## THE ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP

The Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 a.m.

**KYRIE #572** 

PRAYER OF PREPARATION GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD WELCOME PRELUDE Allein zu dir. Herr Jesu Christ J.P. Sweelinck **INTROIT** For You Created Me O GOD YOU SEARCH ME \*CALL TO WORSHIP (Adapted from Psalm 139:16-18) Leader: Your eyes, O LORD, have beheld our unformed substance. People: In your book were written all our days— Leader: All the days that were formed for us-People: All our days, when none of them as yet existed. Leader: How weighty to us are your thoughts, O God! People: How vast is the sum of them! Leader: We try to count them—they are more than the sand; People: We come to the end—We are still with you. \*HYMN #525 Here I am. Lord HERE I AM, LORD verses 1 and 2

CALL TO CONFESSION PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Sunday, June 2, 2024

Forgive us, Lord God, that our convictions have not been sincere. We acknowledge that we have not loved Your commandments, nor have we desired what You have promised. We have not allowed our dreams and visions for Your Church to be guided by the Holy Spirit. Forgive us, O Lord, and bless us with the desire to do Your will and to be a faithful people that we may not only hear You, but also do what You require; through Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

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

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

## **PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD**

WORDS WITH OUR YOUNG CHURCH

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

ANTHEM

Let All We Do and Say Give Breath Madelynne Banderman, soloist Sally Ann Morris

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** 

SCRIPTURE

Mark 2:23-3:6

Pastor: The Word of the Lord. **People: Thanks Be to God.** 

SERMON

Keeping the Sabbath What Does the Lord Require verses 1 and 3 Joel Stanley SHARPTHORNE

\*HYMN #405

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

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 RESP PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE OFFERINGS FOR THE MIN	Gloria Patri	
OFFERTORY	Give Thanks for Life	SARUM
*DOXOLOGY #592 *PRAYER OF DEDICATION	1	Old Hundredth
<b>BEARING GOD'S WORD INTO THE WORLD</b>		
*HYMN #357	O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee	MARYTON

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CHARGE AND BENEDICTION			
CHORAL BENEDICTION	Before a Word is on My Tongue	O God You Search Me	
*POSTLUDE	Postlude	L. Battazzo	

verses 1 and 4

\*Those who are able, please stand

\*\*\*Late Arrivals Seated

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