HOLY COMMUNION - FAITH 18 ALIVE JAN 7, 1996 7:45 & 10:20 AM

Prelude: "O LAMB OF GOD MOST HOLY"ArgenElert*Processional Hymn: "LIGHT OF THE WORLD, WE
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(you may be seated)

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And lo a voice from heaven, saying, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.

Matthew 3:17

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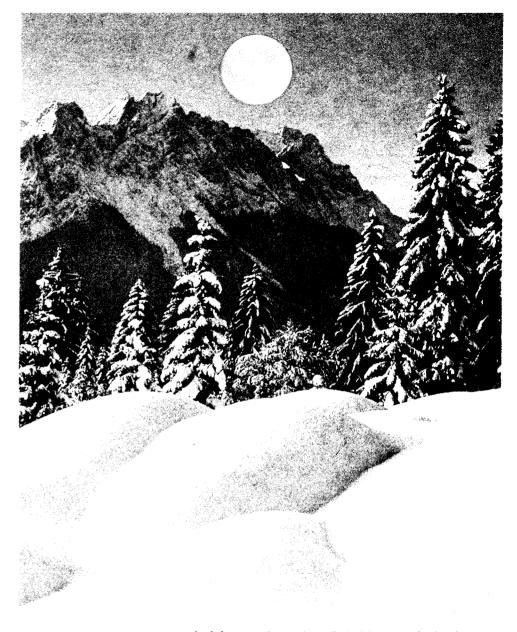
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And Jesus said unto him, Forbid him not: for he that is not against us is for us.

Luke 9:50

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January 28, 1995 (96) 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "GIVE OF YOUR BEST TO THE MASTER"

*Processional Hymn: "ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING" (Vs. 1, 2 and 3) 15 *Solemn Declaration 482 (you may be seated)

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*Glorit Patri (the poople stand) #492

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Special Music:

8 a.m. - Solo - Dolores Canoles 10:30 a.m. - "THERE IS A SAVIOUR" - Senior Collect <u>Leader:</u> The Lord be with you, <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. Leader: Let us pray.

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General Praye:

*Hymn: "TAKE MY LIFE, AND LET IT BE" 253

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory: "TAKE MY LIFE, AND LET IT BE"

Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi:"Glosy be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson:Matthew 22:15-22 *Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ" *HYMN: "AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL: 443 SERMON: ONE NATION UNDER GOD?

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Then he said to them:"Give therefore to the Emperor the things that are the emperor's, and to God the things that are God's. When they heard this, they were amazed, and they left him and went away." Matthew 22:21

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The same came therefore to Philip, which was of Bethsaida of Galilee, and desired him, saying, Sir, we would see Jesus.

John 12:21

HOLY COMMUNION - FAITH IS ALIVE Feb 4, 1996 7:45 & 10:30 AM Prelude: "AIR FROM SUITE IN D" Bach *Processional Hymn: "WE PRAISE THEE, O GOD" 19 *Solemn Declaration 482 (you may be seated)

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*Hymn: With Broken Braad in our Hands (See Worship Book)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory: "I COME, O SAVIOUR, TO THY TABLE"

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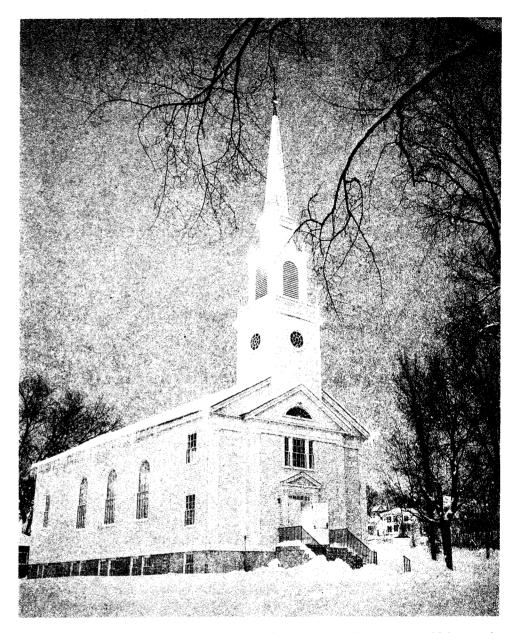
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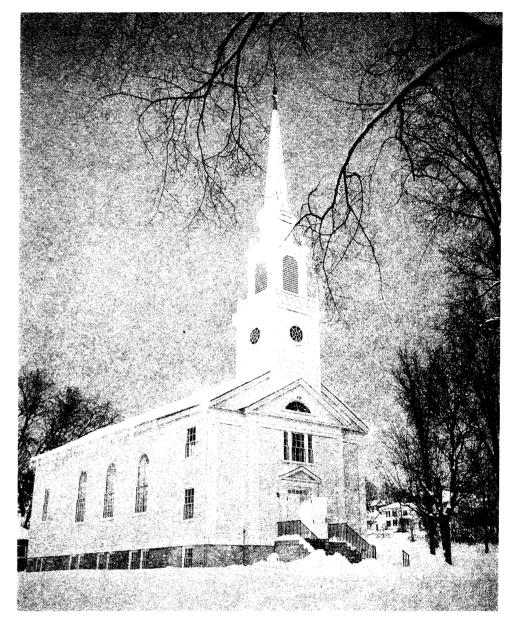
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*Processional Hymn: "WHEN MORNING GILDS THE
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The day following Jesus would go forth into Galilee, and findeth Philip, and saith unto him, Follow me.

John 1:43

ASH WEDNESDAY February 21, 1996

7:30PM

Prelude: "O Sacred Head Now Wounded"

*Processional Hymn:"How Great Thou Art" (insert)

*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated) 482

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Offertory: "AH HOLY JESUS" Middlesworth *Doxology

Old Testament Lesson:Isaiah 53:1-12 L. The Word of the Lord P. Thanks Be to God

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lessons: Luke 9:51-56 *Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

Hymn:"Lord Who Throughout These 40 Days" Hymn 141

SERMON: HOW GREAT THOU ART!

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RECEPTION OF ASHES MARKING EACH CHRISTIAN AS A FOLLOWER OF THE WAY OF JESUS (SEE INSERT)

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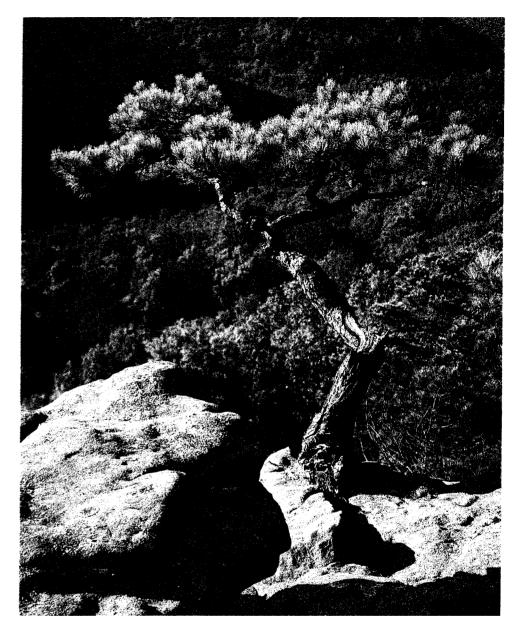
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Worship Services - Sunday, 8 and 10:30 a.m. Church School, 9 a.m.



For the Son of man is come to seek and to save that which was lost. Luke 19:10

FAITH IS ALIVE

February 25, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "LOVE WAS WHEN" arr. Johnson

*Processional Hymn: "GLORIOUS THINGS OF THEE ARE SPOKEN" 323 *Solemn Declaration 482 (you may be seated)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "THERE IS A GREEN HILL FAR AWAY 479 Postlude: "O LOVE THAT WILT NOT LET ME GO" *Congregation stands

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A new commandment I give unto you, That ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another. John 13:34

AMASING GRACE - BIBLE STUDY, PRAYER, AND HEALING JESUS MARCH TO THE CROSS LENTEN SERIES 7:30PM

Prelude: Old Fashioned Hymn Sing Delores Canoles

***Solemn Declaration** 482 (you may be seated)

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AMEN

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

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Hymn: (vs. 1 & 2 only) "WHEN I SURVEY THE WONDROUS CROSS" 158

HEALING SERVICE

"Very truly I tell you, the one who believes in Ne will also do the works that I do, and in fact, will do greater works than these because I am going to the Father." (John 14:12)

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Litany of Healing (See Insert)

Invitation

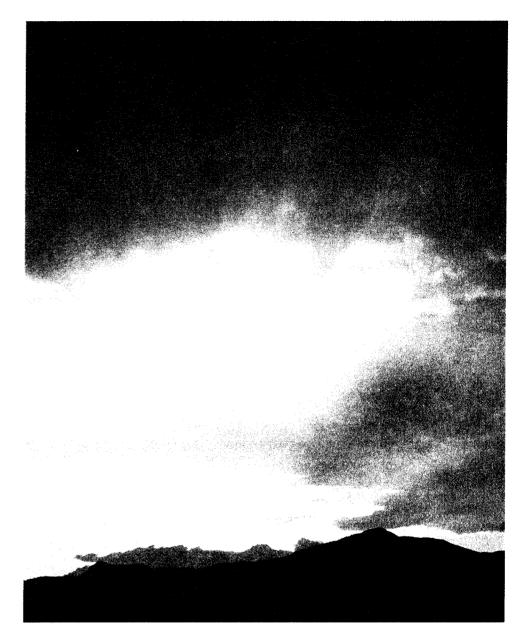
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Postlude *Congregation stands

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And he said, Take heed that ye be not deceived: for many shall come in my name, saying, I am Christ; and the time draweth near: go ye not therefore after them. Luke 21:8

HOLY COMMUNION - FAITH IS ALIVE March 3, 1996 _____ 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "SHEEP MAY SAFELY GRA	AZE" Bach		
*Processional Hymn: "GUIDE ME GREAT JEN			
*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated)	482		

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"For I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." I Cor 11:23-24

WITH BROKEN BREAD IN OUR HANDS!

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*Hymn: "HEAR, O MY LORD"

SERMON:

Presentation of the Gifts

Pastor: Receive now the gifts of the Lord **People:** The gifts of God for the people of God!

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (see Sacrament of Holy Communion in Worship Book)

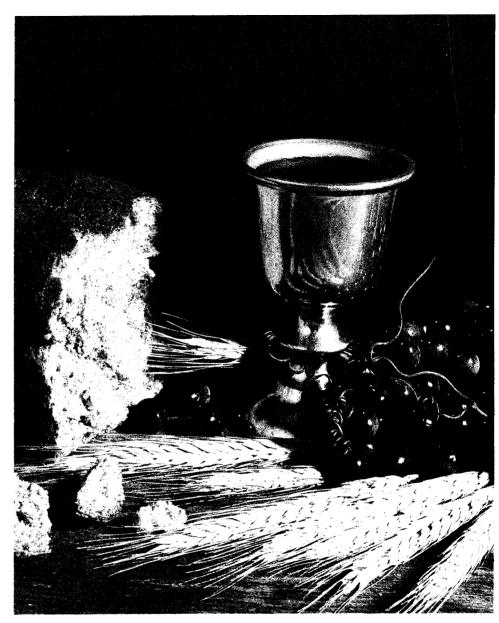
Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pastoral Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11, 2 Tim 4:7 and Joshua 1:9)

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REMEMBER THE CHURCH IN YOUR WILL

The ongoing work of the church depends on contributions to the capitol improvement of the buildings. One way to insure on-going building improvements and maintenance (such as the repair or replacement of boiler or roof) and that the mission of this great church will continue, is to remember the church in your will. Should you need assistance in this matter, please call the church office and arrange a meeting with the Pastor or President of the Council



And he took bread, and gave thanks, and brake it, and gave unto them, saying, This is my body which is given for you: this do in remembrance of me.

Luke 22:19

ANASING GRACE - BIBLE STUDY, PRAYER, AND HEALING JESUS MARCH TO THE CROSS LENTEN SERIES 7:30PM

Prelude: Old Fashioned Hymn Sing Delores Canoles

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AMEN

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Collect <u>Leader:</u> The Lord be with you, <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: (vs. 1&2 only) "IN THE CROSS OF CHRIST I GLORY" 164 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering Offertory Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson: (See Insert) *Laus Tibi: "Praise Be to Thee, O Christ"

MEDITATION: (See Insert) Have your Bible ready

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

- (L) Go in Peace to Love and Serve the Lord
- (P) Thanks be to God

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Hymn: (vs. 1 & 2 only) "ALAS! AND DID MY SAVIOUR BLEFD" 153

HEALING SERVICE

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Litany of Healing (See Insert)

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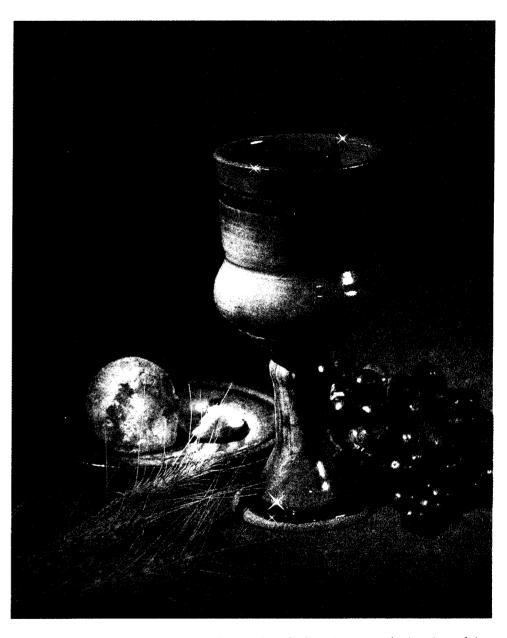
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*Recessional Hymn: Amasing Grace (See Insert)

Postlude: *Congregation stands

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Then shall the righteous shine forth as the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Who hath ears to hear, let him hear.

Mathew 13:43

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FAITH IS ALIVE

March 10, 1996 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Beneath The Cross of Jesus" arr.Johnson

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call to Worship saying):

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AMEN

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SERMON: CAN A CHRISTIAN BE RICH!

