Mr. Robert Gundlach - Director of Music

FIRST SUNDAY IN EPIPHANY - FAITH IS ALIVE HOLY COMMUNION

JANUARY 5, 1997 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Prelude on Ave Verum"-Mozart *Processional Hymn: "Light of the World, We

Hail Thee" 124

*Solemn Declaration 482 (you may be seated)

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

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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)

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AMEN

Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book)

- (L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel
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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) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music:

> a.m. "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" Solo-Darlene Waters

10:30 a.m. "Beautiful Saviour" Senior Choir

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: "In the Bleak Mid-Winter"

arr. Innes

Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi (Glory Be to Thee, O Lord)

Gospel Lesson: 2:21-40

*Laus Tibi (Praise Be to Thee, O Christ) *Hymn: "At Thy Feet, Our God and Father" 423

SERMON: CAN ANYTHING GOOD COME OUT OF NAZARETH?

"Then Simon blessed them and said to his mother Mary, "This child is destined for the falling and the rising of many in Israel, and to be a sign that will be opposed so that the inner thoughts of many shall be revealed - and a sword will pierce your own soul too."(Luke 2:34-35)

*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 Thanksqiving and Pastoral Prayer

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

*Recessional Hymn: "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne"

Postlude: "The Old Year Has Passed Away"-Bach *Congregation stands

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In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

John 1:1

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FAITH IS ALIVE Millie Slechta Day!

January 12, 1997 8:004 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Meditation" - Massenet

*Processional Hymn:"When Morning Glids the Skies"

*Solemn Declaration

482

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AMEN

Kyrie

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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) #492 (You may be seated)

Special Music:

8:00 AM "Rock of Ages"

Duet: Margaret & Willoughby Myrick

*Laus

10:30 AM "Here I Am Lord" Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "Are Ye Able Said the Master"-see front cover of Hymnal. *note: Are Ye Able is one of Millie Slechta's favorite hymns Moments of Concern- FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering

Offertory: "Just As I Am" - arr. Johnson Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson: Mark 1:1-15

Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ" *Hymn: "Locusts and Wild Honey" - see insert

SERMON: REPENT AND BELIEVE THE GOOD NEW! "John the baptizer appeared in the wilderness, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. And people came from the whole Judean countryside and all the people of Jerusalem were going out to him, and were · baptised by him in the river Jordon, confessisng their sins." Mark 1:4-5

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30AM)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

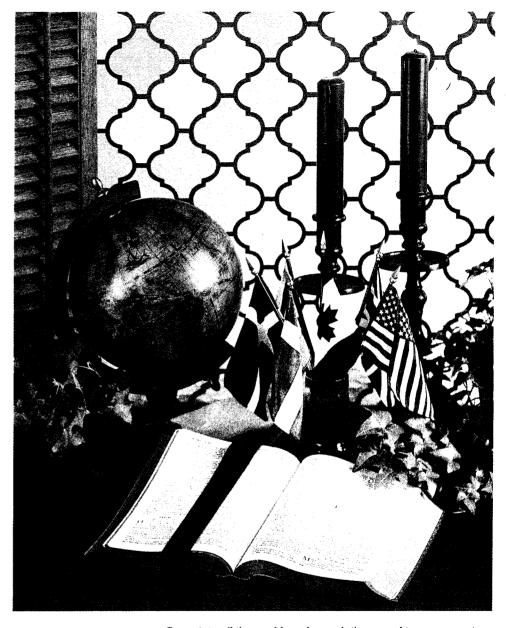
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "Just As I Am" 214

Postlude: "To Jordan Came Our Lord the Christ" *Congregation stands -Bach

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Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.

Mark 15:15

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FAITH IS ALIVE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

January 19, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Andante" - Schubert

*Processional Hymn: "Joyful, Joyful, We adore Thee"

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*Solemn Declaration

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(you may be seated)

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AMEN

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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) #492 (You may be seated)

Special Music:

"Seek Ye The Lord" 8:00 AM Senior Choir

"Rock of Ages"

10:30 AM

Duet: Willoughby &

Margaret Myrick Collect

> Leader: The Lord be with you, People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "God Is Our Refuge and Our #283 Strength"

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Sicilienne" - Turk

Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi: "Glory be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson: To Be Announced

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn: "From Ocean Unto Ocean" #376

SERMON: WHO SHALL SURVIVE?

Carol Reckling, Director of Urban Strategy, Central Atlantic Conference

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30AM)

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)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

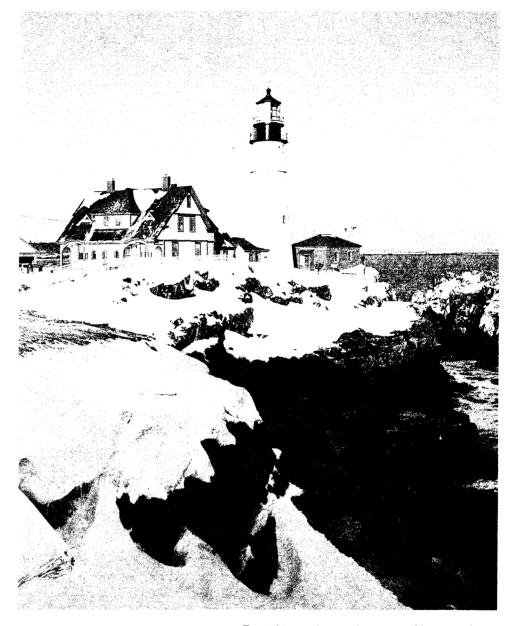
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "Lift High The Cross" (see insert)

Postlude: "How Brightly Shines the Morning Star" *Congregation stands

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For in him we live, and move, and have our being. Acts 17:28

THIRD SUNDAY IN EPIPHANY - FAITH IS ALIVE

JANUARY 26, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM

*Solemn Declaration 482 (you may be seated)

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

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

Kyrie

Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book)

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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) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music:

8:00 a.m. "'Tis So Sweet To Trust In Jesus"
Solo - Dolores Canoles
10:30 a.m."I Sing As I Arise Today"

Senior Choir

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
*Gloria Tibi (Glory Be to Thee, O Lord)
Gospel Lesson: II Tim 4:1-8
*Laus Tibi (Praise Be to Thee, O Christ)
*Hymn: "Fight the Good Fight" - See Insert

SERMON: THE GREAT RACE!

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing." II Tim 4:7-8

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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: "O Jesus I Have Promised" 271

Postlude: "Hail the Day So Full of Cheer"- Bach *Congregation stands

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For thou shalt be his witness unto all men of what thou hast seen and heard.

Acts 22:15

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FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY - FAITH IS ALIVE HOLY COMMUNION

February 2, 1997 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Open My Eyes, That I May See"-Johnson

*Processional Hymn: "This Is My Father's World"

*Solemn Declaration

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(you may be seated)

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7:45 a.m. Solo- Dolores Canoles

Praise

10:30 a.m. "If My People" Senior Choir Collect

<u>Leader:</u> 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)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Let Us Break Bread Together" -Wood Doxology #551

Scripture Lesson: 2 Chronicles 7:12-22

(L) The Word of Lord

(P) Thanks Be to God

*Hymn: "Open My Eyes, That I May See" (See Insert)

SERMON: SINS OF THE FATHERS

"Then the Lord appeared to Solomon in the night and said to him: "I have heard your prayer, and have chosen this place for myself as a house of sacrifice. When I shut up the heavens so that there is no rain, or command the locust to devour the land, or send send pestilence among my people, if my people who are called by my name humble themselves, pray, seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and heal their land." 2 Chron 7:12-14

*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.

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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: "Onward Christian Soldiers" -292
Postlude: "Now Thank We All Our God" - Bach

*Congregation stands
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That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow. Philippians 2:10

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FOUTH SUNDAY IN EPIPHANY - FAITH IS ALIVE

FEBRUARY 9, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "The Great Physician" arr.DeCou

*Processional Hymn: "We Praise Thee, O God"

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

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AMEN

Kyrie

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Praise

*Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music:

8:00 a.m. "Be Not Afraid" Senior Choir

10:30 a.m. "Victory in Jesus" Jackie Bond Paul Bauersfeld, Florence & Robert Gundlach Collect

> <u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray.

General Prayer

*HYMN: "Now Thank We All Our God" 72
Moments of concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
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Offertory:8:00 a.m. "I Sing As I Arise Today" Senior Choir

10:30 a.m."Living For Jesus" Paul Bauersfeld,
Jackie Bond, Florence & Robert Gundlach
Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi (Glory Be to Thee, O Lord)
Gospel Lesson: Mark 2:1-12

*Laus Tibi (Praise Be to Thee, O Christ)

***Hymn:**"When the Golden Evening Gathered"

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SERMON: HEALING THE PARALYTIC

"I say to you, stand up, take up your mat and go to your home." And he stood up, and immediately took the mat and went out before all of them; so that they were all amazed and glorified God, saying, "We have never seen anything like this!" Mark 2:11-12

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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: "I Love To Tell The Story"
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Postlude: "All Glory Be To God on High" - Bach

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The woman then left her waterpot, and went her way into the city, and saith to the men, Come, see a man, which told me all things that ever I did: is not this the Christ?

John 4:28-29

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ASH WEDNESDAY

February 12, 1997

7:30PM

Prelude: "O Sacred Head Now Wounded"

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

*Solemn Declaration

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<u>Kyrie</u>

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Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering
Offertory:
*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!
"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)

*Let us stand and say what we believe:
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(Adapted from the Confession of St. Paul, I Cor
15:1-11 and the Confession of St. Peter, Matt
16:15-16

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

(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: Amazing Grace (see Insert)
 Postlude:
- *Congregation stands

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FOUTH SUNDAY IN EPIPHANY - FAITH IS ALIVE

FEBRUARY 16, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "The Great Physician" -arr.DeCou

*Processional Hymn: "Open Now Thy Gates of
Beauty" #23

*Solemn Declaration

#482

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AMEN

Kyrie

Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book)

(L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel

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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) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music:

8:00 a.m. "Victory in Jesus"
Paul Bauersfeld, Jackie Bond, Florence & Robert
Gundlach

10:30 a.m. "God So Loved The World"
Senior Choir

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: "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" #161
Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering

Offertory: 8:00 a.m. "Victory in Jesus"
Paul Bauersfeld, Jackie Bond, Florence & Robert
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10:30 a.m. Ah Dearest Jesus - Middleton

Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi (Glory Be to Thee, O Lord)

Gospel Lesson: Mark 2:1-12

*Laus Tibi (Praise Be to Thee, O Christ)

*Hymn: "When The Golden Evening Gathered" #130

SERMON: HEALING THE PARALYTIC

"I say to you, stand up, take up your mat and go to your home." And he stood up, and immediately took the mat and went out before all of them; so that they were all amazed and glorified God, saying, "We have never seen anything like this!" Mark 2:11-12

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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: "The Old Rugged Cross" -front cover of Hymnal

Postlude: "All Glory Be To God on High" - Bach
*Congregation stands

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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

Mr. Robert Gundlach - Director of Music

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

Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book)

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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. Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: (vs. 1&2 only)

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

Let us stand and say what we believe:
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we stand, and by which we are saved; that Christ
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Hymn: (vs. 1 & 2 only)

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)

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Leader: Let us Pray

Litany of Healing (See Insert)

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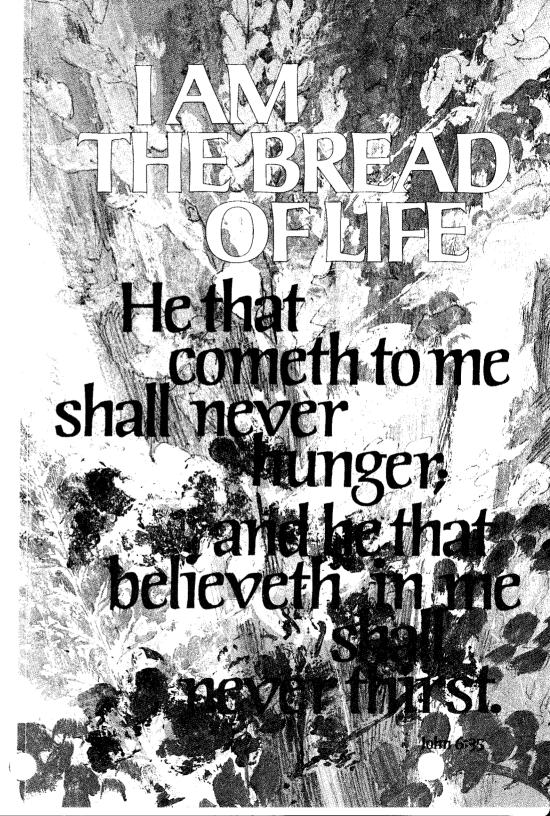
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Postlude: (See Insert) *Congregation stands

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Mr. Robert Gundlach - Director of Music

2ND SUNDAY IN LENT - FAITH IS ALIVE

FEBRUARY 23, 1997

Prelude: "I Believe in Miracles" Arr.DeDou

*Processional Hymn: "This Is My Father's World"

#65

*Solemn Declaration

#482

(you may be seated)

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AMEN

Kyrie

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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) #492 (You may be seated)
Special Music:

8:00 a.m. "Angels Among Us" Gloria Rohlfing and Tiffanie Nowakowski 10:30 a.m. "Be Not Afraid" Senior Choir

Collect

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

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn: "When I Survey The Wondrous Cross" #158
Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: 8:00 a.m. "Interlude" - Stainer
10:30 a.m. "Lord, Here Am I" Senior Choir

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Doxology *Gloria Tibi (Glory Be to Thee, O Lord) Gospel Lesson: John 14:12-14

*Laus Tibi (Praise Be to Thee, O Christ)

*Hymn: "O Thou Through Suffering Perfect Made" #132

SERMON: DO YOU EXPECT MIRACLES?

