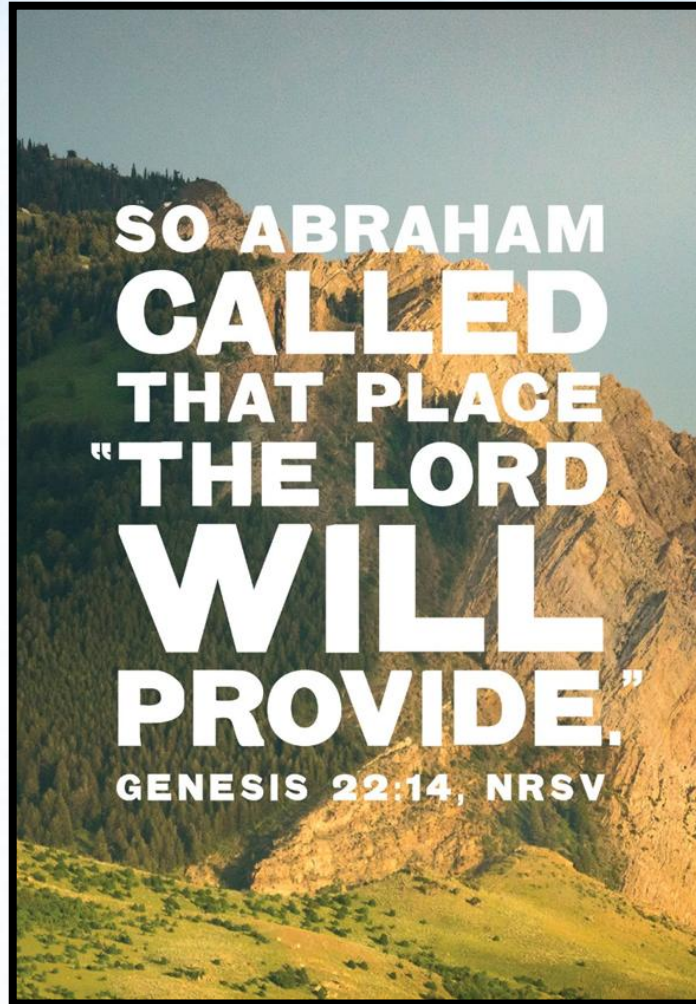


WELCOME!
Trinity Lutheran Church
September 14, 2025



- * = Please stand if able**
- = Please be seated**

- Prelude - *By Roxanne Groff***
- Office of the Acolyte**
- Ringing of the Bell**
- Welcome**

* **THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM**

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✝ one God, the fountain of living water, the rock who gave us birth, our light and our salvation.

C: Amen.

* **THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM**

P: Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, we are clothed with God's mercy and forgiveness. Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

Water may be poured into the font as the presiding minister gives thanks.

*** THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM**

P: We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters and by your Word you created the world, calling forth life in which you took delight. Through the waters of the flood you delivered Noah and his family. Through the sea you led your people Israel from slavery into freedom.

*** THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM**

P: At the river your Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Holy Spirit. By water and your Word you claim us as daughters and sons, making us heirs of your promise and servants of all. We praise you for the gift of water that sustains life, and above all we praise you for the gift of new life in Jesus Christ.

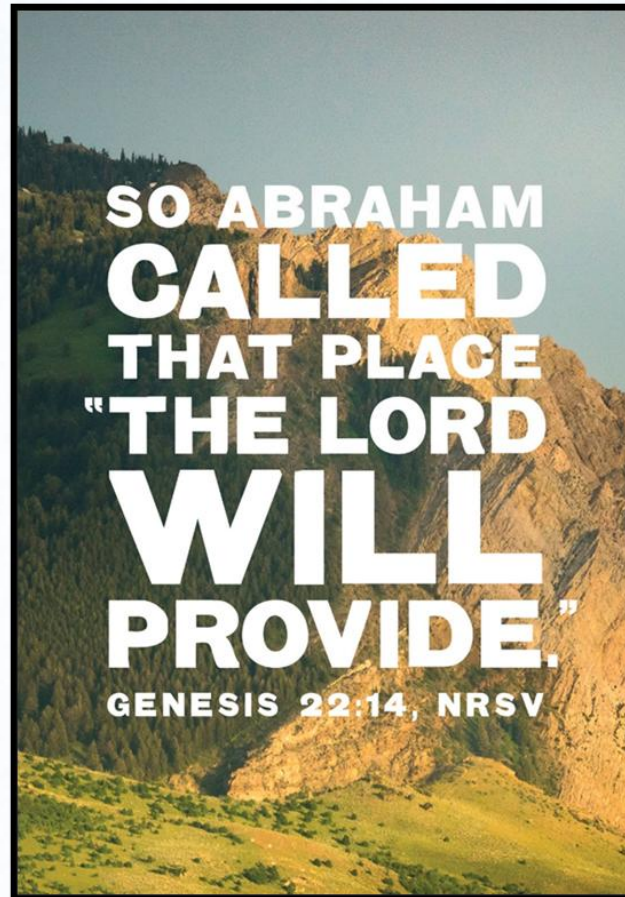
*** THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM**

