

Sunday Worship & Prayers

PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES

Third Sunday after Pentecost – Healing Service

June 29, 2025

10:00am worship service

Welcome to Cross of Hope

a Spirit-centered community that shares Christ's love through worship, education, and outreach to develop and strengthen relationships with God.



CROSS OF HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH AND SCHOOL

Loving God - Transforming Relationships - Serving Others

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace... Romans 15:13

Holy Communion –10:00am – Summer Setting

All page and song numbers refer to Evangelical Lutheran Worship unless otherwise noted.

GATHERING

Prelude	<i>Prelude #4</i>	...COH Brass
Rite of Healing - Laying on of Hands		
<i>Special Music (see page 6)</i>	<i>It is Well</i>	COH Brass
Gathering Hymn	<i>Cast Out, O Christ</i>	ACS Song 1016
Apostolic Greeting		
Prayer of the Day		

WORD

Readings	Acts 12:1-11; 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18	
Gospel Acclamation	<i>Celtic Alleluia</i>	Song 174
Gospel	John 21:15-19	
Children's Time		
Sermon	Extraordinary Ordinary Faith	Pastor Adam Berndt
Hymn of the Day	<i>By All Your Saints (vs 1, 2, 7, 8, Last)</i>	Song 421
Apostle Creed		
Prayers of Intercession		
Peace		

MEAL

Offering	<i>This Little Light</i>	COH Brass
Offertory Prayer		
The Lord's Prayer		
Communion	<i>There Is a Balm in Gilead</i>	Song 614
Prayer After Communion		

SENDING

Blessing		
Sending Song	<i>Lift High the Cross</i>	Song 660
Dismissal		
Postlude	<i>Prelude #4</i>	COH Brass

WORSHIP NOTES

In Holy Communion, God meets us in the meal. Jesus is truly present, and we come by the Spirit's grace. You are always welcome at God's table. All baptized believers are welcome to share in this, God's gift to us.

Receive the bread and eat. *Gluten free option by request.*

Receive the wine (or juice) and drink. Place cup in nearby basket.

SERVING TODAY

Presiding Minister	Pr. Adam Berndt
Assisting Minister	Rhonda Warner
Lector	Elisa Mclellan
Communion server	Jan Wormwood
Altar Team	Jan Anderson
Council Connections	Ron Cordova
Director of Music Ministry	Thomas Ropp
Accompanist	Amy Ellis

Peter and Paul, Apostles

Today we celebrate two great figures of the early church, Peter and Paul, who represent the spread of the gospel to both Jews and Gentiles and, according to tradition, were martyred on this date. The witness of Peter and Paul inspires us as we seek ways to faithfully proclaim the gospel in our contemporary context.

You are created in the image of God from the very beginning.
This is the basis for God's justice: Since everyone is made in the image of God,
then we need to recognize, honor, and respect the image of God in everyone.
No exceptions. – Fr. Richard Rohr

Cross of Hope is located on the original and ancestral homelands of the Piro Tribe and Pueblo People, and we give thanks for their presence here since time immemorial. We also wish to recognize and honor all our Indigenous siblings who have and continue to call this land their home.

Help for the hearing impaired!

Cross of Hope has a loop system, enabling hearing impaired worshippers to get the service directly into their hearing devices via a telecoil system. We also have headsets you may borrow if your hearing aids are not able to use the loop system.





**Church Office
will be closed on Friday
July 4, 2025**

2025 SUMMER SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

8:45am – Worship on the lawn

9:15am – Hebrews open and Small Group

10:00am – Worship inside

JULY

July 6 - 4th Sunday After Pentecost - Praise+Team Sunday

July 13 - 5th Sunday After Pentecost

Week of July 14 – Confirmation Camp

July 20 - 6th Sunday After Pentecost - Dixieland Music Sunday

Week of July 21 – Vacation Bible School for Special Needs Community

July 27 - 7th Sunday After Pentecost

Week of July 27 – Family Promise Hosting



AUGUST

August 3 - 8th Sunday After Pentecost

August 10 - 9th Sunday After Pentecost - Bluegrass Music Sunday

August 11 – Start of School Ministry

August 17 - 10th Sunday After Pentecost

August 24 - 11th Sunday After Pentecost –

10am Worship ONLY - Congregation Meeting and Fellowship

August 31 - 12th Sunday After Pentecost - Labor Day weekend –

Last Day Summer schedule

Message from the Church Office:

Fire Inspection held on July 10 from 9:00am to Noon.

Heads up! There will be testing done that will be loud that day.
Please plan to come, if you really need to, after noon in order
for the inspections to be done without any interruptions.

Thank you!



The school is collecting
plastic grocery bags
to support
Catholic Charities
all summer long.

There is a "designated tub" in the
Kitchen for plastic bag drop off.
Thank you!



