

## THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

July 10th, 2016

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 am

• Please feel free to stand as you are able.

### Prelude

### Procession

**Welcome & Prayer of the Day** *(please pass the friendship pad)*

### Preparation for the Word

#### The Call to Worship *(Psalm 82)*

Leader: God arises in the council of heaven and gives judgment in the midst of the gods:

**People:** *“How long will you judge unjustly, and show favor to the wicked?”*

Leader: Save the weak and the orphan; defend the humble and needy;

**People:** *rescue the weak and the poor; deliver them from the power of the wicked.”*

Leader: They do not know, neither do they understand; they go about in darkness; all the foundations of the earth are shaken.

**People:** *Now I say to you, “You are gods, and all of you children of the Most High;*

Leader: nevertheless, you shall die like mortals, and fall like any leader.”

**People:** *Arise, O God, and rule the earth, for you shall take all nations for your own.*

•Hymn 469 *“Morning Has Broken”*

### Call to Confession

#### Prayer of Confession

*Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.*

*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 (#579)

### Proclamation of the Word

#### Prayer of Illumination

**Scripture** Amos 7:7-17 *(pages 807-808)* Kathy Swisher

Colossians 1:1-14 *(page 184)*

Luke 10:25-37 *(page 66)*

*Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. ‘Teacher,’ he said, ‘what must I do to inherit eternal life?’ He said to him, ‘What is written in the law? What do you read there?’ He answered, ‘You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself.’ And he said to him, ‘You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.’ But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, ‘And who is my neighbor?’ Jesus replied, ‘A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to*

*an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, ‘Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.’ Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?’ He said, ‘The one who showed him mercy.’ Jesus said to him, ‘Go and do likewise.’*

Leader: This is the word of the Lord!

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

### Children’s Sermon

**Sermon** *“Won’t You be my Neighbor?”*

Rev. J. David Shearer

### Response to the Word

•Apostles’ Creed

•Hymn 513 *“Let Us Break Bread Together”*

### Announcements/Joys & Concerns

#### Sacrament of Holy Communion

Leader: The Lord be with you,

**People:** *and also with you.*

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

**People:** *We lift them to the Lord.*

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People:** *It is right to give our thanks and praise.*

**Sanctus Hymn 581 “Holy, Holy, Holy Lord”**

*Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.*

#### Response

Leader: Great is the mystery of faith:

**People:** *Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.*

### Epiklesis, Intercession for the Church and World and The Lord’s Prayer

### Words of Institution

### Communion

**Prayer after Communion**

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

**The Offering of Tithes and Gifts**

**Offertory**

•Doxology (#592)

•Prayer of Dedication

•Hymn 372 *“Lord, I Want to Be a Christian”*

•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**

*Thank you so much for worshipping with us today! We consider your presence with us a blessing from God. Do not hesitate to reach out to Pastor David or contact the Church Office with any questions you may have about our church!*

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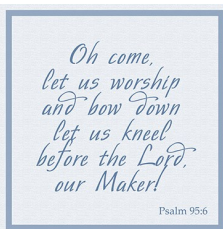
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