

THE ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, June 6, 2021

The 10th Sunday of Ordinary Time

11:00 a.m.

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

WELCOME

PRELUDE

At Rest

Ritter

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Adapted from Second Corinthians 4:16-5:1

Leader: We do not lose heart.

People: Even though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day.

Leader: For this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure,

People: Because we look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen;

Leader: For what can be seen is temporary,

People: But what cannot be seen is eternal.

Leader: For we know that we have a building from God—

People: A house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God: You have shown mercy toward us and, by Your grace, You have blessed our lives. Yet, we must confess that we have not been merciful with others. We have imposed standards on our neighbors which we ourselves cannot keep. Hear our prayer, O Lord, for we can do nothing good without You. Forgive us for our self-centeredness and for rejecting Your compassion. Renew us, and do not hold our sins against us. In the name of Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

WORDS WITH OUR YOUNG CHURCH

ANTHEM SOLO

King of Glory

by K. Lee Scott

Bekah Knight, soprano

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

Mark 3:20-30

Pastor: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks Be to God.

SERMON

“An Unpardonable Sin”

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

SOLO

My Faith Looks Up to Thee
Bekah Knight, soprano

OLIVET

BEARING GOD'S WORD INTO THE WORLD

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Andantino

Blind

*Those who are able, please stand

***Late Arrivals Seated

King of Glory text

King of glory, King of peace, I will love Thee. And that love may never cease! I will move Thee.
Thou hast granted my request. Thou hast heard me.
Thou didst note my working breast; Thou hast spared me.

Wherefore with my utmost art, I will sing Thee. And the cream of all my heart, I will bring Thee.
Though my sins against me cried, Thou hast cleared me. And alone when they replied, Thou didst hear me.

Seven whole days, not one in seven- I will praise Thee! In my heart, though not in heaven, I can raise Thee!
Small it is, in this poor sort to enroll Thee; Even eternity’s too short to extol Thee!

My Faith Looks Up to Thee text

1 My faith looks up to Thee, Thou Lamb of Calvary, Savior divine!
Now hear me while I pray; take all my guilt away; O let me from this day be wholly Thine!

2 May Thy rich grace impart strength to my fainting heart, my zeal inspire; as Thou hast died for me,
O may my love to Thee pure, warm, and changeless be, a living fire!