"Very truly" said Jesus, "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. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it." (John 14:12-14)

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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: "Are Ye Able" - front cover

Postlude: "O Praise the Lord" - Croft
*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

FAITH IS ALIVE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT - HOLY COMMUNION

March 2, 1997 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Amazing Grace" - arr. Bish

*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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AMEN

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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) #492 (You may be seated)

Special Music:

7:45 a.m. "Ivory Palaces" Dolores Canoles,
Chuck and Gloria Rohlfing
10:30 a.m "Have You Been To Calvary"
Senior Choir

Collect

<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: "I Come O Saviour To Thy Table"Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi: "Glory be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson: John 9:1-11

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn: "In The Cross of Christ I Glory" #164

SERMON: I WAS BLIND BUT NOW I SEE!
"So for the second time they called the man who had been blind, and they said to him, "Give Glory to God. We know that this man is a sinner." He answered "I do not know whether he is a sinner. One thing I do know, that though I was blind, now I see." John 9: 24-25

*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 Thanksqiving and Pastoral Prayer

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

*Recessional Hymn: "Alas! And Did My Saviour Bleed"

#153 Postlude: "All Mankind Fell In Adams Fall" - Bach *Congregation stands

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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 wish to remember the church in your will, and do not have a will at this time, a member of the congregation would be willing to help you. Please call the church office and arrange a meeting with the Pastor or President of the Council.



Then said Jesus, "Father, forgive them; for they know not what they do."

Luke 23:34a

East Ave and Dillon Street Baltimore Md. 21224 Telephone Church 276-0393-Parsonage 276-0621 The Rev. Robert M. Armstrong - Pastor The Rev. Roy Joellenbeck, Minister of Visitation

MARCH 9, 1997 Prelude: "Air from Suite in D" - Bach *Processional Hymn: "Joyful, Joyful, We

#482 (you may be seated) Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call to Worship saying):

confessing our sins before God saying): Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of Your son Jesus Christ, have mercy upon us and forgive us that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your Name. (Matt 22: 34-40)

AMEN

UNITED EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST Home Phone 3.77-7939 Mr. Robert Gundlach - Director of Music 4TH SUNDAY IN LENT - FAITH IS ALIVE 8:00 & 10:30 AM Adore Thee" #21 *Solemn Declaration 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

Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book)

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(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. "Have You Been to Calvary" Senior Choir

10:30 a.m. "Ivory Palaces" Dolores Canoles Chuck and Gloria Rohlfing

Collect

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

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn:"Beneath the Cross of Jesus" #161 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory:

8:00 a.m. "Old Rugged Cross" Senior Choir 10:30 a.m. "Interlude" - Stainer

Doxology #551 *Gloria Tibi (Glory Be to Thee, O Lord)

Gospel Lesson: John 5:1-18

*Laus Tibi (Praise Be to Thee, O Christ)

*Hymn: "O Love of God Most Full" #275

SERMON: DO YOU WANT TO BE HEALED?

"When Jesus saw him lying there and knew that he had been there a long time, he said to him "Do you want to be made well?" The sick man answered him, "Sir, I have no one to put me into the pool when the water is stirred up, and while I am making my way, someone steps down ahead of me" Jesus said to him "stand up, take up your mat and walk". At once the man was made well, and he took up his mat and began to walk." (John 5: 6-8)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30 A.M.)

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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: "Are Ye Able"

(See front cover of Hymnal)

Postlude: "Toccatta in C" - Bach

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As far as the east is from the west, [so] far hath he removed our transgressions from us.

Psalm 103:12

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5TH SUNDAY IN LENT - FAITH IS ALIVE

MARCH 16, 1997

Prelude: "O Sacred Head Now Wounded" - Bach
*Processional Hymn: "Our God, Our Help In

Ages Past" #63

*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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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. "Sunrise" Dolores Canoles and
Darlene Waters

10:30 a.m. "Old Rugged Cross Medley"
Senior Choir

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: "Alas! And Did: My Savior Bleed" #153
Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering
Offertory: "If Thou Art Near" - Bach

Doxology #551 *Gloria Tibi (Glory Be to Thee, O Lord)

Gospel Lesson: Luke 7:36-8:3 *Laus Tibi (Praise Be to Thee, O Christ)

*Hymn: "O Sacred Head Now Wounded" #142 (verses 1 and 2)

"Now when the Pharisee who had invited him saw it, he said to himself "If this man were a prophet he would have known who and what kind of woman this is who is touching him, that she is a sinner."... Then he said to her "Your sins are forgiven" But those who were at the table with him began to say among themselves "Who is this who even forgives sins". And he said to the woman, "Your faith has saved you, go in peace."

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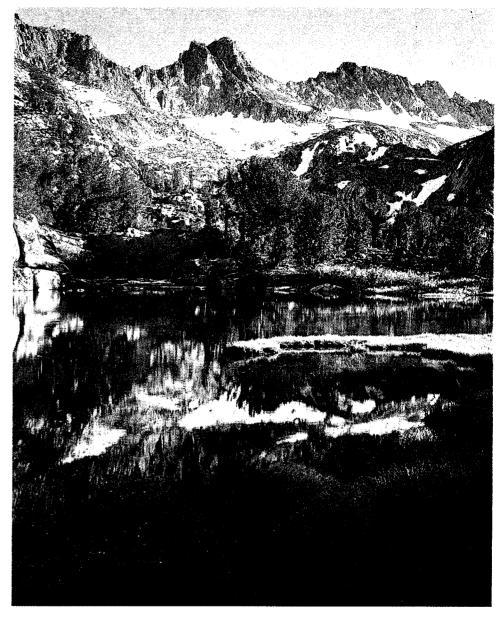
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For now we see through a glass, darkly; but then face to face: now I know in part; but then shall I know even as also I am known.

1 Corinthians 13:12

AMAZING GRACE - BIBLE STUDY, PRAYER, AND HEALING
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482

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General Prayer

*Hymn: (vs. 1&2 only)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering
Offertory:
Doxology #551

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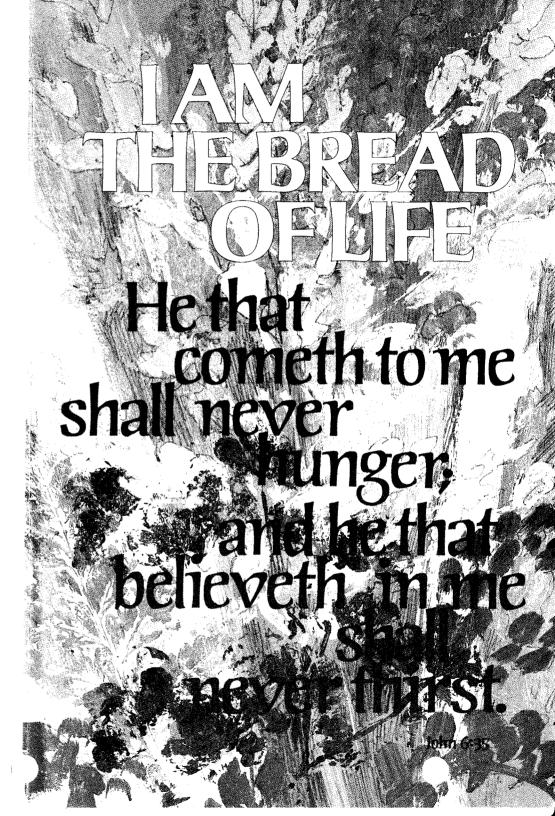
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FAITH IS ALIVE

PALM SUNDAY -RITE OF CONFIRMATION

March 23, 1997 8:AM & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Ride On In Majesty" - Broughton

*Processional Hymn: "The Palms" - (see insert)

*Solemn Declaration

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Kyrie

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- (P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven

Praise (Responsively):

Leader: O Lord, open my lips

Praise

Praise

*Gloria Patri (the people stand)

Special Music

8:00 a.m. "The Holy City" - Dolores Canoles

10:30 a.m. "On The Way To Jerusalem" Senior Choir

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 Glory, Laud 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"

*Hymn: "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" 136

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:"O Jesus, I Have Promised" 271
Postlude: "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" - Innes
*Congregation stands

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...behold, thy King cometh unto thee: he is just, and having salvation; lowly, and riding upon an ass, and upon a colt the foal of an ass.

Zechariah 9:9

THE LITANY OF THE PALMS

HYMN: ALL GLORY LAUD AND HONOR

All glory laud and honor, To thee Redeemer King To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring. The people of the Hebrews with palms before thee went; Our praise & prayer & anthems, before thee we present.

Thou art the King of Israel, Thou David's ruyal Son Who in the Lord's name cometh, The King & blessed one. To thee before thy passion, they sang their hymns of praise To thee now high exalted, our melody we raise.

ANTHEM: Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord: PEACE IN HEAVEN & GLORY IN THE HIGHEST.

COLLECT: Let us pray: Assist us mercifully with your help, O Lord God of our salvation, that we may enter with joy upon the contemplation of those mighty acts, whereby you have given us life and immortality; through Jesus Christ our Lord, AMEN

READING: Mark 11: 1 - 11a

BLESSING:

CELEBRANT The Lord be with you.

PEOPLE And also with you.
CELEBRANT Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
PEOPLE It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right to praise you, Almighty God, for the acts of love by which you have redeemed us through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. On this day, he entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph, and was proclaimed as King of Kings by those who spread their garments and branches of palm along his way. Let these branches be for us signs of his victory, and grant that we who bear them in his name may ever hail him as our King, and follow him in the way that leads to eternal life; who lives and reigns in glory with you and the Holy Spirit, now and forever, AMEN.

PSALM 118:19-29



HYMN: ALABARE

Refrain Alabaré, alabaré, alabaré a mi Señor. Alabaré, alabaré, alabaré a mi Señor. John saw the number of all the redeemed And all were singing praises to the Lord. Thousands were singing, ten thousands were praying And all were singing praises to the Lord..(Ref)

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain Whose blood has set us free from every sin Power & riches and wisdom and strength And honor and all blessing shall be His..(Ref)

Sing with the people, the people of God And join creation in a joyful hymn And blessing and honor and glory and majesty To God and to the Lamb be without end..(Ref) DISMISSAL CELEBRANT: Let us go forth in Peace PEOPLE: In the name of Christ, Amen.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN: LEAD ON O KING ETERNAL

Lead on, O King eternal, the day of march has come Henceforth in fields of conquest, thy tents shall be home Through days of preparation thy grace has made us strong And now O King eternal, we lift our battle song.

Lead on, O King eternal, till sin's fience war shall cease And holiness shall whisper the sweet AMEN of Peace For not with swords loud clashing nor roll of stirring drum But deeds of love 8 mercy, the heavenly kingdom comes.

Lead on, O King eternal, we follow, not with fears; For gladness breaks like morning where'er thy face appears Thy cross is lifted o'er us we fourney in it's light. The crown awaits thy conquest, lead on 0 God of Might.



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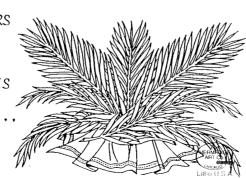
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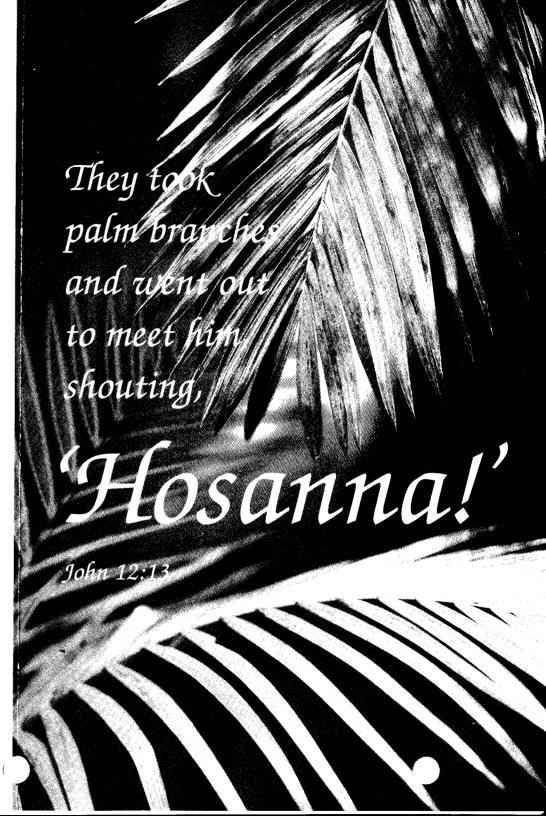
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Mr. Robert Gundlach - Director of Music WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK - TABLEAU

March 26, 1997 8:00PM

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

*Processional Hymn: "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" #161

*Solemn Declaration

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(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) #492 (You may be seated) Collect

<u>Leader:</u> 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
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This presentation marks the 47th 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.

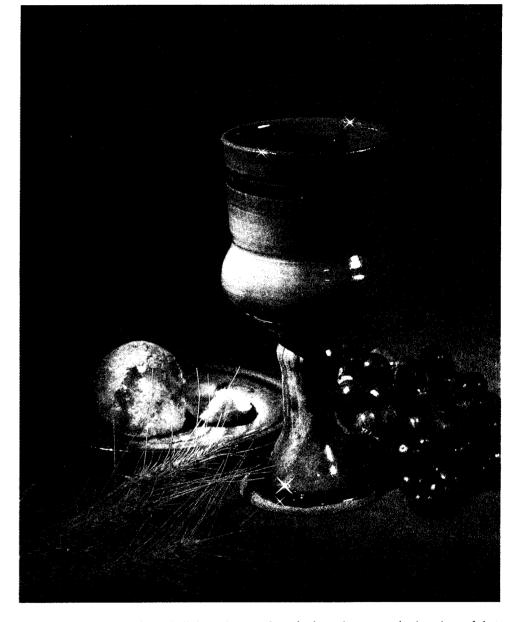
SERVICES OF HOLY WEEK

- THURSDAY, MARCH 27 Service of
 Tennebrae at 7:30 p.m. Sacrament
 of Holy Communion.
- FRIDAY, MARCH 28 Good Friday Morning
 Worship Service at 9 a.m.Sacrament of Holy Communion.
- EASTER SUNDAY, MARCH 30 Worship

 Services at 6 and 10 a.m.
 Sacrament of Holy Communion.

