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Bulletin

May 22, 2016

1st Sunday after Pentecost

10:30 am

God's Call and Our Commitment:

*To be an authentic, accessible and inclusive community in Christ,
celebrating and extending God's love into the world.*

SILENT MEDITATION

"Sometimes your joy is the source of your smile, but sometimes your smile can be the source of your joy." -Thich Nhat Hanh

GATHERING

PRELUDE

"Jesu, Joy of Mans Desiring" (J.S. Bach)

-Carol Graham

We invite you to prepare your hearts and minds for worship as we listen to the prelude.

WELCOMING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

-Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw

-Rev. Frank Hallock

INTROIT

"Sanctuary" (FWS 2164)

-Chancel Choir

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The voice of the Lord is over the waters; the voice of the Lord is powerful; the voice of the Lord is majestic. The voice of the Lord breaks the cedars.

People: **Lord, we hear your voice rumbling like thunder, speaking with power. We give you glory and honor and praise for you alone are worthy. Receive our worship as our response to your great voice.**

Leader: Ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

People: **Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name! Amen!**

PRAYER AND PRAISE

*HYMN OF PRAISE

"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

-UMH 89

SCRIPTURE LESSON

in the Old Testament

-Sarah LaFoe

Leader: For the Word of God in scripture,
For the Word of God among us,
For the Word of God within us,

People: **Praise be to God.**

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

COMMUNITY PRAYER

Holy God, living Savior, ever-present Spirit, from you we receive life and hope and love. You work to unite heaven and earth in a single peace, in a oneness that mirrors your own. Banish from us all doubt and fear, that we may grow in unity and love. Help us know and delight in you, as you know and delight in us. Keep us steadfast in faith and worship, constant in prayer, and bring us at last to see you in ageless glory, one God, now and forever. Amen.

HYMN OF PREPARATION

"Hymn of Promise"

-UMH 707



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SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

-UMH 895

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

ANTHEM

"Ain't Got Time to Die"

-Frank Hallock, Soloist
Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE LESSON *Matthew 13:6-7, 45 in the New Testament*

-Sarah LaFoe

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THE MESSAGE

"The Pearl of Great Value"

-Rev. Lanny Arrowsmith

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

Offertory

See, What a Morning (Getty/Townsend)

-Brenda Foss/Carol Graham

*Doxology

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

-UMH 94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below;
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ,
whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Generous God, you have withheld no good gift from us, graciously pouring out your love, mercy, faithfulness, joy and peace. Thank you for giving us all that truly matters. In humble gratitude we offer back the fruits of our labor, but more importantly, we offer you our hearts. For the sake of Christ we pray. Amen.

GOING FORTH

*HYMN OF DEDICATION

"Joy to the World"

-UMH 246

BENEDICTION

At this time, you may join hands for the Benediction if you desire.

POSTLUDE

"Joy" (Arr. Travis)

-Carol Graham



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