Please note...

the **nursery space**

is available for your convenience
however,

it will be unstaffed this week.

Thank you for your understanding!



Lunch Bunch on Wednesday
July 9, 2025 at 1:00pm

4865 Pan American FWY NE, 87109

RSVP Florence Begay
at 505-363-5827 or email at

florencebegay2011@gmail.com by July 7. 😊

“It is Well”

1. When peace, like a river, attendeth my way,
When sorrows like sea billows roll;
Whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say,
It is well, it is well with my soul.

Refrain:

It is well with my soul, it is well,
It is well with my soul.

3. 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!

Footnote by Susan Ropp

I have always loved this hymn, and one Sunday morning when I had been called upon to write something lyric for the quartet, I went straight for “It Is Well”. (I know... officially, it’s “When Peace Like a River”, but I’ve never remembered it that way.)

This arrangement pays heavy homage to Horatio Spafford and the circumstances under which he wrote the lyric for this hymn. Parts of the story as I heard it may be embellishments, but perhaps that doesn’t really matter.

This arrangement opens with sounding of the horn of Spafford’s ship as she passes over the point at which the SS Ville du Havre sank, taking his four daughters down with her. The first verse then builds dramatically as the lyric comes to Spafford, ending with the lovely chorus.

For the next section, I was actually thinking of the third stanza of the hymn. Spafford writes, “My sin, not the part, but the whole, is nailed to the cross...” The horn gets the melody, evoking the sound of Spafford’s own voice, and the other instruments strike chords reminiscent of the hammering of the nails with which Spafford’s sin is nailed to the cross. However, as Spafford moves into the chorus, the harmony becomes dark and uncertain as Spafford’s grief overwhelms him; his faith wavers as he tearfully insists to himself that it is well with his soul.

Then, the melody transfers to the trumpet as Spafford is answered by the higher voice from above—his daughters assuring him that, yes, it IS well, it is well. The piece then ends with a peaceful statement of the chorus, evocative of the rolling sea and Spafford’s soul at peace.

A decorative horizontal band at the top of the page featuring a blue splatter or ink-blot pattern. The word "Notes" is written in a dark blue, cursive script across the center of this band.

Notes

Community Prayers Needs

Please call or email the church office to add/remove names.

Members of the Community:

Nancy Lacher; Ruth Hinkel; Susan Jennings Kat Cooley; Diane Carrico; Lois Casto; Dick Bresnahan; Greg Morrison; Toni Kovarik; Wendy Harrison; Shirley and Dale McCan; Diane and David Pressel; Flora Telles; Claudia Russo; Stacey Taylor; Laura and Jerry Burton; Russ Edwards; Phil Wangberg; Chris and Julie Morgan; Gary and Fran Hveem; Dolores Hughes; Don and Beth Cretsinger; Shannon Reynolds; Tim Fuller; David Dees; Judy Will; Bill and Gem Harris.

Friends of Cross of Hope:

Mike Nelson (BJ Owens' brother); John Buckley and Judy Tye (Friends of Art Kavanaugh and RC Jordan); Thomas Lacher (John Lacher's brother); Ian Willis (Long time friends of Toni and David Kovarik); Barbara (Keri Sutter); Tom McCain (Tim Fuller); Brenda Erhard, Angela McKnight's Mom (Art Kavanaugh); Tom and Carol Kent (Toni Kovarik); Sue Harshman (Nancy Leon's friend); Paula Mickey Yarbrough (Karen Schwartz's neighbor); Susan Mann-Biddison (Toni Kovarik); Margaret George Davis (Linda George's daughter-in-law); Dianah Rowland (friend of BJ Owen); Sandy Jensen (niece of BJ Owen); Cecil Ingram (Joy Thornhill's dad); Virginia Casper (Lynne Bagby's Mom); Randy B (Elisa Mclellan and family); Pam (Debbie Bokan's sister); Melissa, Tim and Joseph; Matt Clark (Rosemary Neely); Don Abeyta (Jennifer Abeyta); Roxanne and Frank Lepkowski (Toni Kovarik); Mark Christianson; Lorrie Willoughby (Linda W); Karen (Beth Cretsinger); Tom Grady (Sylvia Oelsner); Erik Hansen (Janet Conlon); Stacey Bender (Lois Casto); Brian Victorine (BJ Owens); Diane Lamp; Theresa Perez; Katie Halstrom (Sorensens); Judi (Carolyn Bye); Audie (Pat Benchik); Nadine (Kathy Bramley); Ataliya (Dee Gutierrez); Karen (Janet Conlon); Bill Bramley (Todd Bramley); Griselda (Alex Cortinas); Rick O'Roark; Tony Rivera (Deborah Rivera).

Those who are home-centered: Carroll Werling

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