"And his master commended the dishonest manager because he had acted shrewdly; for the children of this age are more shrewd in dealing with their own generation than are the children of light. And I tell you, make friends for yourselves by means of dishonest wealth so that when it is gone they may welcome you into the eternal homes." Luke 16:8-10

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(You may be seated)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*<u>Recessional Hymn</u>: "Are Ye Able, Said the Master" (front cover of Hymnal)

Postlude: - Cappelan *Congregation stands

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But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth: for the Father seeketh such to worship him.

John 4:23

AMAZING GRACE - BIBLE STUDY, PRAYER, AND HEALING JESUS MARCH TO THE CROSS LENTEN SERIES 7:30PM

Prelude: Old Fashioned Hymn Sing Delores Canoles

***Solemn Declaration** 482 (you may be seated)

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AMEN

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(You may be seated)

Collect
 Leader: The Lord be with you,
 People: And with thy Spirit.
 Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer
*Hymn: (Verses 1 & 2 only) "Ah, Dearest Jesus"
#164
Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering Offertory: Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson: (See Insert) *Laus Tibi: "Praise Be to Thee, O Christ"

MEDITATION: (See Insert) Have your Bible ready

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Hymn: (vs. 1 & 2 only) "There Is A Green Hill Far Away" #479

HEALING SERVICE

"Very truly I tell you, the one who believes in Me will also do the works that I do, and in fact, will do greater works than these because I am going to the Father." (John 14:12)

Leader: The Lord be with you. <u>People</u>: And with Thy Spirit. <u>Leader</u>: Let us Pray

Litany of Healing (See Insert)

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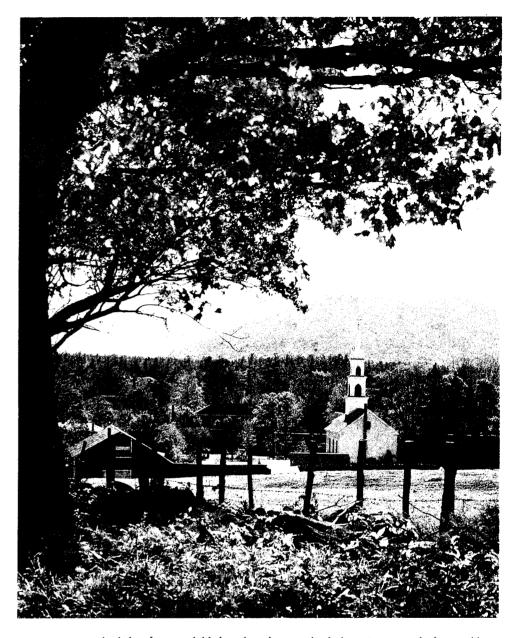
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Postlude: *Congregation stands

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And that from a child thou hast known the holy scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus. 2 Timothy 3:15

FAITH IS ALIVE

March 17, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Balm In Gilead" - Binckes

*Processional Hymn: "O Sacred Head Now Wounded" (verses 1 & 2) #142 *Solemn Declaration 482 (you may be seated)

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that year, said to them, "You know as high priest that year, said to them, "You know nothing at all! You do not understand that it is better for you to have one man die for the people than to have the whole nation destroyed."...but being high priest that year he prophesied that Jesus was about to die for the nation....So from that day they planned to put him to death." John 11:49-53

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

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Hymn: "A Gaelic Blessing: - see insert

*<u>Recessional Hymn</u>: "The Old Rugged Cross" - front cover of the Hymnal

Postlude: "Allegro" - Handel *Congregation stands

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For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved.

John 3:17

AMASING GRACE - BIBLE STUDY, PRAYER, AND HEALING JESUS MARCH TO THE CROSS LENTEN SERIES 7:30PM

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General Prayer

*Hymn: (vs. 1&2 only)"AH, DEAREST JESUS" 147 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering Offertory Doxology #551

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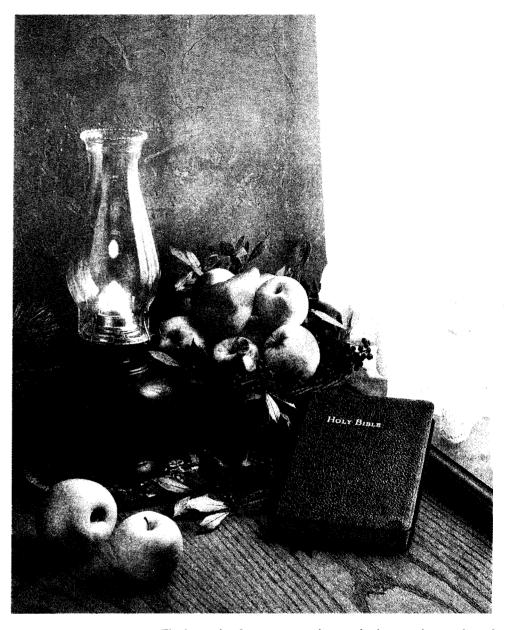
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Postlude *Congregation stands

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Think not that I am come to destroy the law, or the prophets: I am not come to destroy, but to fulfil.

Matthew 5:17

FAITH IS ALIVE

March 24, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"AIR FROM SUITE IN D"Bach*Processional Hymn:"JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE
ADORE THEE"21*Solemn Declaration482
(you may be seated)

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AMEN

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Praise (Responsively): <u>Leader:</u> O Lord, open my lips <u>People:</u> And my mouth shall show forth Your Praise *Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated)

Special Music: 8:00 A.M.- "HOW LONG HAS IT BEEN" - Trio - Pam Georgiadis, Florence Gundlach and Margaret Myrick - 10:30 a.m. -"HAVE YOU BEEN TO CALVARY?" - Senior Choir Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you, <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. Leader: Let us pray. General Prayer

*Hymn: "WHEN I SURVEY THE WONDRUOUS CROSS"
Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! 158
Offering
Offertory: "FUGUE" Handel
Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson:Luke 19:41-46 *Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

***Hymn:** "BENEATH THE CROSS OF JESUS" 161

SERMON: POOR JERUSALEM!

"They will crush you to the ground, you and you children within you, and they will not leave one stone upon another because you did not recognize the time of your visitation from God" Luke 19:44

Sacrament of Holy Baptism (10:30 a.m.)

*Let us stand and say what we believe:

This is the Good News which we received, in which we stand, and by which we are saved; that Christ died for our sins according to the Scripture, that He was buried, that he was raised on the third day; and that He appeared to Peter, then to the twelve and to many faithful witnesses. We believe He is the Christ, the Son of the Living God, He is the first and the last, the beginning and the end. He is our Lord and our God. AMEN (Adapted from the Confession of St. Paul, I Cor 15:1-11 and the Confession of St. Peter, Matt 16:15-16) (You may be seated)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "ARE YE ABLE" - front cover of Hymnal Postlude: "FESTIVAL TOCCATA" Fletcher *Congregation stands

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Jesus said unto her, I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live.

John 11:25

AMASING GRACE - BIBLE STUDY, PRAYER, AND HEALING JESUS MARCH TO THE CROSS LENTEN SERIES 7:30PM

Prelude: Old Fashioned Hymn Sing Delores Canoles

*Solean Declaration (you may be seated)

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Men

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Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book) (L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel (P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven *Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated)

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you, People: And with thy Spirit. Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: (vs. 1&2 only) "THE OLD RUGGED CROSS" (Front cover of Hymnal) Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering Offertory Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson: (See Insert) *Laus Tibi: "Praise Be to Thee, O Christ"

MEDITATION: (See Insert) Have your Bible ready

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

- (L) Go in Peace to Love and Serve the Lord
- (P) Thanks be to God

*Those who do not wish to stay for the healing service may leave quietly at this time.

Hymn: (vs. 1 & 2 only) "THERE IS A GREEN HILL FAR AWAY" 479

HEALING SERVICE

"Very truly I tell you, the one who believes in Me will also do the works that I do, and in fact, will do greater works than these because I am going to the Father." (John 14:12)

Leader: The Lord be with you. <u>People</u>: And with Thy Spirit. Leader: Let us Pray

Litany of Healing (See Insert)

Invitation

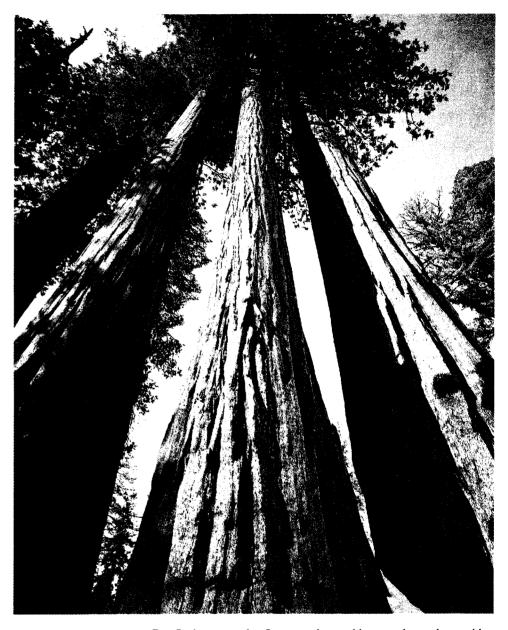
Laying on of Hands

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11) and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: Amasing Grace (See Insert)

Postlude: *Congregation stands

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For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved.

John 3:17

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PALM SUNDAY-RITE OF CONFIRMATIONMarch 31,19968:AM £ 10:30 AM

Prelude: "RIDE ON IN MAJESTY" Broughton

***Processional Hymn:** "THE PALMS" (SEE INSERT)

*Solemn Declaration

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(you may be seated)

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Assurance of Pardon (L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel (P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven Praise (Responsively): Leader: O Lord, open my lips People: And my mouth shall show forth Your Praise ***Gloria Patri** (the people stand) Special Music 8:00 a.m. - "THE HOLY CITY" - Solo -Dolores Canoles 10:30 a.m. - "A FESTIVE HYMN" -Senior Choir Collect Leader: The Lord be with you, People: And with thy Spirit. Leader: Let us pray. General Prayer *Hymn: "ALL GLORY, LOUD AND HONOR" 135

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory: "WITH PALMS BEFORE THEE" Nordman *Doxology

*Gloria Tibi: "Glory be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson: John 12:12-33 *Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ" 133 *Hymn: "RIDE ON! RIDE ON IN MAJESTY" (Vs.1,2&3) SERMON: WHAT SHALL WE DO WITH JESUS OF NAZARETH? "The crowd that had been with him when he called Lazarus out of the tomb and raised him from the dead bore witness. The reason why the crowd went to meet him was that they heard he had done this sign. The Pharisees then said to one another, "You see that you can do nothing; look, the world has gone after him." John 12:17-19

Reception of New Members (10:30AM)

Rite of Confirmation (10:30AM see Insert)

*Let us stand and say what we believe: Apostles' Creed- Page 6 of your hymnal (You may be seated)

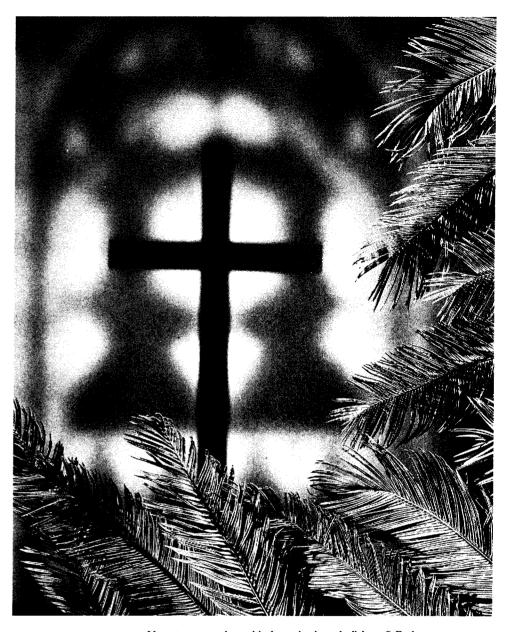
Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7).

*Recessional Hymn: "HOSANNA, LOUD HOSANNA" 136 Postlude: "HOSANNA, LOUD HOSANNA" arr. Innes *Congregation stands

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Now is my soul troubled; and what shall I say? Father, save me from this hour: but for this cause came I unto this hour.

John 12:27

WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK - TABLEAU

April 3, 19968:00PMPrelude: "BENEATH THE CROSS OF JESUS"arr.Johnson*Processional Hymn: "BENEATH THE CROSS OFJESUS"161*Solemn Declaration482(you may be seated)

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Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you, <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE: Offering Offertory: "O SACRED HEAD NOW WOUNDED" Bach Doxology #551

Duet: "IN THE CROSS OF CHRIST I GLORY" -Dolores Canoles and Ray Eberle

DRAMATIZATION OF THE LAST SUPPER

Benediction

*Recessional Hymn:"IN THE CROSS OF CHRIST I GLORY" 164 Postlude: "O SAVIOUR BLEST" Bach

*Congregation stands

Please sign Attendance Card and place it on the Offering Plate

This presentation marks the 46th anniversary of the dramatization of the Lord's Supper here at United. We welcome all of you who are present this evening and wish to thank all of those who participated in the Tableau in any way.