 9:00 a.m. Children's Service

 The Living Cross
- MONDAY, MARCH 31 Church office closed for Easter Monday Holiday.



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

CAST

BARTHOLOMEW
JAMES THE LESS
ANDREW
JUDAS
PETER
JOHN
THOMAS
JAMES THE GREAT
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THADDEUS
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FAITH IS ALIVE MAUNDAY THURSDAY - HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE OF TENEBRAE

*Solemn Declaration
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Leader: O Lord, open my lips

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Praise

*Gloria Patri (the people stand)

Special Music: "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" - Senior Choir

Collect

<u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> 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: "APlace Called Gethsemane" - Martin

*Doxology

Special Music:

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

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Praise.

Pastor: You may be seated.

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)

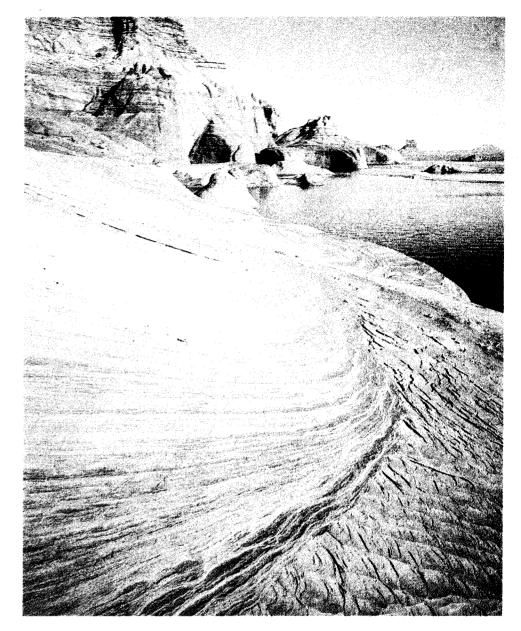
Postlude: (see order for Tenebrae)

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All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made.

John 1:3

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FAITH IS ALIVE GOOD FRIDAY HOLY COMMUNION

March 28, 1997

9:00AM

Prelude:

"Were You There?" - Middlesworth

*Processional Hymn: "The Old Rugged Cross" see front cover of Hymnal

*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated) 482

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Praise

*Gloria Patri (the people stand)

Special Music: "Have You Been To Calvary"
Senior Choir

Collect

<u>People:</u> The Lord be with you, People:

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"
Bach

*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)

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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 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

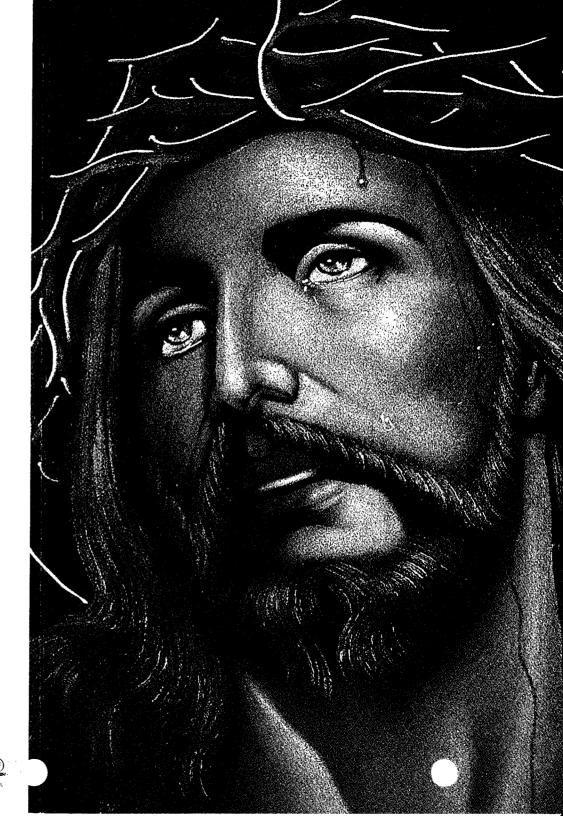
Postlude: "Rest in Peace"

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COMMUNITY GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE March 28, 1997

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Offering plates are available in the rear of the church as you leave. The money collected today will be divided evenly between the three food pantries in our community located at these sites. Canton Baptist Food Bank, 3302 Toone Street, and Abbott's Bread of Love and We Care Ministries, 3426 Bank Street. Through this ministry, we Christians of Highlandtown/Canton are able to put our faith into action and help the poor and needy.

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude: Ivory Palaces

H. Barraclough

Words of Welcome

Rev. Christopher Ribaudo Abbott Memorial Presbyterian Church

THE FIRST WORD — OF FORGIVENESS (12:05 PM)

"FATHER FORGIVE THEM; FOR THEY KNOW NOT WHAT THEY DO"

(Luke 23:34)

LESSON: LUKE 23:23-34

PRAYER

SERMON

George F. Schafer

Faith and St. Mark's United Church of Christ

(INTERLUDE)

THE SECOND WORD — OF SALVATION (12:30 PM)

"TODAY SHALT THOU BE WITH ME IN PARADISE." (Luke 23:43)

LESSON: LUKE 23:35-43

PRAYER

SERMON

Rev. Robert Behnke

Nazareth Lutheran Church

(INTERLUDE)

THE THIRD WORD -- OF AFFECTION (1:00 PM)

"WOMAN, BEHOLD THY SON...BEHOLD THY MOTHER" (John 19:26-27)

LESSON: JOHN 19:19-27

PRAYER

SERMON

William (Bill) Stievers Port Mission

(INTERLUDE)

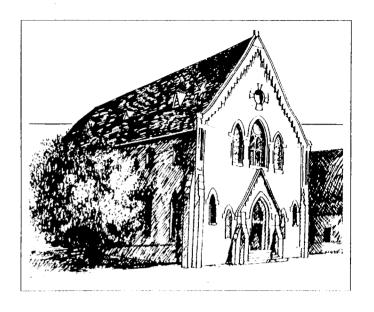
(*People standing)

*HYMN: "Alas! And Did My Saviour Bleed?"	No. 195
<u>THE FOURTH WORD — OF .</u>	ANGUISH (1.25)
"MY GOD, MY GOD, WHY HAST THOU FORSAKE	
LESSON: MATTHEW 27:38-46	
PRAYER	
SERMON	Rev. Ralph Kidwell
	Retired
(INTERLUDE)	<i>)</i>
*HYMN: "In The Cross of Christ"	(See Insert)
<u>THE FIFTH WORD OF SUFI</u>	FERING (1:50 PM)
"I THIRST." (JOHN 19:28)	
LESSON: JOHN 19:28-29	
PRAYER	
SERMON	Rev. Robert Armstrong
	United Evangelical Chruch
(INTERLUDE)	,
*HYMN: "The Old Rugged Cross" (vs. 1, 2, 3)	(See Insert)
<u>THE SIXTH WORD — OF VIO</u>	CTORY (2:15 PM)
"IT IS FINISHED." (John 19:30)	
LESSON: JOHN 19:30-37)	
PRAYER	
SERMON	George Wright Hiss United Methodist Church
ANTERLINE	
*HYMN: "Glory to His Name"	
THE SEVENTH WORD OF CON	
"FATHER, INTO THY HANDS I COMMEND MY SI LESSON: LUKE 23:44-49	TKII (Lake 25.40)
PRAYER	Rev. Christopher F. Ribaudo
SERMON	Abbott Memorial Presbyterian Church
(INTERLUDE,)
*HYMN: "Near the Cross"	No. 704
CLOSING	
Presiding	Rev. Christopher F. Ribaudo
Benediction	
Postlude: Rest in Peace	Bach

(*People Standing)

OUR ORGANIST TODAY is Robert Gundlach from United Evangelical Church.

REST ROOMS are at the ground level on the left-hand side as you enter from the street. Our ushers will direct you to your seat. Please feel free to change seats or leave the sanctuary during the interlude hymns between each word.



GOOD FRIDAY 1997

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FAITH IS ALIVE

EASTER SUNDAY - HOLY COMMUNION

March 30, 1997 6:00AM & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "An Easter Suite" - Young

*Processional Hymn: "Christ the Lord is Risen Today" #167

*The Ancient Easter Greeting

(L)"He is Risen!

(People) He is Risen Indeed!

(L) Come, rejoice and sing!

(P) Christ the Lord is King!

(All) And he shall reign forever and ever!"

*Solemn Declaration

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Special Music

6:00 A.M. "Open the Gates of the Temple"

Dolores Canoles

10:00 A.M. "Glorious Is Thy Name"
Senior Choir

Collect

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General Prayer

*Hymn: "With Broken Bread in Our Hands" (see Worship Book - verses 1 & 2)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory:6:00A.M. "He Arose"- Dolores Canoles
10:00A.M."I Know That My Redeemer Liveth"-Johnson
*Doxology

*Gloria Tibi: "Glory be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson: Mark 16:1-20

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

SERMON: RISING WITH CHRIST!

"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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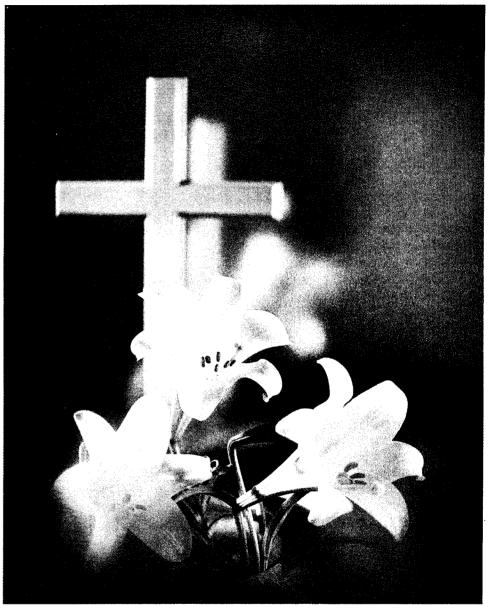
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But now is Christ risen from the dead, and become the firstfruits of them that slept.

1 Corinthians 15:20

Mr. Robert Gundlach - Director of Music

- FAITH IS ALIVE -

April 6, 1997

8:00 & 10:30 AM

*Solemn Declaration
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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. "How Great Thou Art" - Fred Long

10:30 a.m. "Beautiful Savior" - Senior Choir

Collect

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

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain"

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering
Offertory: "Lord God" Pachelbel

Doxology #551 (you may be seated)

lst Scripture Lesson: Psalm 133 2nd Scripture Lesson: I John 1-2:2

- (L) The Word of the Lord
- (P) Thanks Be to God

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord"
*Gospel Lesson: John 20:19-31
*Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ"
*Hymn:"My Faith Looks Up To Thee" #221
SERMON: "Seeing and Believing"
Rev. Jack Seville, 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: "Jesus Shall Reigh" #371

Postlude: "Festival Toccata" - Fletcher
*Congregation stands

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...lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world.

Matthew 28:20b

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April 13, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM Prelude: "Sheep May Safely Graze" - Bach *Processional Hymn: "We Praise Thee, O God"

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*Solemn Declaration

#482

(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)

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AMEN

Kyrie

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Leader: O Lord, open my lips

People: And my mouth shall show forth Your Praise

*Gloria Patri (the people stand) (You may be seated)

#492

Special Music:

8:00 a.m. "Lord, Here Am I" Senior Choir

10:30 a.m. "How Great Thou Art" Solo - Mr. Fred Long

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" Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: 8:00 a.m. "People Need The Lord" Senior Choir

10:30 a.m. "Consolation"-Mendelssohn

Doxology

#551

#12

Scripture Lesson: Ecclesiates 1(Be Seated) (Pastor) The Word of the Lord

(People) Thanks be to God

*Hymn: "Turn, Turn, Turn" - see insert

SERMON: "ALL IS VANITY"

"Then I considered all that my hands had done and the toil I had spent in doing it, and again, all was vanity and a chasing after wind, and there was nothing to be gained under the sun." Ecc 2:11 "Moreover, it is God's gift that all should eat and drink and take pleasure in their toil. I know that whatever God does endures forever; nothing can be added to it nor nothing taken from it; God has done this, so that all should stand in awe before him." Ecc 3: 13-14 SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30AM)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

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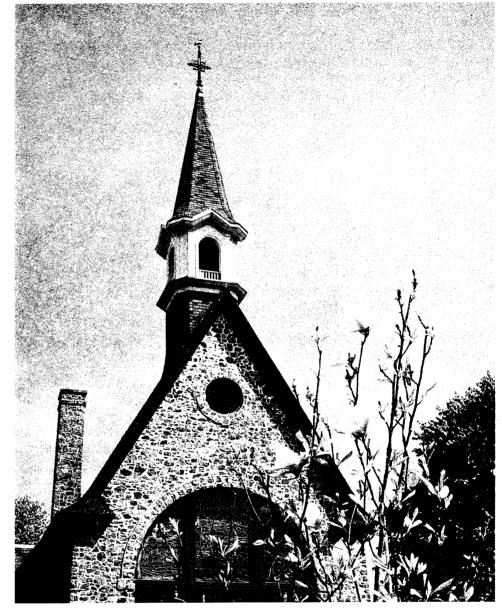
*Recessional Hymn: "Saviour, Like A Shepherd Lead Us" #461

Postlude: "Postlude" - Cappelan

*Congregation stands

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And because ye are sons, God hath sent forth the Spirit of his Son into your hearts, crying Abba, Father.

