

UNITED EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
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FIRST SUNDAY IN EPIPHANY - FAITH IS ALIVE
HOLY COMMUNION

JANUARY 3, 1999 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"How Brightly Shines the Morning Star"
Bach

*Processional Hymn:"At Thy Feet, Our God and
Father" #423

*Solemn Declaration 482
(you may be seated)

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

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truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of
Your son Jesus Christ, have mercy upon us and
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(Matt 22: 34-40)

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:

7:45 a.m. Duet Dolores Canoles and Darlene
Waters

10:30 a.m. "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:"With Broken Bread in Our Hands" (Worship
Book)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory:"Let Us Break Bread Together" Johnson

Doxology #551

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

Gospel Lesson: Luke 2:21-40

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

*Hymn:"As With Gladness Men of Old" #123

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 Apostles 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: "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne"
#126

Postlude: "Christ the Lamb of God" - Bach

*Congregation stands

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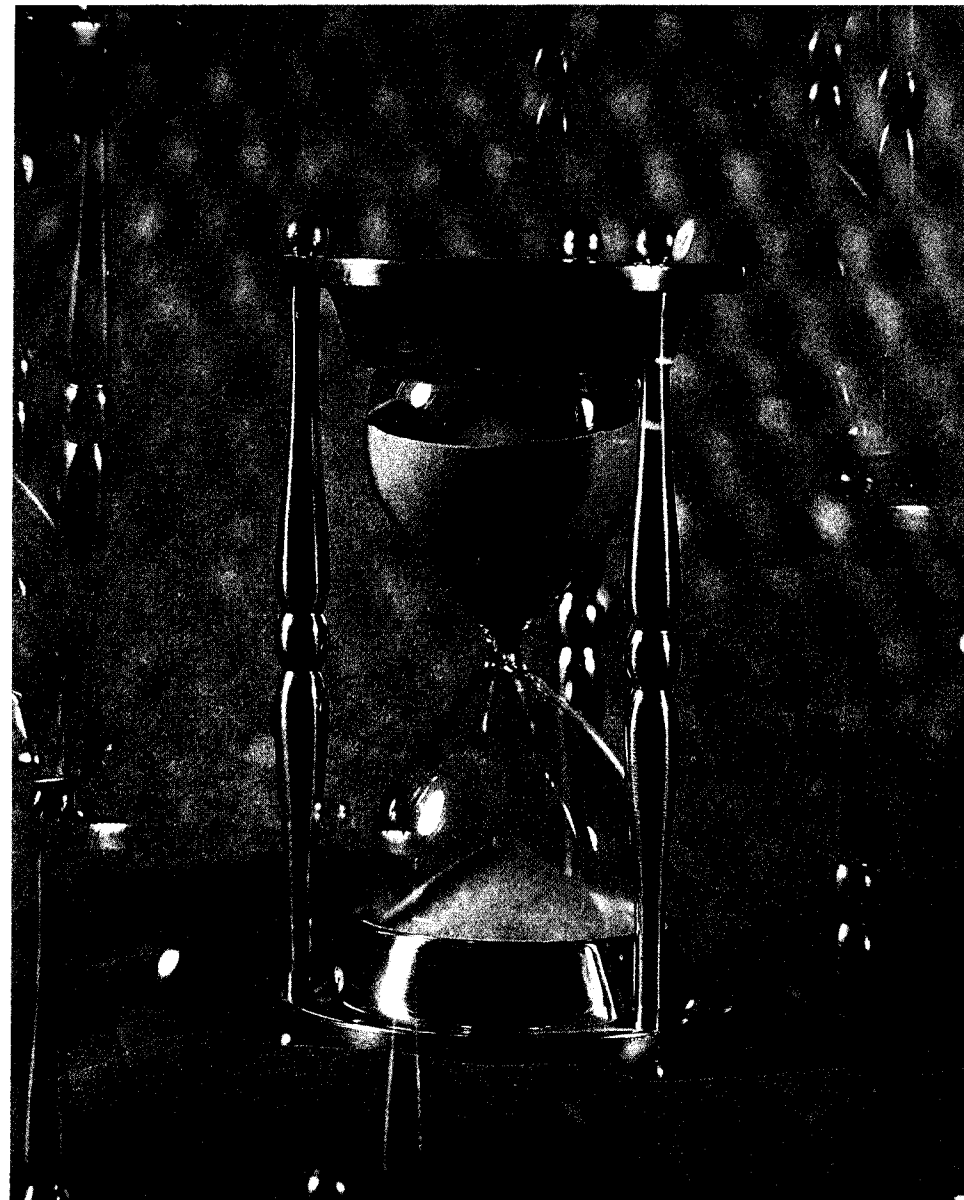
REMEMBER THE CHURCH IN YOUR WILL

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.

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*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

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SECOND SUNDAY IN EPIPHANY - FAITH IS ALIVE

JANUARY 10, 1999 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart"
arr. Johnson

***Processional Hymn:**"Light of the World, We Hail
Thee" #124

***Solemn Declaration** #482
(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:

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

10:30 a.m.

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

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

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory:"Dedication" - Dressler

Doxology

#551

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

Gospel Lesson: II Kings 1:1-8, Mark 1:1-15

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

***Hymn:**"Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart"
#193

SERMON: REPENT AND BELIEVE THE GOOD NEWS!

"There was a man named John the Baptist and
here is his message. Repent for the kingdom
of heaven is right at hand. Man can not live
by bread alone but by every word that comes
from the mouth of God....Repent and believe
the Good News"

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30)

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

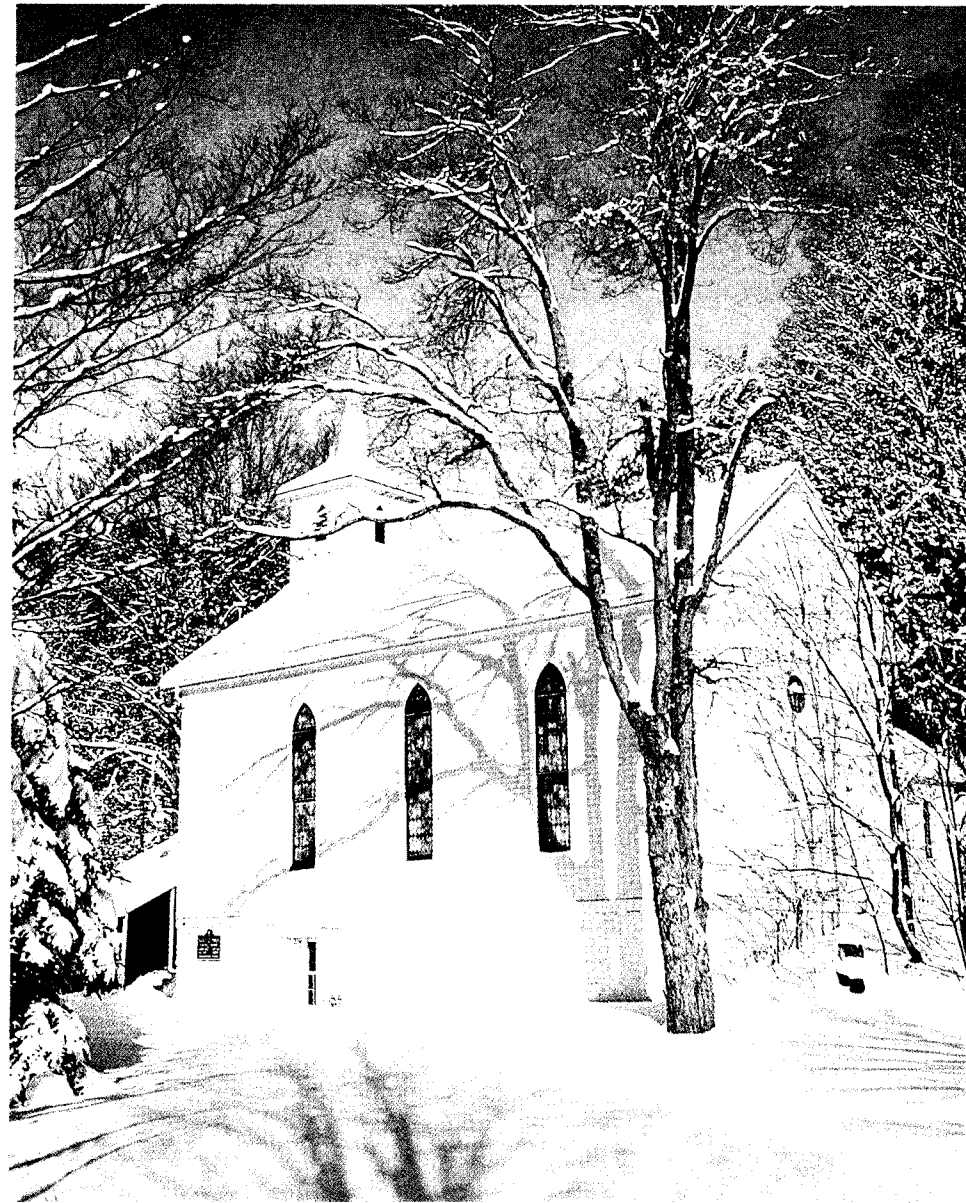
Postlude: "To Jordan Came Our Lord the Christ"
Bach

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Then answered Jesus and said unto them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, The Son can do nothing of himself, but what he seeth the Father do: for what things soever he doeth, these also doeth the Son likewise.

John 5:19

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THIRD SUNDAY IN EPIPHANY - FAITH IS ALIVE

JANUARY 17, 1999 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)

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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. Duet: Dolores Canoles and
Darlene Waters

10:30 a.m. "In His Presence" Senior Choir
Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "Crown Him With Many Crowns" #176

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Three Times I Asked Him"
Dolores Canoles

Doxology #551

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

Gospel Lesson: Luke 15:11-32 (10:30 a.m.)
Deuteronomy 6:1-7 (8:00 a.m.)

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

*Hymn: "My Faith Looks Up To Thee" #221

SERMON: JESUS REINSTATES US (8:00 a.m.)

SERMON: VELVET GLOVES OR BRASS KNUCKLES!

"I will get up and go to my Father, and I will
say to him, Father I have sinned against heaven
and before you, I am no longer worthy to be
called your son; treat me like one of your hired
hands.....But the Father said to his slaves
quickly bring out a robe- the best one- and put
it on him; put a ring on his finger and sandals
on his feet. And get the fatted calf and kill it,
and let us eat and celebrate for this son of mine
was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is
found!" (Luke 15:18-24)

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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: "Onward Christian Soldiers"**
#292

Postlude: "Toccatà In C" - Bach

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And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away.

Revelation 21:4

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January 24, 1999

8:00-10:30 AM

Prelude:"Beautiful Saviour" - Johnson

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

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

#482

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Praise (Responsively):

Leader: O Lord, open my lips

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Your Praise

*Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492

(You may be seated)

Special Music

8:00am "His Name Is Wonderful"

Jackie Bond, Florence and Robert Gundlach

10:30am "Hark, Hark My Soul"

Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn:"I Need Thee Every Hour" #469

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Adagio" - Merkel

Doxology

#551

(You may be seated)

Scripture:Joshua 1:6-9

Pastor: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks Be to God!

Hymn:"Praise Ye The Father" #14

SERMON:BE STRONG AND OF GOOD COURAGE!

"No one shall be able to stand against you
all the days of your life. As with Moses,
so I will be with you:I will not fail you or
forsake you. Be strong and courageous; for you
shall put this people in possession of the land
that I swore to their oppressors to give them."
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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: "God of Grace and God of Glory" - Page

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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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January 31, 1999 8:00-10:30 AM
Prelude: "My Faith Looks Up To Thee" - DeCou
*Processional Hymn:"Faith of Our Fathers" #282

*Solemn Declaration #482
(you may be seated)

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Special Music

8:00am "Softly and Tenderly"

Florence Gundlach, Gloria and Chuch Rohlfing
10:30am "As the Deer"

Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn:"He Who Would Valiant Be" #296

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory:"My Faith Has Found A Resting Place"

DeCou

Doxology

#551

(You may be seated)

Scripture: Hebrews 11-12:2

Pasto: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks Be to God

Hymn:"Jerusalem the Golden" #422

SERMON:LAST DAYS OF THE CHURCH!

"Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great
a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every
weight and the sin that clings so closely, and
run with perserverance the race that is set
before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and
perfector of our faith who for the sake of the
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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: "My Faith Looks Up To Thee"
#221

Postlude: "Postlude in G" - Bach
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126TH ANNIVERSARY YEAR
HOLY COMMUNION - FAITH IS ALIVE

February 7, 1999 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Open My Eyes That I May See" - DeCou

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

*Solemn Declaration 482
(you may be seated)

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Special Music:

7:45 a.m. "What A Day That Will Be"

Paul Bauersfeld, Jackie Bond
Florence and Robert Gundlach

10:30 a.m. "Jesu, Word of God Incarnate"
Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

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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" - Bender
Doxology #551

(you may be seated)

Scripture: Acts 9:1-22 (10:30 a.m.)

Mark 5:21-43 (7:45 a.m.)

(Pastor) The Word of the Lord!

(People) Thanks Be to God!

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

SERMON: JOURNEY IN FAITH! (10:30 am)

Pastor Armstrong, preaching

THE COMPASSION OF JESUS! (7:45 am)

Minister Joyce Davis, preaching

"..suddenly a light from heaven flashed
around him. He fell to the ground and heard a
voice saying to him, "Saul, Saul, why do you
persecute me?" (Acts 9:3-4)

***Let us stand and say the Apostles 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: "God of Grace and God of Glory" - Page

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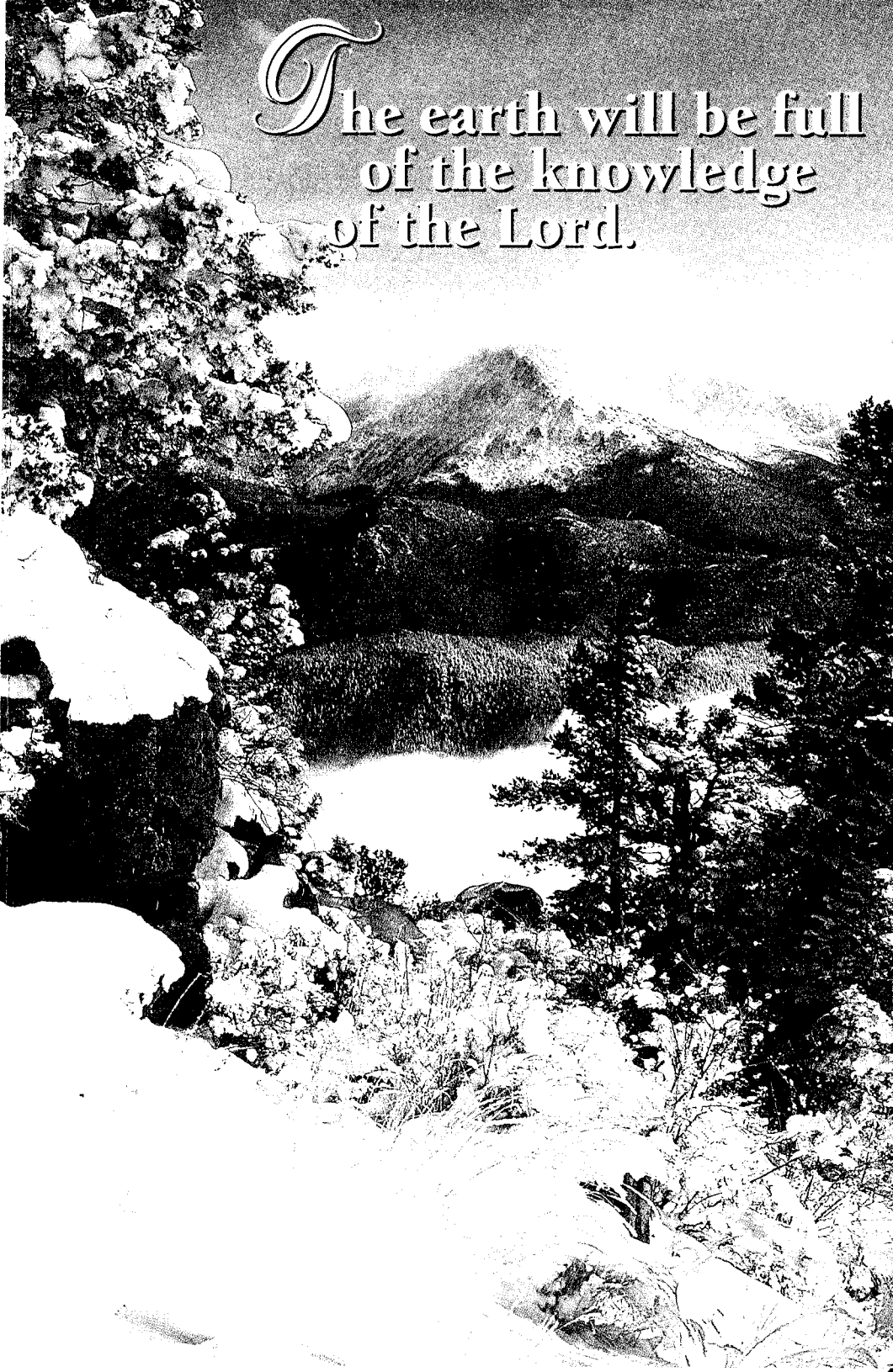
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FAITH IS ALIVE!

February 14, 1999

8:00-10:30 AM

Prelude:"My Faith Looks Up To Thee" - Innes

*Processional Hymn:"Our God, Our Help In Ages
Past" #63

*Solemn Declaration #482
(you may be seated)

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(Matt 22: 34-40)

AMEN

Kyrie

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Praise (Responsively):

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People: And my mouth shall show forth
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*Gloria Patri (the people stand) #492
(You may be seated)

Special Music

8:00am "All That Thrills My Soul"

Solo - George Finnerty

10:30am "Have You Been To Calvary"
Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn:"My Faith Looks Up To Thee" #221

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory:"My Faith Has Found A Resting Place"
Johnson

Doxology #551
(You may be seated)

Scripture: Acts 9:1-22

Pastor: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks Be to God

Hymn:"Jesus, I Live To Thee" #254

SERMON:JOURNEY IN FAITH!