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FAITH IS ALIVE MAUNDAY THURSDAY - HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE OF TENEBRAE

April 4, 1996 7:30PM Prelude: "AH, HOLY JESUS" Middlesworth

*Processional Hymn: "O SACRED HEAD NOW WOUNDED"
*Solemn Declaration #482 (Vs.1 & 2) 142
(you may be seated)
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General Prayer

*Hymn: With Broken Bread in our Hands (Worship Book -verses 1 and 2)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory : "A PLACE CALLED GETHSEMANE"

*Doxology

AMEN

*Let us stand and say the Apostles Creed (page 6 of your hymnal)

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Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (see Order of Worship in your bulletin)

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pastoral Prayer *Hymn: Ah, Dearest Jesus" 147

ORDER FOR TENEBRAE (see insert)

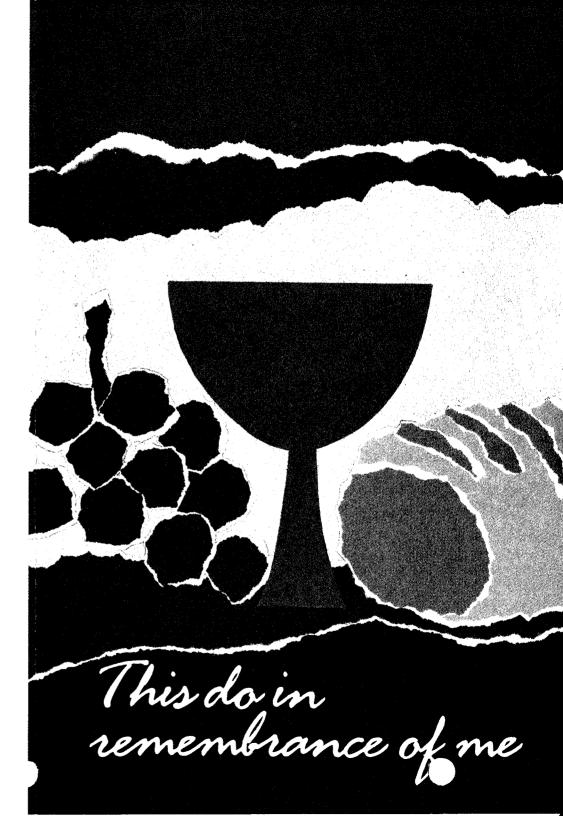
Postlude: (see order for Tenebrae)

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FAITH IS ALIVE HOLY COMMUNION - GOOD FRIDAY

April 5,	1996		<u>9:00 AM</u>
Prelude: '	WERE YO	U THERE?"	Middlesworth

*Processional Hymn: "THE OLD RUGGED CROSS" front cover of Hymnal

***Solemn Declaration** 482 (you may be seated)

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Special Music

"HAVE YOU BEEN TO CALVARY?" -Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you, <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. Leader: Let us pray. General Prayer

*Hymn: With Broken Bread in our Hands (Worship Book-verses 1 and 2)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory:"CHRIST LAY IN THE BONDS OF DEATH"

*Doxology

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson: Matthew 27:3-10 *Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

SERMON: WILL HE LET ME BE?

"Now there was a garden in the place where he was crucified, and in the garden there was a new tomb in which no one had ever been laid. and so, because it was the Jewish day of preparation, and the tomb was nearby, they laid Jesus there." John 19:41-42

*Let us stand and say the Apostles Creed (page 6 of your hymnal)

*Call to the Lord's Supper (responsively):
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 People: And also with you.
 Pastor: Lift up your hearts.
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 Pastor: Let us give thanks unto the Lord.
 People: It is right to give God thanks and
 Praise.
 Pastor: You may be seated.

Presentation of the Gifts

Pastor: Receive now the gifts of the Lord

People: The gifts of Gof for the pople of God! Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (see Order of Worship in your bulletin)

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pastoral Prayer

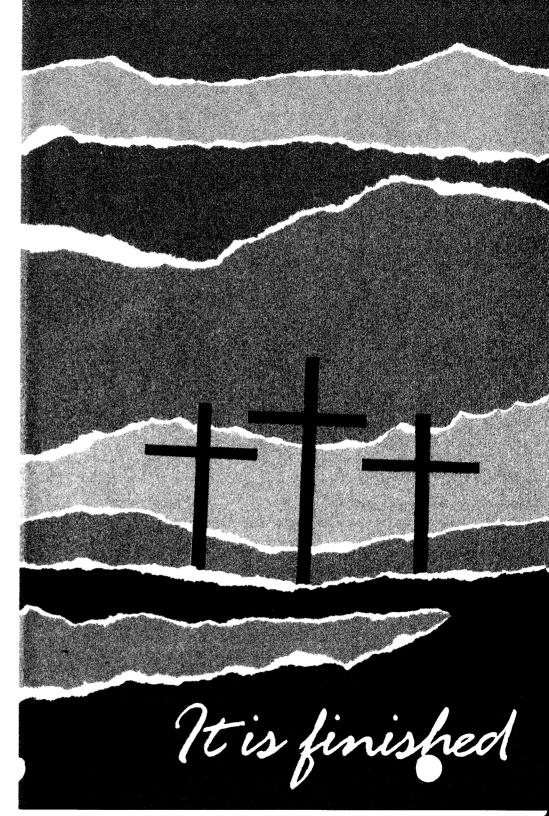
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7) *Recessional Hymn: "There is a Green Hill" 149

Postlude: "Rest in Peace" Bach *Congregation stands Please sign the attendance cards and place it in the offering plate. <u>If you would like a visit or</u> <u>call from the Pastor please add your telephone</u> <u>number and so indicate.</u>

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EASTER SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES, 6 and 10 a.m. - Sacrame of Holy Communion



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Offering

Offertory: 6 a.m. - "HE AROSE" - SOLO - Dolores Canoles 10:30 a.m. - the Brass Quartet *Doxology *Gloria Tibi: "GLORY BE TO THEE, O LORD" *Gospel Lesson: Mark 16:1-20 *Laus Tibi: "PRAISE BE TO THEE, O CHRIST."

*Hymn: "ALLELUIA, CHRIST HAS TRIUMPHED" 174

SERMON: IF I BE LIFTED UP!

"And looking up, they saw that the stone was rolled back; for it was very large. And entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, dressed in a white robe; and they were amazed. And he said to them, "do not be amazed; you seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen, He is not here; see the place where they laid Him. But go tell His disciples and Peter that He is going before you to Galilee; there you will see Him as He told you. And they went out and fled from the tomb; for trembling and astonishment had come upon them; and they said nothing to any one, for they were afraid." Mark 16:4-8

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*Recessional Hymn: "THE DAY OF RESURRECTION" 165 Postlude:

6 a.m. - "CHRIST THE LORD IS RISEN TODAY" 10:30 a.m. - The Brass Quartet

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our 1996 Confirmands are:

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Nikki Doelle	Brian Jos. Dziennik
Jeffrey V. Dziennik	Pamela Lynn Han s
Louis E. Jenkins,	Jennifer V. Myrick
III	Kristy T. Tucker
Katie M. Tucker	Melissa Ann Young

Our sympathy is extended to the family and friends of Mr. William B. Fischer, Sr. whose funeral was held on Thursday. Our special congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Anthony Pistorio, Jr. nee Cindy Marie Baker who were married here yesterday.

HOSPITALS:

Mrs. Lillian Mohr - Recuperating at home, 717 S. Robinson St., City 21224 Mrs. Helen Bogucki - Recuperating at home,

- 3213 O'Donnell St., City 21224
- Mrs. Ida Jefferson Bayview Medical PCU
- Mrs. Mildred "Mutz" Surdel Good Samaritan
 Room 311
- Mr. Charles Clapin Recuperating at home, 1021 Foxcroft Lane, 21221
- Mr. Charles Buschman Franklin Square -Room 322-1
- Mrs. Loretta Clapin Franklin Square
- When you are admitted to or released from
- the hospital, please call the Church Office.

WEEKLY CALENDAR:

- Today Church School, 9 a.m. POCC, 9 a.m. Monday-Church Office closed - Cub Pack #19, 7 p.m.
- Tuesday-Sewing Group, 10 a.m. Church Council Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
- Thursday-Senior Choir, 7:30 p.m.
- Friday-United Bowling League, 6 p.m.- Piano Lessons, 4 p.m.

Pastor Armstrong will be away next Sunday. Rev. Roy Joellenbeck will be our speaker.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE: Your Church Council Finance Committee will be reporting to you weekly on the state of the Church. Last week, thanks to you, we received \$3,860.05 in income (includes Easter Memorials and Lenten Self Denial Folders). We continue to need your support. PLEASE, IF THERE IS ANYTHING YOU CAN DO TO INCREASE YOUR GIVING, REMEMBER YOUR CHURCH! IT COSTS \$2,700.00 PER WEEK TO RUN THE CHURCH, CHURCH HALLS AND OFFICES. \$3,860.05 -2,711.00 \$1,160.05 - Overage

Boy Scout Troop **#19** will meet on Wednesday evening of this week.

This week we are remembering the following persons from our shut-in and responsibility list with spcial prayers:

Miss	Mary Miller	Mrs. Anna Price
Mrs.	Lillian Mohr	Mrs. Cecelia "Sissy
Mrs.	Edna Oberlander	Hoffman" Raut

Our members celebrating birthdays this week:

April8– Dolores CanolesApril9– Eric HertzfeltApril10– William Single IIIHolly Raddatz
Carla FaderApril11– Sharon McWilliamsApril12– Mary CulpApril14– Julius Will

If you would like to have your birthday announced in the Sunday Bulletin, please call the Church Office.

LADIES AID SOUR BEEF SUPPER: Will be held on Wednesday, April 17. Luncheon will be served 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and supper from 4-7 p.m. Carryouts available during serving hours. Tickets are \$9.00 for adults and \$4.50 for children and are available in the Church Office. HELP WILL BE NEEDED IN THE KITCHEN AND DINING ROOM, MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNES-DAY OF THAT WEEK. PLEASE VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME.

P.A.C.T. is already receiving registrations for fall classes. If a parishoner is interested or has relatives or friends who might be, please call Concetta Clark, 995-0118.

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Our 50th Anniversary of the Celebration of the Confirmation Class of April 14, 1946, will be held on Sunday, April 21. We are attempting to locate as many Confirmands as we can. (Names were published in the bulletin of February 18.) If you know of someone who was a part of this class, please call the Church Office. The Congregation is invited to attend the Worship Service as well as the reception to follow in Friendship Hall.

MOTHER & DAUGHTER BANQUET: Tickets for the Women's Guild annual Mother & Daughter Banquet to be held on Wednesday, May 8th are available now from Mildred Gronberg - 675-5679. MEN WILL BE URGENTLY NEEDED TO SERVE AT THIS AFFAIR. Please make yourself available.

Welcome to our Worship Service today and always.

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE CONGREGATION:

Dear Friends,

To have someone care for you and share their love - understanding is a wonderful gift that God bestows upon us in our hour of need. My mother's recent illness along with my heart surgery gave me a deep feeling of reaching out for support and prayers but I never had to, because that love and support was already there. Whenever I go to Church and look around at the warm, smiling, familiar faces of our Church Family, I come to realize that our Family not only gives love but needs love. A Family that not only understands but needs understanding. A family that loves and needs one another.

Our Church and Family is blessed in having such a devoted and loving pastor as Rev. Robert M. Armstrong but also is blessed by God in sending us an equally devoted and caring pastor in the Rev. Roy Joellenbeck. For their many visits to the hospitals - the many cards and calls we received from our Church Family, my mother and I would like to express our sincere appreciation and to let you all know that we love each and everyone of you. Signed with love from Anna Schaeffer and George W. Finnerty.

We would like to thank Henry and Martie Richards for all their help they have given us in our time of need. Sincerely, William and Stella Richards.

LOVE GIFTS - MEMORIALS - BRASS ENSEMBLE

A "Love Gift" has been given to the Church for the Brass Ensemble from Mrs. Charlotte Comeau.

A "Love Gift" has been given to the Church in honor of those that made it possible for our Church to celebrate this Joyous Easter Day by your contributions for the Brass Ensemble. Thank you all so much, Dolores Canoles.

A "Love Gift" has been given to the Church in memory of all of my "Loved Ones". Given from Bill Voelker.

A "Love Gift" has been given to the Church for the Brass Ensemble from Robert Gundlach.

A "Love Gift" has been given to the Church for the Brass Ensemble in loving memory of my parents, Morris and Ida LeBrun. Given from their loving daughter, Clara Wands at Eastertime.

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LOVE GIFTS

A "Love Gift" has been given to the Church for our many blessings. Given with love from Mrs. Anna Schaeffer and George W. Finnerty.

A "Love Gift" has been given to the Church from Charlotte's Hair Line, Essex, Md. of three (3) human hair wigs and three (3) cans color spray (Gray) for the "Last Supper Tableau".

An Easter "Love Gift" honoring our mother, Marie Kodetsky, has been given to the Church from her daughters, Carolyn Bialzak and Rosellen Pellom.

An Easter "Love Gift" and "Get Well Gift" for my sister Margaret Schaeffer and nephew George Finnerty has been given to the Church with love from Marie Kodetsky.

MEMORIALS

In memory of Mr. Herman L. Rossmark who passed away March 26, 1996 has been given from the following:

> Baptist and Mary Hoffmann Mrs. Alice Dzwonczyk Roberta Jackson and the Girls of Inez' Beauty Shop Mrs. Grace Fader Cass and Ernie Young

In loving memory of my husband, George J. Sauer on the 15th anniversary of his death, April 7. Given from his loving wife, Lillian. In memory of Mr. William B. Fischer, Sr. whose funeral was held on April 4, 1996 has been given to the Church from the following:

> United Church Council William A. Voelker

EASTER MEMORIALS

In loving memory of my wife, Elaine M. Smith. Given from her husband, Arthur "Otts" Smith.

In loving memory of mother, Elaine M. Smith. Given from her daughter and son-in-law, Kim and Ken Iwanowski.

In loving memory of mother, Elaine M. Smith. Given from her daughter and son-in-law, Pam and Mark Fuchsluger and their daughter Sierra.

In loving memory of my motherin-law, Mrs. Alvina K. Waters. Given from her son-in-law, Arthur W. "Otts" Smith.

In loving memory of mother, Mrs. Agnes: E. Smith. Given from her son, Arthur W."Otts" Smith.

In loving memory of our grandmothers, Mrs. Alvina K. Waters and Mrs. Agnes E. Smith. Given from their grandaughters and their husbands, Kim and Ken Iwanowski and Pam and Mark Fuchsluger and their daughter Sierra.

In loving memory of sister-in=law and aunt, Alvina B. Waters. Given from her brother-inlaw, Arthur W. "Otts" Smith and her nieces and their husbands, Kim and Ken Iwanowski, and Pam and Mark Fuchsluger and their daughter Sierra.

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EASTER MEMORIALS

In loving memory of brother-in-law and uncle, Charles F. "Sunny" Waters. Given from his brother-in-law, Arthur W. "Otts" Smith and his nieces and their: husbands, Kim and Ken Iwanowski and Pam and Mark Fuchsluger and their daughter, Sierra.

In loving memory of my husband and "Our Dad", Frank Kodetsky. Given from his wife Marie and daughters, Carolyn Bialzak and Rosellen Pellom.

In loving memory of our mother and father, Anna and John Reitz. Given from their daughters, Marie Kodetsky and Anna Schaeffer.

In memory of all of our "Loved Ones". Given from Marie Kodetsky and her daughters, Carolyn Bialzak and Rosellen Pellom.