Galatians 4:6

FAITH IS ALIVE
THE 50TH CONFIRMATION REUNION - THE CLASS OF 1947

April 20, 1996 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"We Would Be Building(Finlandia)" -Sibelius
*Processional Hymn:"Onward, Christian Soldiers"#292
 (Processional Hymn from March30,1947)

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

#482

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AMEN

Kyrie

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Praise (Responsively):

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People: And my mouth shall show forth Your
Praise

*Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated)

Collect

<u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "Just As I Am, Thine Own to Be" (this hymn was sung on March 30,1947)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering
Offertory: "Jesus, I Live to Thee" - Wood

Doxology #551

(you may be seated)
Scripture Lesson: Ecclesiastes 7:1-6
Pastor: The Word of the Lord
People: Thanks be to God

Confirmation Class Hymn of 1947 "We Would be Building"

452

SERMON: THE HOUSE OF MOURNING

"The heart of the wise is in the house of mourning, but the heart of fools is in the house of mirth." Ecc 7:4

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (8:00AM)

ROLL CALL OF CONFIRMANDS OF THE VARIOUS PASTORS RECOGNITION OF OLDEST CONFIRMAND - Grace E. Fader WELCOME OF CONFIRMATION CLASS OF 1947 - Pastor PRESENTATION OF GIFTS BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT AND REPRESENTATIVE - CLARENCE ROWELL, PRESIDENT *Let us stand and say what we believe:

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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: "O Jesus, I Have Pronised"#271
(Recessional Hymn from March 30, 1947)

Postlude: "Rondo In G" - Bull

*Congregation stands

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...and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is.

1 John 3:2

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FAITH IS ALIVE

<u>April 27, 1997</u> 8:00 & 10:30 <u>AM</u> <u>Prelude: "Prayer" - Boelleman</u>

*Processional Hymn:"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" #80

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

#482

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AMEN

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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) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music:

8:00 a.m. "Because He Lives" - Darlene Waters

10:30 a.m. "Here I Am, Lord" - Senior Choir

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: "Before the Cross of Jesus" #261

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering
Offertory: "Trust In the Lord" - Handel

Doxology #551
Scripture Lesson: Ecclesiates 1:16-18:12:9-14(Be Seated)
(Pastor) The Word of the Lord
(People) Thanks be to God
*Hymn:"Once To Every Man and Nation" #399

SERMON: DEEDS AND JUDGMENT

"Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him. Those who believe in him are not condemned; but those who do not believe are condemned already, because they have not believed in the name of the only Son of God. And this is the judgement, that the light has come into the world, and people loved darkness rather than light because their deeds re evil". (John 3:17-21)

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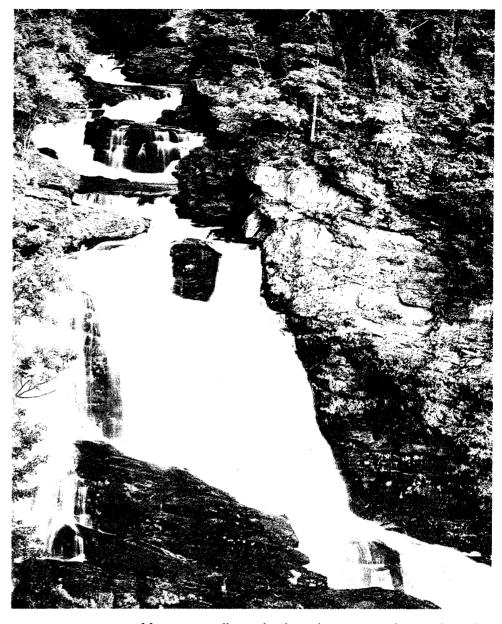
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

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

Postlude:"Trumpet Tune" - Purcell
*Congregation stands

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

2 Corinthians 12:9

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HOLY COMMUNION - FAITH IS ALIVE

May 4, 1997
7:45 & 10:30 AM
Prelude: "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" - Bach
*Processional Hymn: "When Morning Gilds the Skies"
43

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

482

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to Worship saying):

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AMEN

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Praise (Responsively):

Leader: O Lord, open my lips
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Praise

*Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated)
Special Music:

7:45a.m."When We All Get To Heaven"
Dolores Canoles, Chuck and Gloria Rohlfing
10:30 a.m."The Majesty and Glory of Your Name"
Senior Choir

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: "Interlude" Haydn
Doxology #551
(you may be seated)

Scripture Lesson:Psalm 8 (Leader) The Word of Lord (People) Thanks Be to God

*Gloria Tibi (Glory Be to Thee, O Lord)
*Gospel Lesson: John 17:1-11
Laus Tibi (Praise Be to Thee, O Christ)

*Hymn: "We Are One Body" - See Insert

SERMON: Carol Reckling, Director of Urban Mission Central Atlantic Conference *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 Thanksqiving and Pastoral Prayer

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

*Recessional Hymn:"In Christ There Is No East or West" 406

Postlude: "Toccata in C" Bach

*Congregation stands

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...let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us.

Hebrews 12:1b

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MOTHER'S DAY FAITH IS ALIVE

May 11, 1997

8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "St. Catherine" - Hemy

*Processional Hymn: "Faith of Our Mothers" (insert)

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

#482

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AMEN

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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. "The Lord's Prayer"
Dolores Canoles

10:30 a.m. "When There's Love at Home" Senior Choir

Collect

<u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray.

General Prayer
Hymn:"O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" #278

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering
Offertory:8:00 am Solo Delores Canoles

10:30 am "Masterpiece" Solo Francine Gambin

Doxology #551
Guild Mother of the Year
*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"
*Gospel Lesson: Matthew 5:14, Luke 8:19-21
*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"
*Hymn: "O Perfect Love" #356

SERMON: FAITH OF OUR MOTHERS!

"Then his mother and his brothers came to him, but they could not reach him because of the crowd. And he was told, "Your mother and my brothers are those who hear the word of God and do it." (Luke 8:19-21)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30AM)

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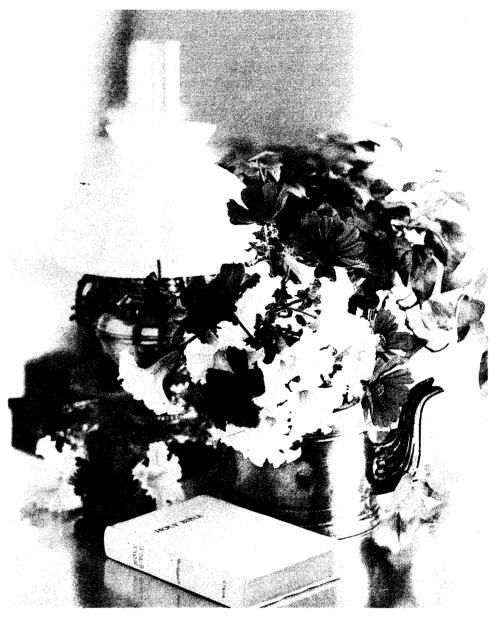
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" #280

Postlude:"O Love That Will Not Let Me Go"-Jordon *Congregation stands

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I call to remembrance the unfeigned faith that is in thee, which dwelt first in thy grandmother Lois, and thy mother Eunice; and I am persuaded that in thee also.

2 Timothy 1:5

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PENTECOST SUNDAY FAITH IS ALIVE

May 18, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM Prelude: "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" - Hustad *Processional Hymn: "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" #281

*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated)

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AMEN

#482

Kyrie

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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. "Spirit of God, Decend Upon My Heart" Solo - Fred Long

10:30 a.m. "Open My Eyes" - Senior Choir Collect

> Leader: The Lord be with you, People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer Hvmn: "Holy Spirit, Truth Divine" #188 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering

Offertory:8:00 am

"Spirit of God, Decend Upon My Heart" 10:30 am Johnson

Doxology *#*551 *Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson: Acts 2:1-13 *Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ" *Hymn: "Breathe On Me, Breath of God" #191

SERMON: WHAT'S THE BIBLE ABOUT?

"When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind,..Devided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages as the Spirit gave them ability." (Acts 2:1-4)

"I thank God that I speak in tongues more than all of you; nevertheless in church I would rather speak five words with my mind in order to instruct others, than ten thousand . .ds in a tongue."(I Cor 14:18-20)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30am)

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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: "Dwell In Me, O Blessed Spirit" #464

Postlude: "O Praise the Lord" - Croft
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...we do hear them speak in our tongues the wonderful works of God.

Acts 2:11

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FAITH IS ALIVE

May 25, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM Prelude: "Holv.Holv.Holv" - Post ... *Processional Hymn: "Holy, Holy, Holy"

*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated)

#482

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Kyrie

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. "Open My Eyes" - Senior Choir 10:30 a.m. "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" Solo - Mr. Fred Long

Collect

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

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer **Hymn:** "Holy, Holy, Holy Lord" #198 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory:8:00 am

"Fugue" - Pachelbel 10:30 am

Doxology **#551** *Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson: Acts 8:26-40 *Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ" ***Hymn:**"God of our Fathers"

SERMON: INTERPRETING THE BIBLE "So Philip ran to him, and heard him reading the prophet Isaiah, and said, "Do you understand what you are reading?" And he said, "How can I unless someone guides me?" And he asked Philip to come up and sit with him." (Acts 8:30-31)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30am)

*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

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)

God, He is the first and the last, the beginning

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

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"And this day shall be unto you for a memorial..." Exodus 12:14

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HOLY COMMUNION - FAITH IS ALIVE
June 4,1997 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Jesu, Word of God Incarnate" - Mozart
*Processional Hymn: "Glory Be To God the Father"

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

194 **482**

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

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AMEN

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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) #492 (You may be seated)
Special Music:

7:45 a.m. "There"s Room At The Cross For You"
Duet: Dolores Canoles & Florence Gundlach
10:30 a.m. "As The Dear"

Collect

<u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray.

Senior Choir

General Prayer

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

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Introduction of Seminary Interns
Offering
Offertory: "I Come, O Saviour To Thy Table "KretchDoxology #551 zmar.
(you may be seated)
*Gloria Tibi (Glory Be to Thee, O Lord)
*Gospel Lesson: Corinthians 11:23-26

*Laus Tibi (Praise Be to Thee, O Christ)
*Hymn: "According To Thy Gracious Word" 1338

SERMON: WITH BROKEN BREAD IN OUR HANDS...
"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 11:23-26)

*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:"O Jesus I Have Promised" 271

Postlude: "Christ, the Lamb of God" - Bach *Congregation stands Please sign the attendance cards and place it in

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There remaineth therefore a rest to the people of God. For he that is entered into his rest, he also hath ceased from his own works, as God did from his.

Hebrews 4:9-10

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FAITH IS ALIVE

June 8, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Meditation" - Massenet

*Processional Hymn:"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

*Solemn Declaration

#482

#21

(you may be seated)

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Special Music:

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10:30 a.m. "There's Room At The Cross For You"

Dolores Canoles and Florence 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: "All Hail The Power of Jesus' Name" #184

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory:8:00 am

"Pastorale in F" - Bach

Doxology

#551

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson: Matthew 5:14-17

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

. *Hymn:"Dwell in Me, O Blessed Spirit" #464

SERMON: A CITY BUILT ON A HILL
"You are the light of the world. A city built on
a hill cannot be hid. No one after lighting a
lamp puts it under a bushel basket, but on the
lampstand and it gives light to all the house."
(Matthew 5:14-15)

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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

Postlude: "Festival Toccota" - Fletcher
*Congregation stands

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Thou art a priest forever after the order of Melchizedek.

Hebrews 5:6

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FATHER'S DAY
FAITH IS ALIVE

June 15, 1997

8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"Great Is Thy Faithfulness" - Innes
*Processional Hymn: "Faith of our Fathers" #282

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

#482

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AMEN

Kyrie

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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) #492 (You may be seated)

Special Music:

8:00 a.m. "Calvary's Love"-Willoughby Myrick, Jr

10:30 a.m. Give A Cup of Water -Senior Choir

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: "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" #221

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory:8:00 am

"My Faith Has Found a Resting Place"
10:30 am - DeCou

Doxology

#551

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"
*Gospel Lesson: Hebrew 11:1
*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

.*Hymn: "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" (See Insert)

SERMON: WHERE IS YOUR FAITH?

Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not see. Indeed, by faith our ancestors received approval. By faith we understand that the worlds were prepared by the word of God, so that what is see was made from things that are not visible." (He aws 11:1)

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(You may be seated)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

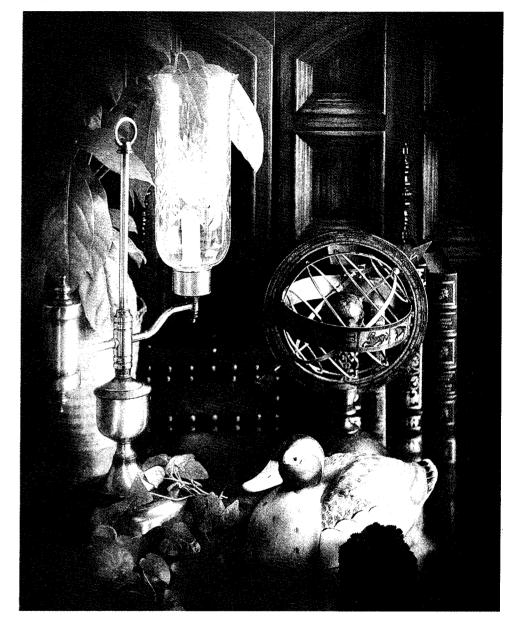
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "He Leadeth Me" #466

Postlude:"My Faith in Thee is Sure" - Bach
*Congregation stands

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Honour thy father and mother; which is the first commandment with promise.

