

THE ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, January 16, 2022

11:00 a.m.

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

WELCOME

PRELUDE

In der Kirche

Rinck

INTROIT

God, Be the Love to Search and Keep Me

GREEN TYLER

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Adapted from 1 Corinthians 12:4-11

Leader: Now, there are varieties of gifts,

People: But the same Spirit.

Leader: And, there are varieties of services,

People: But the same Lord.

Leader: And, there are varieties of activities,

People: But it is the same God Who activates all of them in everyone.

Leader: All these are activated by one and the same Spirit.

People: To each of us is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal God, our Redeemer: we confess that we have tried to hide from You, for we have done wrong. We have lived for ourselves, and turned from our neighbors. We have ignored the pain of the world, and passed by the hungry and the poor. O God, in Your great mercy, forgive our sin and free us from selfishness. Lead us to faith by the works of Your Son, that we may choose Your will and obey Your commandments; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

RESPONSE

Kyrie

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

WORDS WITH OUR YOUNG CHURCH

ANTHEM

Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness
Beth Underwood, soloist

SPIRIT

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

John 2:1-11

Pastor: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks Be to God.

SERMON

“Where God is Found—How God is Known”

Dr. Curtis Christian

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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERTORY

With the Spirit

Vierling

BEARING GOD'S WORD INTO THE WORLD

CHORAL BENEDICTION

Walking Behind to Hem My Journey

GREEN TYLER

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Marche Royale

Lully

*Those who are able, please stand

***Late Arrivals Seated

Today's Lay Reader is Tom Long.