In loving memory of my dear friend, Ruth Voelker. Given from her friend, Sister Gladys I. Reidenouer.

An Easter Lily Memorial has been given to the Church in loving memory of our parents, Howard and Elizabeth Warneke. Given from their children, Irvin, Howard, Jr. and Helen.



But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. 1 Corinthians 15:57

FAITH IS ALIVE

April 14, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"PRAYER"Boelleman*Processional Hymn:"I WILL EVER SING THY
PRAISE"18*Solemn Declaration482
(you may be seated)

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call to Worship saying):

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AMEN

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Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book) (L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel (P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven Praise (Responsively): Leader: O Lord, open my lips People: And my mouth shall show forth Your Praise *Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music: 8:00 A.M.- "SEEK YE THE LORD" -Senior Choir 10:30 A.M.- "THERE'S SOMETHING ABOUT THAT NAME" Duet: Florence Gundlach and Lynn Sanders Collect Leader: The Lord be with you, **People:** And with thy Spirit. Leader: Let us pray. General Prayer ***Hymn:** "I SING THE PRAISE OF LOVE UNBOUNDED" 17 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory: "MY FAITH LOOKS UP TO THEE" Doxology #551 lst Lesson: I Peter 1:3-9 *Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson: John 20:19-31 *Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

***Hymn:** "IMMORTAL LOVE, FOREVER FULL" 242

SERMON: Pastor Roy Joellenbeck, Minister of Visitation - "THOMAS WAS MOVED FROM DOUBT TO CERTAINTY".

But Thomas, one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came, so the other diciples told them, "We have seen the Lord". But he said to them, "unless I see the mark of the nails in His hands and put my finger in the mark in His side, I will not believe".

John 20:24

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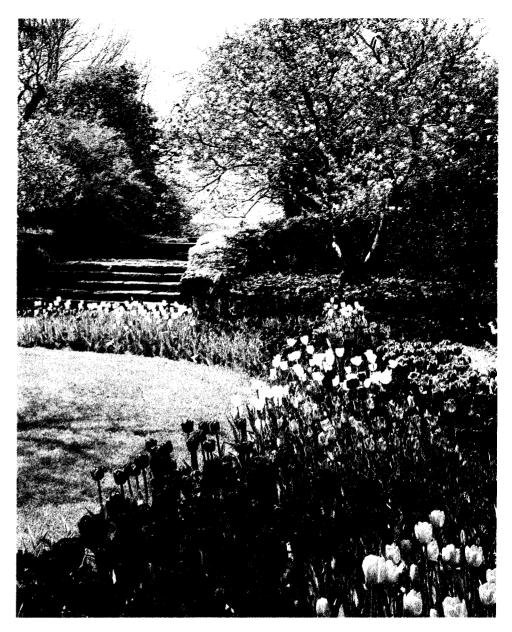
Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "JESUS LIVES AND SO SHALL I" 168 Postlude: "TOCCATA IN C" Bach *Congregation stands

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But these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through his name.

John 20:31

FAITH IS ALIVE

THE 50TH CONFIRMATION REUNION - THE CLASS OF 1946

April 21, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "SAVIOUR LIKE A SHEPHERD LEAD US" ***Processional Hymn:** "HOLY, HOLY, HOLY" 1

*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated)

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SERMON: "THE ROAD TO EMMAUS" - The Rev. Roy Joellenbeck

And He said to them, "Oh foolish men, and slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have spoken! Was it not necessary that the Christ should suffer these things and enter into His glory?"

ROLL CALL OF CONFIRMANDS OF THE VARIOUS PASTORS RECOGNITION OF OLDEST CONFIRMAND - Grace E. Fader WELCOME OF CONFIRMATION CLASS OF 1946 - Pastor PRESENTATION OF GIFTS BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT AND REPRESENTATIVE - GEORGE HAMMERBACHER, PRESIDENT *Let us stand and say what we believe:

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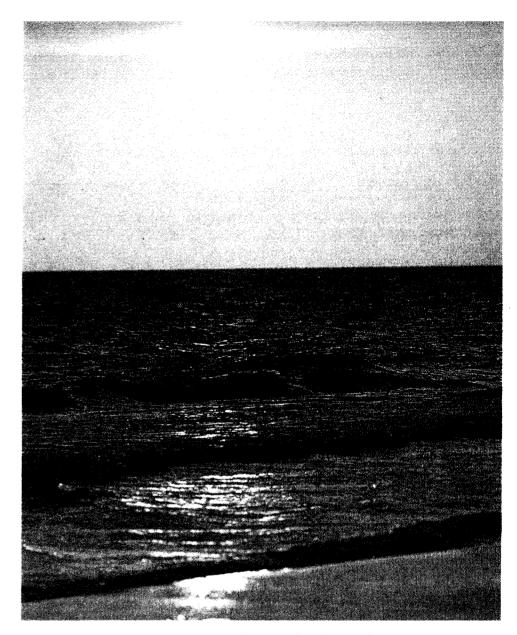
*Recessional Hymn: "ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS" 292

Postlude: "O FOR A THOUSAND TONGUES TO SING" ***Congregation stands**

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And they said one to another, Did not our heart burn within us, while he talked with us by the way, and while he opened to us the scriptures?

Luke 24:32

FAITH IS ALIVE

April 28, 1996 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. Prelude: "WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS" *Processional Hymn: "OPEN NOW THY GATES OF

BEAUTY"23*Solemn Declaration482(You may be seated)482

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AMEN

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I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly.

John 10:10

HOLY COMMUNION - FAITH IS ALIVE May 5, 1996 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "THIS IS MY FATHER'S WORLD" arr. Innes
*Processional Hymn: "THIS IS MY FATHER'S WORLD"
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***Solemn Declaration** 482 (you may be seated)

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"What are human beings that you are mindful of them, mortals that you care for them? Yet you have made them a little lower than God, and crowned them with glory and honor." (Psalm 8:4-5)

Presentation of the Gifts

Pastor: Receive now the gifts of the Lord **People:** The gifts of God for the people of God!

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (see Sacrament of Holy Communion in Worship Book)

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pastoral Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11, 2 Tim 4:7 and Joshua 1:9)

***Recessional Hymn:** "O ZION HASTE" 380

Postlude: 'O PRAISE THE LORD" Croft *Congregation stands Please sign the attendance cards and place it in the offering plate. <u>If you would like a visit or</u> <u>call from the Pastor please add your telephone</u> <u>number and so indicate.</u>

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In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. John 14:2

MOTHER'S DAY FAITH IS ALIVE

May 12, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

 Prelude:
 "MEDITATION"
 Massenet

 *Processional Hymn:
 "FAITH OF OUR MOTHERS" - see insert

***Solemn Declaration**482(you may be seated)

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Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory: "O PERFECT LOVE" arr. Johnson Doxology #551 Guild Mother Of The Year *Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord" *Scripture Lesson: Genesis 12:1-10 *Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn: "O PERFECT LOVE" 356

SERMON: NEW BEGINNING

New Members Being Received (10:30 a.m.)

"Now the Lord said to Abram, "Go from your country and your kindred and your father's house to the land that I will show you. I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you, and make your name great, so you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and the one who curses you I will curse; and in you all the famillies of the earth shall be blessed." (Genesis 12:1-3)

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Honour thy father and mother; which is the first commandment with promise; That it may be well with thee, and thou mayest live long on the earth. Ephesians 6:2-3

FAITH IS ALIVE

May 19, 19968:00 & 10:30 AMPrelude:"LARGO"Dvorak*Processional Hymn:"THIS IS MY FATHER'S
WORLD"65*Solemn Declaration482
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*Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord" *Scripture Lesson: Genesis 1:26-31 *Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn: "O LOVE OF GODD MOST FULL" 275

SERMON: IN THE IMAGE OF GOD

"So God created humankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them, male and female he created them. God blessed them and said "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth." (Gen 1:27-28)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30AM)

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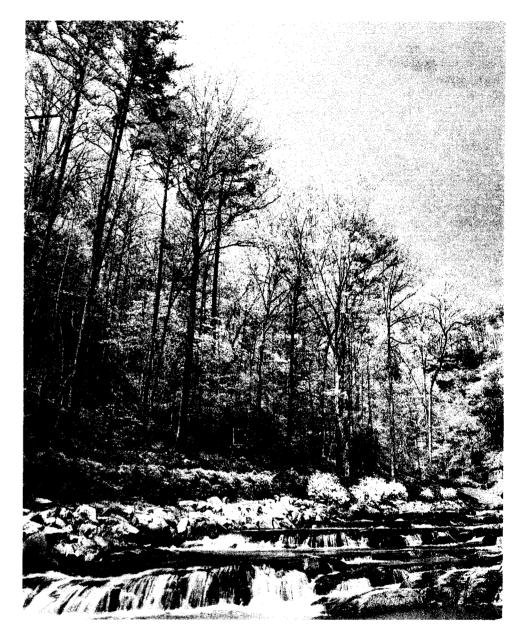
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*Recessional Hymn:	"O JESUS, I HAVE	E PROMISED"
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Postlude:	"POSTLUDE"	Couperin
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Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you. 1 Peter 5:7

FAITH IS ALIVE

PENTECOST SUNDAY

May 26, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"SPIRIT OF GOD, DESCEND UPON MY HEART"*Processional Hymn:"DWELL IN ME, O BLESSED
SPIRIT"*Solemn Declaration464(you may be seated)482

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call to Worship saying):

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(P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven

Praise (Responsively): <u>Leader:</u> O Lord, open my lips <u>People:</u> And my mouth shall show forth Your Praise *Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated)

Special Music: 8:00 A.M.- "JUST AS I AM" -Duet: Margaret and Willoughby Myrick, Jr. 10:30 A.M.- "BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC" -Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you, <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. Leader: Let us pray. General Prayer

*Hymn: "HOLY SPIRIT, TRUTH DIVINE" 188 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory: "HOLY SPIRIT, TRUTH DIVINE" Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord" *Scripture Lesson: I Peter 1:17-23 *Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn: "SPIRIT OF GOD, DESCEND UPON MY HEART" 193

SERMON: IF - THEN Deacon Max Hoffman, Preaching

This is the Good News which we received, in which we stand, and by which we are saved; that Christ died for our sins according to the Scripture, that He was buried, that he was raised on the third day; and that He appeared to Peter, then to the twelve and to many faithful witnesses. We believe He is the Christ, the Son of the Living God, He is the first and the last, the beginning and the end. He is our Lord and our God. AMEN (Adapted from the Confession of St. Paul, I Cor 15:1-11 and the Confession of St. Peter, Matt 16:15-16) (You may be seated)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL" 443 Postlude: "COME HOLY SPIRIT, GOD AND LORD" Bach *Congregation stands

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And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place.

Acts 2:1

FAITH IS ALIVE

HOLY COMMUNION

June 2, 1996 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"0LAMBOFGOD"Karg-Elert*Processional Hymn:"HOLY, HOLY, HOLY, HOLY"1

***Solemn Declaration** 482 (you may be seated)

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call to Worship saying):

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AMEN

Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book) (L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel (P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven Praise (Responsively): Leader: O Lord, open my lips People: And my mouth shall show forth Your Praise *Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music: 7:45 a.m. - "JESUS IS TENDERLY CALLING" - Quartet - Paul Bauersfeld, Jackie Bond, Florence and Robert Gundlach 10:30 a.m. - "GLORY TO THE LAMB" - Senior Chr. Collect Leader: The Lord be with you. People: And with thy Spirit. Leader: Let us pray. General Prayer *Hymn:"With Broken Bread in Our Hands" (Worship Book) Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory: "ALL GLORY BE TO GOD ON HIGH" Doxology #551 *Gleria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord" *Scripture Lesson: Genesis 2:4-9; 15-24 *Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ" *Hymn: "HOLY, HOLY, HOLY LORD" 198

SERMON: LIVING EAST OF EDEN

"And the Lord God planted a garden in Eden, in 'the east; and there he put the man whom he had formed." (Gen 2:8)

*Let us stand and say the Apostle's Creed (page 6 of your hymnal) *Call to the Lord's Supper (responsively): Pastor: The Lord be with you. People: And also with you. Pastor: Lift up your hearts. People: We lift them up to the Lord, our God. Pastor: Let us give thanks unto the Lord. People: It is right to give God thanks and Praise. Pastor: You may be seated. Presentation of the Gifts Pastor: Receive now the gifts of the Lord **People:** The gifts of God for the people of God! Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (see Sacrament of Holy Communion in Worship Book) Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pastoral Prayer Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11, 2 Tim 4:7 and Joshua 1:9) *Recessional Hymn: "I LOVE TO TELL THE STORY" 467 **Postlude:** "HOLY, HOLY, HOLY" Post *Congregation stands Please sign the attendance cards and place it in the offering plate. If you would like a visit or call from the Pastor please add your telephone number and so indicate.

REMEMBER THE CHURCH IN YOUR WILL

The ongoing work of the church depends on contributions to the capitol improvement of the buildings. One way to insure on-going building improvements and maintenance (such as the repair or replacement of boiler or roof) and that the mission of this great church will continue, is to remember the church in your will. Should you need assistance in this matter, please call the church office and arrange a meeting with the Pastor or President of the Council



Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, and having done all, to stand.