Ephesians 6:2

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FAITH IS ALIVE

June 22, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM

"Holy, Holy, Holy" #1

*Solemn Declaration #482

(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)

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Call to Confession

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AMEN

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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. "Hymn Medley" - Gloria Rohlfing

10:30 a.m. "Just A Closer Walk With Thee" Senior Choir

Collect

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

General Prayer

Hymn: "Breath on Me, Breath of God" #191

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory:8:00 am

"Come, O Creator Spirit Blest" Walther 10:30 am

Doxology #551
*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"
*Scripture Lesson: Isaiah 6:1-4
*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"
*Hymn: "Spirit of the Living God" See Insert

SERMON: I HAVE SEEN THE LORD!
"In the year that King Uzaiah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty: and the hem of his robe filled the temple. Seraphs were in attendance above him, each had six wings with two they covered their face, and with two they flew, and one called to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30 AM)

is full of his glory." Isaiah 6:1-4

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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: "Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart" #193 Postlude: "Come, O Creator Spirit Blest" - Bach

*Congregation stands

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For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin.

Hebrews 4:15

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FAITH IS ALIVE

June 29, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM

*Solemn Declaration #15

(you may be seated) #482

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

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AMEN

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Leader: O Lord, open my lips
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*Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated)
Special Music:

8:00 a.m. Mr. Fred Long - Solo
10:30 a.m. "Battle Hymn of the Republic"
10:30 a.m. Senior Choir
Jennifer Myrick - Keyboard

Collect

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

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering
Offertory:8:00 am

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness" - Innes

10:30 am

Doxology #551
*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"
*Scripture Lesson: I Peter 2:9-10; Rev 11:15
*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"
*Hymn: "America The Beautiful" #443

SERMON: IS THE BIBLE A PRIVATE BOOK?
"But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people, once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy, but now you have received mercy." (I Peter 2:9-10)

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(You may be seated)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

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*Recessional Hymn: Great is Thy Faithfulness (insert)

Postlude:"Postlude on America" - Young
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Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ. Galatians 6:2

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HOLY COMMUNION - FAITH IS ALIVE

July 6, 1997 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "There Is No Greater Love" - DeCou

*Processional Hymn: "Gof Of Our Fathers" #440

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

482

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to Worship saying):

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AMEN

Kyrie

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Praise (Responsively):

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

Special Music: "Victory In Jesus"
8:00 a.m.

Paul Bauersfeld, Jackie Bond and 10:30 a.m. Florence and Robert Gundlach

Collect

<u>People:</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: "What Wondrous Love Is This" - Innes Doxology #551

(you may be seated)

*Gloria Tibi (Glory Be to Thee, O Lord)

*Gospel Lesson:Romans 5:5-11

*Laus Tibi (Praise Be to Thee, O Christ)

*Hymn: "Oh, How He Loves Your and Me" (Insert)

SERMON: GOD PROVES HIS LOVE FOR US!

"For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person-though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we were yet sinners Christ died for us." (Romans 5:6-8)

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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 Thanksqiving and Pastoral Prayer

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

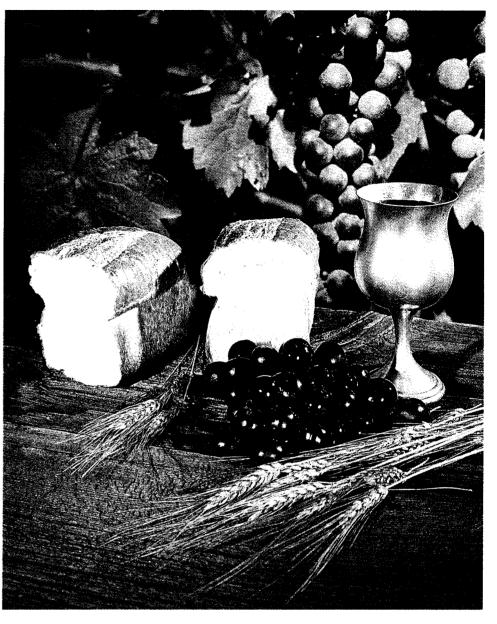
*Recessional Hymn: "America, The Beautiful" #443

Postlude: "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" Jordan *Congregation stands

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And Jesus said unto them. I am the bread of life: he that cometh to me shall never hunger; and he that believeth on me shall never thirst.

John 6:35

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FAITH IS ALIVE

July 13, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Sheep May Safely Graze" - Bach
*Processional Hymn: "When Morning Gilds the Skies"
#43

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

#482

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10:30 a.m.

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:8:00 am
"Trust In the Lord" - Handel

10:30 am

Doxology #551
*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"
*Scripture Lesson: Romans 12:1-2
*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"
*Hymn: "Fairest Lord Jesus" #182

SERMON: THE BIBLE AND THE CIVIL WAR
"Do not be conformed to this world, but be
transformed by the renewing of your minds, so
that you may discern what is the will of God what is good and acceptable and perfect." (Romans
12:2)

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

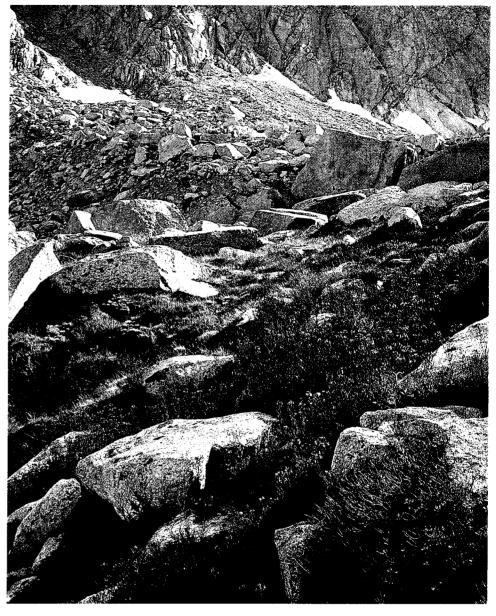
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn:"Onward Christian Soldiers" #292

Postlude: "O Praise the Lord" - Croft
*Congregation stands

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Now be ye not stiffnecked, as your fathers were, but yield yourselves unto the LORD.

2 Chronicles 30:8

Mr. Robert Gundlach - Director of Music

FAITH IS ALIVE

July 20, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:

*Processional Hymn: "Come Thou Almighty King" #4

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

#482

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):
Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of Your son Jesus Christ, have mercy upon us and forgive us that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your Name. (Matt 22: 34-40)

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: 8:00 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

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: "The Morning Light is Breaking" #384

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering
Offertory:8:00 am

10:30 am

Doxology #551
*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"
*Scripture Lesson: (To Be Announced)
*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"
*Hymn:"This Child We Dedicate to Thee" #331

SERMON:

Rev. Cliff Hardy Intern

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30AM)

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)

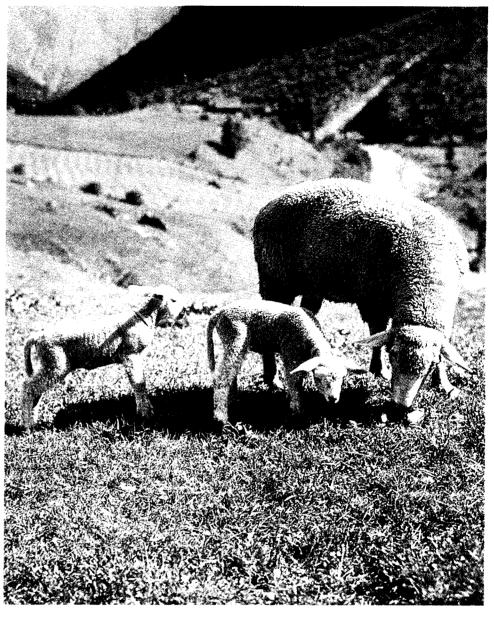
*Recessional Hymn: "I Love to Tell the Story" #467

Postlude:

*Congregation stands

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He shall feed his flock like a shepherd: he shall gather the lambs with his arm, and carry them in his bosom, and shall gently lead those that are with young.

Isaiah 40:11

Mr. Robert Gundlach - Director of Music

FAITH IS ALIVE

July 27, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:

*Processional Hymn: "Ye Servants of God" #11

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

#482

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

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AMEN

Kyrie

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.

10:30 a.m.

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, I live to Thee" #254

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory:

Doxology #551
*Gloria Tibi: "Glory Be to Thee,O Lord"
*Scripture Lesson: Ezekiel 2:1-5
2Corinthians 12:7B-10

*Gospel: Mark 6:1-13

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn:"Jesus calls us o'er the tumult" #207

SERMON: MY GRACE IS SUFFICIENT.

2 Corinthians 12:8-9

Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, but he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness." So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me.

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)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

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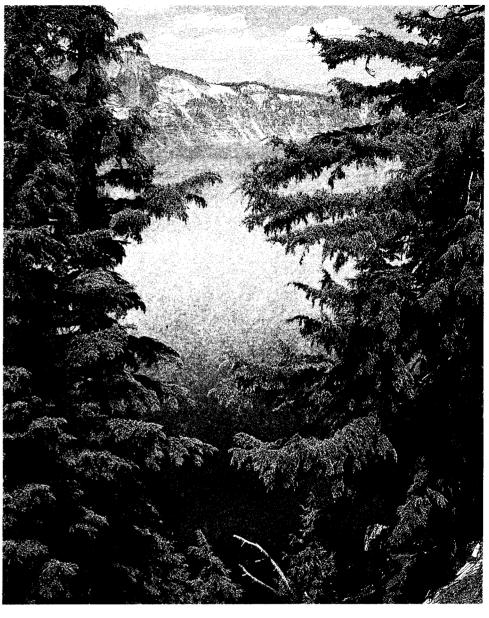
*Recessional Hymn: "What a friend we have in Jesus" #472

Postlude:

*Congregation stands

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For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the Lord, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end.

Jeremiah 29:11

HOLY COMMUNION - FAITH IS ALIVE August 3, 1997

Prelude:

*Processional Hymn: "Holy, Holy, Holy" #1

*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated)

482

7:45 & 10:30 AM

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

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Call to Confession

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AMEN

Kyrie

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.

10:30 a.m.

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: Doxology #551 (you may be seated) *Gloria Tibi (Glory Be to Thee, O Lord) *Gospel Lesson:Matthew 25: 31-40

*Laus Tibi (Praise Be to Thee, O Christ)

*Hymn: "Stand Up For Jesus" #290

SERMON:

"DRESS TO KILL"

*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.

<u>People:</u> 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:

"Onward Christian Soldiers" #292

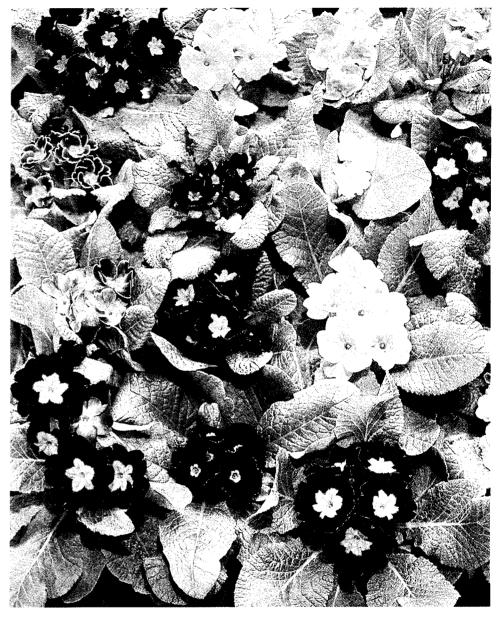
Postlude:

*Congregation stands

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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 wish to remember the church in your will, and do not have a will at this time, a member of the congregation would be willing to help you. Please call the church office and arrange a meeting with the Pastor or President of the Council.



For the law having a shadow of good things to come, and not the very image of the things, can never ...make the comers thereunto perfect.

Hebrews 10:1

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FAITH IS ALIVE

August 10, 1997

8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Sheep May Safely Graze" - Bach
*Processional Hymn:"When Morning Gilds the Skies"
#43

*Solemn Declaration

#482

(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

Kyrie

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. "Steps"

Pam Georgiadis, Florence Gundlach and 10:30 a.m. Margaret Myrick

Collect

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

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn: "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" #184
Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering
Offertory:8:00 am

"Trust In the Lord" - Handel

10:30 am

Doxology #551 *Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"

*Scripture Lesson: Romans 12:1-2

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn!"O Love of God, Most Full" #275

SERMON: DISCERNMENT - THE BIBLE AND THE JEWS!
"For you, brothers and sisters, became imitators of the churches of God in Christ Jesus that are in Judea, for you suffered the same things from you own compatriots as they did from the Jews, who killed both the Lord Jesus and the prophets, and drove us out; they displease God and oppose everyone by hindering us from speaking to the Gentiles so they may be saved. Thus they have constantly been filling up the measure of their sins, but God's wrath has overtaken them at last."

(I Thessalonians 2: 14-16)

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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: "O Jesus, I Have Promised" #271

Postlude: "Toccata in C" - Bach

*Congregation stands

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Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding.

Proverbs 3:5

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FAITH IS ALIVE

August 17, 1997

8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Air from Suite in D" - Bach
*Processional Hymn: "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"
#21

*Solemn Declaration

#482

(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
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.

