



Rejoicing Spirits at Calvary Lutheran Church – September 20th 2009

The theme for this Rejoicing Spirits Sunday was
“God of All Seasons”



Pastor Krewson led us as we learned that God is with us at all times and in all seasons. Everything on earth has its own time and its own season. We welcomed worshippers from Kelsch Associates and Impact Systems, and many visitors. God’s children young and old, came together to share Christ’s love - Hunter, Josh, Scott, Eva, Josh, Sophie, John, Daniel, Jeannie, Gwen, Rex, Samantha, TJ, Fred, Gordon, Pat, Marianne, Ashley, Karin, Asia, Miriam, and many, many others.

We were together in one spirit as we bid farewell to Pastor Gwen and thanked her for her devotion to Rejoicing Spirits.

As usual, the Holy Spirit was with us. We gave glory to God in a way that surely made God smile. We shared Christ’s love, sang about it, heard about it, and prayed.

Following are a few things we heard and experienced in our service this month:

As we sang -

- Kevin played the drums, Jim and Pastor Gwen and Pastor Krewson played guitar, Marianne played the piano. Joan led the singers. The singers sang with gusto.
- Pastor Gwen shared her beautiful voice as she sang about Jesus.
- Our benediction song was so appropriate – “May the Lord go with you as you carry on your way, Give you peace, and joy and strength to live today.”
- One church, one body, one faith, one Lord. Together in one Spirit, rejoicing in His Word.

As we read –

- Fred shared from [Ecclesiastes](#), “There is a time for birth and death, planting and reaping, for crying and laughing, weeping and dancing.”
- Jeannie read from [Hebrews 13:8](#), Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.”
- Samantha read Jesus words from [Mathew 28:20](#) “I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

As we prayed –

- Special prayers were offered by many worshippers.
- Fred led us in the Lord’s Prayer

As we shared –

- The Peace of the Lord be with you.
- Go in peace to love and serve the Lord!
- Thanks to our loyal cookie bakers and all who prepare our food and beverage, and all of the dedicated volunteers.
- We welcome Allen Memorial Methodist in Athens, TN as they held their first Rejoicing Spirits service today.

We look forward to worshipping together next month on August 16th in God’s presence as a part of this Rejoicing Spirits community.

May the peace of the Lord be with you,

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