P: Shower us with your Spirit, and renew our lives with your forgiveness, grace, and love. To you be given honor and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

C: Amen.

* Gathering Song

**“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”
LBW 499**



*** “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”**

LBW 499

**1 Come, thou Fount of ev'ry blessing,
tune my heart to sing thy grace;
streams of mercy, never ceasing,
call for songs of loudest praise.
While the hope of endless glory
fills my heart with joy and love,
teach me ever to adore thee;
may I still thy goodness prove.**

*** “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”**

LBW 499

2 Here I raise my Ebenezer:

**"Hither by thy help I've come";
and I hope, by thy good pleasure,
safely to arrive at home.**

**Jesus sought me when a stranger,
wand'ring from the fold of God;
he, to rescue me from danger,
interposed his precious blood.**

*** “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”**

LBW 499

**3 Oh, to grace how great a debtor
daily I'm constrained to be;
let that grace now like a fetter
bind my wand'ring heart to thee.
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it;
prone to leave the God I love.
Here's my heart, oh,
take and seal it;
seal it for thy courts above.**

*** APOSTOLIC GREETING**

**P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God, and the communion
of the Holy Spirit be with you all.**

C: And also with you.

- **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: Holy God, you did not withhold even your own Son, who willingly gave his life for the redemption of the world. Loosen our grasp on worldly things, that we might be freed from our fears of loss and inspire us to work for justice for all that you have made. In Jesus' name we pray.

C: Amen.

KIDZ KORNER



•Scripture Reading

**L: Our scripture reading is from
Genesis, chapters 21 and 22.**

C: Glory to you O' Lord!

- **Genesis 21:1-3; 22:1-14**

Chapter 21

The Lord dealt with Sarah as he had said, and the Lord did for Sarah as he had promised. ²Sarah conceived and bore Abraham a son in his old age, at the time of which God had spoken to him.

³Abraham gave the name Isaac to his son whom Sarah bore him.

- **Genesis 21:1-3; 22:1-14**

Chapter 22

After these things God tested Abraham. He said to him, Abraham!” And he said, “Here I am.” ²He said, “Take your son, your only son Isaac, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah, and offer him there as a burnt offering on one of the mountains that I shall show you.”

- **Genesis 21:1-3; 22:1-14**

Chapter 22

³So Abraham rose early in the morning, saddled his donkey, and took two of his young men with him, and his son Isaac; he cut the wood for the burnt offering, and set out and went to the place in the distance that God had shown him. ⁴On the third day Abraham looked up and saw the place far away. ⁵Then

- **Genesis 21:1-3; 22:1-14**

Chapter 22

**Abraham said to his young men,
“Stay here with the donkey; the boy
and I will go over there; we will
worship, and then we will come back
to you.” ⁶Abraham took the wood of
the burnt offering and laid it on his
son Isaac, and he himself carried
the fire and the knife. So the two of
them walked on together. ⁷Isaac said**

- **Genesis 21:1-3; 22:1-14**

Chapter 22

to his father Abraham, “Father!” And he said, “Here I am, my son.” He said, “The fire and the wood are here, but where is the lamb for a burnt offering?” ⁸Abraham said, “God himself will provide the lamb for a burnt offering, my son.” So the two of them walked on together. ⁹When they came to the place that

- **Genesis 21:1-3; 22:1-14**

Chapter 22

God had shown him, Abraham built an altar there and laid the wood in order. He bound his son Isaac, and laid him on the altar, on top of the wood. ¹⁰Then Abraham reached out his hand and took the knife to kill his son. ¹¹But the angel of the Lord called to him from heaven, and said, “Abraham, Abraham!” And he said,

- **Genesis 21:1-3; 22:1-14**

Chapter 22

“Here I am.” ¹²He said, “Do not lay your hand on the boy or do anything to him; for now I know that you fear God, since you have not withheld your son, your only son, from me.”

