THE ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, June 9, 2024

The Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 a.m.

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

WELCOME

PRELUDE Jesus, Lead Thou On

A. Drese

INTROIT Lord, On the Day I Called for Help (from Psalm 138)

M. Guimont

Cameron Carpenter, soloist

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Adapted from Psalm 138:1-8

Leader: We give you thanks, O LORD, with our whole heart.

People: We bow down toward your holy temple,

Leader: And give thanks to your name for your steadfast love and your faithfulness,

People: For you have exalted your name and your word above everything.

Leader: On the day we called, you answered us; **People:** You increased our strength of soul.

Leader: O LORD, fulfill your purpose for us;

People: Your steadfast love, O LORD, endures forever.

*HYMN #230 This is the Day the Lord Has Made

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CALL TO CONFESSION

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.

verses 1 and 4

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

WORDS WITH OUR YOUNG CHURCH

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

ANTHEM

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

H. R. Shelley

Cameron Carpenter, tenor and Isaac Brooks, baritone

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE Mark 3:20-30

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

SERMON "An Unpardonable Sin" Rev. Curtis Christian

verses 1 and 2

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 #579

Gloria Patri

MOMENT FOR MISSION

Five Cents Per Meal Offering

Philip Gump

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERINGS FOR THE MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH

OFFERTORY

*POSTLUDE

My Life Flows On

HOW CAN I KEEP FROM SINGING

*DOXOLOGY #592

Old Hundredth

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

BEARING GOD'S WORD INTO THE WORLD

*HYMN #369 I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me

I'M GONNA LIVE

verses 1 and 2

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION Go

Go With Us, Lord Go With Us, Lord TALLIS' CANON

Improvisation

*Those who are able, please stand

***Late Arrivals Seated