

RADICAL HOSPITALITY  
SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS



OCTOBER 18TH, 2015  
10:45 WORSHIP  
PARTICIPATION

# THE PRACTICE OF RADICAL HOSPITALITY

October 18, 2015 | 10:45 a.m. Worship

## Gather

### Sounding of the Shofar

*(Please gather for worship in the sanctuary when the Shofar is heard.)*

### Prelude

*“Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ”*

### Welcome

**\*Opening Hymn #525**     *“You Are Holy”*

### \*Time of Honesty ...

Leader: In gathering to praise God, we remember that we have preferred our wills to God’s will. Accepting God’s power to make us a new creation in Christ, let us ask God to forgive us.

All: **Eternal God, our judge and redeemer,  
You call us to be one holy people  
and send us to serve you in a broken and divided world.  
But we separate ourselves from each other.  
Pride hinders our obedience.  
We fail to show your presence in our lives.  
We are indifferent to those in need around us.  
Lord, have mercy upon us,  
cleanse us from our sins,  
and heal our brokenness  
that from now on we may serve you in newness of life,  
to the glory of your holy name.**

\*Please stand as you are able. 2

Leader: Hear the good news!  
The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance,  
that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.  
Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.

All: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.  
New life is given. Let us celebrate.**

**\*Song of Honesty #592 "Just As I Am, without One Plea"  
(Invitation to the Font)**

**\*Prayer of the Day**

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## Word

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### **Children's Message**

*The children may bring their offerings forward at this time for 'Side by Side Kids'. After the Children's Message, children may be taken to the preschool nursery or return to their families.*

*(Please sign and pass the attendance book at this time.)*

### **Scripture Reading ... Galatians 6:1-10 (NRSV)**

My friends, if anyone is detected in a transgression, you who have received the Spirit should restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness. Take care that you yourselves are not tempted. Bear one another's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ. For if those who are nothing think they are something, they deceive themselves. All must test their own work; then that work, rather than their neighbor's work, will become a cause for pride. For all must carry their own loads.

Those who are taught the word must share in all good things with their teacher.

Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh; but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit. So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up. So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith.

**\*Song of Response #513 "Listen, God Is Calling"**

## **\*Gospel Reading ... Luke 10:1-12 (NRSV)**

After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. He said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this house!' And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the laborer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, 'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near.' I tell you, on that day it will be more tolerable for Sodom than for that town.

Pastor: The Gospel of the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

## **Message**

### ***"Radical Hospitality: Participation"***

**Pastor Tom Grevlos**

## **\*Message Song**

**#661 *"I Love to Tell the Story"***

## **\*Apostles Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## **\*Prayers of the Community**

## **\*Sharing of the Peace**

### **Offering**

*“Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.” (Matthew 25:40)*

**Offertory      *Senior Bells*      *“Rock-a-My-Soul”*      arr. Stephenson**

**\*Offering Response #674      *“Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ”***

### **\*Offering Prayer**

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## **Communion**

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

#### **\*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;  
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.

### **Invitation to the Lord’s Table**

#### **Communion Distribution**

*As we celebrate this sacrament, all are invited to the Lord’s Table. God is really present - in bread and wine - forgiving sins and promising new life. In the distribution, individual cups have been pre-filled with wine or white grape juice (in the center of the trays).*

#### **Communion Music**

***“Come, Labor On”***

**Senior Choir**

\*Please stand as you are able.

## Post Communion Blessing

## Life in Community

# Sending

### \*Benediction

\*Closing Song #677 *“This Little Light of Mine”*

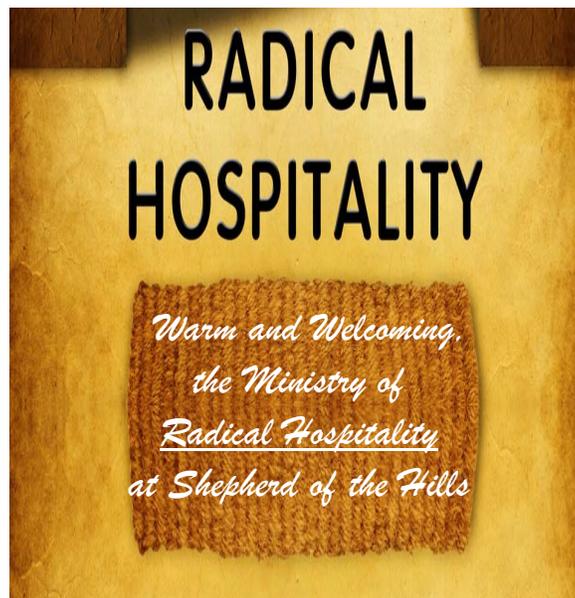
### \*Sending

Leader: Let us go out into the great harvest as workers in God’s field of life and let our light shine!

All: Thanks be to God . . . And we will!