"...suddenly a light from heaven flashed around
him. He fell to the ground and heard a voice
saying to him, "Saul, Saul, why do you persecute
me". (Acts 9:3-4)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30AM)

Let us stand and confess our faith as we recite
the Apostles Creed (found on page 6 of your
hymnal

Pastoral Prayer

Benediction:

Recessional Hymn: "America, The Beautiful" #443

Postlude: "Fanfare on America" - Koulroy

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May God continue
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ASH WEDNESDAY

February 17, 1999

7:30PM

Prelude: "O Sacred Head Now Wounded"

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

*Solemn Declaration 482
(you may be seated)

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

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Offertory:
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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:
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)

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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February 21, 1999

8:00-10:30 AM

Prelude:"I Believe In Miracles" - Johnson

*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
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Special Music

8:00am "Have You Been To Calvary"

Senior Choir

10:30am "It Is Well With My Soul"

Dolores Canoles and Will Myrick, Jr.

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: 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:"Come Gentle Death" - Bach

Doxology

#551

(You may be seated)

Scripture:John 14:1-14 (10:30 a.m.)

Matthew 4:1-11 (8:00 a.m.)

Pastor: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks Be to God

Hymn:"Let There Be Peace On Earth" (See Insert)

SERMON:DO YOU BELIEVE IN MIRACLES? (10:30 a.m.)

TEMPTATION OF JESUS (8:00 a.m.)

"Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the
truth and the life. No one comes to the
Father except through me. If you know me, you
will know my Father also. From now on you do
know him and have seen him."

John 14:5-7

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Pastoral Prayer

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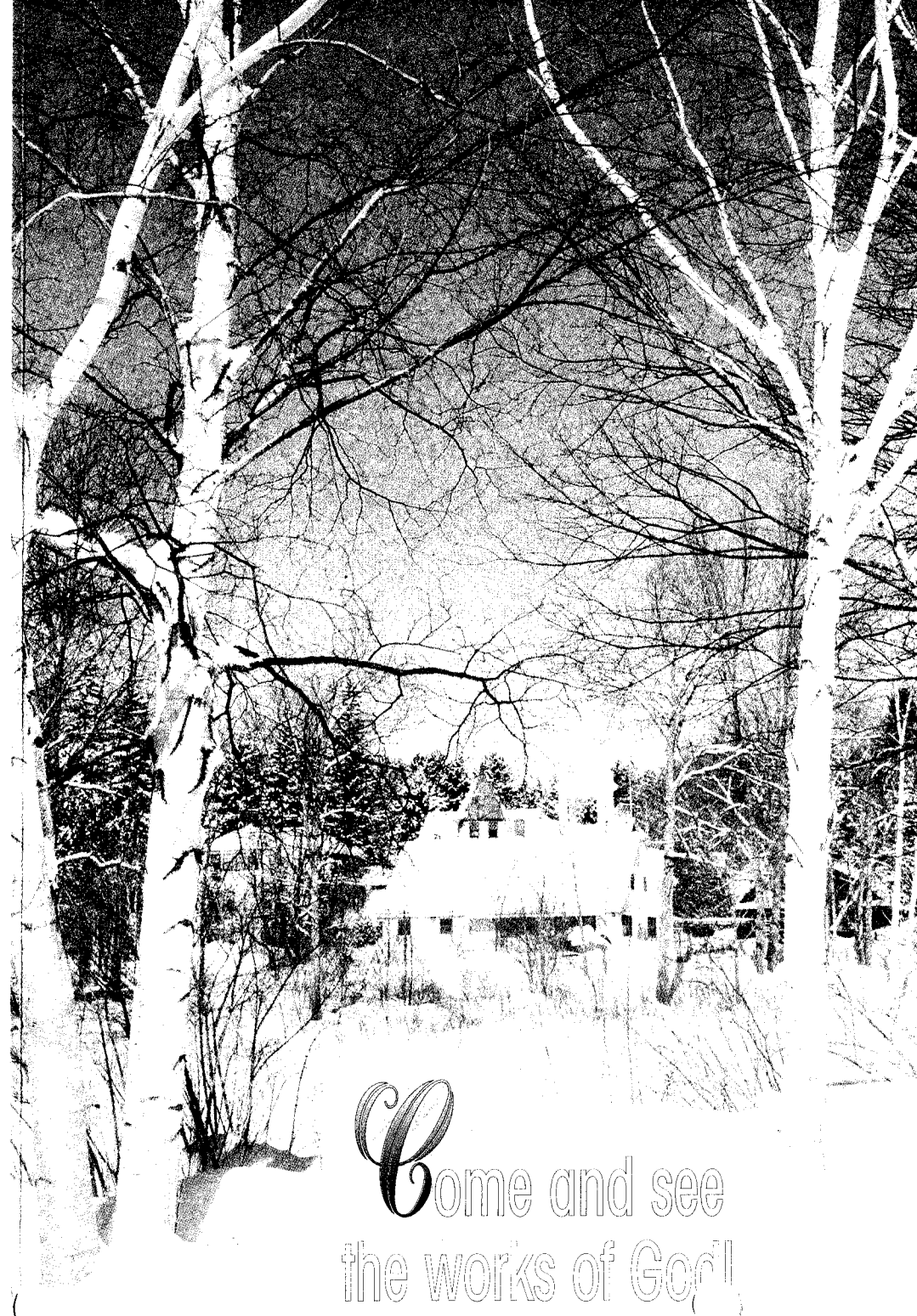
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Postlude: "O Saviour Blest" - Bach

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**AMAZING GRACE - BIBLE STUDY, PRAYER, AND HEALING
JOURNEY IN FAITH
LENTEN SERIES 7:30PM**

Prelude: Old Fashioned Hymn Sing
***Solemn Declaration 482**
(you may be seated)

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WITNESSES TO THE JOURNEY
People who share experience with the journey

***Hymn:** (vs. 1&2 only)

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Offering
Offertory:
Doxology #551

***Scripture Lesson:** (See Insert)
(L) The Word of the Lord
(P) Thanks Be to God

JOURNEY IN FAITH: (See Insert)

Hymn:

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

***Those who wish to stay for coffee and
conversation with our guest clergy may join us
in Friendship Hall immediately after the service.**

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

Closing Hymn: Amazing Grace (insert)

Postlude: (See Insert)
***Congregation Stands**

DRAMATIZATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER



On Wednesday of Holy Week, March 31, 1999 at 8:00 p.m. we will present the 48th Anniversary of the Lord's Supper here at United Evangelical Church of Christ. This dramatization of the Lord's Supper is presented in memory of Dr. Titus Lehmann and Mr. & Mrs. Albert H. and Ann Witzke who faithfully directed this drama for 27 years. We ask that you and your family and if possible your friends and neighbors attend. The dramatization is directed by Mrs. Darlene E. Waters.

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February 28, 1999

8:00-10:30 AM

Prelude:"When I Survey The Wondrous Cross"
Innes

***Processional Hymn:"We Praise Thee, O God" #19**

***Solemn Declaration #482**
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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)

Special Music

8:00am "Angels Among Us"

Tiffanie Nowakowski and Gloria Rohlfing

10:30am "From A Distance"

Senior Choir Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn:"Nearer, My God To Thee" #318

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory:"My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"
Jones

Doxology #551
(You may be seated)

Scripture:Romans 8:28-39

Pastor: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks Be to God

Hymn:"My Hope is Built on Nothing Less"
(See Insert)

SERMON:JOURNEY IN FAITH! - HOPE

**"We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose."
Romans 8:28**

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

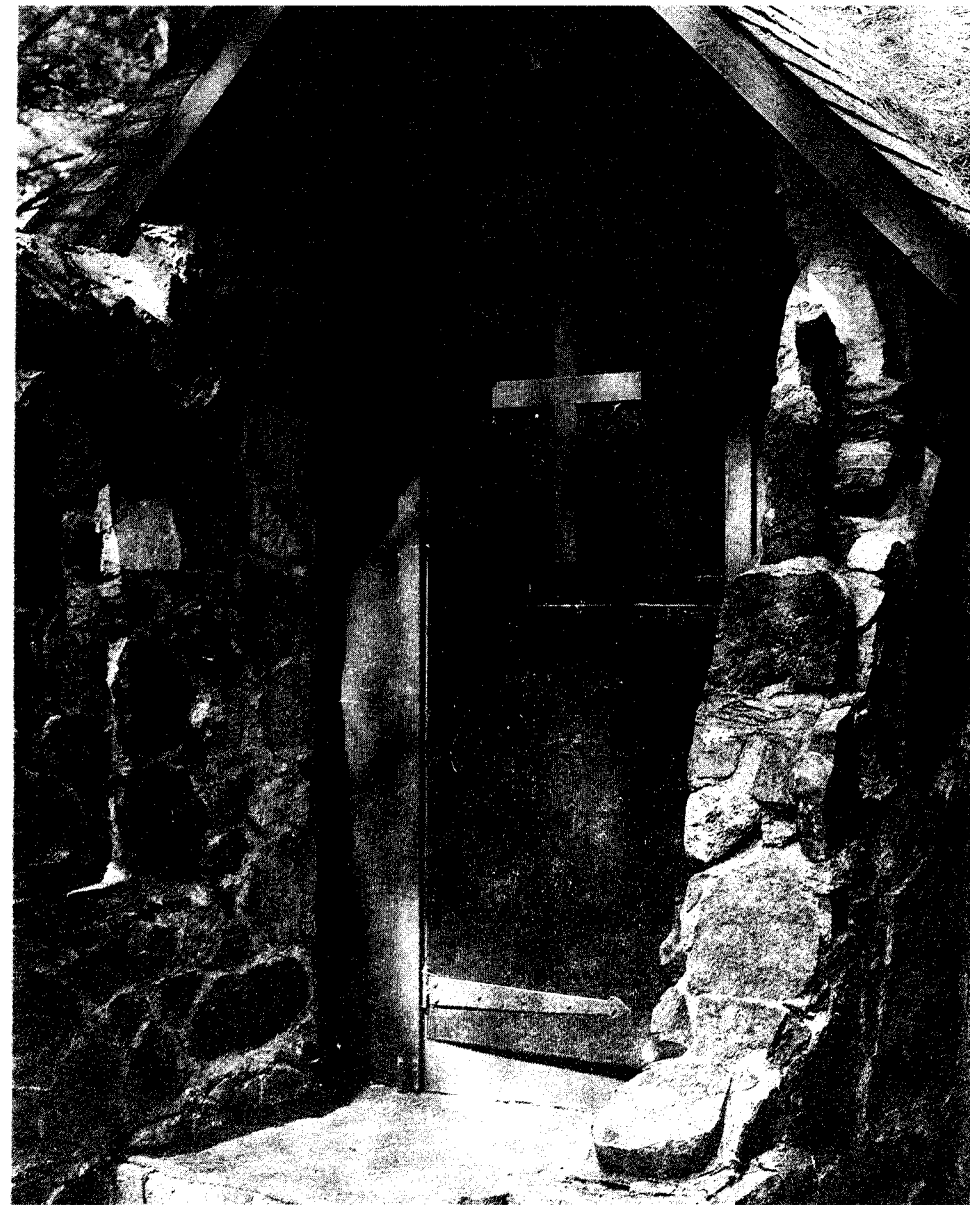
Postlude: "Rondo in G" - Bull

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I am the door: by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved, and shall go in and out, and find pasture.

John 10:9

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126TH ANNIVERSARY YEAR
HOLY COMMUNION - FAITH IS ALIVE
March 7, 1999 7:45 & 10:30 AM
Prelude:"Jesu, Word of God Incarnate" Mozart
*Processional Hymn:"This Is my Father's World"
#65

*Solemn Declaration 482
(you may be seated)

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

Special Music:

7:45 a.m."Don't Overlook Salvation"
Darlene Waters

10:30 a.m."O Divine Redeemer"
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:"Let Us Break Bread Together"
Johnson

Doxology #551

(you may be seated)

Scripture:(7:45am)John 3:1-17

(10:30am)Genesis 1:1-5;26-28

(Pastor) The Word of the Lord!

(People) Thanks Be to God!

*Hymn:"Alas! and did My Saviour Bleed" #153

SERMON:(7:45am)"Jesus Teaches Nicodemus"
Minister Joyce Davis, Preaching
(10:30am "In the Beginning.."
Pastor Armstong, Preaching

"..In the beginning God created the heavens
and the earth..." (Genesis 1:1)

***Let us stand and say the Apostles 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: "Are Ye Able, Said the Master"**
(front cover of Hymnal)

Words by Earl Marlatt, Music by Harry Mason

Postlude: "Christ the Lamb of God" - Bach

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March 14, 1999

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Prelude:"When I Survey The Wondrous Cross"

Johnson

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

*Solemn Declaration
(you may be seated)

#482

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Special Music

8:00am "I Love To Tell The Story"

Margaret and Willoughby Myrick

10:30am "God So Loved The World"

Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

Hymn:"The God of Abraham Praise" #61

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory:"The God of Abraham Paraise" - Innes

Doxology

#551

(You may be seated)

Scripture:Exodus 24:12-18; 25:1-2,8-9

Pastor: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks Be to God

Hymn:"Go Up To The Mountain" (See Insert)

SERMON:LIVING WITH THE PRESENCE!

"Therefore Jesus suffered also outside
the city gates in order to sanctify people
with his own blood. Let us go to him
outside the camp and bear the abuse that
he endured." Hebrews 13:12-13

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

Postlude: "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" - Young

***Congregation stands**

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But my people would not hearken to my voice; and Israel would none of me. So I gave them up unto their own hearts' lust: and they walked in their own counsels. Oh that my people had hearkened unto me, and Israel had walked in my ways!

Psalm 81:11-13

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FAITH IS ALIVE!

March 21, 1999 8:00-10:30 AM

Prelude:"Beneath the Cross of Jesus"

Johnson

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

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

8:00am "God So Loved the World"

Senior Choir

10:30am "It Is Well With My Soul"

Dolores Canoles and Willoughby Myrick, Jr.

Collect

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General Prayer

***Hymn:"When I Survey the Wounddrous Cross"**

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory:"When I Survey the Woudrous Cross"

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Doxology

#551

(You may be seated)

Scripture:I Cor 15:12-28

Pastor: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks Be to God

***Hymn:"In the Cross of Christ I Glory" #158**

SERMON:THE CROSS,RESURRECTION, & THE NEW LIFE!

"Now if Christ is proclaimed as raised from the
dead, how can some of you say there is no
resurrection from the dead? If there is no
resurrection from the dead, then Christ has not
been raised, then our proclamation has been in
vain and your faith has been in vain." (I Cor
15:12-14)

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 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)

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

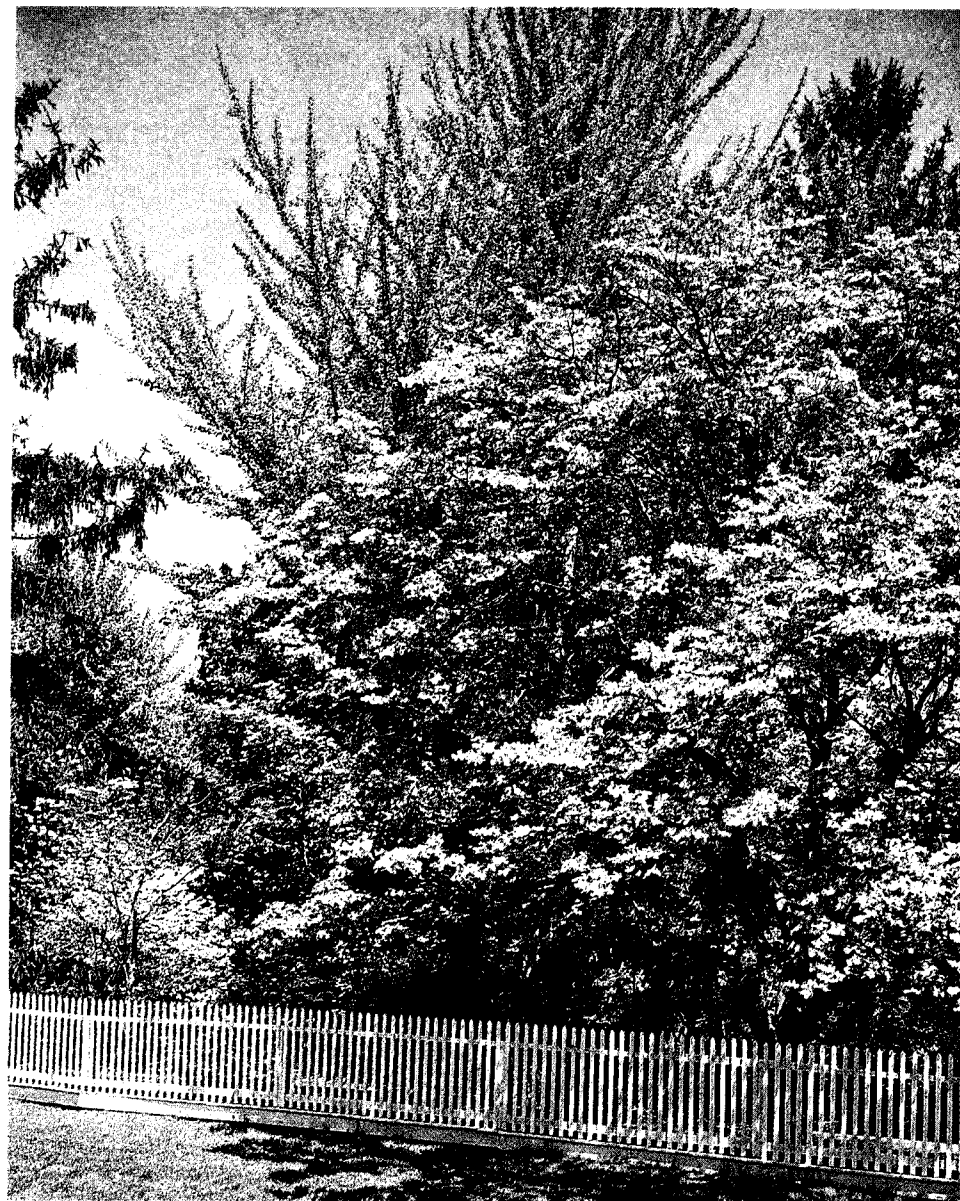
Postlude: "Now Thank We All Our God" Karg-Elert

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...ye have not, because ye ask not.