¹³And Abraham looked up and saw a ram, caught in a thicket by its horns.

- **Genesis 21:1-3; 22:1-14**

Chapter 22

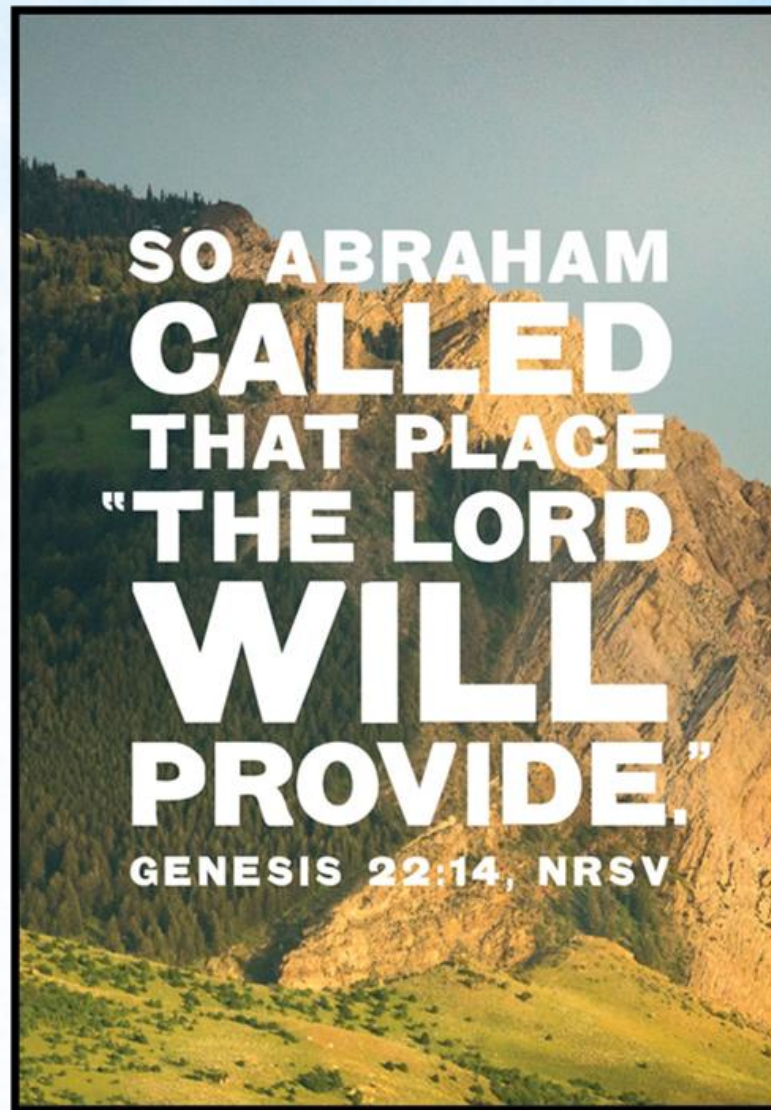
Abraham went and took the ram and offered it up as a burnt offering instead of his son. ¹⁴So Abraham called that place “The Lord will provide”; as it is said to this day, “On the mount of the Lord it shall be provided.”

- **Genesis 21:1-3; 22:1-14**

R: This is the Word of the Lord!

