

THE ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, August 13, 2017 The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 a.m.

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

WELCOME

PRELUDE

INTROIT

All Praise to God for Song God Gives

SACRED SONG

*CALL TO WORSHIP

(Adapted from Psalm 105:1-4)

Leader: O give thanks to the LORD, call on His name;

People: Make known God's deeds among the peoples.

Leader: Sing to the LORD, sing praises to our God;

People: Tell of all God's wonderful works.

Leader: Glory in God's holy name;

People: Let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice.

Leader: Seek the LORD and His strength;

People: Seek God's presence continually.

HYMN #371

Lift High the Cross
verses 1 and 4

CRUCIFER

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God: we stand in need of Your forgiveness. You have given us reason to rejoice in You, and in return we have given You reason to be displeased with us. We are quick to ask for Your help, but slow to express our thanks. It is so easy for us to give You praise with our words, but not with our lives. Forgive us, Lord God, and create within us clean and grateful hearts. Pour upon us the abundance of Your mercy, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

KYRIE #572

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

HYMN OF OUR YOUNG CHURCH

Halle, Halle, Halleluja

(insert)

WORDS WITH OUR YOUNG CHURCH

Children ages K-3rd grade are now invited downstairs for Children's Worship.

ANTHEM *How Beautiful Are the Feet of Them (Messiah)* Handel
Julia Holland, soprano (Text from Romans 10:15)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION
SCRIPTURE

Romans 10:5-13

Pastor: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks Be to God.

SERMON **“Jesus Christ—The Law Incarnate”** Rev. Curtis Christian

*HYMN #383 *My Faith Looks Up to Thee* OLIVET

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

APOSTLES’ CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living 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.

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *Gloria* Gloria Patri

THE COMMISSIONING OF CHURCH SCHOOL TEACHERS

Statement of Proceedings

The Questions of Commission

The Charge to the Teachers

Prayer of Dedication

MOMENT FOR MINISTRY

Presentation of the Matthew Arbuckle Hundley Memorial Scholarship

Andrew Mills Brockman

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

CHORAL RESPONSE *Amen* DANISH

OFFERINGS FOR THE MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY #592 Old Hundredth

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

BEARING GOD’S WORD INTO THE WORLD

*HYMN #143 *All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name!* DIADEM
verses 1 and 4

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE *We’ll Join the Everlasting Song* DIADEM

POSTLUDE

*Those who are able, please stand

***Late Arrivals Seated

Today’s Lay Reader is David Coleman.