James 4:2

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**AMAZING GRACE - BIBLE STUDY, PRAYER, AND HEALING
JOURNEY IN FAITH
LENTEN SERIES 7:30PM**

Prelude: Old Fashioned Hymn Sing

***Solemn Declaration 482**
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WITNESSES TO THE JOURNEY
People who share experience with the journey

***Hymn:** (vs. 1&2 only)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory:

Doxology #551

***Scripture Lesson:** (See Insert)

(L) The Word of the Lord

(P) Thanks Be to God

JOURNEY IN FAITH: (See Insert)

Hymn:

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

***Those who wish to stay for coffee and conversation with our guest clergy may join us in Friendship Hall immediately after the service.**

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

Closing Hymn: Amazing Grace (insert)

Postlude: (See Insert)

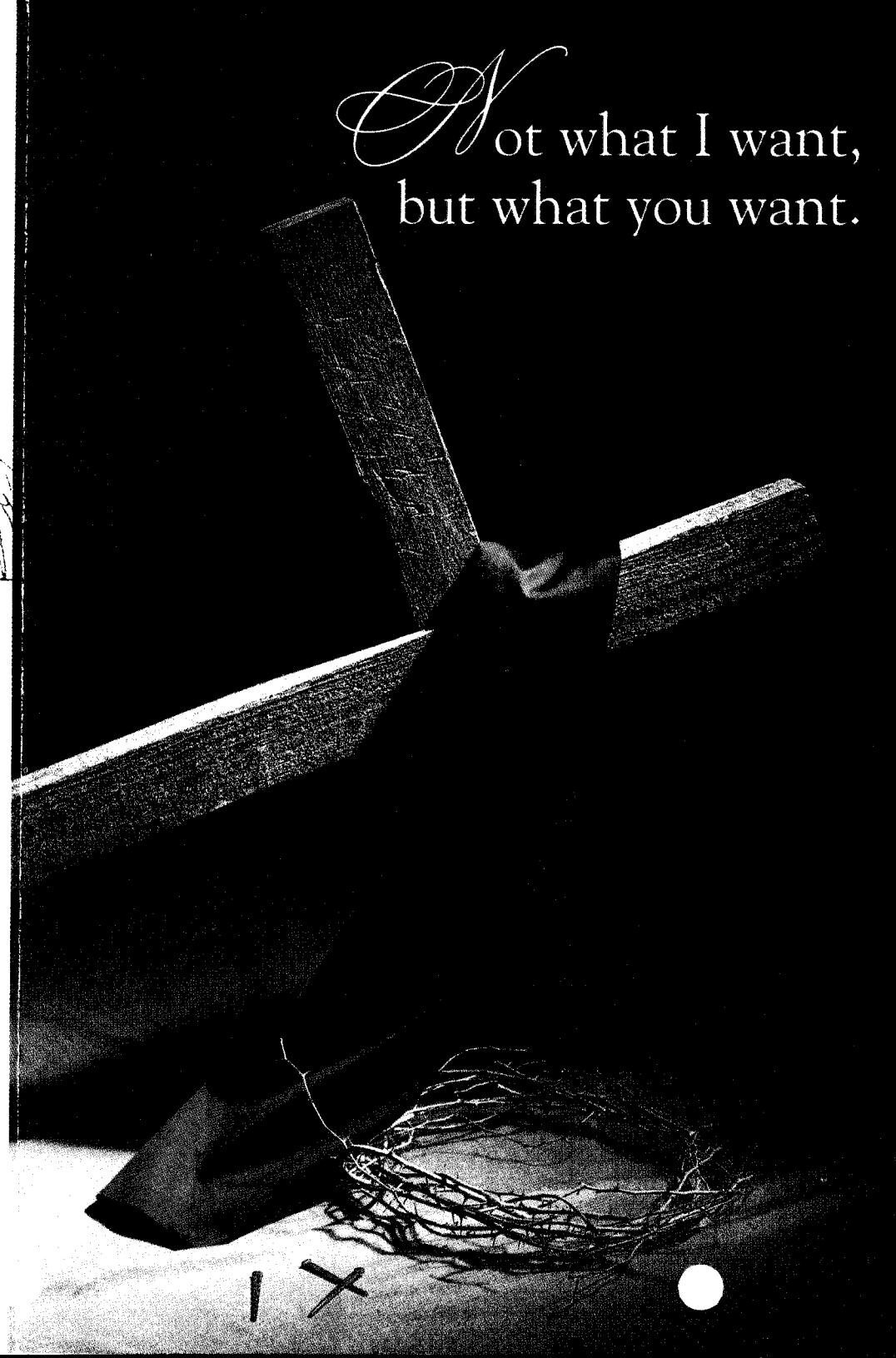
***Congregation Stands**

DRAMATIZATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER



On Wednesday of Holy Week, March 31, 1999 at 8:00 p.m. we will present the 48th Anniversary of the Lord's Supper here at United Evangelical Church of Christ. This dramatization of the Lord's Supper is presented in memory of Dr. Titus Lehmann and Mr. & Mrs. Albert H. and Ann Witzke who faithfully directed this drama for 27 years. We ask that you and your family and if possible your friends and neighbors attend. The dramatization is directed by Mrs. Darlene E. Waters.

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126TH ANNIVERSARY YEAR
HOLY COMMUNION - MEN'S BREAKFAST

March 27, 1999 **8:30 AM**

Prelude: "Jesu, Word of God Incarnate" Mozart

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

***Solemn Declaration** **482**

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Special Music: Solo Dolores Canoles

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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"

Johnson

Doxology #551

(you may be seated)

***Hymn: "Alas! and did My Saviour Bleed" #153**

***Let us stand and say the Apostles 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: "Are Ye Able, Said the Master"**
(front cover of Hymnal)

Words by Earl Marlatt, Music by Harry Mason

Postlude: "Christ the Lamb of God" - Bach

***Congregation stands**

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REMEMBER THE CHURCH IN YOUR WILL

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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 royal 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

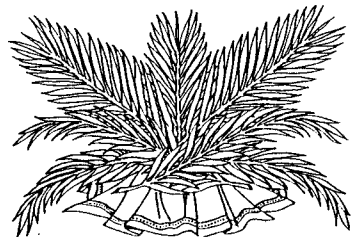
READING: MATTHEW 21:1 - 11

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.
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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 fierce 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 & mercy, the heavenly kingdom comes.

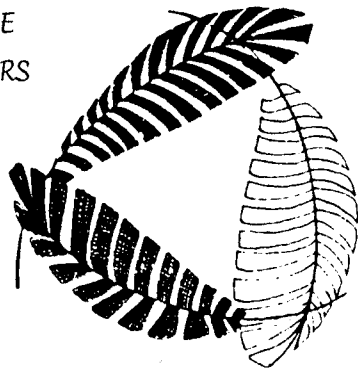
Lead on, O King eternal, we follow, not with fears;
For gladness breaks like morning where'er thy face appears
Thy cross is lifted o'er us we journey in it's light
The crown awaits thy conquest, lead on O God of Might.



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PALM SUNDAY -RITE OF CONFIRMATION

March 28, 1997

8:AM & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"Ride on in Majesty" - Broughton

***Processional Hymn:"The Palms" (See Insert)**

***Solemn Declaration 482**
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Solo - Dolores Canoles

10:30 a.m. "On the Way to Jerusalem"

Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: 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**

(You may be seated)

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

***Gospel Lesson:** John 12:12-33

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

***Hymn:"Ride On! Ride On In Majesty" #133**

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
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*Recessional Hymn: "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" #136

Postlude: "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" - Innes
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*They took
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John 12:13

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WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK - TABLEAU

March 30, 1999 8:00PM

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

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

*Solemn Declaration 482

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Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

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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

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Please sign Attendance Card and place it on the
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This presentation marks the 47th anniversary of
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CAST

BARTHOLOMEW	Deacon Max Hoffman
JAMES THE LESS	Paul Bauersfeld
ANDREW	Stephen Jackson
JUDAS	William Meyers
PETER	Willoughby Myrick ,Jr.
JOHN	Ric Nyborg
THOMAS	Robert Danneman
JAMES THE GREAT	George Williar
PHILIP	Charles Rohlfing
MATTHEW	Calvin Gundlach
THADDEUS	David L. Jones
SIMON	William Single, III
NARRATOR	William Raddatz, Jr.
VOICE	Richard Single

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MAUNDAY THURSDAY - HOLY COMMUNION
SERVICE OF TENEBRAE

April 1, 1999 7:30PM

Prelude: "Ah, Holy Jesus" Middlesworth

*ProceSSIONAL Hymn: "O Saccred Head Now
Wounded" #142 (Verses 1 and 2)

*Solemn Declaration 482
(you may be seated)

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*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**

*Hymn: "When I Survey The Wondrous Cross"
#158

Rev. Roy Joellenbeck is officiating at
this Worship Service and will be assisted
by Rev. Nick MacDonald Chaplain of
Church Home and Hospital.

ORDER OF TENEBRAE READERS ARE:

READER ONE - William Single, III

READER TWO - RIC NYBORG

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(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)

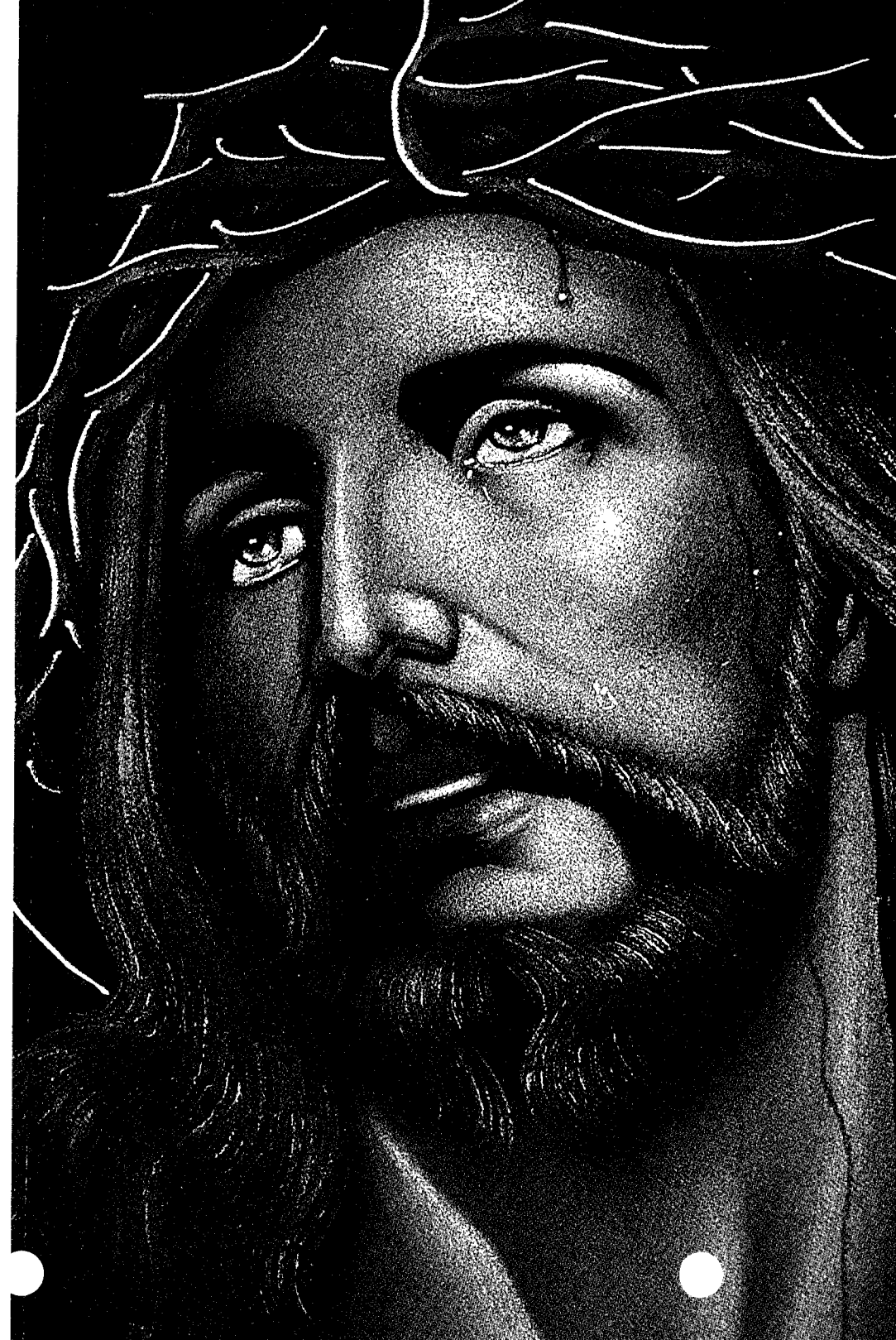
Postlude: (see order for Tenebrae)

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GOOD FRIDAY HOLY COMMUNION

April 2, 1999

9:00AM

Prelude: "Were You There" - Middlesworth

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

*Solemn Declaration 482
(you may be seated)

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call
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your son Jesus Christ, have mercy upon us and
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(Matt 23:34-40)

AMEN

Kyrie

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Praise (Responsively):

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*Gloria Patri (the people stand)

Special Music: "Have Your Been To Calvary"
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-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: Luke 23:32-43

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

SERMON: LORD, REMEMBER ME.

"Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you
come into your kingdom." Luke 23:42

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

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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 Order of Worship in your bulletin)

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pastoral Prayer

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

***Recessional Hymn: "There is a Green Hill" 149**

Postlude: "Rest in Peace" Bach

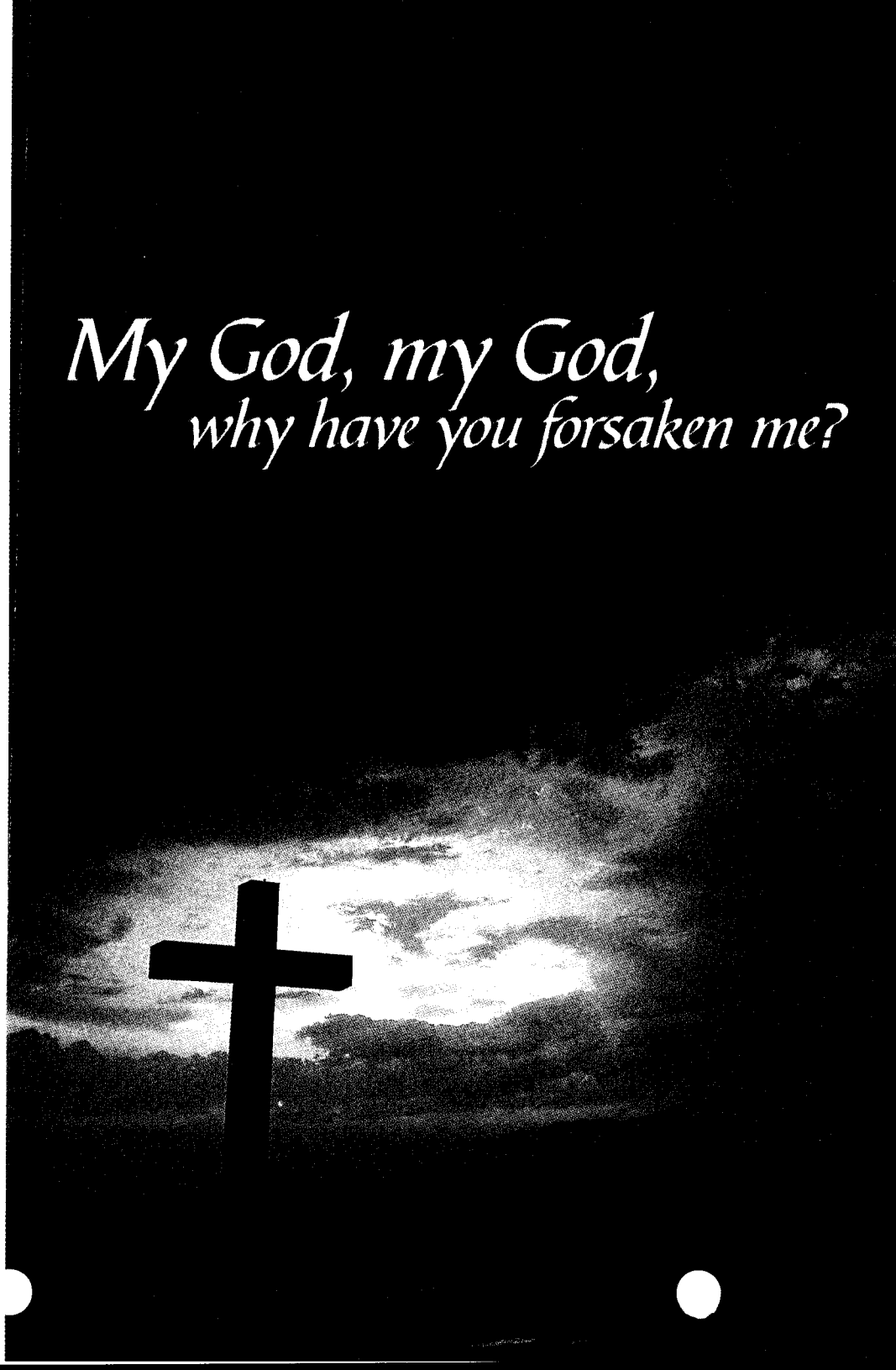
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*My God, my God,
why have you forsaken me?*



Community Good Friday Service

Second Congregational Church - Harbor Christian Fellowship

April 2, 1999

We want to extend a warm welcome to you this day. In our Service on this Holy Day, we worship, praise and thank our God for the priceless treasure of the gift of His own Son, Jesus Christ, Our Lord and Redeemer.

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 Canton/Highlandtown are able to put our faith into action and help the poor and needy.