"There's Just Something About That Name"

10:30 a.m. Jackie Bond, Florence & 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: "Crown Him With Many Crowns" #176
Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering
Offertory:8:00 am

"Interlude" - Haydn

Doxology #551
*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"
*Scripture Lesson: Galations 3:27-29
*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"
*Hymn: "My Faith Looks Up To Thee" #221

SERMON: DISCERNMENT - THE BIBLE AND THE WOMEN!

"I appeal to you therefore, brothers and sisters, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God - what is good, and acceptable, and perfect." (Romans 12:1-2)

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(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

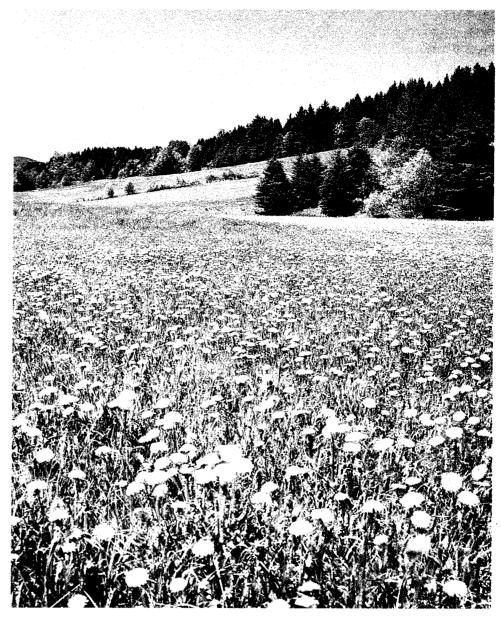
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "Saviour, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise" #32

Postlude: "Postlude in C" - Young *Congregation stands

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...his compassions fail not. They are new every morning... Lamentations 3:22b-23a

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FAITH IS ALIVE

August 24, 1997

8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Prayer" - Boellman

*Processional Hymn: "This is My Father's World" #65

*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

Kyrie

Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book)

(L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel

(P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven Praise (Responsively):

<u>Leader:</u> 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. "Mansion Over The Hilltop"
Darlene Waters

10:30 a.m."In His Presence"
Francine Gambin

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: "For the Beauty of the Earth" #12
Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering
Offertory:8:00 am

"For the Beauty of the Earth"

10:30 am Hustad

Doxology #551
*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"

*Scripture Lesson: Job 42:1-6

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

***Hymn:** (See Insert)

"Praise the Source of Faith and Learning"

SERMON: DISCERNMENT - THE BIBLE AND THE SCIENCE!

"When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars that you have established; 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. You have given them dominion over the works of your hands; you have put all things under their feet...O Lord, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth." (Psalm 8:3-9)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

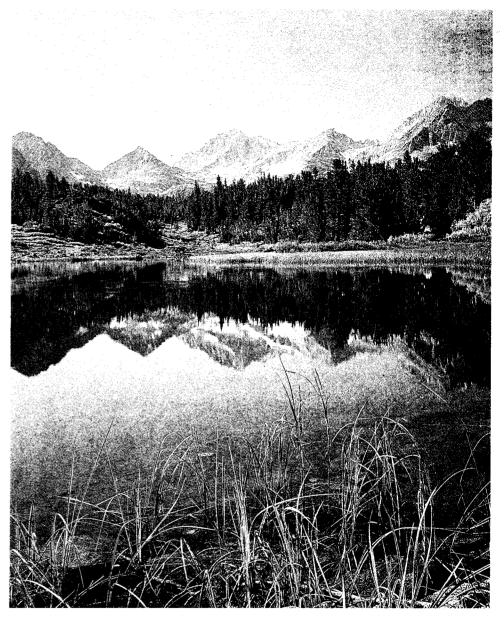
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn:"I Love to Tell the Story" #467

Postlude:"A Trumpet Choral" - Bach
*Congregation stands

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...for he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee. Hebrews 13:5b

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FAITH IS ALIVE

August 31, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"God Will Take Care of You" - DeCou
*Processional Hymn:"God of our Fathers" #440

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

#482

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)

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AMEN

Kyrie

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.

"I'll Walk With God"

10:30 a.m. Solo - Baptist Hoffmann

Collect

<u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn:"Praise Ye the Father" #14
Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering

Offertory:8:00 am

"Seek Ye First the Kindom of God" - Johnson
10:30 am

Doxology #551 *Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson: Matthew 6:25-33

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

***Hymn:**(See Insert)

"God Will Take Care of You"

SERMON: DISCERNMENT -THE BIBLE AND THE GOOD LIFE! The Bible's answer to the question "Am I on my own?" is a resounding "no!" The good life always involves us in a spiritual journey with others.

Jesus said "I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live." (John 14:18-19)

and

"The the Lord said, "It is not good that man should be alone; I will make him a helper as his partner." (Genesis 2:18)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

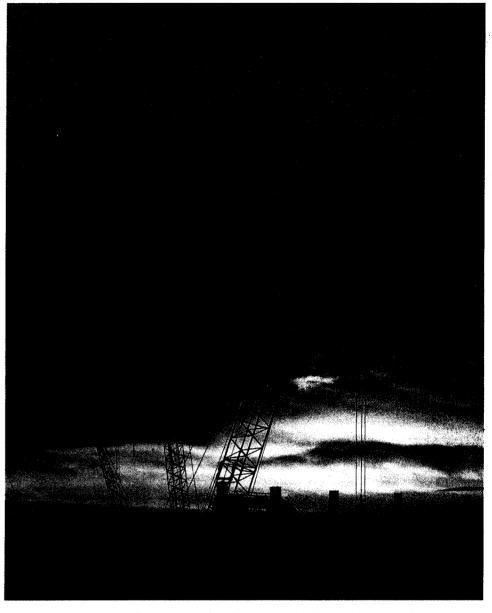
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "America, the Beautiful" #443

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

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Labour not for the meat which perisheth, but for that meat which endureth unto everlasting life, which the Son of man shall give unto you: for him hath God the Father sealed.

Mr. Robert Gundlach - Director of Music

HOLY COMMUNION - FAITH IS ALIVE September 7, 1997 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:

*Processional Hymn: "Come We Who Love the Lord"

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

482

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AMEN

Kyrie

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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) #492 (You may be seated)

Special Music:

8:00 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

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:

Doxology #551

(you may be seated)

*Gloria Tibi (Glory Be to Thee, O Lord)

*Scripture Lesson: Psalm 10

(Let us read together)

*Laus Tibi (Praise Be to Thee, O Christ)

*Hymn: "Behold Us, Lord" #228

SERMON: THE BIBLE AND HELL!

"In the pride of their countenance the wicked say, "God will not seek it out, all their thoughts are, "There is no God." (Psalm 10:4) Why do the wicked renounce God, and say in their hearts, "You will not call us to account?" But you do see." (Psalm 10:13-14).. "Break the arm of the wicked and evildoers; seek out their wickedness until you find none." (Psalm 10:15)

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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: "Come to the Saviour Now" #463

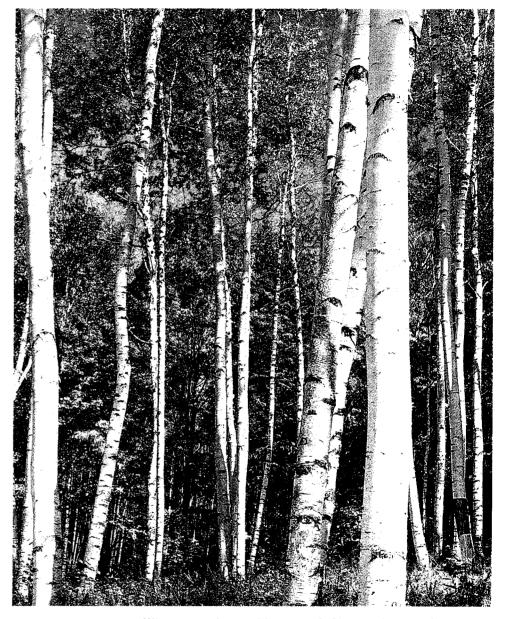
Postlude:

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Who can understand his errors? Cleanse thou me from secret faults.

Psalm 19:12

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FAITH IS ALIVE

September 14, 1997

8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"Mr Tribute: To God Be The Glory" - Grouch
*Processional Hymn:"Guide Me O Thou Great Johovah" #80

*Solemn Declaration

#482

(you may be seated)

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AMEN

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Special Music:

8:00 a.m. "What A Friend We Have In Jesus"
Duet: George Finnerty, Baptist Hoffmann
10:30 a.m. "Praise the Lord, His Glories Show"

Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn: "To God Be The Glory" (Seen Insert)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory:8:00 am"If Thou Art Near" - Bach

10:30 am"What A Friend We Have In Jesus"

Duet: George Finnerty, Baptist Hoffmann

Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi: "Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson: Mark 5:1-20

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn:" O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" #278

SERMON: BACK FROM THE EDGE!

"And when he stepped out of the boat, a man out of the tombs with an unclean spirit met him. He lived among the tombs and no one could restrain him anymore; even with a chain...but the chains he wrenched apart and noone could subdue him...on the mountains he was always howling and bruising himself with stones. When he saw Jesus from a distance, he ran and ... shouted.."What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God?"

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30AM)

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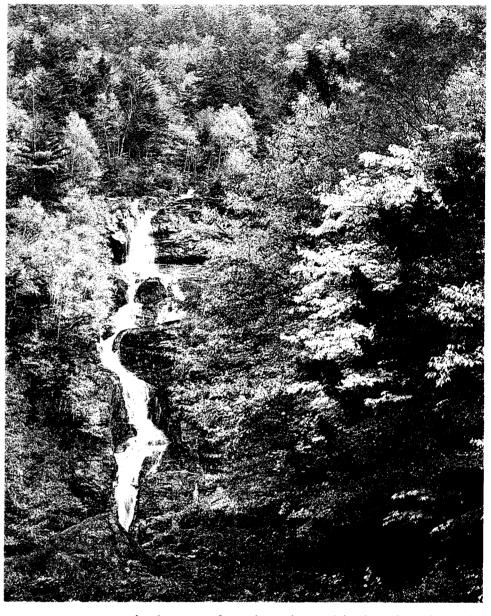
Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

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

*Recessional Hymn:"I Will Sing the Wondrous Story" Postlude:"O Love That Will Not Let $Me^{\#465}_{GO}$ *Congregation stands Johnson

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Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith: who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.

Hebrews 12:2

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124TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

September 21, 1997

10:00 AM

Prelude: "A Mighty Fortress is Our God"-arr. Hustad *Processional Hymn: "Holy, Holy, Holy #1

*Solemn Declaration

#482

(you may be seated)

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Collect

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

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn:"All Hail the Power of Jesus Name" #184 Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing" -arr. Innes

Doxology

#551

A SERMON IN SONG
Presented by the Summer Church Choir of the
Chorus of the Chesapeake

UNITED EVANGELICAL CHURCH 1873-1997
Introduction: Cal Gundlach, Church Council
directing today, Mr. Jim Kimos

narration by Tom McPoyle some selected titles will include

"How Great Thou Art"
"My Friend"

"Nearer My God to Thee"
"God Bless America"
"Thank You Lord"

We welcome our special guests today, the Summer Church Choir of the Chorus of the Chesapeake. The chorus extends an open invitation to visit them for one of their rehearsals held from 7;30 - 10:00 PM on Tuesday evenings at the Multipurpose Building located on Wise Ave. and Merritt Blvd. For additional information, contact any of the men after the service. The Choir extends special thanks to Dick Dods, John Treff, Jim Hackman for their extra effort.

*Let us stand and say the Apostle's 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: "The Church's One Foundation" #322

Postlude:

*Congregation stands

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But, beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.

2 Peter 3:8

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FAITH IS ALIVE

September 28, 1997

8:00 & 10:30 AM

#63

Prelude:"Adagio" - Mozart
*Processional Hymn:"Our God, Our Help In Ages Past"

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

#482

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Special Music: "All The Way My Saviour Leads Me" 8:00 a.m. Paul Bauersfeld, Jackie Bond

Florence and Robert Gundlach

10:30 a.m. "The King of Love My Shepherd Is"

Senior Choir

Collect

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

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn:"Love Devine, All Loves Excelling" #272

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory:8:00 am

"O Perfect Love" - arr. Innes

Doxology #551
*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"
*Gospel Lesson: I Corinthians 7:1-16
*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn:"O Perfect Love" #356

SERMON: SEX AND THE BIBLE!

"For the unbelieving husband is made holy through his wife, and the unbelieving wife is made holy through her husband." (I Cor 7:14)
"Wife, for all you know you might arms

"Wife, for all you know, you might save your husband. Husband, for all you know, you might save your wife." (I Cor 7:16)

"And now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; and the greatest of these is love." (I Cor 13:13)

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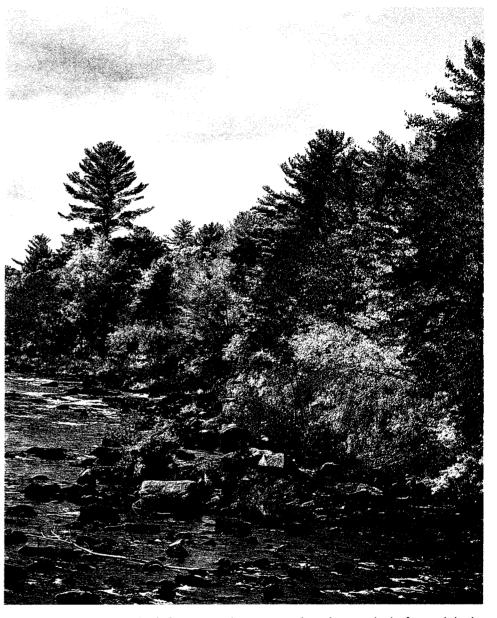
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Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: "More Love To Thee, O Christ"
#471
Postlude: "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go"
arr. Jordan

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And there are also many other things which Jesus did, the which, if they should be written every one, I suppose that even the world itself could not contain the books that should be written. Amen.

