

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

October 13th, 2013 21st Sunday after Pentecost
Order of Morning Worship
11:00 am

Organ Prelude and Chimes
Welcome and Announcements

Rhonda Johnson

The Church Gathers to Praise God

The Call to Worship (Psalm 66)

Leader: Be joyful in God, all you lands; sing the glory of God's praise.

People: *All the earth bows down before God and sings the praises of God's name.*

Leader: Come now and see the works of God, how wonderful are God's deeds toward all nations.

People: *God holds our lives secure and will not allow our feet to slip.*

•**Hymn 262** "God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand" NATIONAL HYMN

Call to Confession

Leader: Even when we are faithless, Christ remains faithful.

People: *Trusting in grace, let us confess our sins.*

Prayer of Confession (Luke 17)

Jesus, Master, have mercy on us. We keep our distance from you, for we are broken and sick with sin. Yet you see us, and cleanse us, and make us whole. Forgive us when we forget to return to you - have mercy when we fail to praise your name, and help us to exude the faith that makes us well. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon (Luke 17)

Leader: Speak the good news one to the other:

People: *Our call has been answered. Christ has healed us, and forgives our sin.*

Leader: With glad hearts, return praise to God. . .

•**"Amazing Grace" #280** (verses 1 and 2)

•**The Peace**

Leader: God sent the world the only Son. Since God loves so much, we too should love one another.

People: *Let us love one another, since love comes from God.*

Leader: The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ, be with you all.

• **Gloria Patri**

Time With the Children

The Church Listens to God's Word

Prayer for Illumination (Jeremiah 29)

These are your words, O God. Humble us to speak their weight. Strengthen us to hear their truth. Unbind us to live their call. Amen.

Scripture: Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7
Psalm 66:1-12
II Timothy 2:8-15
Luke 17:11-19

Anthem "God Has A Reason" Adult Choir

Sermon "The Outsider" Rev. Philip W. Sommer

The Church Responds in Faith

•**Hymn 332** "Live Into Hope" TRURO

The Prayers of the People
Thanksgivings
Intercessions
The Lord's Prayer

Stewardship Minute "Baja 2013"

The Gifts of Lives & Tithes

Offertory
•**Doxology (#592)**
•**Prayer of Dedication**

•**Hymn 554** "Let All Things Now Living" ASH GROVE

•**Benediction**
•**Congregational Response** "God Be with You Till We Meet Again" #540
God be with you till we meet again;
Loving counsels guide, uphold you,
With a Shepherd's care enfold you:
God be with you till we meet again.

Postlude

•Those who are able, please stand