

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

July 26th, 2015

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Order of Morning Worship

11:00 am

Prelude

Procession

Welcome and Prayer of the Day

Preparation for the Word

The Call to Worship (Psalm 14)

Leader: Fools say in their heart, "There is no God." All are corrupt and commit abominable acts; there is none who does any good.

People: *The LORD looks down from heaven upon us all, to see if there is any who is wise, if there is one who seeks after God.*

Leader: Every one has proved faithless; all alike have turned bad; there is none who does good; no, not one.

People: *Have they no knowledge, all those evildoers who eat up my people like bread and do not call upon the LORD?*

Leader: See how they tremble with fear, because God is in the company of the righteous.

People: *Their aim is to confound the plans of the afflicted, but the LORD is their refuge.*

All: *Oh, that Israel's deliverance would come out of Zion! when the LORD restores the fortunes of the chosen people, Jacob will rejoice and Israel be glad.*

•Hymn 476 "O Worship the King, All Glorious Above!"

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Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Righteous God, you have crowned Jesus Christ as Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before him, and are slow to acknowledge his rule. We give allegiance to the powers of this world, and fail to be governed by justice and love. In your mercy, forgive us. Raise us to acclaim him as ruler of all, that we may be loyal ambassadors, obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ.

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 II Samuel 11:1-15 (*pages 278-279*)

Mary Ann Anderson

Ephesians 3:14-21 (*pages 178-179*)

John 6:1-21 (*page 90*)

Leader: This is the word of the Lord!

People: *Thanks be to God!*

Children's Sermon/Four Cents A Meal Offering

Special Music

"Faith of Our Fathers"

Allyson True - Flute

JoAnn Pendley - Piano

Sermon

"Will the Real King Please Stand Up?"

Rev. J. David Shearer

Response to the Word

•Apostles' Creed (Traditional) page 14

•Hymn 142 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!"

CORONATION

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 394

"There Is a Balm in Gilead"

BALM IN GILEAD

•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