

October 3, 2010 SERVICE OF WORSHIP

11:00 am

A Service of Word and Table

Liturgical Color: White

Preparation for Worship and Announcements

Mary Lynn Polk, Lay Leader

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

*Passing of the Peace

Chiming of the Trinity

Noel Johnson

Prelude

In Christ There Is No East Or West

arr. Michael Burkhardt

*Call to Worship

Larry Moore, Director of Music

Leader: God's mercies never end; they are new every morning. We gather in gratitude, that our faith may increase.

People: We will sing our songs of praise. We will proclaim the good news of the gospel.

Leader: Take delight in God, who is with us wherever we go. Trust God, even when we do not feel like singing.

People: We will commit all our ways to God. We will wait patiently for answers to our prayers.

Leader: By God's grace, we are gathered for worship. In God's love, we are no longer exiles and strangers.

People: We have been called together by the Holy Spirit. We will treasure this special time in sacred space.

*Hymn No. 545

The Church's One Foundation

Aurelia

*INVITATION

The Reverend Terry C. Martin

Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

*CONFESSION AND PARDON

Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

People to leader: **In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.**

Leader and people: **Glory to God. Amen.**

Canticle of Covenant Faithfulness #125

Pastoral Prayer

The Reverend Terry C. Martin

Lord's Prayer (In Unison)

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, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Offering

Offertory

In Christ There Is No East Or West

arr. David Cherwien

*Doxology No. 95

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

Old 100th

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Reverend Terry C. Martin

Children's Message

Alice Balentine

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.

*Hymn No. 599

Break Thou the Bread of Life

Bread of Life

†*Gospel Lesson

Luke 17:5-10

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

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

"A Growing Faith"

The Reverend Terry C. Martin

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Communion Musical Setting A

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BREAKING THE BREAD

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

(All are invited to share in communion by kneeling at the altar. Please come forward using the center aisle as directed by the ushers. After receiving the elements, please return to your pew using the side aisles.)

Anthem

Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart
Chancel Choir

Robert Lau

Congregational Hymns

Hymn No. 599

Break Thou the Bread of Life

Hymn No. 172

My Jesus, I Love Thee

Hymn No. 617

I Come with Joy

Prayer Following Communion

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this Holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

*Hymn No. 438

Forth in Thy Name, O Lord

Duke Street

*Benediction

*Response No. 666

Shalom to You

SHALOM

Shalom to you now, shalom, my friends. May God's full mercies bless you, my friends. In all your living and through your loving, Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.

*Postlude

†Sermon Text

**Please stand if you are able*

Nursery Provided

Reverend Martin will be at the Cambridge Avenue Door Entrance at the close of the service.