The Order of Worship

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

Words of Welcome Rev. Bradford Heil
Second Congregational Church - HCF

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

Rev. William George
Patterson Park Baptist Church
No. 224

*Hymn: "When I Survey The Wondrous Cross"
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

William (Bill) Stivers
Port Mission
No. 407

*Hymn: "Beneath the Cross of Jesus"
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

Rev. Roy Joellenbeck
United Evangelical Church
No. 222

*Hymn: "There Is A Green Hill Far Away"
Interlude

*People Standing

The Fourth Word – Of Anguish (1:25 PM)

"My God, My God, Why Hast Thou Forsaken Me?" (Matthew 27:46)

Lesson: Matthew 27:38-46
Prayer
Sermon

George F. Schafer
Epiphany Lutheran Church
No. 227

*Hymn: "At the Cross"
Interlude

The Fifth Word – Of Suffering (1:50 PM)

"I Thirst." (John 19:28)

Lesson: John 19:28-29
Prayer
Sermon

Robert Gaines
Prison Fellowship Ministries
No. 403

*Hymn: "Near the Cross"
Interlude

The Sixth Word – Of Victory (2:15 PM)

"It Is Finished." (John 19:30)

Lesson: John 19:30-37
Prayer
Sermon

Rev. Paul Warren
Abbott Memorial Presbyterian Church
No. 554

*Hymn: "The Old Rugged Cross"
Interlude

The Seventh Word – Of Contentment (2:35 PM)

"Father, Into Thy Hands I Commend My Spirit" (Luke 23:46)

Lesson: Luke 23:44-49
Prayer
Sermon

Rev. Bradford Heil
Second Congregational Church - HCF
No. 356

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

Closing

Presiding
Benediction
Postlude: "Rest In Peace"

Rev. Bradford Heil

Bach

*People Standing

Our organist today is Robert Gundlach from United Evangelical Church. Our ushers will direct you to your seat. Please feel free to change seats or leave the sanctuary during the hymns between each word.

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EASTER SUNDAY - HOLY COMMUNION

April, 4, 1999 6:00AM & 10:00 AM

Prelude:"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 482

(you may be seated)

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

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Praise (Responsively):

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People: And my mouth shall show forth Your
Praise

*Gloria Patri (the people stand)

Special Music

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

Solo - Dolores Canoles

10:00 A.M."Easter Song"

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" (see
Worship Book - verses 1 & 2)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Christ Arose"

Solo - Dolores Canoles

*Doxology

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

*Scripture: Acts 10:34-43 (6:00 a.m.)

Colossians 3:1-14 (6:00 a.m.)

*Gospel Lesson:John 20:1-31 (6:00 a.m.)

Mark 16:1-20 (10:00 a.m.)

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

*Hymn:"Alleluia, Christ Has Risen Today" #174

SERMON: "STRANGE AND WONDERFUL" (6:00 a.m.)

"HERE AND ALWAYS PRESENT"(10:00 a.m.)

But go, tell his disciples and Peter that
he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there
you will see him, just as he told you." So
you went out and fled from the tomb, for
terror and amazement had seized them; and
they said nothing to anyone, for they
were afraid. Mark 16:7-8

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

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Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (see Order of
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Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pastoral Prayer

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

***Recessional Hymn: "The Day of Resurrection"**
#165

Postlude: "Christ The Lord Is Risen Today"
Innes

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April 11, 1999 8:00-10:30 AM

Prelude:"Air from Suite in D" - Bach

*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):

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

Special Music

8:00am "The Gift of Love"World"
Senior Choir

10:30am"Until Then"

Florence Gundlach and Lynn Sanders

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn:"O Day of Rest and Gladness"
(See Insert)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory:"Now Thank We All Our God" - Bach

Doxology #551
(You may be seated)

Scripture: John 20:19-31 (8:00 a.m.)
John 15: 7-17 (10:30 a.m.)

Pastor: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks Be to God

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

SERMON: "Peace Be With You" (8:00 a.m.)
Minister Joyce Davis - Preaching
"Staggering Parallel" (10:30 a.m.)
Rev. Roy Joellenbeck - Preaching

"As the Father has loved me, so I Have loved you;
abide in my love."

SACRAMENT OF HOLY 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:** "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" #272

Postlude: "O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go" Jordan

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*Now the God of patience and consolation grant you to be
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Romans 15:5*

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126TH ANNIVERSARY YEAR-FAITH IS ALIVE
THE 50TH CONFIRMATION REUNION - THE CLASS OF 1949

April 18, 1999 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Sheep May Safely Graze" - Bach

***Processional Hymn: "Faith of Our Fathers"**
Confirmation Hymn of 1934

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

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Praise (Responsively):

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

Special Music:

8:00 A.M. "Jesus Lover of My Soul"

Jackie Bond, Dolores Canoles
and Florence Gundlach

10:30 A.M. "With A Voice of Singing"

"The King of Love My Shepherd Is"

Senior Choir
Jim Kimos, Directing

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

***Hymn: "More Love To Thee" #471**

Confirmatin Hymn of 1944

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Fugued" - Handel

***Doxology #551**

(you may be seated)

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

Gospel: Luke 24:13-35

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

Confirmation Class Hymn of 1955

***Hymn: "Take My Life and Let It Be" #253**

SERMON: "GOD DOES CHANGE THINGS"

ROLL CALL OF CONFIRMANDS OF THE VARIOUS PASTORS
RECOGNITION OF OLDEST CONFIRMAND -
WELCOME OF CONFIRMATION CLASS OF 1949 - Pastor
PRESENTATION OF GIFTS BY COUNCIL AND
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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

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***Recessional Hymn: "Onward Christian Soldiers"**
#292

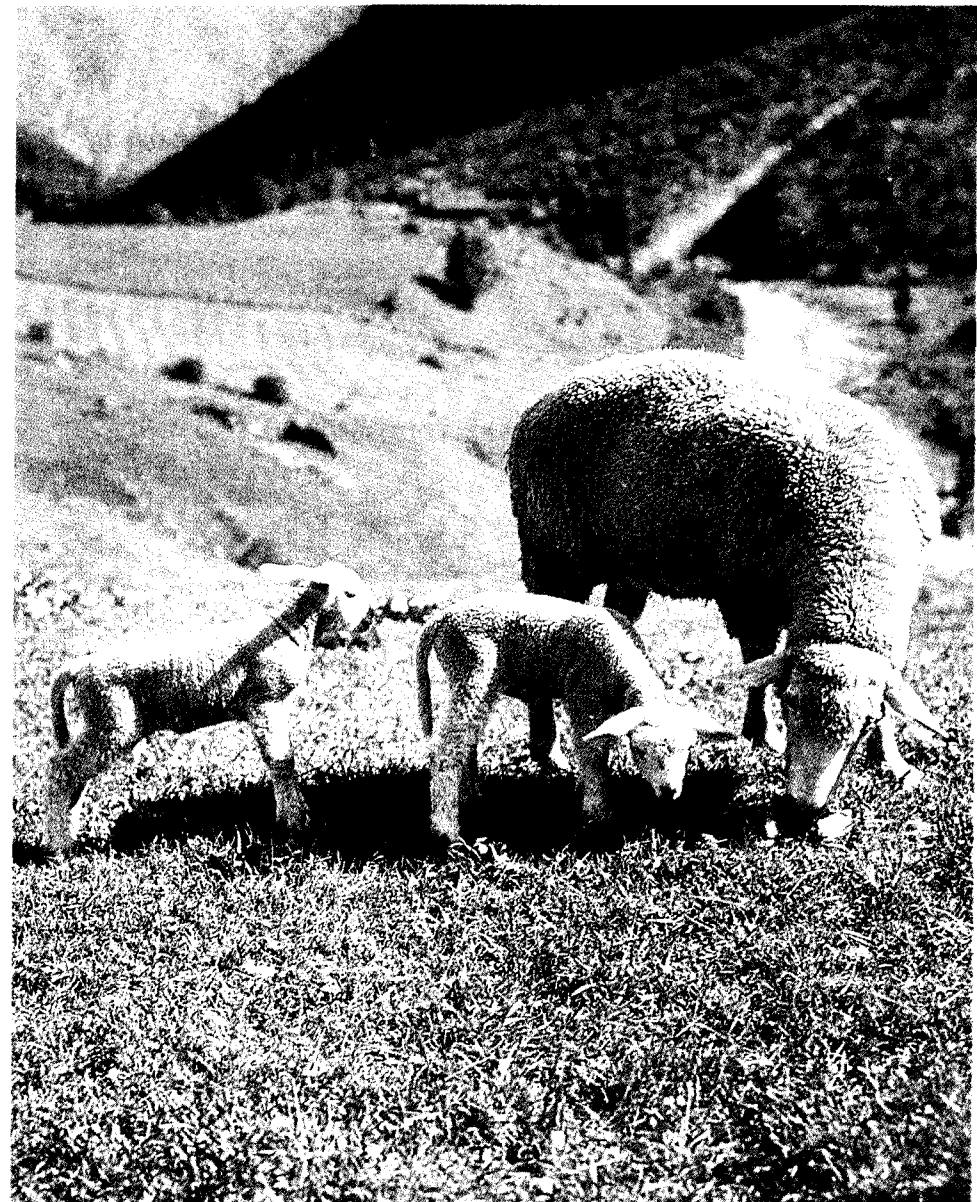
Postlude: "Festival Toccata" - Fletcher

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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

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April 25, 1999 8:00-10:30 AM

Prelude:"Saviour, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"
Johnson

***Processional Hymn:"Our God, Our Help in Ages
Past" #63**

Solemn Declaration #482
(you may be seated)

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10:30am "The Gift of Love"
Senioir Choir
Toni Hines - Flute

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

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Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

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

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory:"Old Hundreth" - Pachelbel

Doxology #551
(You may be seated)

***Scripture: John 10:22-30**

Pastor: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks Be to God

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

SERMON: "THE SHEPHERD - SHEEP AND SALVATION"

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (10:30 a.m.)

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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" #465

Postlude: "Rondo in G" - Bull

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Acts 2:11

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May 2, 1999 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:"Meditation" - Massenet
*Processional Hymn:"Ye Servants of God" #11

*Solemn Declaration 482
(you may be seated)

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Your son Jesus Christ, have mercy upon us and
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(Matt 22: 34-40)

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:

7:45 a.m."Here I Am Lord"

and in Honor of Joyce Davis
"Ev'ry Time I Feel the Spirit"

Senior Choir - Toni Hines, Flute

10:30 a.m."Fill My Cup, Lord" Solo - Jim Kimos
(Words and Music by Richard Blanchard)

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:7:45 "Just A Little Talk With Jesus"

Pam Georgiadis, Florence Gundlach,

Margaret Myrick

10:30 "Interlude" - Stainer

Doxology #551

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

*Gospel Lesson: Matthew 25:32-40 (8:00 a.m.)

Act 6:1-9 (10:30 a.m.)

1st Peter 2:18-25 "

John 10:1-10 "

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

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

SERMON:"PEOPLE OF GOD UNITED REACHING UP AND
REACHING OUT"

Minister Joyce Davis - Preaching

"SUCCESSFUL SERVANT"

Deacon Max Hoffman - Preaching

SACRAMENT OF BAAPTISM - 10:30 a.m.

***Let us stand and say the Apostles 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: "In Peace and Joy I Now Depart" - Bach

***Congregation stands**

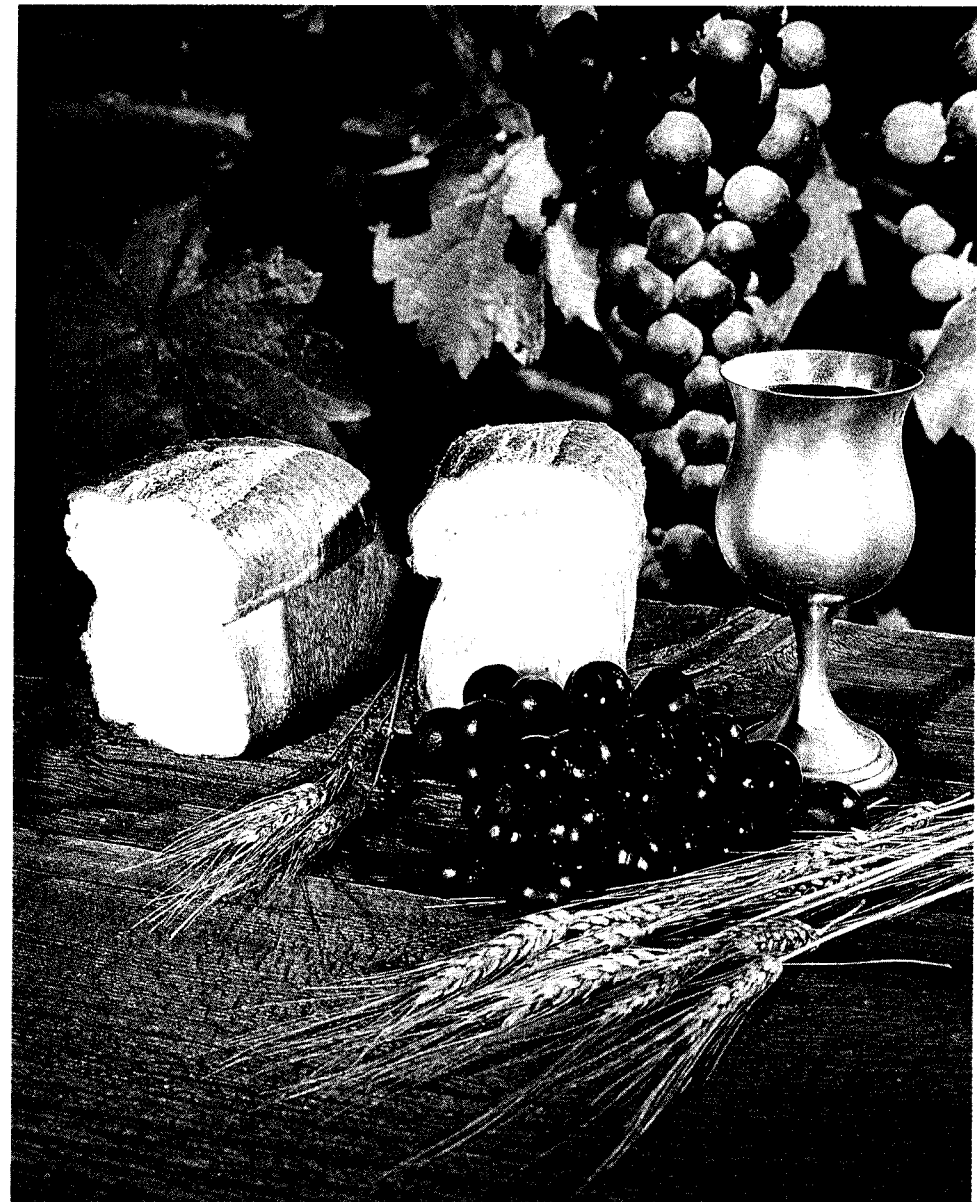
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And Jesus said unto them, I am the bread of life: he that cometh to me shall never hunger; and he that believeth on me shall never thirst.

John 6:35

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HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

May 09, 1999

8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Prayer" - Boelleman

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

*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
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reconciliation (2 Cor 5:19)

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Prayer of Confession (Let us join together in
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against You in thought, word, and deed, by what
we have done and what we have left undone. We
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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:

8:00AM Trio: Dolores Canoles,
Chuck and Gloria Rohlfing

10:30AM "Mother's Prayer"
Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

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

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Offering

Offertory: "O Perfect Love" - Hustad
Doxology #551

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

*Gospel Lesson: 1st Peter 2:4&5, 9&10
Matthew 12:46-50

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

*Hymn: "O Perfect Love" #356

SERMON: "THE FESTIVAL OF CHRISTIAN HOME"

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

***Let us stand and say what we believe:**

This is the Good News which we received, in which we stand, and by which we are saved; that Christ died for our sins according to the Scripture, that He was buried, that he was raised on the third day; and that He appeared 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: "Blest Be The Tie That Binds"**
#280

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

*Congregation stands

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May 16, 1999 8:00-10:30 AM

Prelude: "Prayer" - Boelleman

*Processional Hymn: "God of the Earth, the Sky,
the Sea" #68

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 am "Let There Be Peace On Earth"
Solo - Darlene Waters

10:30am "Give A Cup of Water"
Senioir Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "I Sing the Praise of Love Unbounded"
#17

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Trust In the Lord" - Handel

Doxology #551
(You may be seated)

*Scripture: John 20:1-18

Pastor: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks Be to God

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

SERMON: "ANOTHER EASTER"
Pastor Armstrong - Preaching



**Sing unto the Lord,
all the earth.**

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

Postlude: "Toccata in C" - Bach
Jordan

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PENTECOST SUNDAY
FAITH IS ALIVE

May 23, 1999 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" - Hustad

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

*Solemn Declaration #482
(you may be seated)

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

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into the house of the Lord." (Psalm 122:1)

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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. "Sheltered In The Arms of God"
Paul Bauersfeld, Jackie Bond,
Florence and Robert Gundlach

10:30 a.m. "Glory to the Lamb"
Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "Holy Spirit, Truth Divine" #188

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Holy Spirit. Truth Diving"
Johnson

Doxology #551

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

*Gospel Lesson: 1 Corithians 13

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

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

SERMON: "LOVE IS HERE TO STAY"

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

Postlude: "Come O Spirit, Creator Blest" - Bach

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*But the fruit of the Spirit is ...longsuffering...
Galatians 5:22-23*

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TRINITY SUNDAY
MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND
FAITH IS ALIVE

May 30, 1999 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Holy, Holy, Holy" - Post
*Processional Hymn: "Holy, Holy, Holy" - #1

Solemn Declaration #482
(you may be seated)

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

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into the house of the Lord." (Psalm 122:1)

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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. "God Bless America"

Solo - Baptist Hoffmann

10:30 a.m. "Battle Hymn of the Republic"

Senior Choir

Keyboard - Jennifer Myrick

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "O Perfect Love" - #356

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Statue of Liberty"

Senior Choir

Doxology

#551

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

*Gospel Lesson: 1 Corinthians 11:2-16

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

*Hymn: "God of our Fathers" - #440

SERMON: "ARE YOU THE HEAD OF THE HOUSE?"