Ephesians 6:13

FAITH IS ALIVE

June 9, 1996	8:00	& 10:30 AM
Prelude: "SHEEP MAY		200011
*Processional Hymn:	"WHEN MORNING	GILDS THE
	SKIES"	43
*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated)		482

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call to Worship saying):

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Call to Confession

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Prayer of Confession (Let us join together in confessing our sins before God saying):

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AMEN

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Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book)

Sacrament of Baptism (10:30AM)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

 *Recessional Hymn: "O MASTER LET ME WALK WITH

 THEE"
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 Postlude:
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Ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free. John 8:32

FAITH IS ALIVE

June 16. 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "FAITH OF OUR FATHERS" arr. Johnson ***Processional Hymn:** "FAITH OF OUR FATHERS" 282

***Solemn Declaration** 482 (you may be seated)

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call to Worship saying):

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Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (Let us join together in confessing our sins before God saying):

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Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book) (L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel (P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven Praise (Responsively): Leader: O Lord, open my lips People: And my mouth shall show forth Your Praise *Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music: 8:00 A.M. -"FATHER, I'M A FATHER" - Solo - Mr. Willoughby Myrick, Jr. 10:30 A.M. - "WE'LL UNDERSTAND IT BETTER" -Senior Choir Collect Leader: The Lord be with you, People: And with thy Spirit. Leader: Let us pray. General Prayer *Hymn: "ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING" (Vs. 1, 2 and 3 only) 15 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory: 8 a.m. - "INTERLUDE" - 10:30 a.m. -"FATHER, I'M A FATHER" - Mr. Wil Myrick, Jr. Doxology #551 Scripture Lesson: Genesis 6:5-14, Gen 8:1-12, Gen 9:8-17 Pastor: The Word of the Lord People: Thanks Be to God ***Hymn: "MORNING HAS BROKEN"** (see insert) SERMON: NOAH - AN ORDINARY FATHER WHO BECAME EXTRAORDINARY

"Noah was a righteous man, blameless in his generation. Noah walked with God. And Noah had three sons, Shem, Ham, and Japheth."(Gen 6:9-10)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30AM)

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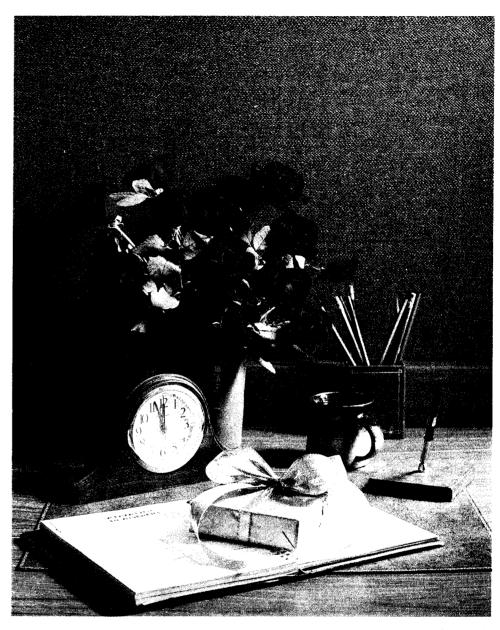
Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn	: "ONCE	TO EVERY	MAN AND	
		NATION"		399
Postlude: "O PRA	ISE THE	LORD"		Croft
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Honour thy father and thy mother, as the Lord thy God hath commanded thee.

Deuteronomy 5:16

FAITH IS ALIVE

June 23, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Higher Ground" - arr. Johnson (Insert)

*Processional Hymn: *Solemn Declaration 482 (you may be seated)

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call to Worship saying):

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Kyrie

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and let us make a name for ourselves; otherwise we shall be scattered abroad upon the face of the whole earth" (Gen 11:4)

Sacrament of Baptism (8:000AM and 10 DAM)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

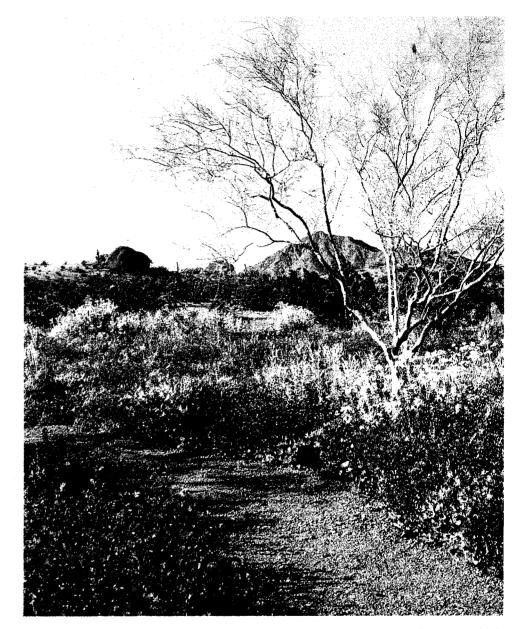
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus" #290

Postlude: "Toccata in C" - Bach *Congregation stands

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Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life.

Matthew 7:14

FAITH IS ALIVE

June 30, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Meditation" - Massenet *Processional Hymn:"God of Our Fathers" #440

*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated)

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AMEN

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Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book) (L) Friend's believe the good news of the gospel (P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven Fraise (Responsively): Leader: O Lord, open my lips People: And my mouth shall show forth Your Praise *Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music: 8:00 A.M. "Calvary's Love" Mr. Willoughby Myrick, Jr. 10:30 A.M. "Statue of Liberty" Senior Choir Collect Leader: The Lord be with you, People: And with thy Spirit. Leader: Let us pray. General Prayer *Hymn: "Holy Spirit, Truth Divine" #188 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory:8:00 AM "Sicilciano" - Bach 10:30 AM "Goin' Home" Solo, Mr. Willoughby Myrick, Jr. Doxology #551 *Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson: John 1:1-5 *Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ" *Hymn: "Breathe on me, Breath of God" #191 SERMON: THE LIVING WORD "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things came into being through him, and without him not one thing came

into being. What has come into being was life,

and the life was the light of all people." (John

1:1-4)

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(You may be seated)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn:"My Country, Tis of Thee" #441

Postlude: "Postlude on America" - Young *Congregation stands

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Let every soul be subject unto the higher powers. For there is no power but of God.

Romans 13:1

FAITH IS ALIVE

July 7, 1996	7:45 & 10:30 AM	
Prelude		and a Gastrana
*Processional Hymn:	"YE SERVANTS OF GOD"	11

***Solemn Declaration** (you may be seated)

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Kyrie

AMEN

482

Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book) (L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel (P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven Praise (Responsively): Leader: O Lord, open my lips People: And my mouth shall show forth Your Praise *Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music: Collect Leader: The Lord be with you, People: And with thy Spirit. Leader: Let us pray. General Prayer *Hymn: "WITH BROKEN BREAD IN OUR HANDS" (See Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Worship Folder) Offering

Offertory

Doxology #551

Scripture Lesson:Genesis 13 (L) The Word of God (P) Thanks Be to God

*Hymn: "GRACIOUS SPIRIT, DWELL WITH ME" 192

SERMON: GOD IN SEARCH OF MAN

"Now the Lord said to Abram,..."I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you, and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and the one who curses you I will curse; and in you shall all the nations of the earth be blessed." (Gen 12: 1-3)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS" 472 *Congregation stands

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I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly.

John 10:10

FAITH IS ALIVE

July 21, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude

*Processional Hymn: "FOF	R THE BEAUTY OF THE
	EARTH" 12
*Solemn Declaration	482
(you may be seated)	

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call to Worship saying):

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AMEN

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*Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492

(You may be seated)

Collect <u>Leader:</u> The Lord be with you, <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray. General Prayer *Hymn: "ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS' NAME" 184 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory Doxology #551 Scripture Lesson:Genesis 12:10-20 (L) The Word of God (P) Thanks Be to God

*Hymn: "LEAD, KINDLY LIGHT"

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SERMON: PATH TO THE PROMISED LAND!

"No distrust made him (Abram) waiver concerning the promise of God, but he grew strong in his faith as he gave glory to God, being fully convinced that God was able to do what he had promised. Therefore faith "was reckoned to him as righteousness." Now the words, "it was reckoned to him," were written not for his sake alone, but for ours also. (Romans 4:20-24)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

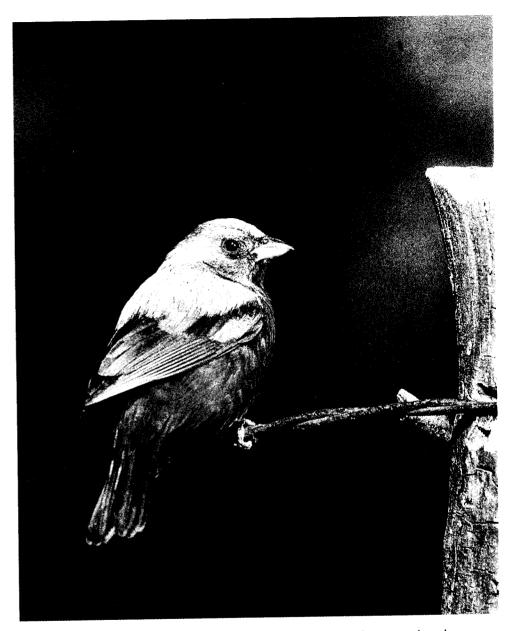
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "COME, THOU FONT OF EVERY BLESSING" 476 Postlude

*Congregation stands

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Fear ye not therefore, ye are of more value than many sparrows.

Matthew 10:31

FAITH IS ALIVE

July 14, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude

*Processional Hymn:	"COME,	THOU	ALMIGHTY	KING"
*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated	1)		482	4

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call to Worship saying):

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People: And my mouth shall show forth Your Praise *Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492

(You may be seated)

Special Music:

Collect <u>Leader:</u> The Lord be with you, <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray. General Prayer *Hymn: "O LORD, TURN NOT THY FACE AWAY" 213

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory

Doxology #551

Scripture Lesson: Genesis 12:1-9

(L) The Word of God

(P) Thanks Be to God

*Hymn: "SOLDIERS OF CHRIST, ARISE" 289

SERMON: ABRAM, A MAN WITH A VISION

"Now the Lord said to Abram,..."I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you, and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and the one who curses you I will curse; and in you shall all the nations of the earth be blessed." (Gen 12: 1-3)

Sacrament of Baptism (10:30AM)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

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*Recessional Hymn: "I LOVE TO TELL THE STORY" 467

Postlude *Congregation stands

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Who can find a virtuous woman? She openeth her mouth with wisdom; and in her tongue is the law of kindness. Proverbs 31:10, 26

FAITH IS ALIVE

July 28, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "SHEEP MAY SAFELY GRAZE"Bach*Processional Hymn: "GUIDE ME, O THOU GREAT
JEHOVAH"80*Solemn Declaration482
(you may be seated)

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Special Music: "IN MY HEART THERE RINGS A MELODY" - Quartet - Paul Bauersfeld, Jackie Bond, Florence and Robert Gundlach

Collect <u>Leader:</u> The Lord be with you, <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray. General Prayer *Hymn: "GOD IS LOVE, H IS MERCY BRIGHTENS" 76 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory: "CONSOLATION" Mendelssohn Doxology #551

Scripture Lesson:Genesis 15 (L) The Word of God (P) Thanks Be to God

***Hymn:** "THE GOD OF ABRAHAM PRAISE" 61

SERMON: FEAR NOT!

Paul's comment concerning Abram: "Therefore his faith "was reckoned to him as righteousness". Now the words, "it was reckoned to him," were written not for his sake alone, but for ours also. (Romans 4:20-24)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "STAND UP, STAND UP FOR
JESUS" 290Postlude: "THE GOD OF ABRAHAM PRAISE" art. Innes*Congregation stands

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That Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith; that ye... may be able to know the love of Christ.

Ephesians 3:17, 19

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FAITH IS ALIVE HOLY COMMUNION

August 4, 1996 7:45AM & 10:30AM

Prelude: "PRELUDE ON AVE VERUM CORPUS"

*Processional Hymn: "GOD HIMSELF IS WITH US" 29 *Solemn Declaration 482 (you may be seated)

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Special Music
"LEANING ON THE EVERLASTING ARMS" -

"LEANING ON THE EVERLASTING ARMS Solo - Darlene Waters

Collect <u>Leader:</u> The Lord be with you, <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray. General Prayer

Assurance of Pardon

*Hymn: With Broken Bread in our Hands (Worship Book-verses 1 and 2)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE: Offering Offertory: "ADAGIO" Mozart

*Doxology

*Gloria Tibi: "Glory be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson: Hebrews 7:1-3 *Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ" Hymn: BEHOLD THE LAMB OF GOD" 148 SERMON: A PRIEST FOREVER

"And King, Melchizedek of Salem brought out bread and wine; he was priest of God Most High. He blessed him and said, "Blessed be Abram by God Most High, maker of heaven and earth, and blessed be God Most High who has delivered your enemies into your hand". Gen 14:18-20

Presentation of the Gifts

Pastor: Receive now the gifts of the Lord **People:** The gifts of God for the people of God!

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (see Sacrament of Holy Communion in Worship Book)

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pastoral Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11, 2 Tim 4:7 and Joshua 1:9)

*Recessional Hymn: "O MASTER, LET ME WALK WITH THEE" 205 Postlude: "FANFARE" Martin *Congregation stands Please sign the attendance cards and place it in the offering plate. If you would like a visit or call from the Pastor please add your telephone number and so indicate.

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The Lord will give strength unto his people; the Lord will bless his people with peace.

Psalm 29:11

FAITH IS ALIVE

August 11, 19968:00 & 10:30 AMPrelude: "JESU, JOY OF MAN'S DESIRING"Bach*Processional Hymn: "WHEN MORNING GILDS THE
SKIES"43*Solemn Declaration482(you may be seated)482

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SERMON: WHAT IS YOUR PROMISED LAND?

"When Abram was ninety-nine years old, the Lord appeared to Abram and said to him, "I am God Almighty; walk before me, and be blameless. And I will make my covenant between me and you, and will make you exceedingly numerous. Then Abram fell on his face; and God said to him, "As for me, this is my covenant with you; you shall be the ancestor of a multitude of nations." (Gen 17:1-4)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (8:00 &10:30am)

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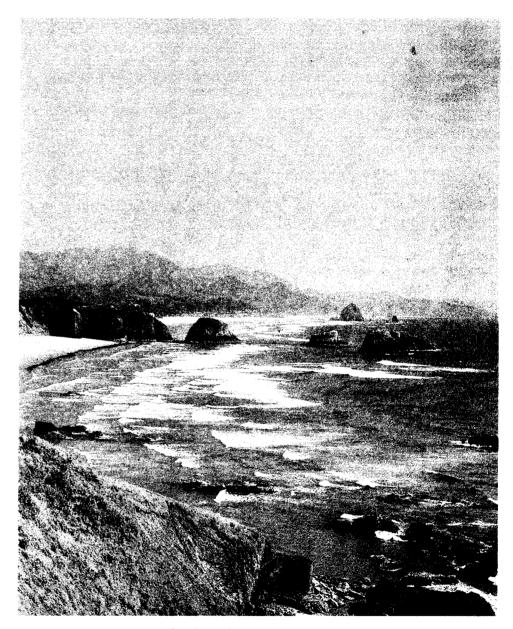
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*Recessional Hymn: "ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS" 292

Postlude:"O PRAISE GOD, YE CHRISTIANS ALL*Congregation standsTOGETHER"

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Lord, teach us to pray.