C: Praise to You, O Christ

Sermon



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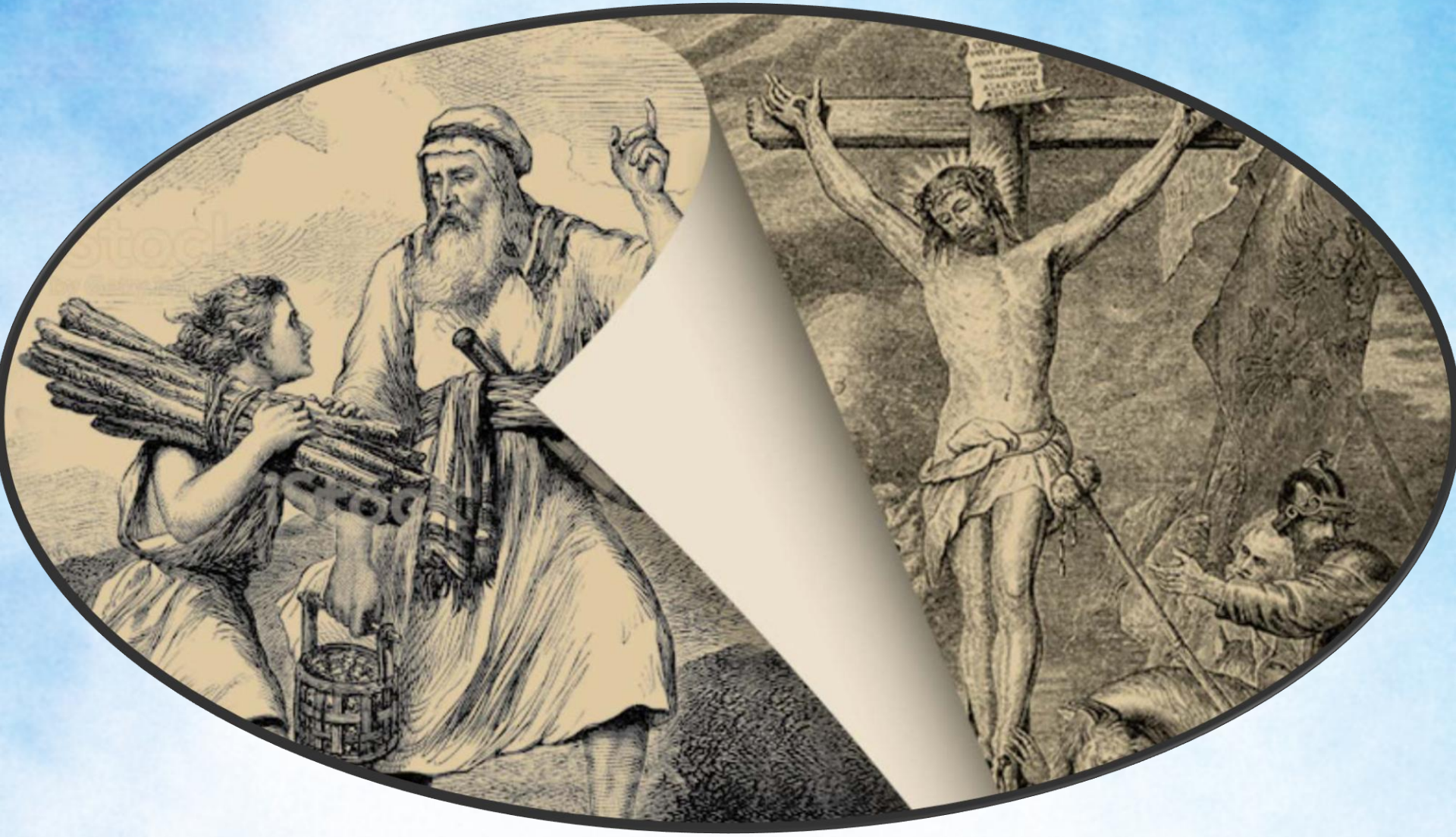
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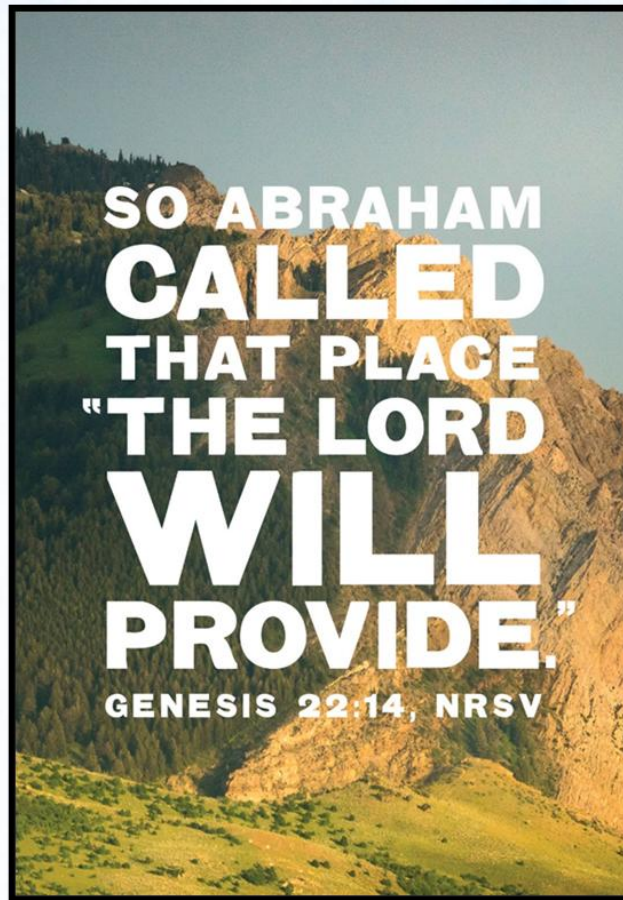
**Abraham named the place
Yahweh-Yireh**