HONORING A RETIRING COUNCIL MEMBER

Elizabeth "Bety" Weitzel

INSTALLATION OF NEW COUNCIL MEMBER

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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: "America the Beautiful"**
#443

Postlude: "Postlude on America" - Innes

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But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Corinthians 15:57

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HOLY COMMUNION**

June 6, 1999 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Prelude on Ave Verum" - Mozart

*Processional Hymn: "Holy, Holy, Holy Lord"
#198

*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. "Precious Lord Take My Hand"
Dolores Canoles and Darlene Waters

10:30 a.m. "On Eagles Wings"
Senior Choir

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: "Jesus Calls Us" - Johnson

Doxology #551

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

*Gospel Lesson: 1 Corinthians 2:1-10
Luke 4:16-22

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

*Hymn: "Jesus Calls Us" #207

SERMON:

"AGAIN THE EUCHARIST - THE HOLY THANKSGIVING"

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM - 10:30 a.m.

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

***Call to the Lord's Supper (responsively):**

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord, our God.

Pastor: Let us give thanks unto the Lord.

People: It is right to give God thanks and Praise.

Pastor: You may be seated.

Presentation of the Gifts

Pastor: Receive now the gifts of the Lord

People: The gifts of God for the people of God!

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

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pastoral Prayer

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

***Recessional Hymn: "A Parting Hymn We Sing" #343**

Postlude: "In Peace and Joy I Now Depart" - Bach

***Congregation stands**

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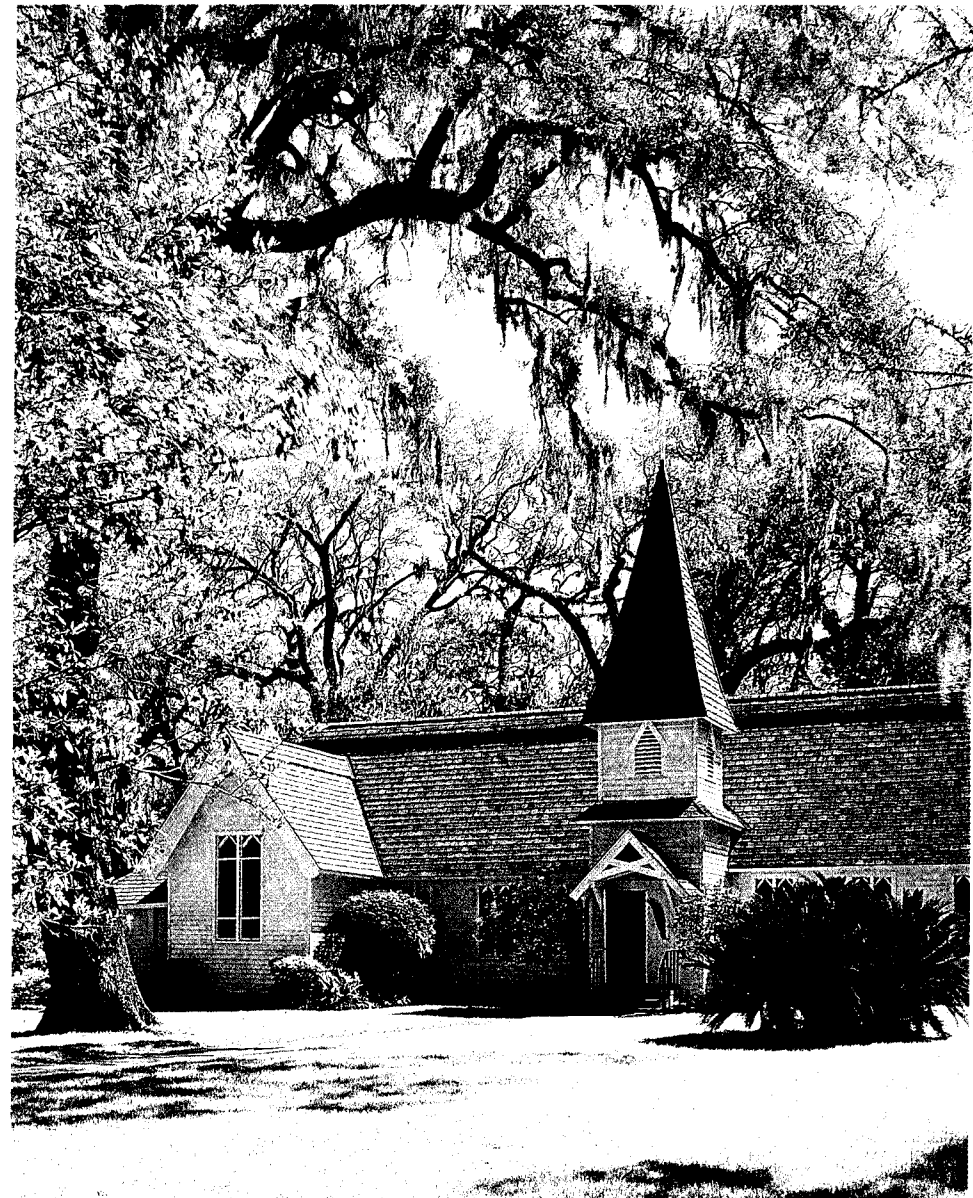
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*And God spake all these words, saying, "I am the Lord thy God...
thou shalt have no other gods before me."
Exodus 20:1-3*

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June 13, 1999 8:00 & 10:30 AM
Prelude: "Meditation" - Massenet
*Processional Hymn: "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore
Thee" #21

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. "It Is Well With My Soul"
Dolores Canoles and Willoughby Myrick, Jr.
10:30 a.m. "Jesus Is Still The Answer"
Senior Choir

Collect

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

General Prayer

*Hymn: "Jerusalem the Golden" #422

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Consolation" - Mendelssohn
Doxology #551

*Gloria Tibi: "Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"
*Gospel Lesson: Numbers 13:17-33
*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn: "He Who Would Valiant Be" #296

SERMON: "TO BE A PILGRAM"

SACRAMENT OF HOLY 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: "Onward Christian Soldiers"
#292**

Postlude: "Rondo in G" - Bull

***Congregation stands**

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*...man doth not live by bread only, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of the LORD doth man live.
Deuteronomy 8:3*

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HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

June 20, 1999

8:00-10:30 AM

Prelude: "Faith of Our Fathers" - DeCou

*Processional Hymn: "Faith of Our Fathers" #282

Solemn Declaration #482

(you may be seated)

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

I was glad when they said unto me, "Let us go
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Himself; not counting their sins against them
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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 of Pardon (See Worship Book)
(L) Friends believe the 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 am "He Touched Me"

Florence Gundlach, Gloria and Chuch Rohlfing

10:30am "The Heavens Are Telling"

Senioior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "Praise Ye The Father"

#14

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Lord Jesus Christ, We Sing

Your Praise" - Bach

Doxology

(You may be seated)

#551

*Scripture: Genesis 6:5-14

9:8-17

Pastor: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks Be to God

*Hymn: "Once To Every Man and Nation" #399

SERMON: "NOAH"

An ordinary Father, who
became extra ordinary.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY 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: "O Jesus, I Have Promised"**
#271

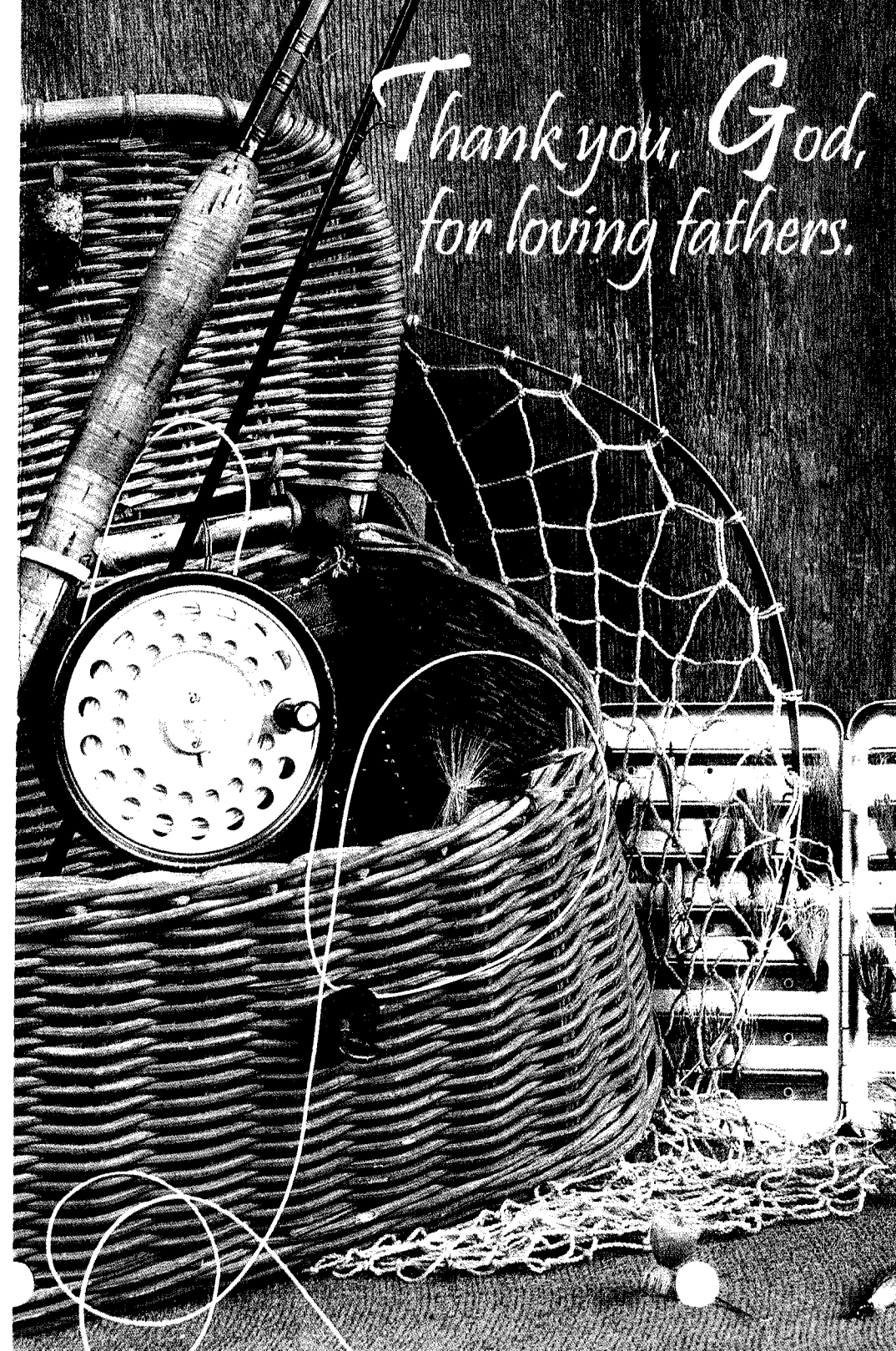
Postlude: "Fanfare" - Martin

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June 27, 1999 8:00-10:30 AM

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

Johnson

*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):

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(Matt 22: 34-40)

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 "Pass It On"

Margaret and Willoughby Myrick

10:30am "We'll Understand It Better

By and By" - Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "Crown Him With Many Crowns" #176

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Lord Jesus Christ, We Sing
Your Praises" - Bach

Doxology

#551

(You may be seated)

*Scripture: Luke 10:25-37

Pastor: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks Be to God

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

(See Insert)

SERMON: "OPEN MY EYES THAT I MAY SEE"

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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"**
#467


Postlude: "O Praise the Lord" - Croft

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July 4, 1999 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:

*Processional Hymn: "God of Our Fathers"

#440

*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

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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.

10:30 a.m.

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "My Country Tis of Thee"

#441

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory:

Doxology

#551

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

*Gospel Lesson: Luke 14:1-24

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

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

SERMON: "Let Freedom!"

"To live Passionately is to live in the cause of Christ, and to be a companion in His company, wheather our accomplishments be great or small, noteworthy, or given in the warmth of Simple Kindness and the force of hopefulness.

***Let us stand and say the Apostles 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: "Battle Hymn of The Republic"**
(See Bulletin)

Postlude:

***Congregation stands**

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REMEMBER THE CHURCH IN YOUR WILL

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I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks, be made for all men; for kings, and for all that are in authority; that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty.

1 Timothy 2:1-2

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July 11, 1999 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:

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

Solemn Declaration #482
(you may be seated)

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to Worship saying):

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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: "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: Genesis 12:1-9

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

*Hymn: "O Love of God most full" #275

SERMON: "MAN WITH A VISION"

Pastor Armstrong Preaching

*Hymn: "Blest Be The Tie That Binds"
vs. 1 & 2 (See Insert)

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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:** "Work, for the night is coming" #477

Postlude:

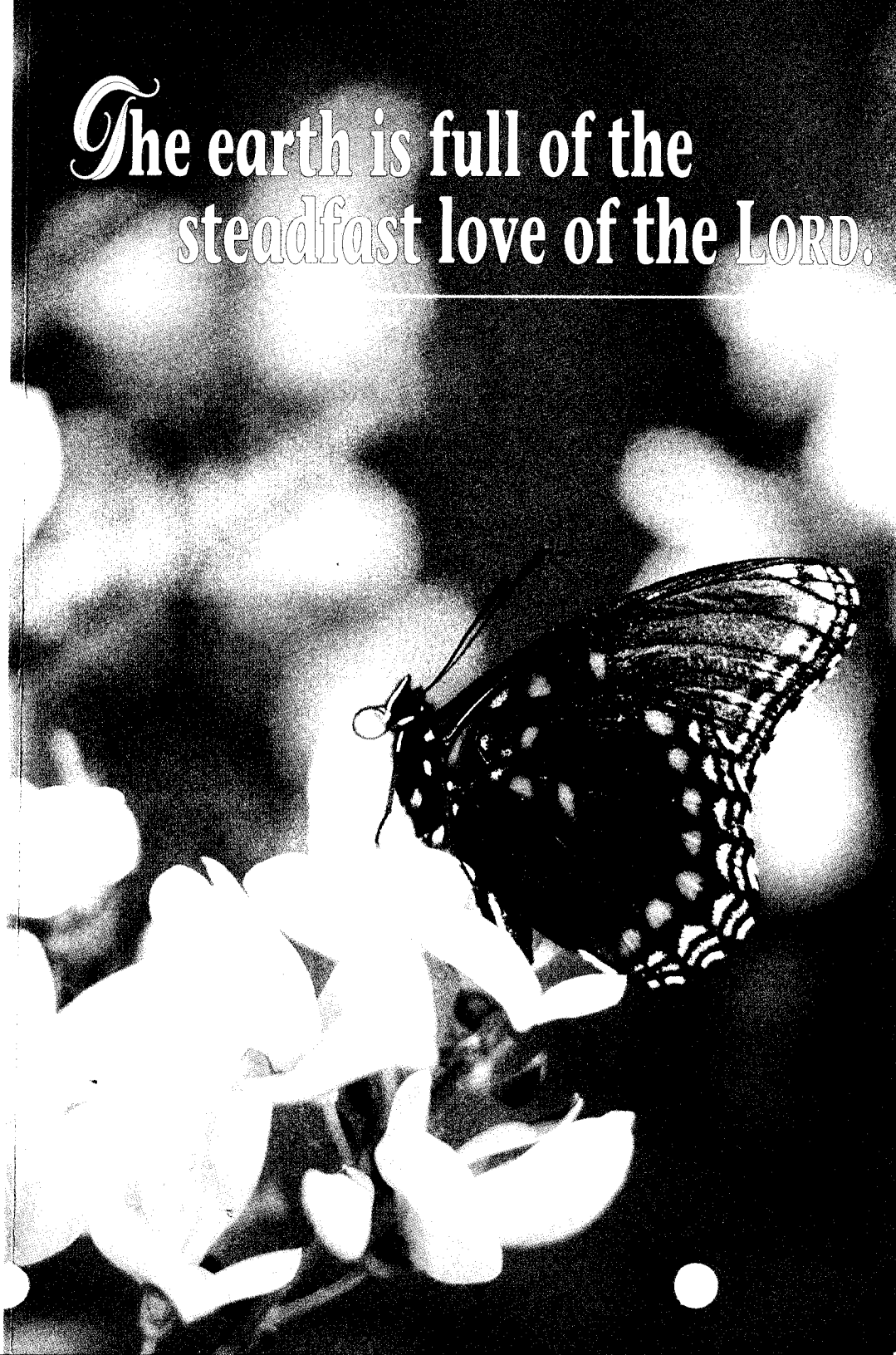
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July 18, 1999 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude:

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

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

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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: "Dwell in me, O blessed Spirit"
#464

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: Doxology #551

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

*Gospel Lesson: Ephesians 1:3-10

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

*Hymn: "Jesus I live to Thee" #254

SERMON: "CHRIST WAS SENT AS A PLAN FOR THE
FULNESS OF TIME."