John 21:25

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HOLY COMMUNION - FAITH IS ALIVE
October 5, 1997 7:45 & 10:30 AM
Prelude: "Jesu, Word of God Incarnate" - Mozart

*Processional Hymn:"Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken" #323

*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated)

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*Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music:

7:45 a.m. The King of Love My Shepherd Is Senior Choir

10:30 a.m."Turn Your Heart Towards Home"
Florence Gundlach and Lynn Sanders
Collect

<u>Leader:</u> 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)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Let Us Break Bread Together" - Wood Doxology #551

(you may be seated)

*Gloria Tibi (Glory Be to Thee, O Lord)

*Gospel Lesson: John 14:1-7

*Laus Tibi (Praise Be to Thee, O Christ)

*Hymn: "Thou Art The Way" #238

SERMON: OTHER WORLDS TO SING IN!
"In my Father's house their are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am.

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Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (see Sacrament of

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*Recessional Hymn: "Ten Thousand Times Ten Thousand" #416

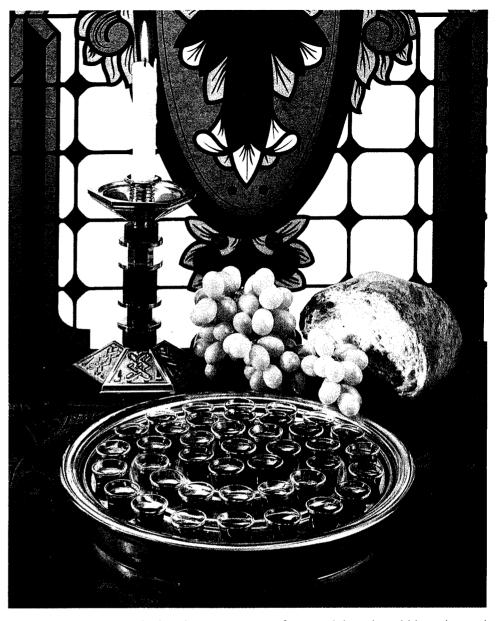
Postlude: "Christ the Lamb of God" - Bach

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And as they were eating, Jesus took bread, and blessed it, and brake it, and gave it to the disciples, and said. Take, eat; this is my body. And he took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, Drink ye all of it.

Matthew 26:26-27

- FAITH IS ALIVE -

October 12, 1997

8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"Sheep May Safely Graze" - Bach
*Processional Hymn:"Jouful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

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*Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music:

8:00 a.m. "Sweet Hour of Prayer"
Dolores Canoles, Gloria & Chuck Rohlfing

10:30 a.m."Lord, I Lift Your Name on High" Senior Choir

Collect

<u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn:"When the Golden Evening Gathered" #130

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering

Offertory:8:00 a.m. "Interlude" - Stainer 10:30 a.m. "Jesus Lover of My Soul"

Duet: Baptist Hoffmann, Max Hoffmann
Doxology #551

(you may be seated)

1st Scripture Lesson: Jerimiah 23: 1-6 2nd Scripture Lesson: Ephesians 2:11-22

- (L) The Word of the Lord
- (P) Thanks Be to God

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson: Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

*Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn:"Saviour, Like A Shepherd Lead Us" #461

SERMON: "The Healing Touch"

Deacon Max Hoffman, Preaching

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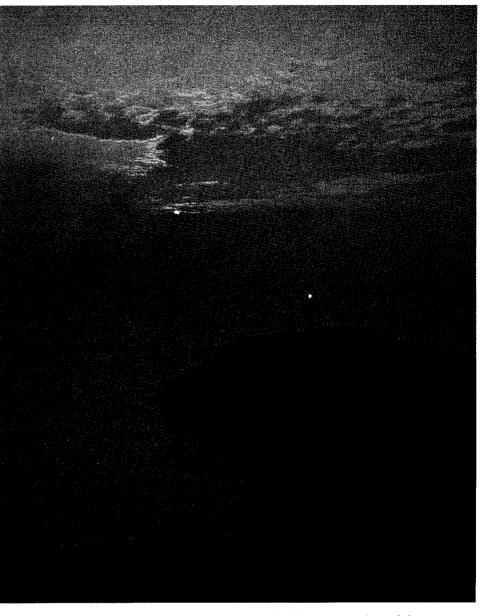
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*Recessional Hymn: The Church's One Foundation #322

Postlude: "The Church's One Foundation" - Innes
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And the city had no need of the sun, neither of the moon, to shine in it: for the glory of God did lighten it, and the Lamb is the light thereof.

Revelation 21:23

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FAITH IS ALIVE

October 19, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Meditation" - Massenet

*Processional Hymn: "When Morning Gilds the Skies"

*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated)

#482

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

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AMEN

Kyrie

Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book)

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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) #492 (You may be seated)

Special Music:

8:00 a.m."In The Garden" Darlene E. Waters

10:30 a.m."When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder" Senior Choir

Collect

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

General Prayer

Hymn! Fairest Lord Jesus" Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering Offertory:8:00 am"Interlude" - Stainer

10:30 am"In The Garden" Darlene Waters Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord" *Gospel Lesson: John 15:9-11

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn:"In The Service of the King" (See Insert)

SERMON: THE BIBLE AND JOY

"Then Jacob woke from his sleep and said, "Surely the Lord is in this place- and I did not know it!" And he was afraid, and said, "How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God; and this is the gate of heaven." (Gen 28:16-17)

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 first to Mary, to Peter, and 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), John 20:18
(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: "I Need Thee Every Hour"

Postlude:"Fanfare" - Young

*Congregation stands

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The Spirit of God hath made me, and the breath of the Almighty hath given me life.

Job 33:4

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FAITH IS ALIVE

October 26, 1997

8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" - Hustad
*Processional Hymn: "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"
#281

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

#482

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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:

8:00 a.m. "Give Thanks" Pam Georgiadis,

Florence Gundlach, Margaret Myrick

10:30 a.m. The Heavens Are Telling Senior Choir Solos: Dolores Canoles, Will Myrick, Bill Raddatz Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn! Praise To The Lord The Almighty" #8
Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering

Offertory:8:00 am

"Praide To The Lord The Almighty"-Bish

10:30 am

Doxology

#551

*Gloria Tibi: "Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson: Luke 19:41-44

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn: "O Thou Through Suffering Perfect Made" #132

"And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been given to us." (Romans 5:3-5)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30AM)
RECEPTION OF AN OLD MEMBER BY REAFFI ATION OF
FAITH

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

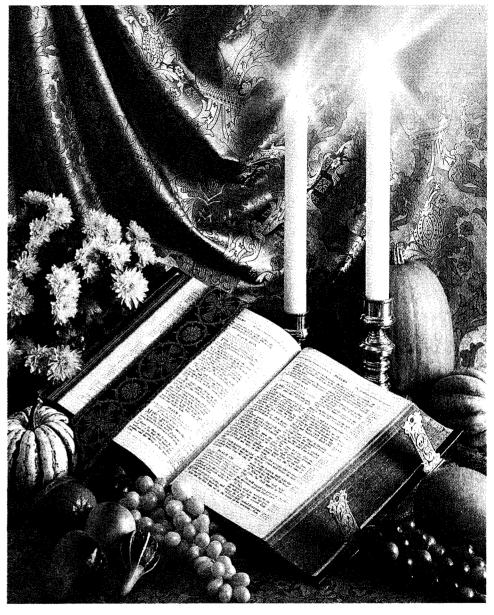
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn: O Jesus, I Have Promised #271

Postlude:"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" - Bach *Congregation stands

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Keep my commandments, and live; and my law as the apple of thine eye. Bind them upon thy fingers, write them upon the table of thine heart.

Proverbs 7:2-3

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HOLY COMMUNION - FAITH IS ALIVE November 2, 1997 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"Softly and Tenderly" - Johnson
*Processional Hymn:"Our God,Our Help in Ages Past"
#63

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

482

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to Worship saying):

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AMEN

Kyrie

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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) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music:

8:00 a.m.Duet: Dolores Canoles and Darlene Waters

10:30 a.m."The Heavens Are Telling"
Senior Choir

Collect

<u>Leader:</u> 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)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering

Offertory: "Thy Table I Approach" - Kretchzmar

Doxology #551
(you may be seated)

*Gloria Tibi (Glory Be to Thee, O Lord)

*Gospel Lesson: Luke 15:11-32

*Laus Tibi (Praise Be to Thee, O Christ)

*Hymn:"Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling" (See Insert)

SERMON: THE BIBLE AND JUDGMENT!

"So he set off and went to his father. But while he was still far off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion; he ran and put his arms around him and kissed him." (Luke 15:20) *Let us stand and say the Nicean Creed

(page 24 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

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:"For All the Saints" #418

Postlude: "Christ the Lamb of God" - Bach

*Congregation stands

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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 wish to remember the church in your will, and do not have a will at this time, a member of the congregation would be willing to help you. Please call the church office and arrange a meeting with the Pastor or President of the Council.



 \ldots for I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content.

Philippians 4:11b

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FAITH IS ALIVE

November 9, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Amazing Grace" - arr. Bish
*Processional Hymn: "Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty"
#23

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

#482

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to Worship saying):

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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. "The Lord is My Shepherd" Senior Choir

10:30 a.m. "His Eye Is On The Sparrow" Solo Dolores Canoles

Collect

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

General Prayer

Hymn:"Crown Him With Many Crowns"

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering

Offertory:"Lord God" Handel

Doxology

#551

#176

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"
*Gospel Lesson: Luke 4:1-13

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn:

SERMON: THE BIBLE AND EVIL

"For I do not do the good I want, but the evil I do not want is what I do. Now if I do what I do not want, it is no longer I that do i but sin that dwells within me." (Romans 7:19-20)

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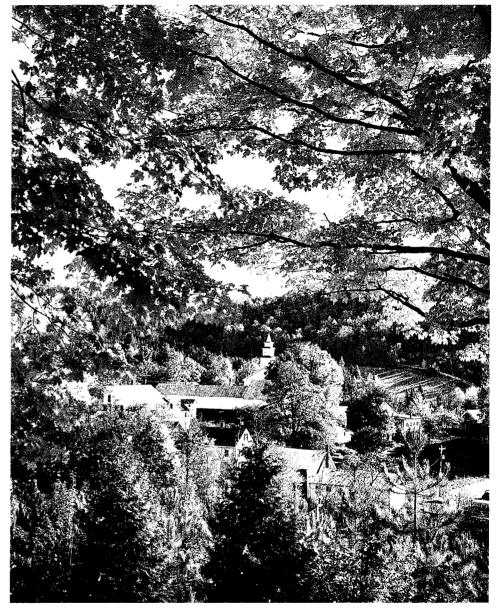
Benediction: (Adapted from John 14:27, John 15:11 and 2 Tim 4:7)

*Recessional Hymn:"Onward Christian Soldiers"#292

Postlude:"O Praise the Lord" - Croft
*Congregation stands

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Wherefore comfort one another with these words.

1 Thessalonians 4:18

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FAITH IS ALIVE

November 16, 1997

8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" - Bach *Processional Hymn: "Come Thou Almighty King" #4

*Solemn Declaration

#482

(you may be seated)

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AMEN

Kyrie

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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) #492 (You may be seated)

Special Music:

8:00 a.m. "Rock of Ages" Solo - Baptist Hoffmann

10:30 a.m. "He Keeps Me Singing"- Senior Choir

Collect

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

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn: "Take Thou Our Minds, Dear Lord" #252

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE! Offering

Offertory:

Doxology #551 *Gloria Tibi: "Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson: Luke 18:18-30

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn: "We Give Thee But Thine Own"

#258

SERMON: THE BIBLE AND WEALTH

"He said to him, "Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth." Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, "You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me. When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possession." (Mark 10:20-22)

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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:"Take My Life, and Let It Be" #253

Postlude: "Rondo In G" - Bull *Congregation stands

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...and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world, Amen.

Matthew 28:20b

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November 23, 1997

8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"Children of the Heavenly Father" - Bish
*Processional Hymn:"This is My Father's World"
#65

*Solemn Declaration

#482

(you may be seated)

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to Worship saying):

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AMEN

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Praise

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Special Music:

8:00 a.m. "Softly and Tenderly"

Florence Gundlach, Chuch & Gloria Rohlfing

10:30 a.m. "The Journey" Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn: "Dear Father, to Thy Mercy Seat" #229

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Children of the Heavenly Father" Jordan

Doxology

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*Gloria Tibi:"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson: Romans 8:15-16

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn: "Children of the Heavenly Father" (INSERT) SERMON: THE BIBLE AND ADOPTION INTO THE HOUSE OF

GOD

"Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them." (John 14:23)

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: "Saviour, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" #461

Postlude: "Festival Toccata" - Fletcher

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It is a good thing to give thanks unto the LORD, and to sing praises unto thy name, O most High.

Psalm 92:1

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FAITH IS ALIVE

November 27, 1997

10:00 A.M.

