Worship For the Lord's Day

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. June 10, 2018 Worship, 10:45 a.m.

Gathering of God's People

RINGING OF THE STEEPLE BELL

WELCOME: Fill our worship with grace, Lord Jesus Christ, that every thought, word, and deed may be acceptable to you, our Rock and our Redeemer. Amen.

GREETING AND SHARING GOD'S PEACE

As God has greeted us with his peace, so let us pass the peace of Christ to each other.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (Also See Old First News Bulletin Insert) RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP (Please sign & pass the black pew pads)

PRELUDE: "Lord of Love Unfailing"

Franz Joseph Haydn

Psalm 146 (adapted)

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Sing praises to God, all you faithful ones. Give thanks to God's holy name.

We will praise God as long as we live. We will pour out our joyous thanksgiving.

Do not put your trust in rulers of this age. Do not rely on things that are perishable.

God keeps faith with us today and forever. The oppressed and hungry receive from God what they need.

We have received grace to minister in Jesus' name. We are called to proclaim the faith to others.

We want to rise to the challenge set before us. We seek to keep the faith by sharing it.

Let us worship God!

*Hymn of Praise No. 39: "Great is Thy Faithfulness"

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Giver of life, we have not thanked you enough for each breath we can take, each moment we live, each experience we enjoy or endure. We are more likely to complain than to appreciate, to wallow in cries of agony and loss than to pour out joy and gratitude. We repeat our mistakes instead of learning from them. We try to keep you out of our lives instead of turning to you daily and trusting your providence. Turn us around, God; we want to experience the confident joy of living for you. In Christ's name we pray. Amen

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

We know that in everything God works for good with those who love him, who are called according to his purpose. Friends, believe the good news of the gospel:

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

*GLORIA PATRI / RESPONSE NO. 546:

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be world without end. Amen, Amen.

Proclamation of God's WordCHILDREN'S MESSAGE:Tom KimbleSCRIPTURE:1 Kings 17:8-24 and Luke 7:11-17SERMON: "Elijah: God Provides"By The Rev. Gary M. Brose

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:

"The Apostles' Creed"

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived of the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; He descended into death. The third day He arose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there He shall 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 life everlasting. Amen.

*Hymn of Response No. 431: "I Need Thee Every Hour"

<u>Response to God's Word</u>

OFFERTORY: "Variations on Land of Rest"

Appalachian tune Setting by Wilbur Held

*DOXOLOGY: Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION FOR OFFERING

Lord God, thank you for the blessings you have given us year after year. Help us to wisely use the time you have given us. Lead us, while we remain here on earth, to serve you through all the people around us who are in need. **Amen.**

Sharing of JOYS and CONCERNS of the CONGREGATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER IN UNISON

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Go Out as God's People in the World

*Closing Hymn No. 44: "Revive Us Again"

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE on "*Thornbury*"

English Hymn by Basil Harwood Setting by Charles Callahan

CHURCH STAFF:

Transitional Pastor: The Rev. Gary M. Brose Today's Organist: Judy Willour Custodian: Tim Klinker Nursery Attendant: Linda Flowers Administrative Assistant: Denise Metzger-Kelling Today's Elder Assisting: Chuck Long

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