Rev. Roy Joellenbeck - Preaching

*Hymn: "Blest Be The Tie That Binds"
vs. 1 & 2 (See Insert)

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

Postlude:

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July 25, 1999 10:00 AM

Prelude: "The Love of God" - Leatherman

*Processional Hymn: "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore
Thee" #21

Solemn Declaration #482
(you may be seated)

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to Worship saying):

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People: And my mouth shall show forth Your

Praise

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

Special Music: "The Wonder of It All"

Paul Bauersfeld, Jackie Bond,
Florence and Robert Gundlach

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

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

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Seek Ye the Lord" - Roberts

Doxology #551

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

*Scripture: Isaiah 55:6-12

*Gospel Lesson: Matthew 13:1-9

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

*Hymn: "Almighty God, Your Word Is Cast"
(See Insert)

SERMON: "REVEALING STORIES - RECEPTIVE HEARTS"
Rev. Roy Joellenbeck - Preaching

*Hymn: "Blest Be The Tie That Binds"
vs. 1 & 2 (See Insert)

Come and see the works of God:

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

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

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

Postlude: "Joyful, Joyful" - Innes

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AUGUST 1, 1999 10:00 AM

Prelude: "Air From Suite In D" - Bach
*Processional Hymn: "O For A Thousand Tongues To
Sing" #181

*Solemn Declaration 482
(you may be seated)

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call
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(Matt 22: 34-40)

AMEN

Kyrie

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

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

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

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Thank You Lord"

The Summer Choir of the Chorus of the Chesapeake

Doxology

#551

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

*Scripture Lesson: Psalms: Chapters 98 and 100

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

*Hymn: "I Love To Tell The Story" #467

SERMON:

SERMON IN SONG

Presented by

The Summer Choir of the Chorus of the Chesapeake

***Let us stand and say the Apostles 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:** "Are Ye Able"
(See Front Cover of Hymnal)

Postlude: "Festival Toccata" - Fletcher

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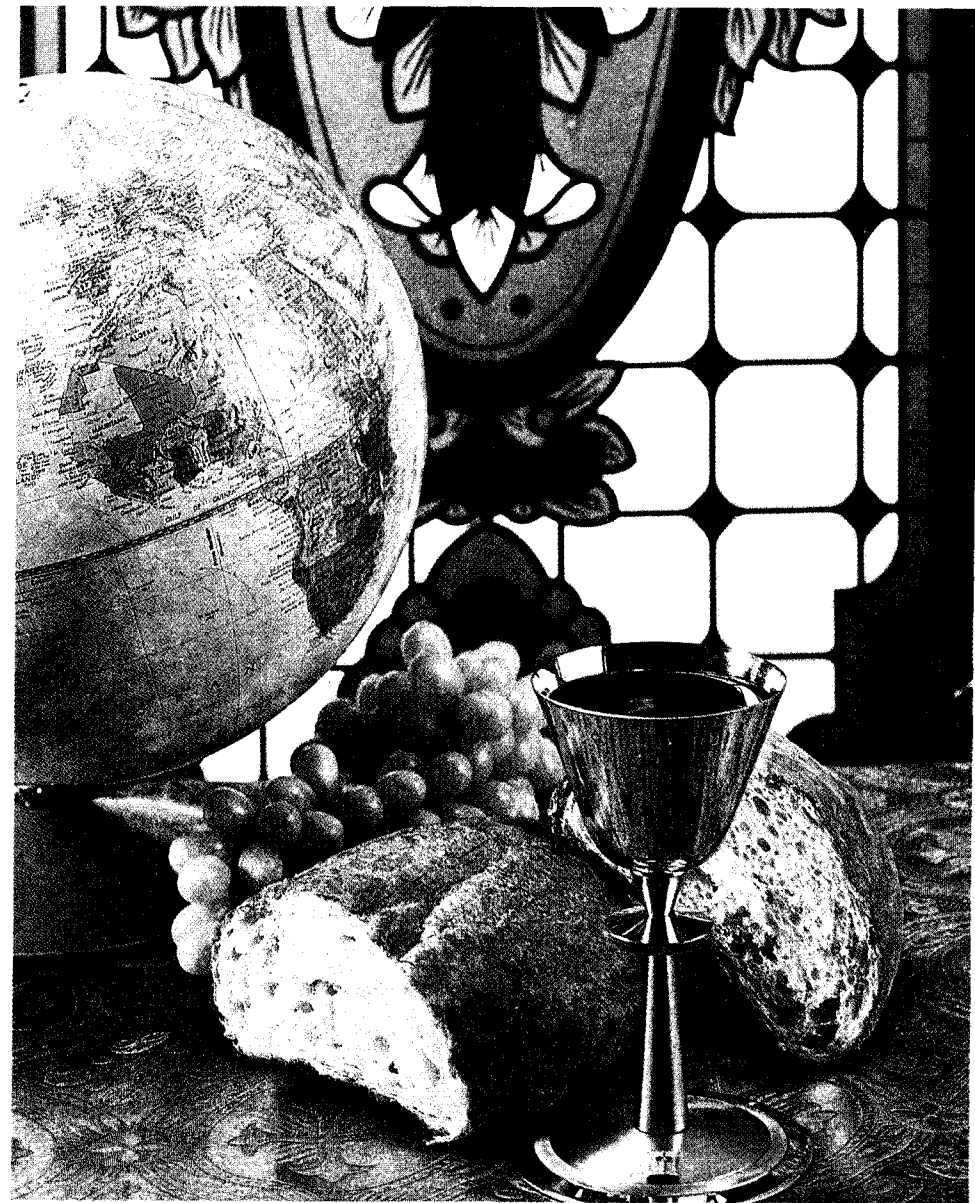
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FAITH IS ALIVE

August 8, 1999 **10:00 AM**

Prelude: "Morning Has Broken" - Bach

***Processional Hymn: "O God, Our Help In Ages
Past" #63**

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

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

Leader: O Lord, open my lips

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Praise

***Gloria Patri** (the people stand)

Special Music: "Change My Heart O God"
Pam Georgiadis, Florence Gundlach
Margaret Myrick

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

***Hymn: "God Marked A Line And Told The Sea"**
(See Insert)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "O Word of God, Incarnate" - Walther

***Doxology**

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

***Scripture: Genesis 3:1-7**

***Gospel Lesson: John 1:1-14**

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

***Hymn: "O Word of God, Incarnate" #199**

SERMON: "ONE TRUE ACCOUNT"

***Hymn: "Blest Be The Tie That Binds"**
vs. 1 & 2 (See Insert)

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

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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:** "What A Friend We Have In Jesus" #472

Postlude: "Rondo in G" - Bull

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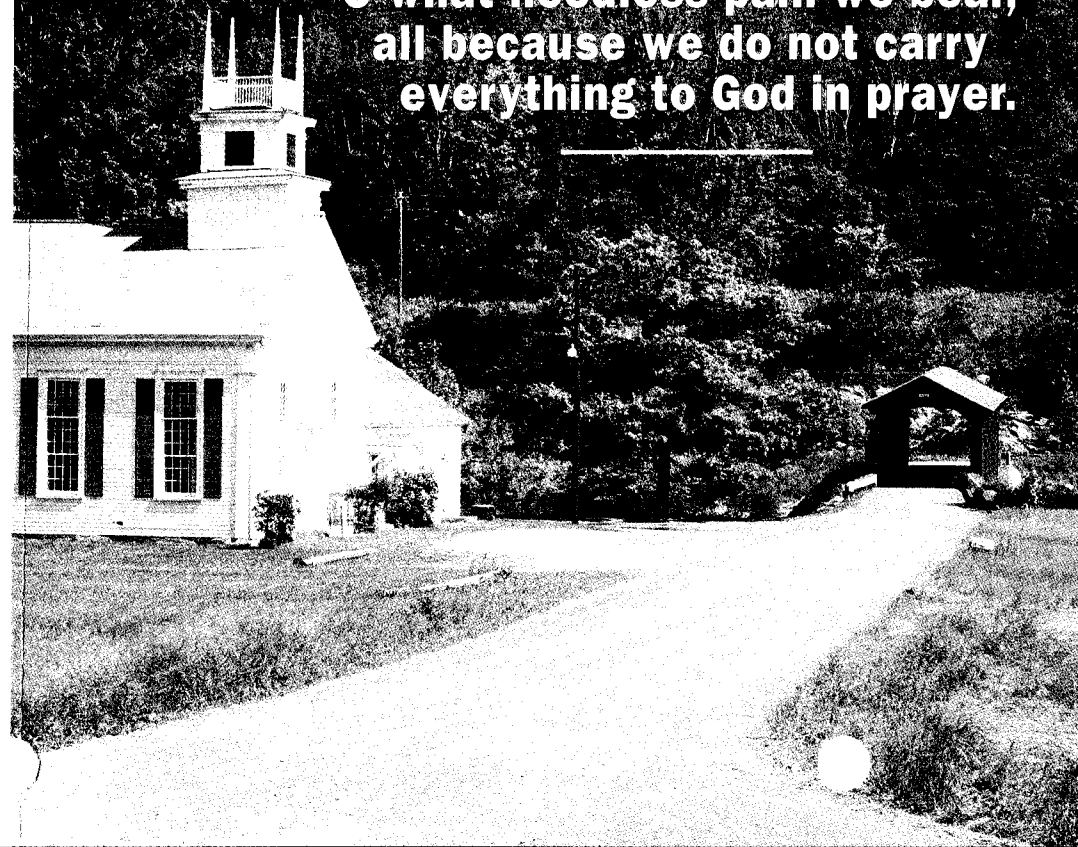
What a Friend

we have in Jesus,

**all our sins and griefs
to bear!**

**What a privilege to carry
everything to God in prayer!**

**O what peace we often forfeit,
O what needless pain we bear,
all because we do not carry
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FAITH IS ALIVE

August 15, 1999 10:00 AM

Prelude: "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" - Bach

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

Solemn Declaration #482
(you may be seated)

Call to Worship (Let us join together in the call
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Praise

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

Special Music:

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" #176

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Trust In the Lord" - Handel

Doxology

#551

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

*Scripture: Micah 6:3-13

*Gospel Lesson: Matthew 5:43-48

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

*Hymn: "It Is Well With My Soul" (See Insert)

SERMON: "MOVING IN STEP WITH HIM
WHO DIRECTS ALL THINGS"

Rev. Roy Joellenbeck - Preaching

*Hymn: "Blest Be The Tie That Binds"
vs. 1 & 2 (See Insert)

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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

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

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

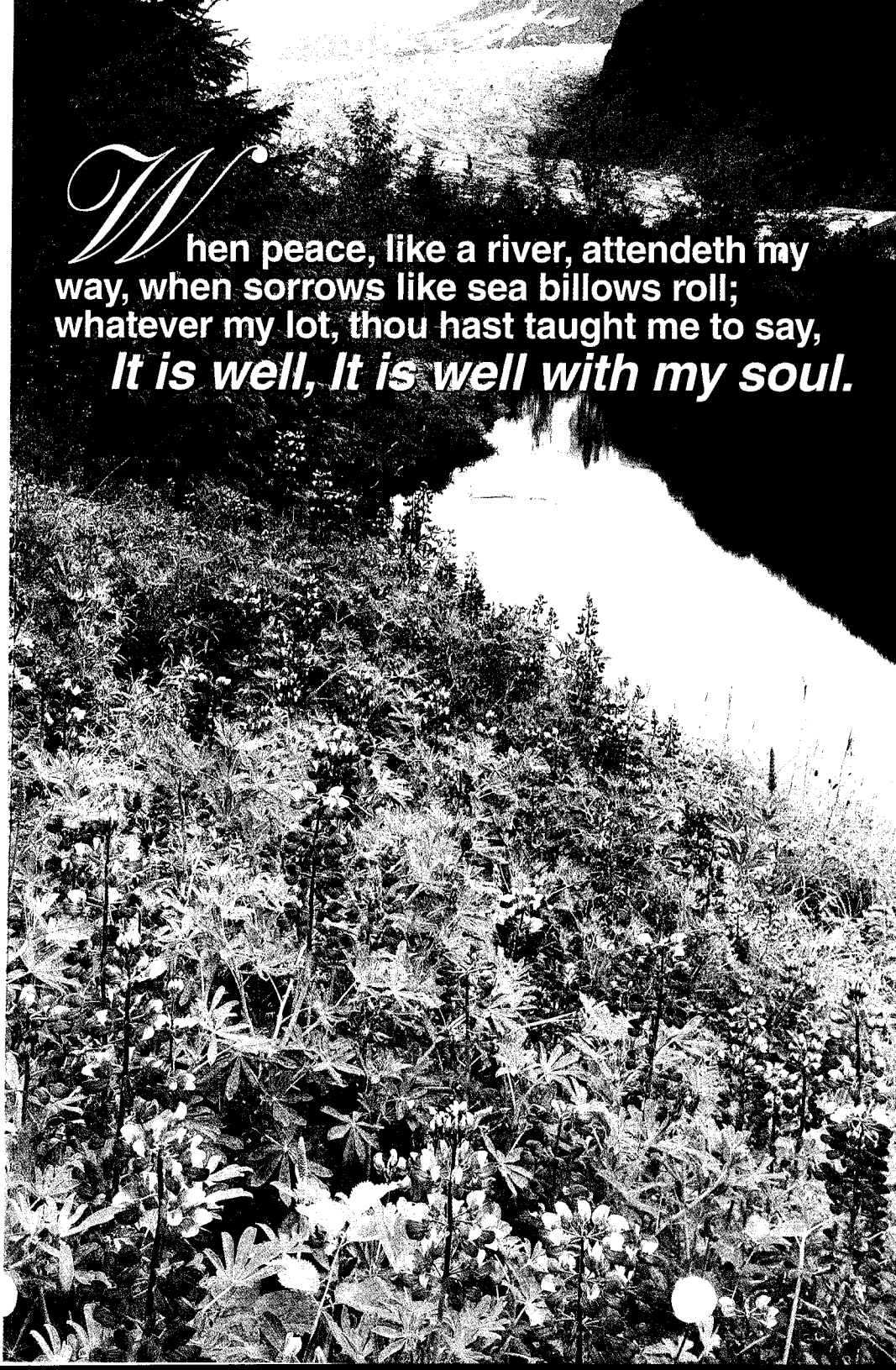
Postlude: "Postlude" - Couperin

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When peace, like a river, attendeth my way, when sorrows like sea billows roll; whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say, It is well, It is well with my soul.

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August 22, 1999 10:00 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):

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

Special Music:

Solo: Dolores Canoles

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

***Hymn: "Blessed Assurance" - (See Insert)**

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Offering

Offertory: Solo - Dolores Canoles

Doxology

#551

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

***Scripture: 2 Kings 4:27-37**

***Gospel Lesson: Romans 7:21 - 8:4**

Matthew 10:39-42

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

***Hymn: "Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart"**

#193

SERMON: "GOD AT WORK - PERSONAL AND COMPLETE"

Rev. Roy Joellenbeck - Preaching

***Hymn: "Blest Be The Tie That Binds"**

vs. 1 & 2 (See Insert)

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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:** "Oh Master Let Me Walk With Thee" #205

Postlude: "Now Thank We All Our God" - Karg-Elert

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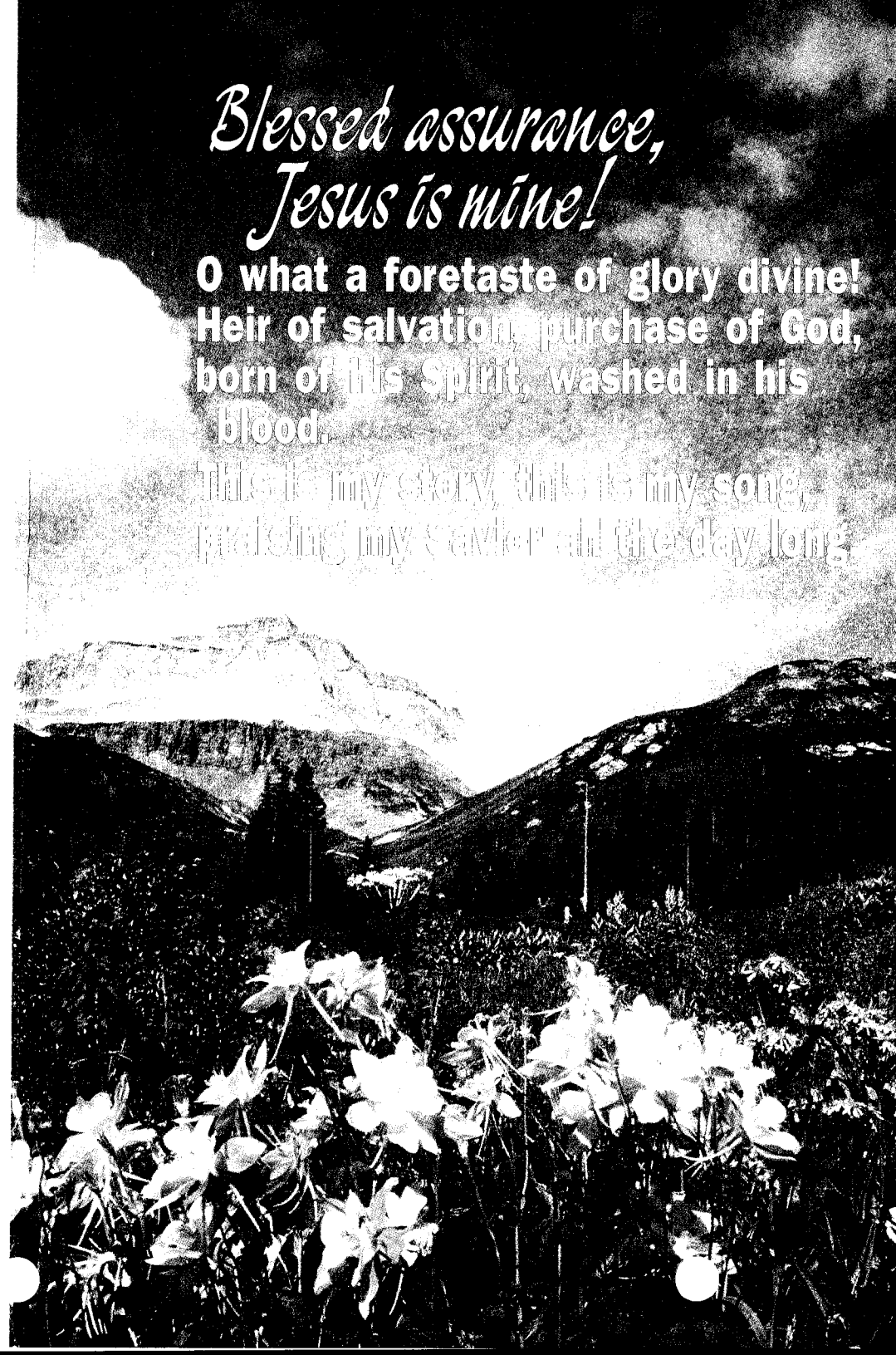
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*Blessed assurance,
Jesus is mine!*

**O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
born of His Spirit, washed in His
blood.**

*This is my story, this is my song,
praising my Savior all the day long.*



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August 22, 1999 10:00 AM

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Prelude: "PRAYER" - Boelleman

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

Solemn Declaration #482
(you may be seated)

