

July 26, 2009 SERVICE OF WORSHIP

11:00 am

8th Sunday After Pentecost

Liturgical Color: Green

Preparation for Worship and Announcements

Lee Robirds, Congregational Nurse

*Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim, till all the world adore his sacred name.*

Chiming of the Trinity

Prelude

In the Name of the Lord

arr. Mark Hayes

\*Call to Worship

Emily Wiedemann

Leader: Let us hold fast to what is good.

**Congregation: Rejoice in hope.**

Leader: Persevere in prayer.

**Congregation: Give joyfully in love.**

Leader: Stand firm in one spirit.

**Congregation: Strive side by side with one mind.**

Leader: And worship God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength.

\*Hymn (Please see insert)

*Wonderful Cross*

Welcome

Kevin Bishop

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 13 (*Pg. 609 (OT) in pew Bibles*)

Nick Nickles

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Solo

*I Know Who Holds Tomorrow*

Ira F. Stanphill

Dennis Moore, baritone

Epistle Reading

Colossians 3:12-17 (*Pg. 246 (NT) pew Bibles*)

Alex Bishop

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi and the Lord's Prayer

Katherine Redfern

Offering

Kathy Kelly

Offertory

Slideshow showcasing Salkehatchie 2009

\*Doxology No. 94

*Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Lasst Uns Erfreuen

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!***

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Kathy Kelly

Children's Message

Lisa Smith

*All children are invited to the front of the Sanctuary for a special message. Following Children's Time, 3-year-olds through Kindergarteners may leave the Sanctuary for Extended Session.*

\*Passing of the Peace

\*Hymn (Please see insert)

*Sanctuary*

\*Affirmation of Faith No. 883 A Statement of Faith

Laine Wiedemann

**We are not alone, we live in God's world. We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit. We trust in God. We are called to be the church: to celebrate God's presence, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope. In life, in death, and life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God. Amen.**

\*Gloria Patri No. 70

***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.***

**Gospel Lesson**

John 6:27-35 (*Pg. 119 (NT) in pew Bibles*)

Wesley Runyan

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**A Prayer to a Listening God**

Mary Lyle Smith

**Reflections on Mission and Ministry**

Miranda Stockman, Debbie Tharpe, Colby Tharpe, Cele Shelley

\*Hymn No. 572

*Pass It On*

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\*Benediction

UMYF Benediction

**May the LORD bless you and keep you; may the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you; the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. Amen.**

\*Postlude

*\*Please stand if you are able*

*Nursery Provided*