Luke 11:1

FAITH IS ALIVE

<u>August 18, 1996</u> 8:00

8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "I WAITED FOR THE LORD"Mendelssohn*Processional Hymn: "GLORIOUS THINGS OF THEE
ARE SPOKEN"323*Solemn Declaration482(you may be seated)482

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*Hymn: "WAIT ON THE LORD" (See insert)

SERMON: WHEN THE TIME FOR WAITING HAS PASSED "The angel of the Lord found her by a spring of water in the wilderness, the spring on the way to Shur. And he said "Hagar, slave girl of Sarai, where have you come from and where are you going?" She said "I am running away from my mistress Sarai." The angel of the Lord said to her, "Return to your mistress, and submit to her. I will so greatly multiply your offspring that - they cannot be counted for the multitude." And the angel of the Lord said to her, "Now you have conceived and shall bear a son: you shall call him Ishmael, for the Lord has given heed to your affliction. He shall be a wild ass of a man, with his hand against everyone and everyone's hand against him, and he shall live at odds with all his kin." (Gen 16:7-12)

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* <u>Recessional Hymn</u> :	"SAVIOUR, LIKE A	SHEPHERD
	LEAD US"	461
Postlude: "TOCCATA		Bach
*Congregation stand	S	

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For I know whom I have believed.

II Timothy 1:12

FAITH IS ALIVE

August 25, 19968:00 & 10:30 AMPrelude:"PRAYER"Boelleman*Processional Hymn: "OUR GOD, OUR HELP IN AGES
PAST"63*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)482

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Collect Leader: The Lord be with you. People: And with thy Spirit. Leader: Let us pray. General Prayer *Hymn: "FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH" 12 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory: "CANON ON DIX" Hustad Doxology #551 Scripture Lesson:Genesis 17:9-22 (L) The Word of God (P) Thanks Be to God *Hymn: "TAKE THOU OUR MINDS, DEAR LORD" 252

SERMON: THE RITUAL OF CIRCUMCISION

"Throughout your generations every male among you will be circumcised when he is eight days old, including the slave born in your house and the one bought with your money must be circumcised. So shall my covenant be in your flesh an everlasting covenant. Any uncircumcised male who is not circumcised in the flesh of his foreskin shall be cut off from his people, he has broken my covenant." (Gen 17:12-14)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "O JESUS, T HAVE PROMISED" 271, Postlude: "postlude" Couperin *Congregation stands

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Suffer the little children to come unto me, and forbid them not: for of such is the kingdom of God.

Mark 10:14

FAITH IS ALIVE HOLY COMMUNION

September 1, 1996 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "I WOULD BE TRUE"arr. DeCou*Processional Hymn: "OPEN NOW THY GATES OF
BEAUTY"23*Solemn Declaration482
(you may be seated)

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AMEN

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Special Music:

Solo - Dolores Canoles

Collect <u>Leader:</u> The Lord be with you, <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray. General Prayer *Hymn:"With Broken Bread in Our Hands" (Worship Book) Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory: Solo - Dolores Canoles

Doxology #551 (you may be seated) Scripture Lesson: Jeremah 28:10-15 (L) The word of the Lord (P) Thanks Be to God

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord"
*Gospel Lesson: John 8:12-20
*Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ"
*Hymn: "MAKE ME A CAPTIVE LORD" 243

SERMON: A PURPOSEFUL PAUSE

And Hananiah spoke in the presence of all the people, saying, "Thus says the Lord: This is how I will break the yoke of King Nebuchadnezzar of Babylon from the nations within two years." At this, the Prophet Jeremiah went his way. (Jeremiah 29:10)

Baptism (10:30 a. m.)

*Let us stand and say the Apostle's Creed (page 6 of your hymnal)

Presentation of the Gifts

Pastor: Receive now the gifts of the Lord **People:** The gifts of God for the people of God!

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For we are labourers together with God.

I Corinthians 3:9

FAITH IS ALIVE

September 8, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude

*Processional Hymn: "JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE ADORE THEE" 21 *Solemn Declaration 482 (you may be seated)

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Collect <u>Leader:</u> The Lord be with you, <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray. General Prayer *Hymn: "JESUS SHALL REIGN" (Bs. 1,2 and 5) 371 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory Doxology #551

Scripture Lesson:Genesis 18:1-22 (L) The Word of God (P) Thanks Be to God *Hymn: "BEHOLD US, LORD" 228

SERMON: IS ANYTHING TOO WONDERFUL FOR THE LORD? "They said to him, "Where is your wife Sarah?" and he said, "There in the tent". Then one said, "I will surely return to you in due season, and your wife Sarah shall have a son." And Sarah was listening in the tent entrance behind him. Now Abraham and Sarah were old, advanced in age; it has ceased with Sarah after the manner of women...The Lord said to Abraham "Why did Sarah laugh, and say, "Shall I indeed bear a child, now that I am old? Is anything too wonderful for the Lord? (Gen 18:9-14)

Sacrament of Holy Baptism (10:30 a.m.

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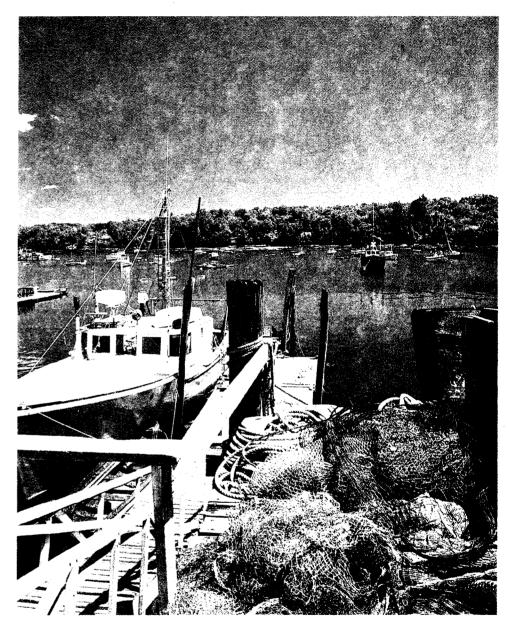
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "SAVIOUR, LIKE A SHEPHERD LEAD US" 461 Postlude *Congregation stands

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We welcome today our Guest Organist Dolores Canoles. Our Director of Music, Mr. Robert Gundlach is attending the Men's Retreat at Mar-Lu-Ridge.



What manner of man is this, that even the winds and the sea obey him!

Matthew 8:27

FAITH IS ALIVE

September 15, 1996			0:30 AM
Prelude: "SHEEP MAY	SAFELY	GRAZE"	Bach
*Processional Hymn:	"HOLY,	HOLY, HCLY"	' 1

***Solemn Declaration** 482 (you may be seated)

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Sacrament of Baptism (10:30AM)

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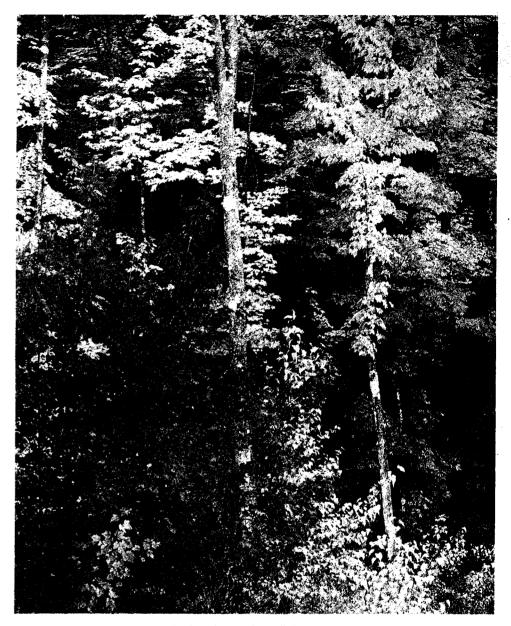
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*Recessional Hymn: "GOD OF YEARS, THY LOVE HATH LED US" 362 Postlude: "THE CHURCH'S ONE FOUNDATION - arr. Innes *Congregation stands

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And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God.

Romans 8:28

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FAITH IS ALIVE

September 22, 1996	8:00 & 10:30 AM
Prelude:	"SINFONIA" Bach
*Processional Hymn	"OUR GOD, OUR HELP IN AGES PAST" 63
*Solemn Declaratio (you may be seat	

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AMEN

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SERMON: WHEN A STRANGER SOJOURNS IN YOUR LAND! "But before they lay down, the men of the city...both young and old..to the last man surrounded the house, and they called to Lot, "Where are the men who came to you tonight? Bring them out to us, so we may know them." Lot went out cf the door to the men and said "Look I have two daughters who have not known a man; let me bring them out to you, and do with them as you please; only do nothing to these men, for they have come under the shelter of my roof." (Gen 19:4-8)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

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*Recessional Hymn: "O ZION, HASTE"

Postlude: "THE GOD OF ABRAHAM PRAISE" ***Congregation stands**

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And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works.

Hebrews 10:24

FAITH IS ALIVE

<u>September 29, 1996</u>	8:00 & 10:30 AM
Prelude: "JESU, JOY OF MA	N'S DESTRINC"
*Processional Hymn: "THIS	IS MY FATHER'S
	WORLD" 65
*Solemn Declaration	482
(you may be seated)	

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SERMON: THE DARK CAVE WITHIN!

"Come, let us make our father drink wine, and we will lie with him, so that we may preserve offspring through our father.....Thus both the daughters of Lot became pregnant by their father." (Gen 19:32-36)

Reception of New Members (10:30AM)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

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But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

Matthew 6:33

FAITH IS ALIVE HOLY COMMUNION

<u>October 6, 1996</u>	7:45 & 10:30 AM
Prelude: "AVE VERUM CORPUS"	Mozart
*Processional Hymn: "WE PRAI	SE THEE, O GOD"
*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated)	482

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*Hymn:"With Broken Bread in Our Hands" (Worship Book)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering-Neighbors-In-Need Offering Offertory: "I COME, O SAVIOUR TO THY TABLE"

Doxology #551

Scripture Lesson:Genesis 21:1-7 (L) The Word of Lord (P) Thanks Be to God *Hymn: "LET ALL MORTAL FLESH KEEP SILENCE" 336 SERMON: GOD'S GIFT OF LAUGHTER! "Sarah conceived and bore Abraham a son in his old age at the time of which God had spoken to him. ...Now Sarah said, God has brought laughter for me; everyone who hears will laugh with me." (Gen 21:2-6) *Let us stand and say the Apostle's Creed (page 6 of your hymnal)

*Call to the Lord's Supper (responsively):
 Pastor: The Lord be with you.
 People: And also with you.
 Pastor: Lift up your hearts.
 People: We lift them up to the Lord, our God.
 Pastor: Let us give thanks unto the Lord.
 People: It is right to give God thanks and
 Praise.
 Pastor: You may be seated.

Presentation of the Gifts

Pastor: Receive now the gifts of the Lord **People:** The gifts of God for the people of God!

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (see Sacrament of Holy Communion in Worship Book)

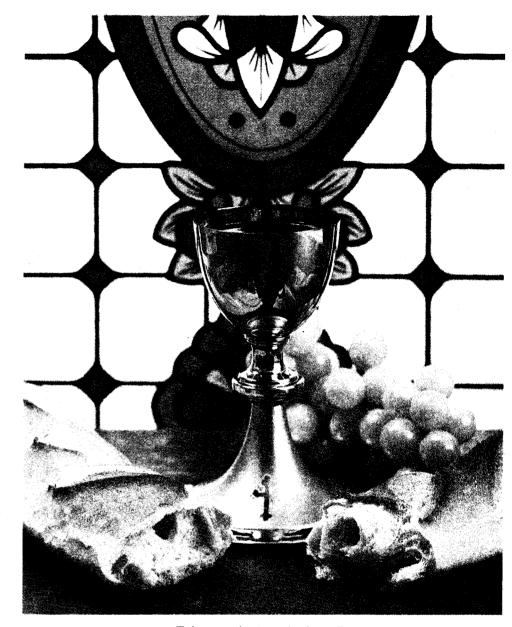
Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pastoral Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11, 2 Tim 4:7 and Joshua 1:9)

*Recessional Hymn: "A PARTING HYMN WE SING" 343 Postlude: "IN PEACE AND JOY I NOW DEPART" *Congregation stands Please sign the attendance cards and place it in the offering plate. If you would like a visit or call from the Pastor please add your telephone number and so indicate.

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Take, eat; this is my body...Drink ye all of it; For this is my blood.

Matthew 26:26f

Mr. Robert Gundlach - Director of Music

- FAITH IS ALIVE -

<u>October 13, 1996</u>	<u>8:00 & 10:30 AM</u>
Prelude: "AIR FROM SUITE : *Processional Hymn: "WHEN	MORNING GILDS THE
	SKIES" 43
*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated)	482

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Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book)

Deacon Max Hoffman, Preaching

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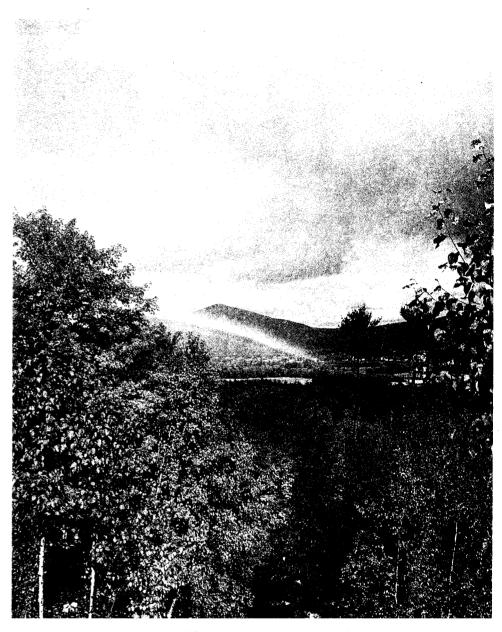
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Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional	<u>Hymn</u> : "	STAND	UP,	STAND	UP	FOR
		-	JESU:			290
Postlude:	"FESTIV	E TOC	CATA'	П		Young
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And Jesus answering saith unto them, "Have faith in God." Mark 11:22

FAITH IS ALIVE

<u>October 20, 1996</u>	8:00 & 10:30	MA
Prelude:"It Is Well	With My Soul -arr.Dec	lou
	(See Ins	
*Processional Hymn:	"This is My Father's	
		#65
*Solemn Declaration		#482
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"Isaac said to his father Abraham, "Father!" And he said, "Here am I my son". He said, "The fire and the wood are here, but where is the lamb for a burnt offering?" Abraham said, "God himself will provide the lamb for a burnt offfering, my son". So the two of them walked on together." Gen 22:7-8

Sacrament Of Baptism (10:39 a.m.)

