

GO OUT TO SERVE

*Hymn "Lift High the Cross" Hymnal #826
*Benediction and Congregational Response "Lift High the Cross" Hymnal #826, Ref.
*Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim
Till all the world adore his sacred name.*

Postlude

Serving Today

Ushers

Michelle Crownhart
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LeRoy Lafferty
Terry Powers
Stacy Volkert
Robby Goode
Terry Powers
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Sermon on the Steps

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A family of Christ, welcoming all, worshiping God,
growing in the Spirit and joyously serving others

Interim/Transition Ministry Specialist Pastor: Rev. Dr. Gary J. Ziccardi

Christian Education is available for Children 5th grade and younger. They will be escorted from the front of the sanctuary right after the Children's Message. A Crib Room is available thru the narthex at the rear of the sanctuary. Questions? See an usher.

Large print hymnals and hearing assistance devices are available from an usher.
If you are able, please stand where you see an asterisk.

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

JUNE 10, 2018 9:30 AM

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Good morning! As the music for meditation is played and the acolyte lights the candles, please use this time in silent meditation as we prepare to worship and meet God in this sanctuary.

Music for Meditation

Words for Preparation:

¹⁵ But you, Lord, are a compassionate and gracious God, slow to anger, abounding in love and faithfulness. - Psalm 86:15

The Playing of the Chimes

Welcome, Announcements & Greeting

Rev. Dr. Gary Ziccardi

During this period, please sign the Friendship Pad, pass it through the pew and back to the aisle. If you have special prayers of praise or concern, write them on the cards in the pew racks, fold in half and pass them to the center aisle at the time of the prayers for the people. We conclude by singing together:

"I Will Call upon the Lord"

Hymnal #621

** I will call upon the Lord who is worthy to be praised.*

So shall I be saved from my enemies. I will call upon the Lord.

*The Lord liveth, and blessed be the Rock,
and let the God of my salvation be exalted.*

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Choral Introit:

"Now Let Us All Praise God and Sing"

G. Young

The Call to Worship

Sharon Gehl

Leader: Holy God, you are God alone. Creator of the universe and all that is in it, you have blessed us with everything we need.

People: You have given us a gift grace we don't deserve. Our hearts filled with joy!

Leader: We worship you and sing your praise, remembering your mighty deeds throughout history.

All: All glory and honor are yours. Amen.

*Hymn "We Praise You, O God" Hymnal #612

*Prayer of Adoration

*Congregational Response "Fairest Lord Jesus" Hymnal #630 vs 4
*Beautiful Savior, Ruler of the nations, Son of God and Son of Man!
Glory and honor, praise, adoration, now and forevermore be thine!*

ACKNOWLEDGING OUR NEED FOR MERCY

Prayer of Confession

All: Gracious God, forgive us. We place our trust in things that are fleeting, rather than in you and the sure promises you offer. We focus on the things that are before us, getting bogged down in the mundane and the trials of the moment. We fail to remember to set our sights on you. Forgive our doubt, our lack of hope, our fear. Restore our hope in those things unseen by our eyes. Revitalize our faith. Renew our hearts that we might worship you fully. Redeem us so we can be a sign of your love to others who doubt. Amen.

(Moments of Silent Reflection)

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Beloved, hope in the Lord! For with the Lord there is steadfast love, and with him is great power to redeem. It is he who will redeem us from all our iniquities.

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

*Gloria Patri Hymnal #581
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Sermon on the Steps

Stacy Volkert

Choir Anthem:

"In This Very Room"

R. & C. Harris

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Lesson

2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

Sermon

"Inner Renewal & Eternal Hope"

Rev. Dr. Gary Ziccardi

RESPONDING TO GOD

*Hymn

"When All Is Ended"

Hymnal #376

Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Giving God our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

*Doxology

Hymnal #606

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication

All: We are entirely yours God; life, and breath, and heart, and soul. We hold our wallets in our hands; we find here the power to buy, and the power to give. All power we have is a gift from you. We give this offering generously in the spirit of Christ, who gave heart and soul and mind and strength to you, freely and with deep love. Amen.