**which means
"the LORD will provide"**

Genesis 22:14



*** Hymn of the Day**
“Faith of Our Fathers”
LBW 500



**1 Faith of our fathers,
living still
in spite of dungeon,
fire, and sword.
Oh, how our hearts beat
high with joy
whene'er we hear
that glorious word.**

Refrain

Faith of our fathers,
holy faith,
we will be true
to thee till death.

**2 The martyrs, chained
in prisons dark,
were still in heart
and conscience free;
and blest would be
their children's fate
if they, like them,
should die for thee.**

Refrain

Faith of our fathers,
holy faith,
we will be true
to thee till death.

**3 Faith of our fathers!
We will love
both friend and foe
in all our strife;
proclaim thee too,
as love knows how,
by saving word
and faithful life.**

Refrain

Faith of our fathers,
holy faith,
we will be true
to thee till death.

*** APOSTLE'S CREED**

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

*** APOSTLE'S CREED**

C: 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.

*** APOSTLE'S CREED**

C: 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.

*** APOSTLE'S CREED**

C: 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 INTERCESSION

Each petition will end with the words,

A: God of promise,

The congregation will respond with:

C: Hear our prayer.

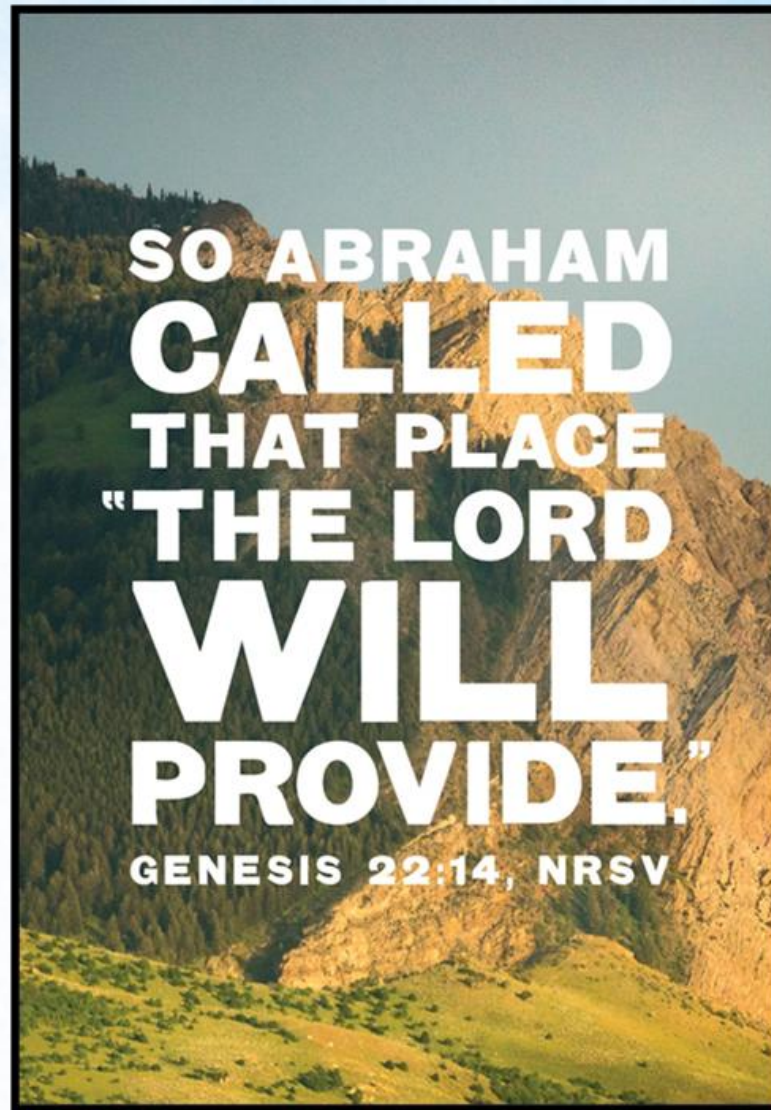
* PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

The prayer concludes...