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God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able.

I Corinthians 10:13

FAITH IS ALIVE

<u>October 27, 1996</u>	<u> </u>
Prelude: "A MIGHTY	FORTRESS IS OUR GOD"
*Processional Hymn:	arr. Young "A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR COD" 281
*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated	#48 2

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Kyrie

AMEN

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Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book)

"And he said,"O Lord, God of my master Abraham, please grant me success today and show steadfast love to my master Abraham.Let the girl to whom I shall say,"Please offer your jar that I may drink" and who shall say, "Drink, and I will water your camels" let her be the one whom you have appointed for your servant Iseac. By this I shall know that you have shown stead? 't love to my master." Gen 24:12-14

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*<u>Recessional Hymn</u>: "THE CHURCH'S ONE FOUNDATION" 322 Postlude: "THE CHURCH'S ONE FOUNDATION" *Congregation stands

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Freely ye have received, freely give.

Matthew 10:8

FAITH IS ALIVE HOLY COMMUNION

November 3, 19967:45 & 10:30 AMPrelude: "O LAMB OF GOD MOST HOLY" Karg-Elert*Processional Hymn: "ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD
AND KING"*Solemn Declaration15(you may be seated)

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call to Worship saying):

I was glad when they said unto me, "Let us go into the house of the Lord." (Psalm 122:1)

God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself; not counting their sins against them and has commissioned us with the message of reconciliation (2 Cor 5:19)

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (Let us join together in confessing our sins before God saying):

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AMEN

Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book) (L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel (P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven Praise (Responsively):

Leader: O Lord, open my lips <u>People:</u> And my mouth shall show forth Your Praise *Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated)

Special Music: 7:45 a.m. - "TEN THOUSAND JOYS" - Duet -Dolores Canoles & Willoughby Myrick, Jr. 10:30 a.m. - CORNERSTONE" - Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you, <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray. General Prayer *Kymn:"With Broken Bread in Cur Hands" (Worship Book)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "I COME, O SAVIOUR TO THY TABLE" Doxology #551 *Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson: Gen 24:62-67 *Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ" *Hymn: "ACCORDING TO THY GRACIOUS WORD" 338

SERMON: 18 HE "MR. RIGHT"?

"Isaac went out in the evening to walk in the field and looking up he saw camels coming. And Rebekah looked up and when she saw Isaac, she slipped quickly from the camel, and said to the servant, "who is that man over there walking in the field to meet us?" The servant said "it is my master". So she took her veil and covered herself. And the servant told Isaac all the things that he had done...Then Isaac took Rebekah and she became his wife, and he loved her." Gen 24:63-67

*Let us stand and say the Apostle's Creed
(page 6 of your hymnal)
*Call to the Lord's Supper (responsively):
 Pastor: The Lord be with you.
 People: And also with you.
 Pastor: Lift up your hearts.
 People: We lift them up to the Lord, our God.
 Pastor: Let us give thanks unto the Lord.
 People: It is right to give God thanks and
 Praise.
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Presentation of the Gifts

Pastor: Receive now the gifts of the Lord **People:** The gifts of God for the people of God!

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (see Sacrament of Holy Communion in Worship Book)

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pastoral Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11, 2 Tim 4:7 and Joshua 1:9)

*Recessional Hymn: "SAVIOUR, AGAIN TO THY DEAR NAME WE RAISE" 32 Postlude: "IN PEACE AND JOY I NOW DEPART" *Congregation stands Please sign the attendance cards and place it in the offering plate. If you would like a visit or call from the Pastor please add your telephone number and so indicate.

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My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness.

II Corinthians 12:9

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Kyrie

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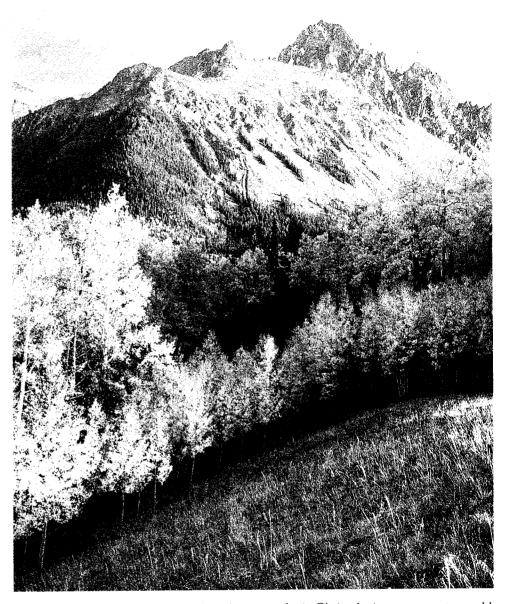
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Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: - "SAVIOUR, LIKE A SHEPHERD LEAD US" 461 Postlude: "RONDO IN G" Bull *Congregation stands

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Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new. II Corinthians 5:17

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FAITH IS ALIVE

November 17, 1996	8:00 &	10:30 AM
Prelude:	"DEDIĈATION"	Dressler
*Processional Hym	a: "GLORIUS THINGS ARE SPOKE	
*Solemn Declaration (you may be seat	on	N" 323 #482

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call to Worship saying):

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AMEN

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she said, "If it is to be this way, why do I live?" So she went to inquire of the Lord. and the Lord said to her,

"Two nations are in your womb, and two peoples born of you shall be devided; the one shall be stronger than the other, the elder shall serve the younger."When her time came to give birth...The first came out red, all his body like a hairy mantle, so they named him Esau. Afterword his brother came out, with his hand gripping Esau's heel, so he was named Jacob." (\ 25:22-26

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30AM)

*Let us stand and say what we believe:

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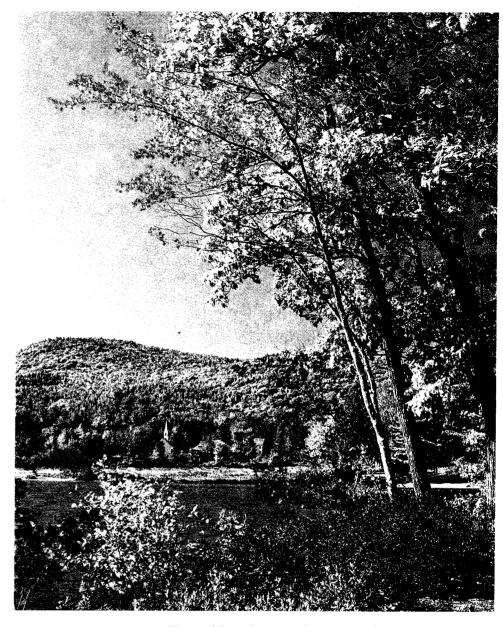
Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

* <u>Recessional</u>	Hymn: -	"O JE	sus,	Ĩ	HAVE	PROMISED"
Postlude: *Congregation	"TO stands	ССАТА	IN	C"		271 Bach

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Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth in thee.

Isaiah 26:3

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November 24, 1996	8:00	& 10:	30 AM
Prelude: "FOR ALL THE SAIN"	rs"	arr.	Held
*Processional Hymn: "HOLY,	HOLY,	HOLY"	1
*Solemn Declaration			#482

(you may be seated)

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EERMON: THE GREAT DECEPTION-SEEKING A BLESSING, FINDING A CURSE "Now Esau hated Jacob because of the blessing with which his father had blessed him, and Esau said to himself,"The days of mourning for my father are approaching; then I will kill my brother Jacob." Gen 27:41

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBER (10:30AM)

REMEMBERING THOSE WHO HAVE ENTERED ETERNAL LIFE

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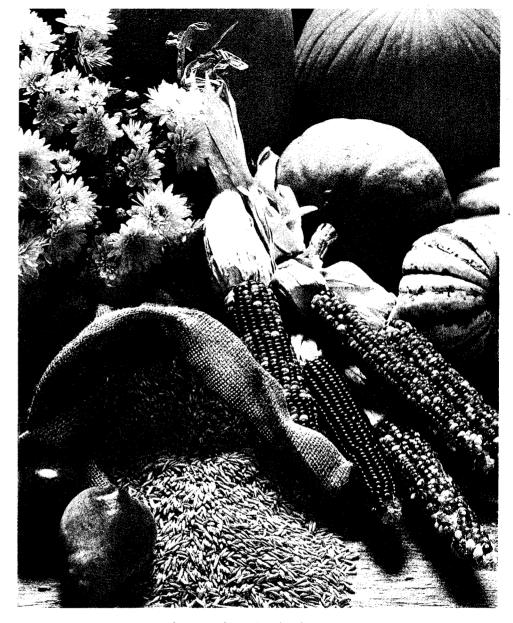
Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "FOR ALL THE SAINTS" 418

Postlude: "IN PEACE AND JOY I NOW DEPART" *Congregation stands

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In every thing give thanks.

I Thessalonians 5:18

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FAITH IS ALIVE

	THANKSGIVING	r
November	28, 1996	<u>10:00 AM</u>
Prelude:	"WE GATHER TOGETHER"	arr. Held
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*Processional Hymn: "WE GATHER TOGETHER" (See Insert) *Solemn Declaration 482 (you may be seated)

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Praise (Responsively):

Leader: O Lord, open my lips People: And my mouth shall show forth Your Praise *Gloria Patri (the people stand)

Special Music

"SING TO THE LORD OF HARVEST" - Sen. Choir "COME YE THANKFUL PEOPLE COME" - Children's Choir - Mrs. Lynn Sanders - Director

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you, People: And with thy Spirit. Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn:"WE PLOW THE FIELDS AND SCATTER" -432 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory: "FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH" arr. Hustad

*Doxology

Old Testament Reading: Amos 5:18-24 *Gloria Tibi: Glory Be to Thee, O Lord." *Gospel Lesson: Luke 9:10-20 *Laus Tibi: "Praise Be to Thee, O Christ *Hymn: "GOD BLESS AMERICA" - MUSIC AVAILABLE SERMON: WHY DO WE GIVE THANKS TODAY? "When you have come into the land that the Lord your God is giving you ... you shall take some of the first ... fruit of the ground ... and put it in a basket" and say "the Lord brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. So now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground that you, O Lord, have given me." adapted from Deuteronomy 26:1-10

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*Recessional Hymn: "AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL" 443

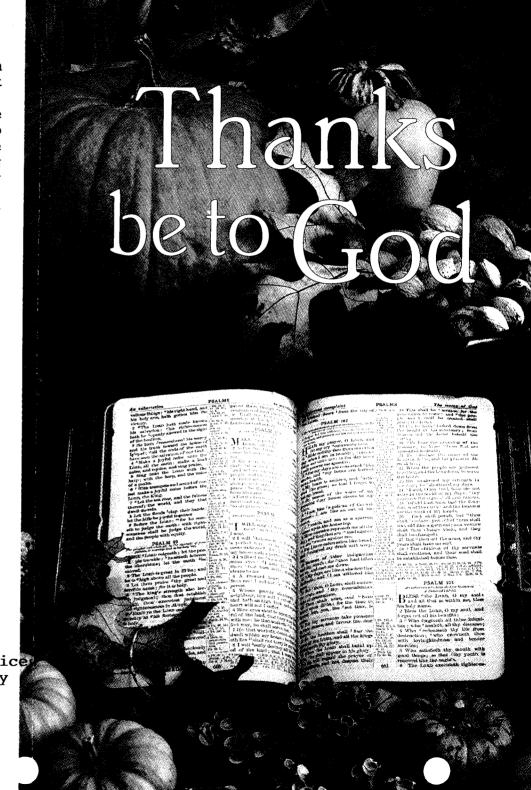
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Sunday, First Sunday in Advent with Worship Service at 7:45 and 10:30 a.m. with the Sacrament of Holy Communion.

The Parsonage Family, Church Council and Staff wish all a safe, happy Thanksgiving.



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FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT - FAITH IS ALIVE HOLY COMMUNION December 1, 1996 Prelude: "O COME, O COME, EMMANUEL" Held *Processional Hymn: "O COME, O COME, EMMANUEL" 88 *Solemn Declaration 482 (you may be seated)

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Doxology #551 Scripture Lesson:Isaiah 9:2-9 (L) The Word of Lord (P) Thanks Be to God *Hymn: "HERE, O MY LORD"

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PAUSE FOR REFLECTION:

As we prepare for our Congregational Meeting (following this service), for Christmas, and the Lord's Supper, we meditate on positive notes of hope and of peace. We remember the words of Isaiah and we want to shout out with Christians across the world, "His name will be called wonderful, counselor, mighty God, everlasting Father, and Prince of Peace." *Let us stand and say the Apostle's Creed (page 6 of your hymnal)

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Presentation of the Gifts

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Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (see Sacrament of Holy Communion in Worship Book)

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pastoral Prayer

Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11, 2 Tim 4:7 and Joshua 1:9) *Recessional Hymn: "REJOICE, REJOICE BELIEVERS" 99 Postlude: "FROM HEAVEN ABOVE TO EARTH I COME" *Congregation stands Please sign the attendance cards and place it in the offering plate. If you would like a visit or call from the Pastor please add your telephone number and so indicate.

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FAITH IS ALIVE SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT

December 8, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "WHAT IS THIS LOVELY FRAGRANCE?"*Processional Hymn: "OH HOW SHALL I RECEIVE
THEE"100*Solemn Declaration(you may be seated)

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call to Worship saying):

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Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "ANDANTE PASTORALE" Spong Doxology #551 *Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson: John 1:1-5, 14, John 1:6-7 *Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ" *Hymn: "HARK THE HERALD ANGELS SING" 102

SERMON: JESUS WITH SKIN ON

"There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. He came as a witness to testify to the light, so all might believe through him. He himself was not the light, but he came to testify to the light. The true light, which enlightens everyone, was coming into the world." (John 1:6-7)

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December 15, 1996 8:AM & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "OF THE FATHER'S LOVE BEGOTTEN"

*Processional Hymn: "O COME, O COME,

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Lighting of the Advent Candle

<u>Special Music</u>

8:00 a.m. - "WHAT CHILD IS THIS?" - Trio -Pam Georgiadis, Florence Gundlach and Margaret Myrick

10:30 a.m. - "WILL WE KNOW HIM" - Senior Chr. Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you, <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. Let us pray.

