

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

September 15th, 2019

14th Sunday after Pentecost

11:00 am

***Please stand in body or in spirit.*

Thank you for worshipping with us today! We consider your presence with us a blessing from God. You are encouraged to greet one another in friendship and love. When the Chiming of the Hour starts, you are invited to prepare yourself for the worship of God.

GATHERING**Ringling of the Bell****Chiming of the Hour - Westminster Chimes****Welcome & Announcements**

Kathy Swisher

(If you are a visitor please take a moment and fill out one of the visitor cards located in your pew rack & drop it in the offering plate later on during the worship service. Welcome to Bethel!)

Prelude

Sara Ann Lamb

WE APPROACH GOD****Call to Worship**

Kathy Swisher

Leader: With what shall we come before the Lord and bow ourselves before God on high?

People: *Shall we come with burnt offerings, with calves a year old?*

Leader: Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousand rivers of oil?

People: *What does the Lord require of us but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with our God?*

****Hymn of Adoration 329***"God Is Our Refuge and Our Strength"***Prayer of Adoration****Call to Confession**

Rev. Bernard Bangley

Unison Prayer of Confession

We confess, O Lord, that we have not lived as a redeemed people. Bring us into your light. Let us live in a manner that does not discredit Christ. Keep us as your own. Make us worthy to be called your children. Amen.

Silent Confession**Assurance of Forgiveness**

If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? We wait for the Lord, and in his word we hope. He redeems us from all our sin.

****Celebration of God's Grace 447***"We Are Forgiven"***WE HEAR GOD'S WORD****Call to the Young People****Conversation with the Young People**

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Anthem*"How Firm a Foundation"*

Bethel Choir

Prayer for Illumination

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Scripture Reading: 2 Timothy 4:3-4

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: *Thanks be to God!***Sermon***"As Seen on TV"*

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WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD****Hymn of Reflection 846***"Fight the Good Fight"*****Affirmation of Faith***Apostles' Creed (page 35)***Sharing of Joys & Concerns**

Kathy Swisher

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

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*Amen. Amen. Amen.***Invitation to Share****Reception of Tithes & Offerings******Doxology 606******Prayer of Dedication****SENDING******Hymn of Sending 546***"Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing"*****Charge & Benediction****** Postlude**

