

# THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

January 18th, 2015  
2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Order of Morning Worship  
11:00 am

## Prelude and Chimes

## Procession

## Welcome and Prayer of the Day

### Preparation for the Word

#### The Call to Worship (Psalm 139)

Leader: LORD, you have searched me out and known me; you know my sitting down and my rising up; you discern my thoughts from afar.

**People:** *You trace my journeys and my resting-places and are acquainted with all my ways*

Leader: Indeed, there is not a word on my lips, but you, O LORD, know it altogether.

**People:** *You press upon me behind and before and lay your hand upon me.*

Leader: Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; it is so high that I cannot attain to it.

**People:** *For you yourself created my inmost parts; you knit me together in my mother's womb.*

Leader: I will thank you because I am marvelously made; your works are wonderful, and I know it well.

**People:** *My body was not hidden from you, while I was being made in secret and woven in the depths of the earth.*

Leader: Your eyes beheld my limbs, yet unfinished in the womb; all of them were written in your book; they were fashioned day by day, when as yet there was none of them.

**People:** *How deep I find your thoughts, O God! how great is the sum of them!*

**All:** *If I were to count them, they would be more in number than the sand; to count them all, my life span would need to be like yours.*

#### •Hymn 275

"God of Our Life"

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## Call to Confession

### Prayer of Confession

*Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your Son.*

*Moment of Silent Confession*

#### Kyrie 572

"Lord, Have Mercy Upon Us"

*Lord, have mercy upon us.*

*Christ, have mercy upon us.*

*Lord, have mercy upon us.*

### Assurance of Pardon

(Respond with Alleluia, Amen!)

#### •Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks #106 (refrain)

*Alleluia, Alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.*

*Alleluia, Alleluia! Give praise to His Name.*

#### •The Peace

Leader: . . . The peace of Christ be with you all!

**People:** *And also with you.*

#### • Gloria Patri

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### Proclamation of the Word

#### Prayer of Illumination

##### Scripture

I Samuel 3:1-20

I Corinthians 6:12-20

John 1:43-51

Leader: This is the word of the Lord!

**People:** *Thanks be to God!*

Derek Almarode

### Children's Sermon

#### Anthem

"Nearer My God To Thee"

Adult Choir

#### Sermon

"Here I Am"

Rev. J. David Shearer

### Response to the Word

#### •Apostles' Creed (Traditional) page 14

#### •Hymn 525

"Here I Am, Lord"

Daniel L. Schutte

### Announcements/Joys & Concerns

### Prayers of the People/The Lord's Prayer

*Amen #583 - Amen. Amen. Amen.*

## The Offering of Tithes and Gifts

### Offertory

- Doxology (#592)
- Prayer of Dedication

### •Hymn 361

“How Firm a Foundation”

FOUNDATION

### •Charge and Benediction

### •Congregational Response

“Song of Simeon” #603 *(verse 1)*

Lord, bid Your servant go in peace,  
Your word is now fulfilled.  
These eyes have seen salvation’s dawn,  
This child so long foretold.

### Postlude

- Those who are able, please stand