<u>General Prayer</u>

<u>Moments of Concern - Faith is Alive</u> <u>Offering</u> <u>Offertory:</u> "LO, HOW A ROSE E'ER BLOOMING"

*Hymn: "IT CAME UPON THE MIDNIGHT CLEAR" 107

*Gloria Tibi: "Glory Be To Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson Luke 2:1-20 *Laus Tibi:"Praise Be To Thee, O Christ" *<u>Hymn</u>: "O LITTLE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM" 108

<u>SERMON:</u> (8:00AM) FEAR NOT! .(10:30) - Church School Program

INSTALLATION OF NEW COUNCIL MEMBERS & CHURCH OFFICERS & DISMISSAL OF RETIRING COUNCIL MEMBERS

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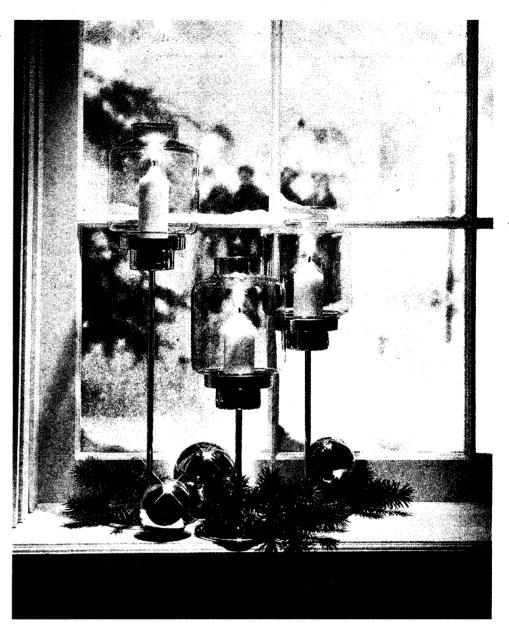
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> - FAITH IS ALIVE -FOURTH SUNDAY IN ADVENT

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Offering Offertory: "SILENT NIGHT" - arr. Johnson Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson: II Cor 5:17-19; Phil 2:6-7 *Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ" *Hymn: "AWAY IN A MANGER" 109 SERMON: IT HAPPENED ! "Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness." Phil 2:5-7

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS (10:30AM)

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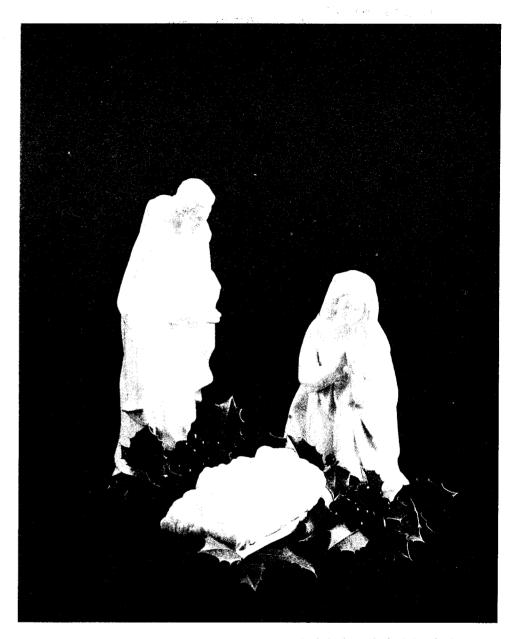
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Postlude: "HARK, THE HERALD ANGELS SING" ***Congregation stands**

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- FAITH IS ALIVE -CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE

December 24, 1996 7:30 PM

Prelude: (See Insert- Preservice Christmas Music) *Processional Hymn:"O Come All Ye Faithful" 112 *Solemn Declaration 482 (you may be seated) Lighting the Advent Candles Special Music "Star Carol" - Senior Choir "Happy Birthday Jesus" - Children's Choir Mrs. Lynn Sanders, Director

Call to Worship

(Lori) Hi, I want to wish everyone a very happy Christmas and tell you why we're here tonight. Some of you have asked me. We are here because this is a family service. Pastor decided to try telling the Christmas Story a little differently. He asked our family to help. So sit back and relax, and try to pretend you're in the kids bedroom.

(John Jr.) Mom, read us a story.

(Sarah) No, we always read stories. Let"s singsome songs.

(Lori) How about if we do both? I've got a special book called the Holy Bible- lets all get comfy so we can hear the Christmas Story. Matthew 2:1-7 (Reader)

(Lori) It was a beautiful starry night. Some men called shepherds were watching their sheep out in the fields near a town. Every night the men stayed with their sheep so that no wolves or other wild animals would carry them off. They

built a big fire to scare the wild animals away. Suddenly the sky grew brighter and brighter, and a great light seemed to come nearer and nearer. They were really scared. But then they hear a voice speaking to them. "Who do you think it was? (Sarah) It was an angel. A shining angel had come from God in heaven and he said "Don't be afraid. I bring you good news. In the town is born a baby who is the Savior, Christ the Lord." Then a whole lot of angels started singing. Hymn:"Hark the Herald Angels Sing"

102 VS 1&2

(Lori) All of a sudden it got dark again. The angels were gone. The shepherds were very excited and said "Let us go and see the baby who has been born." They left their sheep and hurried off to the town. And what town do you think it was?"

(John Jr.) Bethlehem.

Hymn:"O Little Town of Bethlehem" 108 vs 1&2

(Sarah) Do you think the shepherds found the baby in his own home?

(Lori) No, he was far away from his home. Mary and Joseph had been told to leave their own home and come to Bethlehem to write their names in a big book called an enrollment book. When they reached Bethlehem, they couldn't find a room to sleep in because there were a lot of people there who had to write in the book too, and they had taken all of the rooms in that town. The only place they could find was a cave where the animals lived. But Joseph found some hay in a manger and it made a very soft bed for the new baby Jesus.

Hymn:"Away in a Manger"

109 VS 1&2

(Lori) The shepherds found the baby and kneeling before him, they thanked God that he had sent the Savior. "God loved us and sent his son", they said. They told Mary and Joseph about the angel they had seen and the song that the angels sang. As they went back to their sheep, they told everyone they saw about the Savior why had been

born.

(Lori) But the shepherds weren't the only ones who came to see the baby Jesus, who else came?

(Sarah) On that same night far, far, away from that land some men were looking at the stars. They were very wise men. They knew just where certain stars would be in the sky. Suddenly they saw a large new star! They cried "It must mean that a new king has been born. It must be the Savior whom God will send to bring peace to the earth. Let's go find the new king."

Hymn:"We Three Kings" (Insert)

(Lori) The wise men took gifts for the baby Jesus and food and water for their long trip. They climbed on their tall camels and followed the star. Day after day they traveled until they came to the land of the Savior. They followed the star until they found the new baby. How happy they were to find him. They bowed down on their knees and gave him their presents. After they had seen the Savior, they were ready to go back to their own land.

(Lori) Now lets take a look in the manger here in church and see if we can find all the people from our Christmas story.

Pastor: But who is missing?

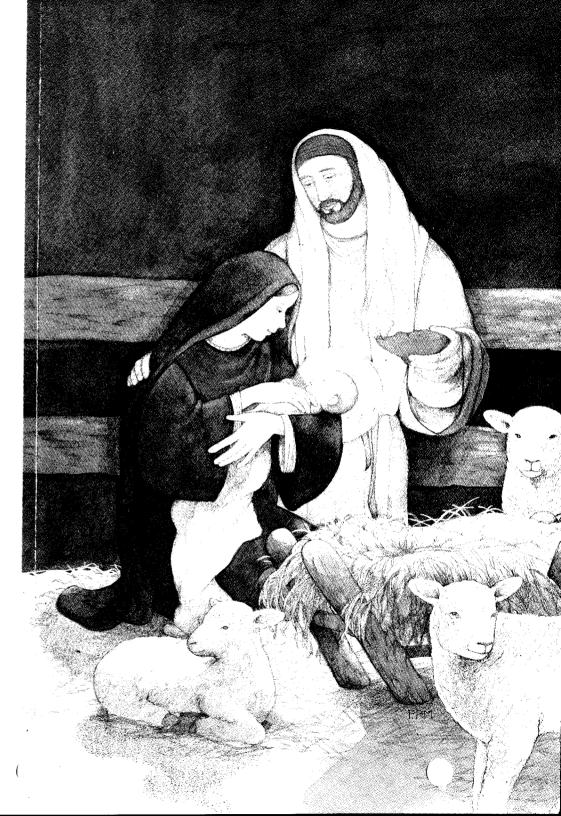
(John Jr. & Sarah) Jesus is missing?

Then an angel comes into the church carrying Jesus and lays him in the manger in the cave just as the story said (while the people sing Silent Night).

Hymn:"Silent Night" 101 vs 1-4

Offering

Offertory "He is Born" - Senior Choir



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Postlude:"Hark the Herald Angles Sing" - arr. Johnson

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Tuesday, December 24, 1996

7:30 p.m.

Preservice Christmas Music "What Child Is This" Pam Georgiadis, Florence Gundlach, Margaret Myrick "Breath of Heaven" (Mary's Song) Christina Wehner "Sleep Holy Child" Pam Georgiadis, Margaret Myrick, Willoughby Myrick, Jr. "Bells in the Church Steeple" Darlene Waters "Go Tell It on the Mountain" Florence Gundlach, Chuck Rohlfing, Gloria Rohlfing "Silent Night" Willoughby Myrick, Jr. "Do Not Be Afraid" Dolores Canoles "Heirlooms" Donna Cole, Francine Gambin

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We three kings of Orient are, Bearing gifts we traverse afar Field and fountain, moor and mountain, Following yonder star.

Refrain: O star of wonder, star of night, Star with loyal beauty bright, Westward leading, still proceeding, Guide us to thy perfect light.

Born a King on Bethlehem's plain, Gold I bring to crown Him again King forever, ceasing never, Over us all to reign. (to Refrain) UNITED EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST East Ave and Dillon Street Baltimore Md. 21224 Telephone Church 276-0393-Parsonage 276-0621 The Rev. Robert M. Armstrong - Pastor Mr. Robert Gundlach - Director of Music CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE -HOLY COMMUNION FAITH IS ALIVE

December 24, 1996

11:00PM

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Prelude: "Silent Night" - arr. Johnson

*Processional Hymn: "O Come, All Ye Faithful" 112

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General Prayer

*Hymn: With Broken Bread in Our Hands (See Worship Book)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory:"Bells in the Church Steeple Ringing" Darlene Waters

*Doxology

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*Hymn: "We Three Kings of Orient Are" (insert)

MEDITATION: WISE MEN STILL ADORE HIM!

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<u>Kyrie</u>

*Let us stand and say the Apostle's Creed (page 6 of your hymnal)

*Call to the Lord's Supper (responsively): Pastor: The Lord be with you. People: And also with you. Pastor: Lift up your hearts. People: We lift them up to the Lord, our God. Pastor: Let us give thanks unto the Lord. People: It is right to give God thanks and Praise. 1. N. C. Pastor: You may be seated. Presentation of the difts Pastor: Receive now the gifts of the Lord People: The gifts of God for the people of God! Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (see Sacrament of Holy Communion in Worship Book) Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pastoral Prayer Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11, 2 Tim 4:7 and Joshua 1:9) *Recessional Hymn: "Silent Night" 101 Postlude: "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing" -arr. Johnson

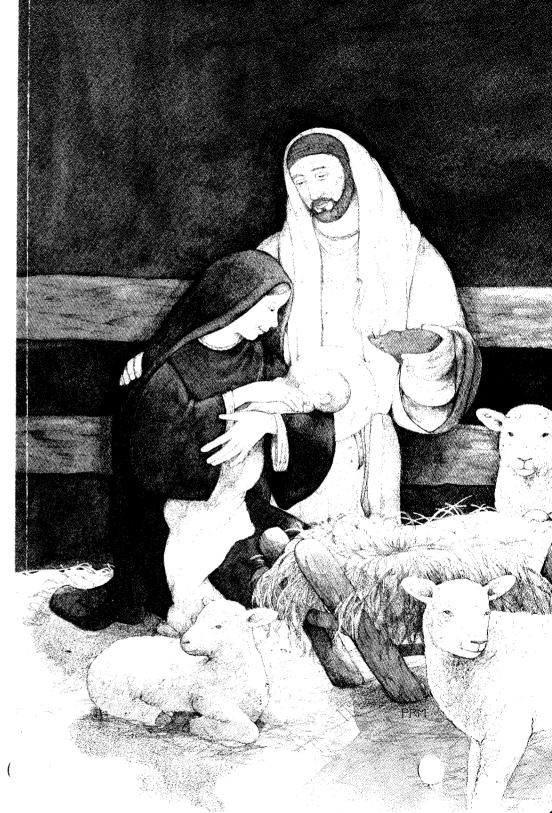
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<u>8:00 & 10:30 Am</u>

Prelude: "Away in a Manager" - arr. Innes

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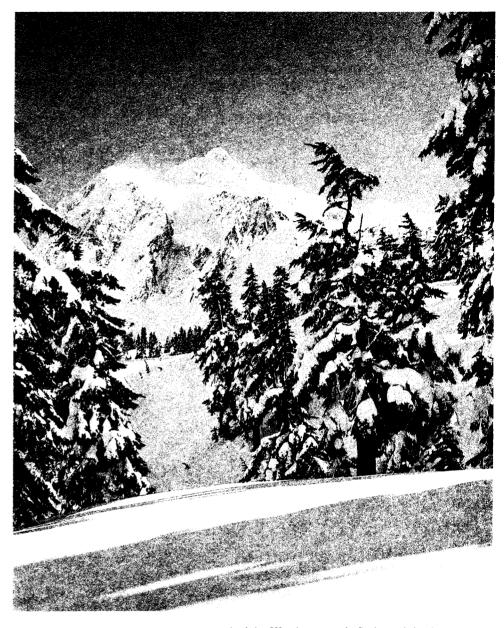
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