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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: "BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC"
Senior Choir and Guests
Jennifer Myrick - Keyboard

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: "Consolation" - Mendelssohn

Doxology

(You may be seated)

#551

Old Testament: Psalms 121

Epistle: Ephesians 1: 3-14

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

*Gospel Lesson: Matthew 5: 14-16

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

*Hymn: "Amazing Grace" (See Insert)

PRESENTATIONS TO PASTOR ARMSTRONG

George Nassner - Council President

*Hymn: "Blest Be The Tie That Binds"

vs. 1 & 2

(See Insert)

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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:** "Onward Christian Soldiers"
#292

Postlude: "Toccata in C" - Bach

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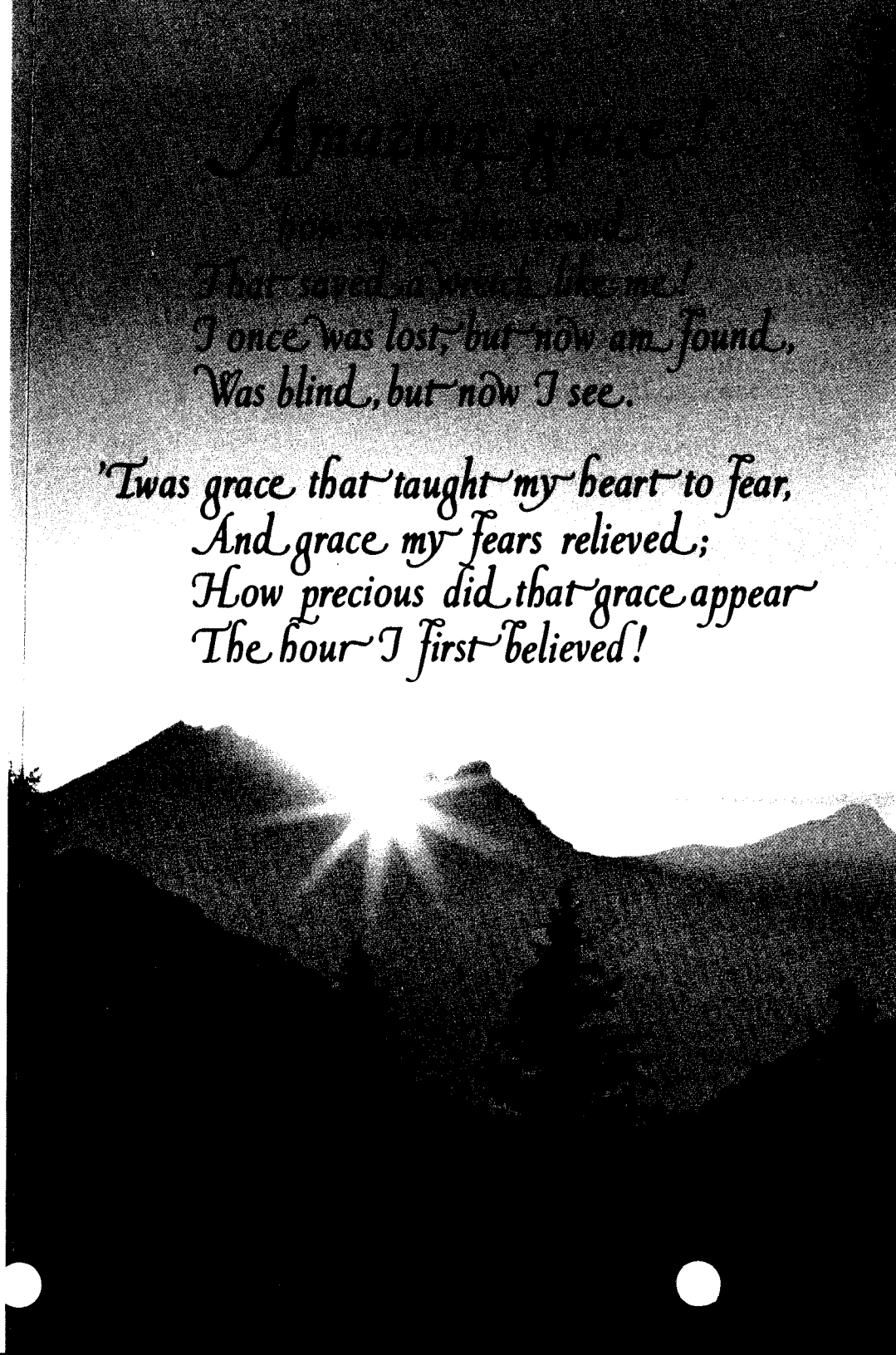
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Amazing Grace!

This moving hymn testifies to the great change God can bring to an individual's life. It was written by John Newton in 1779 and is based on his own transformation "by the rich mercy of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ," as he says in his self-written epitaph. Once a slave-ship captain, he was later ordained into the Church of England and wrote over two hundred fifty hymns.

Amazing Grace!
How sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found,
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed!



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HOLY COMMUNION**

September 05, 1999 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "Prelude on Ave Verum" - Mozart

*Processional Hymn: "Come We Who Love The Lord"
#30

*Solemn Declaration #482
(you may be seated)

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(You may be seated)

Special Music:

7:45 a.m.

"How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings"
Solo - Dolores Canoles

10:30 a.m.

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "With Broken Bread In Our Hands"
(Verses 1 & 2) -- (Worship Book)

Moments of Concern - FAITH IS ALIVE!

Offering

Offertory: "Let Us Break Bread Together"
Solo - Dolores Canoles

Doxology

#551

Old Testament Exodus 12:1-14

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

*Gospel Lesson: Matthew 18:15-20

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

*Hymn: "There's A Quiet Understanding"
(See Insert)

SERMON: "FESTIVAL FOR THE FUTURE"

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

***Call to the Lord's Supper (responsively):**

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People: And also with you.

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Presentation of the Gifts

Pastor: Receive now the gifts of the Lord

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

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pastoral Prayer

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

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

#443

Postlude: "In Peace and Joy I Now Depart" - Bach

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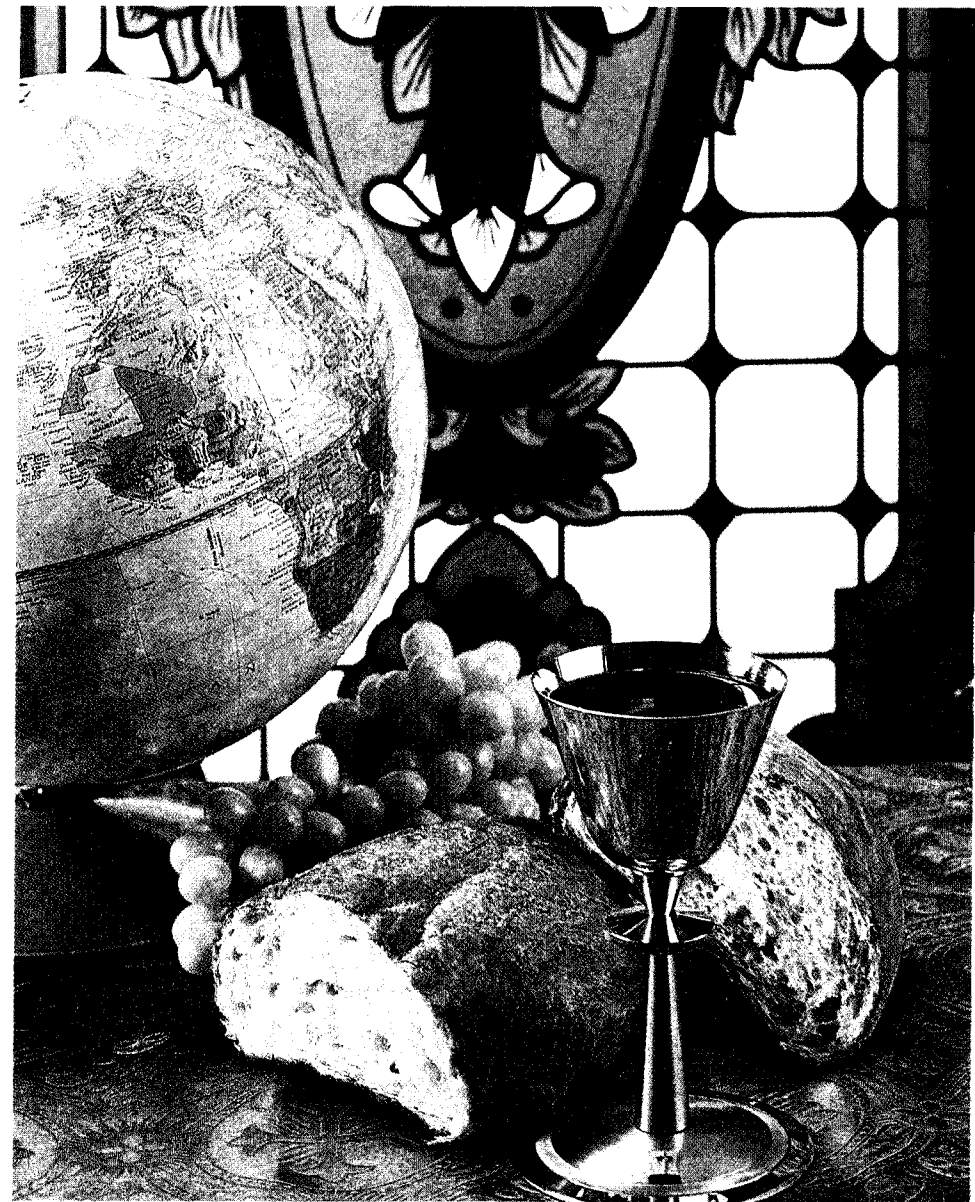
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September 12, 1999 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Prelude:

*Processional Hymn: "Joyful, Joyful We Adore
Thee" #21

Solemn Declaration #482
(you may be seated)

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we have done and what we have left undone. We
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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):

Leader: O Lord, open my lips

People: And my mouth shall show forth Your
Praise

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

Special Music:

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"
#329

Moments of Concern

Offering
Offertory:

Doxology #551
(You may be seated)
Old Testament: Exodus 14:19-22,31
Epistle: Romans 14:1-12

*Gloria Tibi: "Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"
*Gospel Lesson: Matthew 18:21-35
*Laus Tibi: "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn: "O Grant Us Light" #187

SERMON - "ON FORGIVENESS"

***Let us stand and say the Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and earth:

And in Jesus Christ, his only begotten Son, our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontious Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell*; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; One Holy Universal Christian Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen

(Page 6 of your Hymnal)

(You may be seated)

**Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer
Benediction**

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

Postlude:

*Congregation stands

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*Them hath he filled with wisdom of heart, to work all manner of work,
of the engraver, and of the cunning workman, and of the embroiderer, in blue,
and in purple, in scarlet, and in fine linen, and of the weaver,
even of them that do any work, and of those that devise cunning work.*

Exodus 35:35

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September 19, 1999 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Prelude: "O Bread of Life from Heaven"

Karg-Elert

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

***Solemn Declaration #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)
(you maybe seated)

Call to Confession

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

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against You in thought, word, and deed, by what
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Your son Jesus Christ, have mercy upon us and
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walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your Name.
(Matt 22: 34-40)

AMEN

Kyrie

#518

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. "Find Us Faithful"

Solo - Willoughby Myrick, Jr.

10:30 a.m. "Find Us Faithful"

Senior Choir

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.....

General Prayer

***Hymn: "How Firm A Foundation"** (See Insert)

Announcements and Concerns

Offering

Offertory: "My Heart Ever Faithful" - Bach

***Doxology**

#551

(you may be seated)

Old Testament: Exodus 16:2-15 - Ps.105:1-6,37-45

Epistle: Philippians 1:21-30

(let us stand for the reading of the Gospel)

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

***Gospel Lesson: Matthew 20:1-16**

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

***Hymn: "Jesus, I Live to Thee" #254**

SERMON - "EXTRAVAGANT GRACE"

AN INTERIM PASTOR'S COVENANTING CERI NY

***Let us stand to say the Apostles' Creed**

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(You may be seated)

**Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer
Benediction**

***Recessional Hymn: "Work for the Night is Coming"
#177**

(you may be seated)

Postlude: "Guide Me O, Thou Great Jehovah" ~ Page

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September 26, 1999 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Prelude: "At the Name of Jesus" - Vaughn Williams

***Processional Hymn:** "O God Our Help in Ages Past"

63

***Solemn Declaration**

#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)
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AMEN

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Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

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. "How Long Has It Been"

Trio: Pam Georgiadis, Florence Gundlach,
Margaret Myrick

10:30 a.m. "At The Name Of Jesus"
Senior Choir

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"

Announcements and Concerns

Offering

Offertory: "Fuge"- Handel

***Doxology**

#551

(you may be seated)

Old Testament: Exodus 17:1-7-

Epistle: Philippians 2:1-13

Sacrament of Baptism

(let us stand for the reading of the Gospel)

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

***Gospel Lesson:** Matthew 21:23-32

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

***Hymn:** "At The Name of Jesus" - see insert

SERMON - "Self Condemnation"

Deacon Max Hoffman preachi

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(You may be seated)

**Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer
Benediction**

Recessional Hymn: "O Master Let Me Walk With
Thee" #205

(you may be seated)

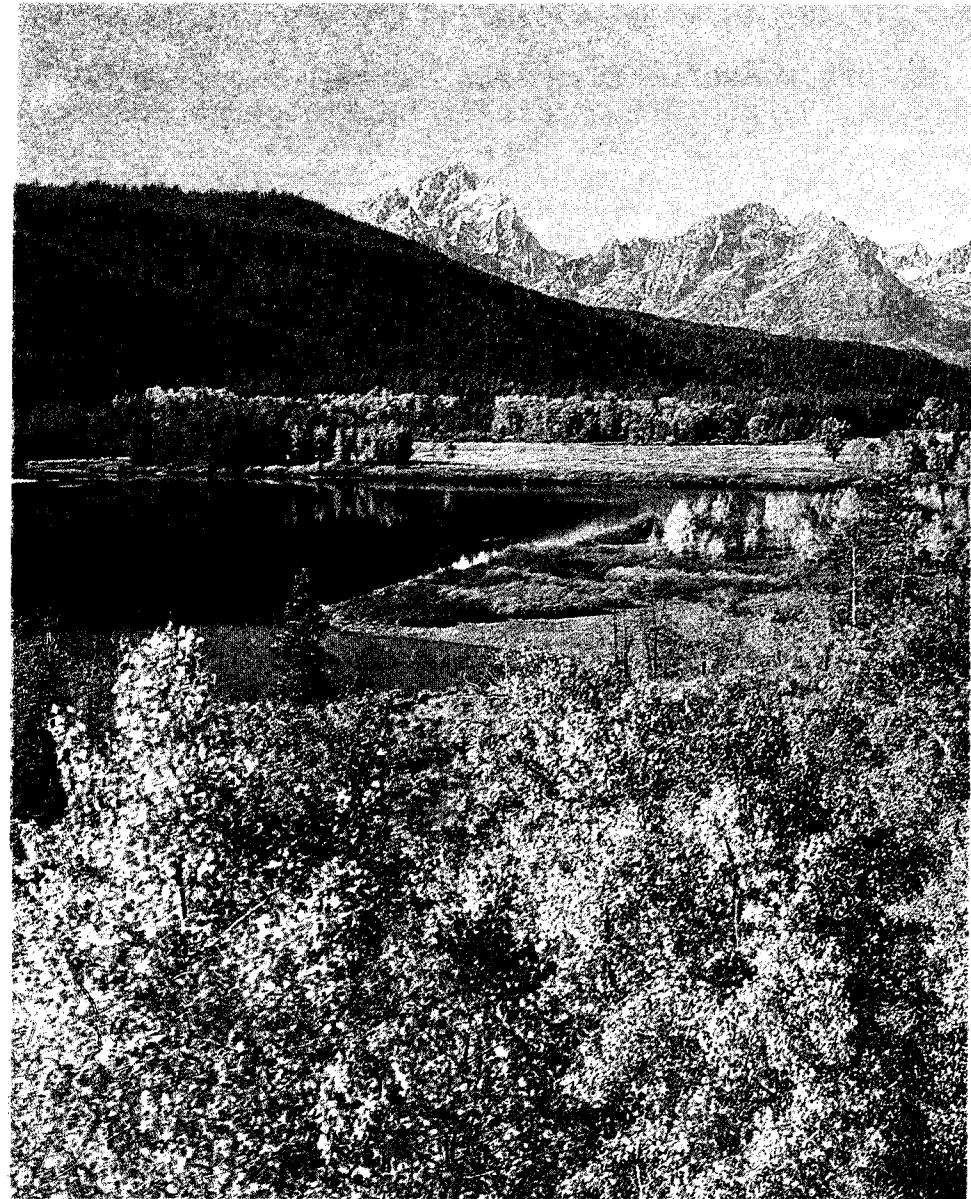
Postlude: "Festival Toccata" - Fletcher

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And every one that hath forsaken houses, or brethren, or sisters, or father, or mother, or wife, or children, or lands, for my name's sake, shall receive an hundredfold, and shall inherit everlasting life.

Matthew 19:29

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WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY

October 03, 1999 7:45 & 10:30 AM

Prelude: "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"
Innes

*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's love has been poured into our hearts
through the Holy Spirit which has been given
to us.

Call to Confession

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

Eternal God, whose Word is a lamp for our feet
and light for our path, we recognize and confess
that we have failed to respond fully to your
gracious presence in our lives. We have not loved
you with our whole hearts; we have not loved our
neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and
we humbly repent. For the sake of Your son Jesus
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Kyrie Lord, have mercy upon us.
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Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assuance 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:

7:45 a.m. Solo - Dolores Canoles

10:30 a.m. "Cornerstone"
Senior Choir

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.

