

# THE ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, May 12, 2024

Seventh Sunday of Easter

11:00 a.m.

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

## GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

WELCOME

PRELUDE

*Lament*

Ella Deaton

INTROIT

*I Bind Unto Myself*

ST. PATRICK DEIRDRE

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Adapted from Psalm 71

Tucker Lamb

Leader: We will come, praising the mighty deeds of the Lord, God.

**People: We will praise your righteousness, yours alone.**

Leader: O God, from our youth you have taught us,

**People: And we still proclaim your wondrous deeds.**

Leader: So even to old age and gray hairs,

**People: O God, do not forsake us.**

Leader: Until we proclaim your might,

**People: To all the generations to come!**

\*HYMN INSERT

*How Happy Are the Saints of God*  
verses 1 and 2

WAREHAM

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lincoln Ward

**Heavenly Father, we come before You humbly, acknowledging our need for Your forgiveness and guidance. We confess that at times we have walked in the counsel of the wicked and stood in the way of sinners. We ask for Your forgiveness for the times when we have neglected to delight in Your law and meditate on it day and night. Please cleanse our heart, renew our spirit, and lead us in the path of righteousness. May Your Word be a lamp unto our feet and a light unto our path. In Jesus' name, we pray, 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

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## PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

WORDS WITH OUR YOUNG CHURCH

Ava Stanley

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

ANTHEM

*Praise Him, All Ye Little Children*  
Children and Youth Choir

Traditional  
Isaac Brooks, director

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Shelby Lamb

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 1

Carter Lamb

Pastor: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks Be to God.**

SERMON

**"Ways of the Wind"**

Carter Lamb

\*HYMN #403

*What a Friend We Have in Jesus*  
verses 1 and 2

CONVERSE

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

APOSTLES' CREED

Eden Stanley

**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 MINISTRY

Senior Recognition

Joel Stanley

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Carter Lamb

OFFERINGS FOR THE MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH

Shelby Lamb

Ushers - Arevia Gump, Piper Lawrenz, Grace Stanley

OFFERTORY

*Mind*

Ella Deaton

\*DOXOLOGY #592

Old Hundredth

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Shelby Lamb

## BEARING GOD'S WORD INTO THE WORLD

\*HYMN INSERT

*In the Bulb There is a Flower*

HYMN OF PROMISE

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

all youth

CHORAL BENEDICTION

*Take the Saving Word of God*

Kiowa Melody

\*POSTLUDE

*Father*

Ella Deaton

\*Those who are able, please stand

\*\*\*Late Arrivals Seated