. We ask You not to forsake Your children but always to reign in our hearts and homes by Your Holy Spirit that we may be enabled constantly to serve You; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

CLOSING SENTENCES *Luke 10:5b, 9b*

Pastor: Peace be to this house!

People: The kingdom of God has come near to you.

BENEDICTION *Numbers 6:24–26*

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

People: Amen.

HYMN “My Country Tis of Thee” [See Music Insert]

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- **Is anyone in need of furniture? We have the following items available:**
 - throw pillows, baskets, decorative items, wall hangings, iron,
 - Kitchen table and 4 chairs, full length mirror
 - Bookshelf, desk, tv stand,

After July 5th, the remaining items will be donated to the Neighborhood Service Center. Please contact the Church office if you are interested or would like to see any items. Thank you.

IN OUR PRAYERS:

- **Called Home:**
- **Hospice:** Anna Worke (Mother of Dean Worke) and Marcia Meiners (Sister of Craig and Kathy Miller)
- **Hospitalized:** LeeAnn Paulson
- **Illness:**
- **Surgery, testing, and upcoming procedures:** Nick Ulschmid and Anna Mae Ulschmid (mother to Mike) who have had surgeries.
- **Thanksgiving & Continued Recovery:** Pastor Zimmer
- **Treatment:** Tim Andree (friend of Matt Klinger)
- **For those with Covid-19**
- **Those who are sick and/or in need and wish to remain unnamed.**
- **All the service men & women who are serving in the military:** Noah Berg, Matthew Gilmore, Jordan Labiack, Jacob Lemmen, Aaron & Sarah Lenz, Jason Paschall, David Reinsbach, John Thompson
- **Waseca Circuit Missionaries:** Rev. Edward Naumann & Rev. Dr. Stephen Oliver (Taiwan) & John Wolff (Kenya)
- **Ukraine**

UP COMING EVENTS:

- July 8th 7pm-9pm: Waterpark night hosted by St Paul Youth Group. All Members are invited.
- July 10th @ 6pm: Church Council Meeting
- July 31st @ 10am: Quarterly Voter's Meeting
- July 31st – August 4th: VBS at Christ the King "Park-ing lot"

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St. Paul Lutheran Church

- **Preparing for Holy Communion:** To assist in a time of preparation, prayers are located in the front cover and on pages 329-330 of your hymnal. For anyone with alcohol concerns, diluted cups are located in the center of the tray. Gluten free communion wafers are available upon request.
- **Facebook Live-stream and Radio Broadcasts:** Our worship service is live-streamed on Facebook each Sunday at 9:00 a.m. (*in Facebook search for: @stpaulwaseca to locate our Facebook page.*) Our worship service is also Radio Broadcast each Sunday at 9:00 a.m. on Radio 1170 AM or 106.3 FM, and www.newstalk1170.com
- **Prayer Chain:** If you would like to add someone or something to the prayer chain, please call the church office at 835-2647.
- **Sunday School: Beginning in September, please** join us for Sunday School at 10:15-11:15, for ages 3 through grade 8.

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The Lord's Supper

- † We believe, teach, and confess in accordance with Holy Scripture that the Lord's Supper is a precious gift from God, in which Christ gives us His true body and blood, in, with, and under the bread and wine, for the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our faith.
- † The Bible teaches that this sacrament may also be spiritually harmful when misused, (*For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death till He comes. Therefore, whoever eats this bread or drinks this cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of the body and blood of the Lord. But let a man examine himself, and so let him eat of the bread and drink of the cup. For he who eats and drinks in an unworthy manner eats and drinks judgment to himself, not discerning the Lord's body. For this reason, many are weak and sick among you, and many sleep. 1 Corinthians 11:26-30*)
- † The Lord's Supper is a testimony of the unity in faith. We ask that only those who have been instructed and who are in fellowship with the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod come with a contrite and joyful heart to the Lord's Table. (**Acts 2:42** *And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers*)
- † Any guest wishing to receive communion here at St. Paul Lutheran Church, please speak with the Pastor or the Elder on duty, prior to the church service. Thank You.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE: July 3rd - July 10th, 2022

