

THE ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, August 6, 2017

The Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 a.m.

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

WELCOME

PRELUDE

INTROIT

Lord, You are Just in All Your Ways

WINCHESTER NEW

*CALL TO WORSHIP

(Adapted from Psalm 17:1-7)

Leader: Hear our just cause, O LORD; attend to our cry.

People: May our lips be free of deceit; give ear to our prayer.

Leader: Our steps hold fast to Your paths;

People: Let not our feet give way.

Leader: We call upon You, for You will answer us, O God;

People: Incline Your ear to us, and hear our words.

Leader: Wondrously show Your steadfast love, O Savior;

People: In Your right hand, give refuge to those who seek it.

HYMN #478

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven
verses 1 and 3

LAUDA ANIMA

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God: we confess that we have sinned against others, against ourselves, and against You. We admit our share in the troubles which afflict the world; our selfishness which excludes others from our lives, our pride which ignores Your divine guidance, and our lack of faith which keeps us from doing the great things You desire. Grant us forgiveness, O God, and imbue us with Christ-like lives, that He may live in us and we in Him. We pray in the holy name of 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

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WORDS WITH OUR YOUNG CHURCH

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

ANTHEM

Hear, O Lord
Chase Ramage, baritone

Dvořák

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION
SCRIPTURE

Romans 9:1-13

Pastor: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks Be to God.

SERMON

“Our Destiny in God’s Hands”

Rev. Curtis Christian

*HYMN #137

We All Believe in One True God

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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 ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

The Statement of Proceedings

The Constitutional Questions to the Officers

The Constitutional Questions to the Congregation

The Laying on of Hands

The Prayer of Ordination and Installation

The Charge to the Officers

The Welcome into Fellowship

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

CHORAL RESPONSE

Amen

Haugen

OFFERINGS FOR THE MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY #592

Old Hundredth

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

BEARING GOD’S WORD INTO THE WORLD

*HYMN #491

Stand Up and Bless the Lord
verses 1, 4, 5

CARLISLE

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE

Your Faithfulness, O Lord, Is Sure

WINCHESTER NEW

POSTLUDE

*Those who are able, please stand

***Late Arrivals Seated

Today’s Lay Reader is Lucy Waterbury.

Thank you Chase Ramage, our guest director today.