

First Presbyterian Church Kasson, MN

Brian Rohr - Music

Aug. 2, 2026

Pastor Loren Olson

9:00 AM

We Approach God

Prelude

***Call to Worship:**

L: As we gather and as we disperse, as we rise and as we sleep, as we eat and play and work,

P: We offer God praise.

L: As we wash our car, scrub the dishes, rinse the grime of the day from our hands,

P: We offer God praise.

L: As we feel the tips of the grass on our feet, the wind against our face, the sun on our backs,

P: We offer God praise.

L: Come, let us worship God who creates, redeems, and sustains us to live out our praise in all we do!

P: We come as people formed by grace to offer God praise with our whole selves now and in all the ordinary moments of our lives! Amen.

***Hymn No. 35**

“Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty”

*** Unison Prayer of Confession:**

O God, listen to our prayer of confession, for we would speak honestly before You. We confess that we haven’t always done what is right; that some of our attitudes and actions have hurt others and ourselves, and have grieved You. Forgive us. In Your mercy, look deeply into our hearts. Examine our thoughts and our actions. Test our motivations. Bring to light all the things in our lives that dishonor You. We want to follow You with integrity, to obey the commandments You have given us, and to walk in ways that bring honor to Your name.

Silent Prayer of Confession

***Words of Assurance**

L: Brothers and Sisters in Christ, our God never fails to hear us when we call.

P: We trust in God’s forgiveness and unfailing love, and are at peace, for God rescues all who take refuge in God. Amen.

We are Inspired by God

Prayer of Illumination

Responsive Reading:

Psalm 17:1-7

L: Hear a just cause, O Lord; attend to my cry; give ear to my prayer from lips free of deceit.

P: From you let my vindication come; let your eyes see the right.

L: If you try my heart, if you visit me by night, if you test me, you will find no wickedness in me; my mouth does not transgress.

P: As for what others do, by the word of your lips I have avoided the ways of the violent.

L: My steps have held fast to your paths; my feet have not slipped.

P: I call upon you, for you will answer me, O God; incline your ear to me; hear my words.

All: Wondrously show your steadfast love, O savior of those who seek refuge from their adversaries at your right hand.

Gloria Patri Hymn No. 581 *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen*

Scripture Lesson:

Genesis 32:22-31

Pg 37 OT

Romans 9:1-5

Pg 193 NT

Message:

Rasslin’ With God

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Hymn No. 515

“I Come With Joy”

We Respond to God

Invitation to the Lord’s Table - Great Thanksgiving

We will be using the Communion Service from our hymnal pages 9-11.

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer

Call for Offering: *Anything \$20 or less is counted for our loose offering and goes toward supporting local and international church mission.*

Offertory

***Doxology No. 606**

***Prayer of Dedication:**
God, you see us as we are and meet us in the movement of our days. As we bring these gifts, shape our lives to reflect your righteousness. Open our eyes to behold your face in the neighbors we serve and the work we share. Let our giving become praise in motion, a testimony that we seek your presence not only in stillness, but in faithful steps forward. Receive these offerings as signs of our trust and our desire to live in right relationship with you and with one another, until we are satisfied in the likeness of your grace. Amen.

***Hymn No. 840** *“It Is Well With My Soul”*

***Benediction**

***Hymn 541** “God Be With You Till We Meet Again” (v.1)

*** Postlude**

WELCOME VISITORS.

*Please pray for: Bill Stromme, Mike & Carol Prenzlowl, Bill Kase, Rosemary Horseman, Howard Gransee, Ruth Allen, Joyce Olson, Dick Wolff, Jack Heisermann, Jim Stucky and Dick Hewitt for strength and healing.

Events:	August	NO Fellowship Circle or PW
	August 2	Worship Service @ 9 AM
	August 4	National Night Out
	August 7 - 9	Festival in the Park
	August 9	Worship Service @ 9 AM
	Please have all items for Rummage Sale here by August 9	
	August 10 - 14	Meals on Wheels
	August 13 - 15	Church Rummage Sale
	August 16	Worship Service @ 9 AM
	August 22	Community Resource Connection From 9 - 11 AM
	August 23	Worship Service @ 9 AM
	August 30	Worship Service @ 9 AM
	September 6	Worship Service
	September 7	Labor Day
	September 11 - 13	Marigold Days



Sunday, August 2, 2026

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