Sunday (3rd):

9:00 a.m. Divine Service w/ Holy Communion (also Facebook Live; and Radio 1170 AM/106.3 FM)

10:30 a.m. Adult Bible Study and Coffee hour

Monday (4th):

Office will be closed

No Prayer Team

Tuesday (5th):

6:00 p.m. Board of Stewardship

Wednesday (6th):

9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study

6:00 p.m. Board of Elder's

7:00 p.m. Board of Trustees and Board of Evangelism

7:00 p.m. Contemporary Ensemble practice

Thursday (7th):

6:00 a.m. Bible Breakfast at Jonnie Beans

Friday (8th):

5pm – 7pm Waseca Waterpark Family Night hosted by the Youth Group

Saturday (9th):

Sunday (10th):

9:00 am Divine Service w/Holy Communion (also Facebook Live; and Radio 1170 AM/106.3 FM)

10:30 am Adult Bible Study and coffee hour

SERVING THE LORD IN OUR WORSHIP SERVICE:

THIS WEEK: July 3rd:

ORGANIST: Cindy Wood

ACOLYTE: Derek Hammer

ELDER/DEACON: Bob Roemhildt/Andrew Gilmore & Kraig Deling

RADIO MONITOR: Ron Wood

FACEBOOK LIVE: Geri Kuschel

NEXT WEEK: July 10th:

ORGANIST: Cindy Wood

ACOLYTE: Traehvon Miller-Nelson

RADIO MONITOR: Ben Hill

FACEBOOK: Kathy Flogstad

LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS:

Worship Attendance on June 26th: 109 Bible Study: 33 Sunday School: 0

General Fund (in person & Direct Deposit) June 26th: \$2,656.00 Dedicated Funds: June 26th: \$1694.03



America, the Beautiful

Accompaniment

Katherine L. Bates, 1859-1929

MATERNA
Samuel A. Ward, 1848-1903

1 O beau - ti - ful for spa - cious skies, for am - ber waves of grain.
2 O beau - ti - ful for pil - grim feet, whose stern, in - pas - sioned stress
3 O beau - ti - ful for he - roes proved in lib - er - at - ing strife.
4 O beau - ti - ful for pa - triot dream that sees be - yond the years:

For pur - ple moun - tain maj - es - ties a - bove the fruit - ed plain!
A thor - ough - fare for free - dom beat a - cross the wit - der - ness!
Who more than self their coun - try loved, and mer - cy more than life!
Thine al - a - bas - ter cit - ies gleam, un - dimmed by hu - man tears!

A - mer - i - cal! A - mer - i - cal! God shed His grace on thee,
A - mer - i - cal! A - mer - i - cal! God mend thine ev - 'ry flaw,
A - mer - i - cal! A - mer - i - cal! May God thy gold re - fine,
A - mer - i - cal! A - mer - i - cal! God shed His grace on thee.

And crown thy good with broth - er - hood from sea to shin - ing sea!
Con - firm thy soul in self - con - trol, thy lib - er - ty in law!
Till all suc - cess be no - ble - ness, and ev - 'ry gain di - vine!
And crown thy good with broth - er - hood from sea to shin - ing sea!

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HYMN "My Country 'Tis Of Thee"

1. My country, 'tis of thee,
sweet land of liberty, of thee I sing;
land where my fathers died,
land of the pilgrims' pride,
from every mountainside let freedom ring!
2. My native country, thee,
land of the noble free, thy name I love;
I love thy rocks and rills,
thy woods and templed hills;
my heart with rapture thrills, like that above.
3. Let music swell the breeze,
and ring from all the trees sweet freedom's song;
let mortal tongues awake;
let all that breathe partake;
let rocks their silence break, the sound prolong.
4. Our fathers' God, to thee,
author of liberty, to thee we sing;
long may our land be bright
with freedom's holy light;
protect us by thy might, great God, our King.