P: We lift all these prayers, and those of our hearts, to your loving care, O God. Receive them and restore our hope in your promises. In Jesus' name.

C: Amen.

* OFFERING/OFFERING PRAYER



*** THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**C: 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.**

*** THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**C: For thine is the kingdom, and
the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.**

- **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

A wooden sign with the word "Church" in a white, cursive, 3D font on a dark wood background. Below it, the word "Announcements" is in a similar white, cursive, 3D font on a dark red background. A white horizontal bar is positioned below the word "Announcements".

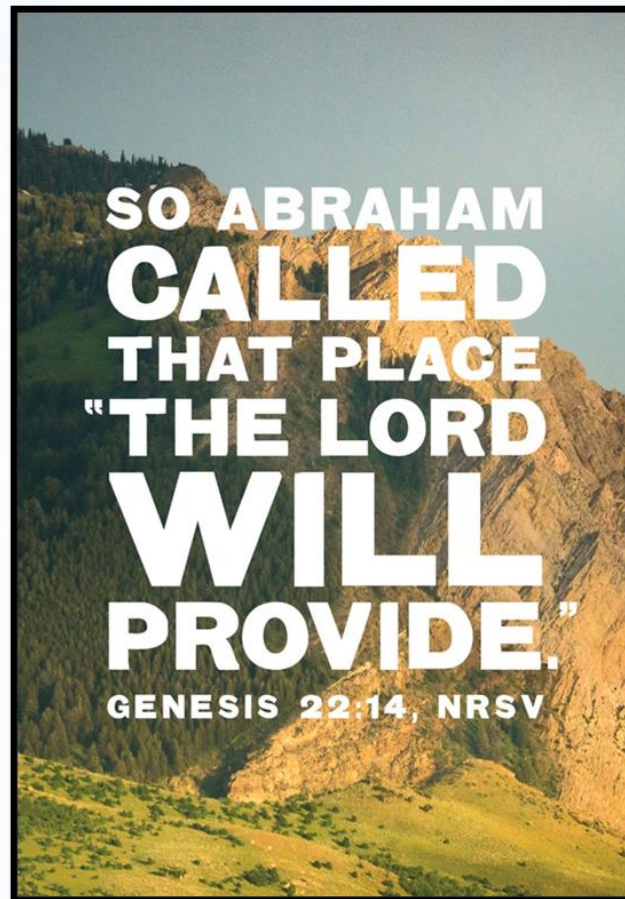
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*** SENDING BLESSING**

P: The love of God abound in you; the grace of our Savior Jesus Christ fill your hearts; and the life of the Spirit  bless you and give you peace.

C: Amen.

*** SENDING HYMN**
“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”
ELW 733



*** “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” ELW 733**

**1 Great is thy faithfulness,
O God my Father;
there is no shadow
of turning with thee;
thou changest not,
thy compassions they fail not;
as thou hast been,
thou forever wilt be.**

* “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” ELW 733

Refrain

Great is thy faithfulness!
Great is thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning
new mercies I see;
all I have needed
thy hand hath provided;
great is thy faithfulness,
Lord, unto me!

*** “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” ELW 733**

**2 Summer and winter and
springtime and harvest,
sun, moon, and stars
in their courses above
join with all nature
in manifold witness
to thy great faithfulness,
mercy, and love.**

* “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” ELW 733

Refrain

Great is thy faithfulness!
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Morning by morning
new mercies I see;
all I have needed
thy hand hath provided;
great is thy faithfulness,
Lord, unto me!

*** “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” ELW 733**

**3 Pardon for sin and
a peace that endureth,
thine own dear presence
to cheer and to guide;
strength for today
and bright hope for tomorrow,
blessings all mine,
with ten thousand beside!**

* “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” ELW 733

Refrain

Great is thy faithfulness!
Great is thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning
new mercies I see;
all I have needed
thy hand hath provided;
great is thy faithfulness,
Lord, unto me!

*** DISMISSAL**

P: ... Depart in Christ's Love.

**C: Seeking, welcoming, and serving
all. Amen!**

POSTLUDE

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