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Bulletin

May 29, 2016

2nd 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

"And by and by Christopher Robin came to the end of things, and he was silent, and he sat there, looking out over the world, just wishing it wouldn't stop." -A.A. Milne, The House at Pooh Corner

GATHERING

PRELUDE *"Variations on Eternal Father, Strong to Save"* (Joseph) -Carol Graham

WELCOMING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS -Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw
-Rev. Frank Hallock

INTROIT *"Sanctuary"* (FWS 2164) -Chancel Choir

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Spread your open hands toward heaven—

People: Sing to the Lord a new song!

Leader: The Lord is like no other God—

People: Sing to the Lord, all the earth!

Leader: Come together to pray and praise:

People: The Lord has made us—Hallelujah! To the Lord we belong, forever—Amen!

PRAYER AND PRAISE

***HYMN OF PRAISE** *"Holy, Holy, Holy"* -UMH 64
Kevin Tran, Organ

SCRIPTURE LESSON *Galatians 1:1-12 in the New Testament* -Beth Brainerd Hallock

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.

SPECIAL MUSIC *"Allegro from Sonatina in C"* (Kuhlau) -Julie Tran, Piano

BLAKESLEE CHIMES *"The Bible Tells Me So"* -Ringers and Singers



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PROCLAIMING THE WORD

COMMUNITY PRAYER

O God, conform us to the likeness of your Son, Jesus Christ. We know that he was patient, full of love, and never selfish. We know that he cared for the poor and broken, and he welcomed the least of these into his arms. We know that he was one with you, that he always made time for prayer. We know that he knew the Scriptures and was always proclaiming the good news of the kingdom. God, we desire to be like Jesus. Form us and mold us, so that the world will see him in us. Amen.

HYMN OF PREPARATION *“Heal Me, Hands of Jesus”*

-UMH 262

SILENT PRAYER

During this time of silence, we remember those who gave their life in the service of their country. At the close of our time of silence, TAPS will play in honor and respect for those service people.

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

“Sing to the Lord” (Medema)

-Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE LESSON *Luke 7:1-10 in the New Testament*

-Beth Brainerd Hallock

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

People: **Praise be to God.**

THE MESSAGE

“Complicated Relationships” -Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw



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RESPONSE TO THE WORD

OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

Offertory *“Come Down, O Love Divine”* (Ley) (UMH 475) -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** *“Christ for the World We Sing”* -UMH 568

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *“National Hymn”* (Roberts/Warren) -Carol Graham

**Please stand if you are able.*

*Please complete the registration card found in the pew pocket and place in the offering.
Prayers and comments may be written on the back of the card.*



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Flowers are given by Wayne and Brenda Foss in honor of their sixth wedding anniversary today and the 99th birthday of Max Foss (May 22).