Prelude: "We Gather Together" - Held

*Processional Hymn: "We Gather Together" (See Insert)

*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated)

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Praise (Responsively):

Leader: O Lord, open my lips
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Praise

*Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music:"Fear Not, O Land"

Senior Choir

Collect

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

General Prayer

*Hymn:"Come Ye Thankful People Come" #434

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering
Offertory: "For The Beauty of the Earth" - Hustad
Doxology #551

Scripture Lesson: Amos 5:18-24

(L) The Word of the Lord

(P) Thanks Be to God

*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" (words available at center aisle)

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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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: "Now Thank We All Our God" -Karg-Elert *Congregation stands

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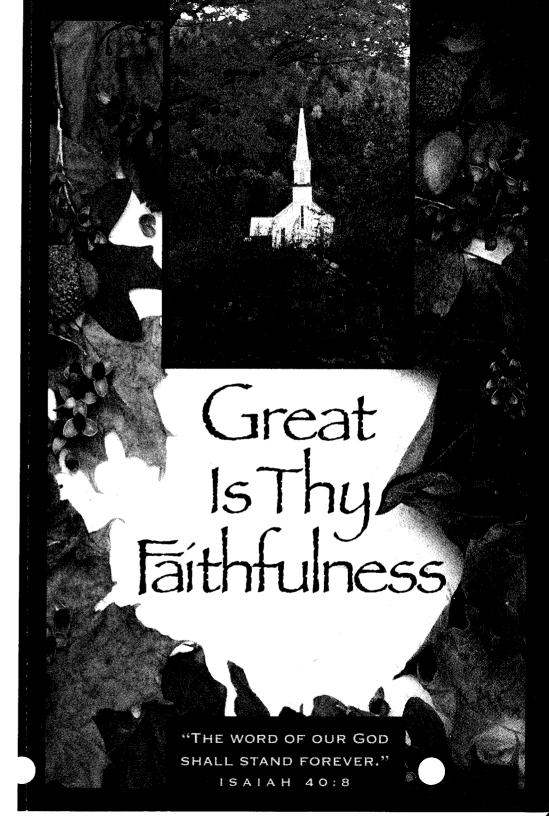
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FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT - FAITH IS ALIVE

Novembem 30, 1997

Prelude: "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" - Held

*Processional Hymn: "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" #88

*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated)

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

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AMEN

Kyrie

Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book)

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Leader: O Lord, open my lips
People: And my mouth shall show forth Your

And my mouth snall snow forth You Praise

*Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated)

Lighting of the Advent Candle (Advent means preparing to come to Christmas)
Special Music:

8:00 a.m. "Mary, Did You Know"

Solo - Will Myrick, Jr.

10:30 a.m. "Lo, How A Rose E"er Blooming"
Collect Senior Choir

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

General Prayer

*Hymn: "The Old Rugged Cross" (Front Cover of Hymnal)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering
Offertory: "For All The Saints" - Held

Doxology #551 Scripture Lesson:Joshua 1:6-9

(L) The Word of Lord

(P) Thanks Be to God.

*Hymn: "Abide With Me" #51

SERMON: BE STRONG AND OF GOOD COURAGE!
As we prepare for our Congregational Meeting (following this service), 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."

REMEMBERING THOSE WHO HAVE ENTERED ETERNAL LIFE

*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:"For All The Saints" #418

Postlude:"From Heaven Above the Earth I Come"
*Congregation stands
Bach

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Behold, I will send my messenger, and he shall prepare the way before me.

Malachi 3:1a

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SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT - FAITH IS ALIVE HOLY COMMUNION

December 7, 1997 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "What Is This Fragrance?" - arr.

Lovelace

*Processional Hymn: "O How Shall I Receive Thee" #100

*Solemn Declaration

#482

(you may be seated)

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AMEN

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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) #492 (You may be seated) Special Music:

7:45 a.m. "O Little Town Of Bethlehem"
Margaret & Willoughby Myrick

10:30 a.m. "Break Forth Into Joy" Senior Choir

Collect

<u>Leader:</u> 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)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering
Offertory: "Pastorale" - Spong

Doxology #551 Scripture Lesson:Isaiah 9:2-9

(L) The Word of Lord

(P) Thanks Be to God

*Hymn: "Angels We Have Heard On High" #105

SERMON: SEEING A GREAT LIGHT!

As we prepare 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."

INSTALLATION OF COUNCIL MEMBERS INSTALLATION OF COUNCIL OFFICERS

*Let us stand and say the Nicean Creed

(page 24 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: "Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers"

Postlude: "Saviour of the Nations Come" - Bach *Congregation stands

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For with God nothing shall be impossible.

Luke 1:37

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FAITH IS ALIVE THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT

December 14, 1997 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Comfort Ye My People" - Handel

*Processional Hymn: "Holy, Holy, Holy" #1

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

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AMEN

#482

Kyrie

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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) #492 (You may be seated) Lighting the Advent Candle

Special Music: 8:00 a.m "Gentle Mary Laid Her Child" - Paul Bauersfeld, Jackie Bond, Florence & Robert Gundlach.

10:30 a.m. "And The Glory Of the Lord" Senior Choir

Collect

<u>People:</u> And with thy Spirit. <u>Leader:</u> Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" #107

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering
Offertory: "Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming" -Brahms

Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi:"Glory be to Thee, O Lord"
*Gospel Lesson:Luke 4:16-21 (8 a.m)
*Gospel Lesson:Luke 2:1-20 (10:30 a.m.)
*Laus Tibi:"Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymm: "O little Town of Bethlehem" #108

SERMON: (8:00 a.m) A Message Of Comfort Joyce Barton, Minister (10:30 a.m.) - Church School Program

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 first to Mary, to Peter, and 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

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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)

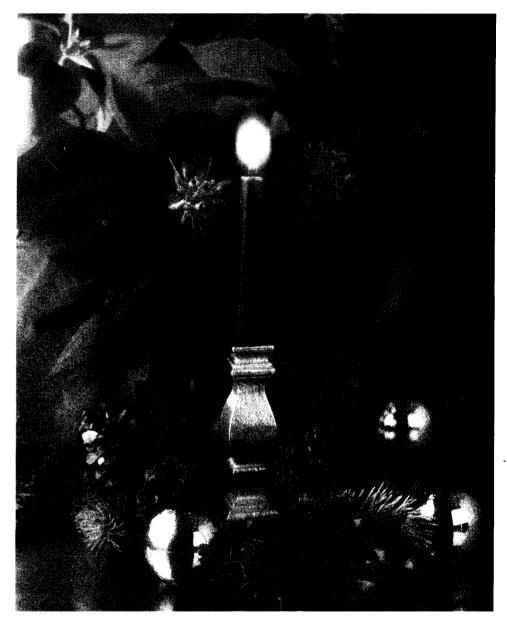
*Recessional Hymn: "Joy to the World" #120

Postlude: "Noel" - D' Aquin

*Congregation stands

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For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son...

John 3:16

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- FAITH IS ALIVE - FOURTH SUNDAY IN ADVENT

<u>December 21, 1997</u>

8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:

*Processional Hymn:

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

482

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

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AMEN

Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book)

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Praise (Responsively):

Leadert: O Lord, open my lips

People: And my mouth shall show forth Your Praise

*Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492 (You may be seated)

Lighting the Advent Candle

Special Music: 8:00AM

10:30AM

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:

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering
Offertory:
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"

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 be form of a slave, being born in human likeness."

Phil 2:5-7

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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:

Postlude:

*Congregation stands

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And, behold, thou shalt conceive in thy womb, and bring forth a son, and shalt call his name JESUS. He shall be great, and shall be called the Son of the Highest: and the Lord God shall give him the throne of his father David.

Luke 1:31-32

Sunday, December 21, 1997

Prelude: "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" - MacNutt

Offertory: "Silent Night" - arr. Innes

Postlude: "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing" - arr. Johnson

Special Music:

8:00 a.m. "And the Glory of the Lord"

Senior Choir

10:30 a.m. "The Lord's Prayer"

Florence Gundlach and Lynn Sanders

Hymna:

#102 -"Hark, the Herald Angels Sing"

#118 - "The First Noel" (Verses 1-4)

#109 - "Away In A Manger"

#101 - "Silent Night"

see MUSIC insert for HYMNS. HOSPITALS:

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- FAITH IS ALIVE - CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE

December 24, 1997

7:30 PM

Prelude: (See Insert- Preservice Christmas Music)

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

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

482

Lighting the Advent Candles

Special Music

"Love Came Down" Senior Choir, Soloists and Youth

"Mary Did You Know" Senior Choir

Call to Worship

(Fran) 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.

(1st child) Mom, read us a story.

(2nd child) No, we always read stories. Let's sing some songs.

(Fran) 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)

(Fran) It was a beautiful starry night. Some men called shepherds were watching their sheep out in the fields rear 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? (2nd child) 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 (Fran) 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?"

(1st child) Bethlehem.

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

(2nd child) Do you think the shepherds found the baby in his own home?

(Fran) 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"

(Fran) 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 who had been born.

*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: "Joy to the World" 120

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

*Congregation stands

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he angel said unto them; "Fear not: 'for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, which is Christ the Lord."



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

(2nd child) 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)

(Fran) 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.

(Fran) 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?

(children) 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 "Away in a Manager" - arr. - Innes

Preservice Christmas Program

7:00 p.m.

"Gentle Mary Laid Her Child" Paul Bauersfeld, Jackie Bond, Florence Gundlach, Robert Gundlach

"What Child Is This" Pam Georgiadis, Florence Gundlach, Margaret Myrick

> "Angels We Have Heard On High" Baptist Hoffmann

"Breath of Heaven with What Can I Give?" Francine Gambin, Willoughby Myrick, Jr.

"Emmanuel, God With Us" Christina Wehner

"Sleep Holy Child"
Pam Georgiadis, Margaret Myrick, Willoughby Myrick, Jr.

"Bells In The Church Steeple Ringing"
Darlene Waters

"Go Tell It On The Mountain"
Florence Gundlach, Chuck Rohlfing, Gloria Rohlfing

"Do Not Be Afraid" Dolores Canoles, Bill Raddatz, Narrator

"Emmanuel with Little Town" Donna Cole, Francine Gambin, Christina Wehner

> "Will We Know Him" Senior Choir

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FAITH IS ALIVE

December 24, 1997

11:00PM

Prelude: "Silent Night" arr. Johnson

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

*Solemn Declaration (you may be seated)

#482

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Praise (Responsively):

Leader: O Lord, open my lips

Praise And my mouth shall show forth Your

*Gloria Patri (the people stand)

Lighting the Advent Candle

Special Music
11:00PM "Do Not Be Afraid" Solo Dolores Canoles

Collect

<u>Leader:</u> 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

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Did Mary Know?"

Solo: Dolores Canoles

*Doxology

*Gloria Tibi: "Glory be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson: Matt 2:1-12

*Laus Tibi: Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn: "We Three Kings" -see insert

MEDITATION: WISE MEN STILL ADORE HIM!

"In the time of King Herod, after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, asking, "Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews?" For we have observed his star at its ridsing, and have come to pay him homage." Matt 2:1-2

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(page 24 of your hymnal)

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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. DeCou

*Congregation stands

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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 wish to remember the church in your will, and do not have a will at this time, a member of the congregation would be willing to help you. Please call the church office and arrange a meeting with the Pastor or President of the Council.

Photo by S.Weiler/CPH CPH © 1997 he angel said unto them; "Fear not: `for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, which is Christ the Lord."



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- FAITH IS ALIVE -

December 28, 1997

8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Away In a Manger" - arr. Innes

*Processional Hymn:"Hark, The Herald Angels Sing" #102

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

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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):

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of Your son Jesus Christ, have mercy upon us and forgive us that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your Name. (Matt 22: 34-40)

AMEN

Kyrie

Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book)

(L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel

(P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven

Praise (Responsively):

<u>Leadert:</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)

Lighting the Advent Candle

Special Music:

8:00AM "Ten Thousand Joys" Dolores Canoles and Willoughby Myrick, Jr.
10:30AM "O Holy Night" Senior Choir

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 Little Town of Bethlehem" #108

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!
Offering

Offertory: 8:00AM "CHRISTMAS" Dolores Canoles & Willoughby Myrick Jr.

10:30AM "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen" -arr. Innes

Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi: "Glory be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson: Matthew 2:13-23

*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn: "The First Noel" #118

SERMON: OUT OF EGYPT HAVE I CALLED MY SON!
"Then Joseph got up, took the child and his mother by night, and went to Egypt, and remained there until the death of Herod. This was to fulfill what had been spoken by the Lord through the prophet,"Out of Egypt I have called my Son." (Luke 2:14-15)

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 first to Mary, to Peter, and 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), John 20:18 (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)

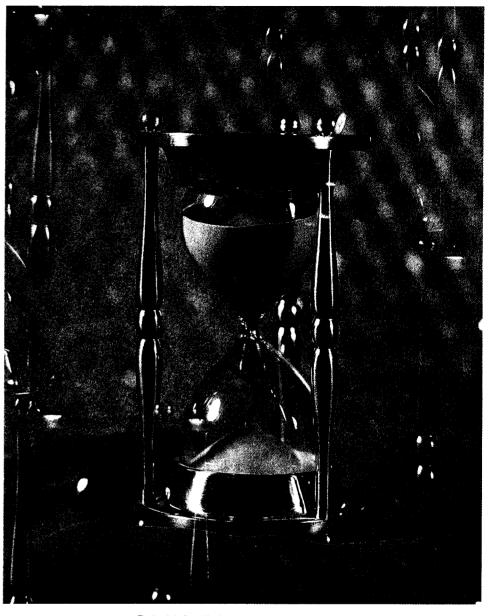
*Recessional Hymn: "Silent Night" #101

Postlude:"Angels We Have Heard On High" - arr. DeCou

*Congregation stands

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ABOUT MEMBERSHIP: We welcome inquiries at any time and would be glad to talk with you about membership as you make this important decision. Please indicate your interest on the visitor's card in the pew (be sure to include your phone number), speak to one of the Pastors, or call the church office.



Behold, I will do a new thing; now it shall spring forth; shall ye not know it? I will even make a way in the wilderness, and rivers in the desert.

Isaiah 43:19