### Postlude

*“This Little Light of Mine”*



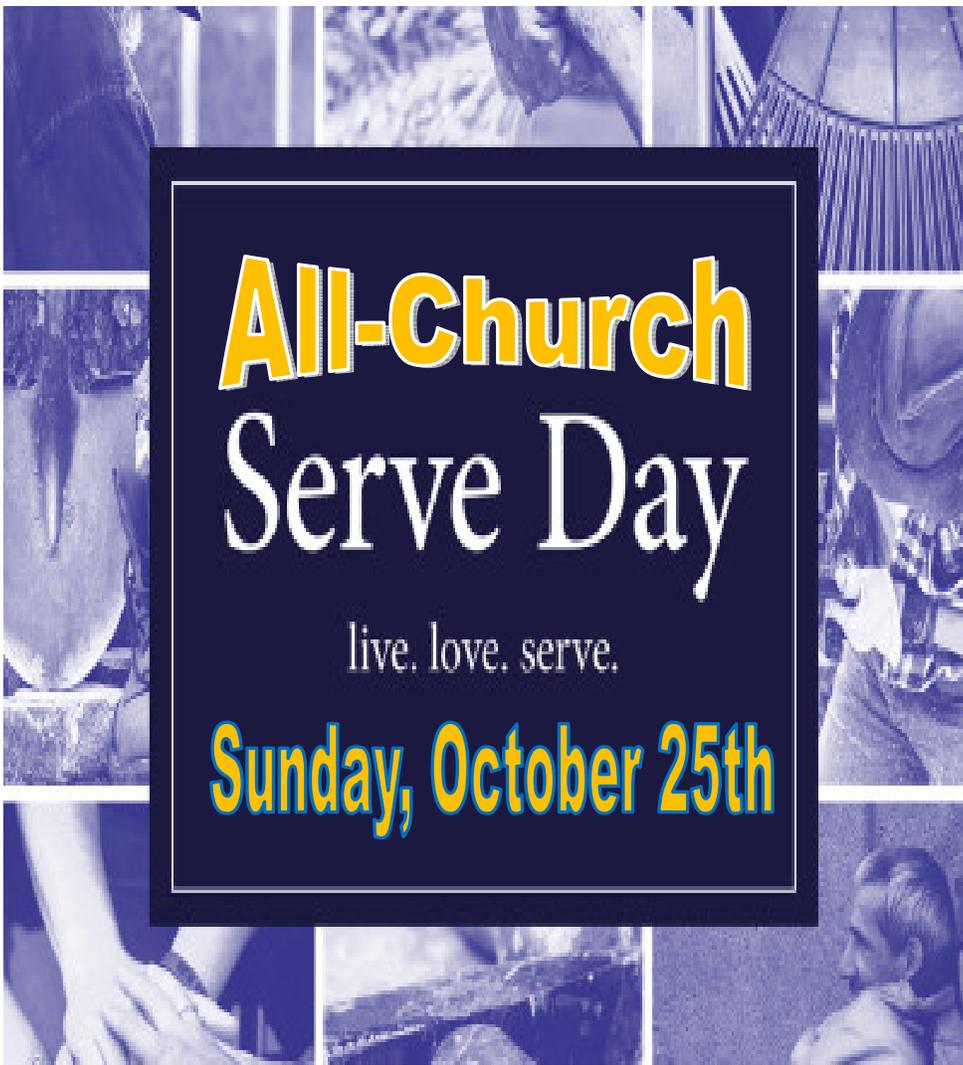
## Prayers

- ◆ For the 2015 Guatemala Mission Trip participants traveling October 21<sup>st</sup>—28<sup>th</sup>:  
Lois Bilbrough, Don Cadenhead, Pastor Felix Malpica, Jessica Malpica, Cecilia Neuhaus, Dr. Bill Deaton, Steve Rohn, and Steve Youngdahl.
- ◆ For Lil Schleede, Bradley Vaughan, Don Schrader, Robert Jones, and Dale Mann on their health challenges.
- ◆ For Jeri Porter, upon the death of her sister.
- ◆ For Graeme Etzler, daughter-in-law of Denny and Nancy Etzler.
- ◆ For our brothers and sisters who are refugees, seeking a better life.
- ◆ For our Ministry Fair today and our faith community, that we may be a church without walls and live out loud...faithfully!

## Sunday Morning Servants

<b>Pastors</b>	Pr. Tom Grevlos, Pr. Felix Malpica
<b>Director of Worship/Arts</b>	Kevin McClure
<b>Assisting Minister</b>	Julie Petrich (8:15), Jesse Demmel (10:45)
<b>Instrumentalists</b>	Jacob Thogmartin (8:15), Lisa Boatman, DeeDee Eastwood, Laura Hills, Jacob Thogmartin (10:45)
<b>Altar Stewards</b>	Ken and Elnora McDonald (8:15)
<b>Ushers</b>	Steve Schulz, Tony Bonnema (10:45)
<b>Greeters</b>	Donna Herschleb (8:15), Linda Roesle (10:45)
<b>Communion Bread</b>	Ron and Charlyn Bacon
<b>Coffee Angels</b>	Mark and Kathy Gerhardt (8:15)
<b>Offering Counters</b>	Charlyn Bacon, Debi Schoenfelt
<b>Bulletin Team</b>	Marie Fortune, Barbara Hampton, Kay Knutsen, Elnora McQuiston
<b>Cover Design</b>	Nicholas Dertien
<b>Guatemala Lutheran Church</b>	Pr. Karen Castillo

**Thank you for worshipping God today! Following the service, you are invited to remain for fellowship. If you are a visitor, please introduce yourself to one of our pastors or church staff. Blessings!**



# All-Church Serve Day

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Sunday, October 25th

ONE WORSHIP | LUNCH | SERVE

Sign up **TODAY** in the narthex!