

October 1, 2017

Preparation for Worship – Please use this time for silent preparation of heart and mind for worship of the Almighty God.

Prelude – “I Need Thee” John Ness Beck
Announcements
Choral Introit

*Call to Worship – Psalm 116:1, 2, 5

Minister: “I love the LORD, because he has heard my voice and my pleas for mercy.

Congregation: Because he inclined his ear to me, therefore I will call on him as long as I live.

Unison: Gracious is the LORD, and righteous; our God is merciful.”

*Invocation

*Lord's Prayer

*Hymn - “Be Thou My Vision” #642

Word of Greeting – Please pass the Friendship Registers found on the right end of each row.

Responsive Reading – Psalm 130 p.833 in Trinity Hymnal
Confession of Sin

O Lord, You are our Father, and we have been disobedient and a stiff-necked people; You are our Creator, we are the work of your hands; You are our Shepherd, we are your flock; You are our Redeemer, we are the people you have delivered; You are our God, we belong to you.

Therefore, do not consume us in your just wrath. Recall not our iniquity, to punish it, but chastise us gently. While your anger is justly inflamed because of our great sin against you day by day in thought, word and deed, remember that in Christ we are your people. Heal us for Christ's sake, and view us clothed in His righteousness.

Assurance of Pardon (Unison) Psalm 103:12

“As far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us.”

*Hymn - “Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness” #520

*Confession of Faith – The Apostles' Creed p.845 in Trinity Hymnal

*Doxology #731
Offering
Offertory Music

(Children 4 until age 6 may be dismissed to Children's Church)

Scripture Reading – Ephesians 4:31, 32 p.978 in Pew Bibles
Sermon The Reverend Mr. David G. McKay

“BE KIND”

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

*Hymn - “At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing” #420

Words of Institution

The Bread (We will partake of the elements together,
The Cup after all have been served.)

*Hymn - “Ah, Holy Jesus, How Hast Thou Offended” #248

*Benediction

Postlude - “The Crusaders” William

Stickles

The Rev. Mr. David G. McKay, Minister
The Rev. Mr. John F. Peoples, Jr., Associate Minister
Mrs. Julie Covert, Organist and Choir Director

Today, we celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Our denomination's policy, in conformity with the Book of Church Order, is “to invite all those who profess the true religion, and are communicants in good standing in any evangelical church, or those approved by the Session, after having given indication of their desire to participate.”