

THE ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, October 24, 2021

11:00 a.m.

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

WELCOME

PRELUDE

To Walk in Faith

Paxton

*CALL TO WORSHIP

(Adapted from Hebrews 7:23-27)

Leader: The priests of old were many in number;

People: For, they were prevented by death from continuing in office.

Leader: But Christ holds his priesthood permanently;

People: Because Christ continues forever.

Leader: Thus, Christ is able for all time to save those who approach God through him.

People: For, Christ always lives to make intercession for us.

Leader: It is fitting that we should have such a high priest; holy and blameless, exalted above the heavens.

People: Christ has no need to offer sacrifices day after day. This he did once for all when he offered himself.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God: You raised up brave and able servants to reform the church. We confess that we have lost our way again, and are in need of a new reformation. We are content with easy religion, with too much greed, with too little charity, and we cultivate indifference. Let Your Word renew us, O Lord, and let Your Spirit inspire us, that we may repent and have faith in the name of Jesus Christ, our only Lord and Savior. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

KYRIE

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

WORDS WITH OUR YOUNG CHURCH

ANTHEM

Come, Live in the Light!
Beth Underwood, soloist

WE ARE CALLED

TEXT:

1. Come! Live in the light! Shine with the joy and the love of the Lord!
We are called to be light for the kingdom, to live in the freedom of the city of God.

Refrain:

We are called to act with justice; we are called to love tenderly;
we are called to serve one another, to walk humbly with God.

2. Come! Open your heart! Show your mercy to all those in fear!
We are called to be hope for the hopeless so hatred and violence will be no more. (Refrain)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

Mark 10:46-52

Pastor: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks Be to God.

SERMON

“Then We Shall See”

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

SONG

Go with Us, Lord
Beth Underwood, soloist

TALLIS’ CANON

TEXT: Go with us, Lord, and guide the way through this and every coming day.
That in Your Spirit strong and true our lives may be our gift to You.

BEARING GOD’S WORD INTO THE WORLD

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Seeking

Rinck

*Those who are able, please stand

***Late Arrivals Seated

This morning’s flowers are in honor of John and Cindy Harter.