

June 10, 2012 SERVICE OF WORSHIP

11:00 am

The Second Sunday after Pentecost Liturgical Color: Green

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

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

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dr. Mary Lynn Polk, Lay Leader

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

Madeline Johnson

PRELUDE

In Christ There Is No East or West

Michael Burkhardt

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Pam Faulkner

Leader: God is our constant companion.

People: There is no need that God cannot fulfill.

Leader: When our pain is severe,
when our burden is heavy,
when our depression darkens the soul,
when we feel empty and alone,

People: God fills the aching vacuum.

We trust in God's promises. God will not let us go.

***HYMN NO. 140**

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Faithfulness

***INVOCATION**

Shell Dula

Faithful God,
we come into Your presence with thanksgiving,
deeply grateful for the unfailing love and faithfulness
You have shown toward us, Your people.
When we call out to You, You answer.
When we are exhausted, You give us the strength to go on.
When we find ourselves in trouble,
You are there, standing beside us.

And so we come before You with gratitude and praise,
offering You the worship of our hearts and lives.
Open our eyes to see and know You are here among us;
open our ears to recognize Your voice.
And then send us out from here,
to live and work in the world as Your faithful disciples.
In the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of Heaven and Earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into Heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. 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.

EPISTLE READING

2 Corinthians 4:13 - 5:1

Page 220 (NT) in pew Bibles

***GOSPEL LESSON**

Mark 3:20-35

Page 45 (NT) in pew Bibles

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

People: Thanks be to God.

PRAYER

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LORD'S PRAYER (In Unison)

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

His Eye Is On the Sparrow
Myra Greene, soprano

arr. Bob Krogstad

***DOXOLOGY**

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**

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CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Margaret Crooks

Children are invited to bring change to help in Heifer International. If any adults want to contribute, please pass your money to a child as they come forward. Following the message, 3-year-olds through Kindergarteners may leave the Sanctuary for Extended Session.

***HYMN NO. 454**

Open My Eyes, That I May See

Open My Eyes

MESSAGE

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***HYMN NO. 572**

Pass It On

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***BENEDICTION**

Leader: We go forth as the people of shalom

People: to heal the brokenness and bring justice and liberty to all the world.

Leader: May the peace of God be with you.

People: And also with you. Amen.

***BENEDICTION REPONSE 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.

**Please stand if you are able*

Nursery Provided