General Prayer

*Hymn: "With Broken Bread In Our Hands"
(Verses 1 & 2) -- (Worship Book)

Announcements and Concerns

Offering

Offertory: "I Come, O Saviour; To Thy Table"
Kretchmar

*Doxology #551
(you may be seated)

Old Testament Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20
Psalms 19

Epistle: Philippians 3:4b-14

(let us stand for the reading of the Gospel)

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

*Gospel Lesson: Matthew 21:33-46

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

*Hymn: "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"
#158

SERMON: "GOD'S GOOD GIFTS"

*Let us stand and say the Apostles 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

Response: "Hear Our Prayer, O Lord"

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

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

Postlude: "The Church's One Foundation" - Innes

***Congregation stands**

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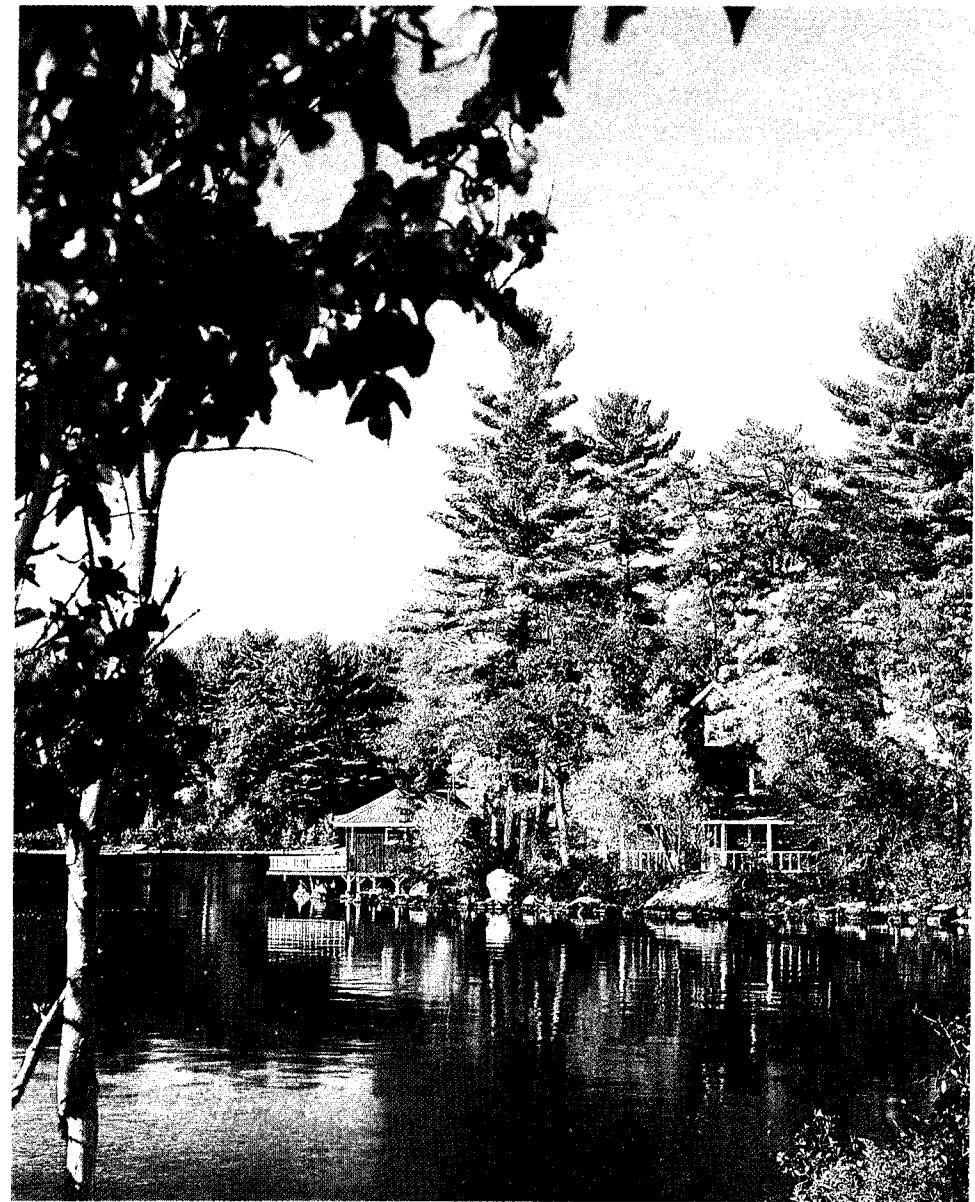
REMEMBER THE CHURCH IN YOUR WILL

The ongoing work of the church depends on contributions to the capital 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.

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Our fathers trusted in thee: they trusted, and thou didst deliver them.

Psalm 22:4

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FAITH IS ALIVE

October 10, 1999 **8:00 and 10:30 a.m.**

Prelude: "What A Friend We Have In Jesus"
Johnson

***Processional Hymn: "Rejoice Ye Pure In Heart"**
#07

***Solemn Declaration** #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's love has been poured into our hearts
through the Holy Spirit which has been given
to us.

(you maybe seated)

Call to Confession

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

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and light for our path, we recognize and confess
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Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon (See Worship Book)

(L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel

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Praise Response

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. "Sheltered in the Arms of God"
Paul Bauersfeld, Jackie Bond
Florence and Robert Gundlach

10:30 a.m. "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder"
Senior Choir

Collect

Let Us Pray ... Amen

General Prayer

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.....

***Hymn: "Rejoice, the Lord is King"**
(see insert)

Announcements and Concerns

Offering

Offertory: "Jesus Calls Us" #207

***Doxology**

(you may be seated)

Old Testament: Exodus 32:1-14

Epistle: Philippians 4:1-9

(let us stand for the reading of the Gospel)

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

***Gospel Lesson: Matthew 22:1-14**

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

***Hymn: "Jesus Calls Us"** #207

SERMON - "HOW WOULD YOU ANSWER?"

***Affirmation of faith Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and earth:

And in Jesus Christ, his only begotten Son, our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontious Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell*; the third day he rose gain from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

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(You may be seated)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Response - Hear Our Prayer O Lord...

And Grant Us Thy Peace. Amen

Benediction

**Recessional Hymn: "What A Friend We Have In
Jesus" #472**

(you may be seated)

Postlude: "Rondo in G" - Bull

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*For how great is his goodness, and how great is his beauty!
Zechariah 9:17*

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FAITH IS ALIVE

October 17, 1999 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Prelude: "He Hideth My Soul" - DeCou

"Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me" - Bish

*Processional Hymn: "When Morning Gilds the
Skies" #43

*Solemn Declaration #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)

Extol the Lord our God; worship at his
footstool. Holy is he! Extol the Lord our God,
and worship at his holy mountain; for the Lord
our God is Holy.

(From the Lectionary Psalm for today; Psalm 99)
(you maybe seated)

Call to Confession

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

We confess, O God, that we have not fulfilled the
tasks for which you have chosen us. We have
failed to share the joy of faith. We have
neglected to learn and pray and witness to your
living presence among us. You have not received
our full loyalty and devotion. We have found
idols to occupy the time you have given us. O
God, help us to refocus our energies and reclaim
the mission you set before us. AMEN

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Christ, have mercy upon us.
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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. "Seek Ye The Lord"

Senior Choir

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

Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you,

People: And with thy Spirit.

Leader: Let us pray.....

Announcements and Concerns

General Prayer

Hear our prayers O Lord (repeat) Incline thy ear
to us and grant us your peace.

*Hymn: "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me" #217

Offering

Offertory: 8:00 a.m. "At The Name of Jesus"
Senior Choir

10:30 a.m. "Interlude" - Stainer

*Doxology #551

(you may be seated)

Old Testament: Exodus 33:12-23 \ Psalm 99
(The Word of the Lord. Thanks Be To God)

Epistle: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

(The Word of the Lord. Thanks Be To God)

(let us stand for the reading of the Gospel)

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

*Gospel Lesson: Matthew 22:15-22

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

*Hymn: "He Hideth My Soul" - see insert

SERMON - "I KNOW YOU BY NAME"
(Exodus 33:17b)

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(You may be seated)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer
Response - Hear Our Prayer O Lord...

And Grant Us Thy Peace. Amen

Benediction

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

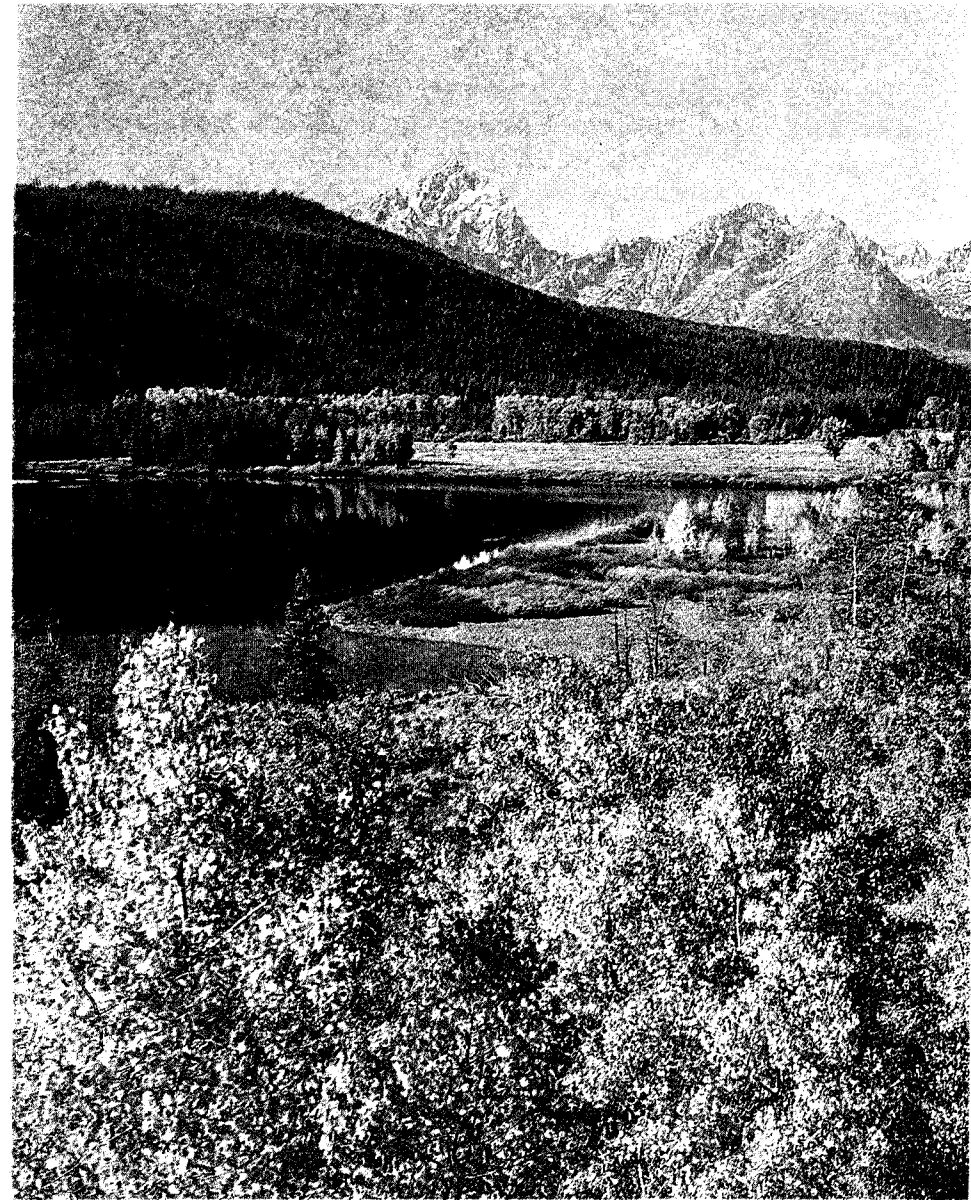
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Postlude: "Fanfare on an Original Theme"
Martin

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October 24, 1999 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude "The Love of God" arr. Leatherman

*Processional Hymn "I Sing the Praise of Love Unbounded" # 17

*Solemn Declaration

*Call to Worship Psalm 90

(L) Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations.

(P) Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever
you had formed the earth and the world, from
everlasting to everlasting you are God.

(L) Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us,

(P) and prosper for us the work of our hands -- Let us
go into the house of the Lord and worship
(You may be seated)

WE COME BEFORE A FORGIVING GOD

Prayer of Confession

O God, we have missed your signs and wonders because we
are so busy creating our own. Those around us who pretend
to be your prophets offer little to which we aspire. We so
easily forget to follow what Jesus teaches us when he says,
"Love God with all your being," and "Love your neighbor as
yourself." 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. Amen

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Assurance of Pardon

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Responsive Praise

(L) O Lord, open my lips

(P) And my mouth shall show forth your praise

***Gloria Patri**

492

(You may be seated)

Special Music

8:00 AM

"What A Friend We Have In Jesus"

Solo -- Gloria Rohlfing

10:30 AM

"Seek Ye The Lord"

Senior Choir

Collect (L) The Lord be with you,

(P) And with thy Spirit.

(L) Let us pray.....through Christ our Lord (P) Amen

Announcements and Concerns

General Prayer

(L) O Holy God....the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord. (P) Amen

***Hymn**

"More Love To Thee O, Christ"

#471

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Old Testament:

Deuteronomy 14:1-12

(L) The Word of the Lord

(P) Thanks be to God

Epistle Lesson

1 Thessalonians 2:1-8

(L) The Word of the Lord

(P) Thanks be to God

***Gloria Tibi**

"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"

***Gospel Lesson**

Matthew 22:34-46

***Laus Tibi**

"Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

***Hymn**

"O Love of God, Most Full"

#275

Sermon

"A Two Dimensional God"

(Mt. 22:37-38)

***Affirmation of Faith Apostles' Creed p 38 Hymnal**
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ his only begotten Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the One Holy Universal Christian Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

Offering
Offertory *"Oh, How He Loves You and Me"* arr. Christopher
*Doxology #551

(You may be seated)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Prayer Response

(P) Hear Our Prayer O Lord... (repeat)
Incline thine ear to us and grant us thy peace. Amen.

WE DEPART TO SERVE

Charge and Blessing

Processional Hymn into the World *"Lift High The Cross"* – Insert

(You may be seated)

Postlude *"Toccata in C"* Bacon

*If able, please rise

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And he said unto them, Take heed, and beware of covetousness: for a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth.
Luke 12:15

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October 31, 1999 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

- Prelude** “A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” Hustad
***Processional Hymn** “A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” # 281
***Solemn Declaration**
***Call to Worship** Psalm 107
(L) O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;
for his steadfast love endures forever.
(P) Let the redeemed of the LORD say so,
those he redeemed from trouble and gathered in.
(L) The LORD gathered them from the east and from the west,
from the north and from the south.
(P) Let the people thank the LORD for his steadfast love,
for his wonderful works to humankind.
(You may be seated)

WE COME BEFORE A FORGIVING GOD

Prayer of Confession

O God, so often what we preach is not what we practice. We ourselves do not bear the burdens we impose on others. We expect praise for our acts of kindness. Titles and honors are worn with pride, sometimes with envy, when others about us seem to be getting ahead. O God, forgive our craving to be exalted; help us to be humble in the knowledge that we live by grace alone. Forgive us that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen

Kyrie Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon

(L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel
(P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven

Responsive Praise

(L) O Lord, open my lips
(P) And my mouth shall show forth your praise

***Gloria Patri**

492

(You may be seated)

Special Music

8:00 AM

“It Is Well With My Soul”

Duct: Dolores Canoles, Willoughby Myrick

10:30 AM

“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” Senior Choir

Collect (L) The Lord be with you,

(P) And with thy Spirit.

(L) Let us pray.....through Christ our Lord (P) Amen

Announcements and Concerns

General Prayer

(L) O Holy God....the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord. (P) Amen

***Hymn**

“On Jordan’s Stormy Bank”

(See Insert)

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Old Testament:

Joshua 3:7-17

(L) The Word of the Lord

(P) Thanks be to God

Epistle Lesson

1 Thessalonians 2:9-13

(L) The Word of the Lord

(P) Thanks be to God

***Gloria Tibi**

“Glory Be to Thee, O Lord”

***Gospel Lesson**

Matthew 23:1-12

***Laus Tibi**

“Praise be to Thee, O Christ”

***Hymn**

“God Will Make A Way”

(See Insert)

Sermon

“Compassion, Integrity, Discernment” (Mt. 23:1-12)

***Affirmation of Faith Apostles' Creed p 38 Hymnal**
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 I believe in the Holy Ghost; the One Holy Universal Christian Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

Offering
 Offertory *"Dedicator"* --- Dressler
 *Doxology #551

(You may be seated)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer
 Prayer Response
 (P) Hear Our Prayer O Lord.... (repeat)
 incline thine ear to us and grant us thy peace. Amen.

WE DEPART TO SERVE

Charge and Blessing
 Processional Hymn Into the World "*The Church's One Foundation*" #322

(You may be seated)

Postlude "*The Church's One Foundation*" - arr. Innes
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*My times are in thy hand...
 Psalm 31:15*

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November 7, 1999 7:45 AM and 10:30 AM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude "O Christ, Thou Lamb of God" Karg-Elert

*Processional Hymn "Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones" # 9

*Solemn Declaration

*Call to Worship Psalm 78

(L) Give ear, O my people, to my teaching;
incline your ears to the words of my mouth..

(P) We will not hide the words from the children;
we will tell to the coming generation.

(L) The glorious deeds of the LORD, and his might,
and the wonders he has done.

(P) He established a decree which we teach our children
they are not to forget the works of God but keep
God's commandments.

(You may be seated)

WE COME BEFORE A FORGIVING GOD

Prayer of Confession

O God, how often we are unprepared to respond to your presence. We are witnesses against ourselves, for we have vowed our loyalty and then have gone our own way. Our lamps are not trimmed; our lives are not ready for your trumpet call. We have not listened or encouraged one another in the faith. Forgive us that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen

Kyrie Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon

(L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel
(P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven

Responsive Praise

(L) O Lord, open my lips

(P) And my mouth shall show forth your praise

*Gloria Patri

492

(You may be seated)

Special Music

7:45 AM "I Asked the Lord" Solo – Baptist Hoffmann

10:30 AM "Shine Jesus Shine" Senior Choir

Jennifer Myrick – Keyboard

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Collect

(L) Let us pray.....through Christ our Lord (P) Amen

*Hymn

"As For Me and My House" See Insert

Old Testament:

(L) The Word of the Lord Joshua 24:1-3, 14-25

(P) Thanks be to God

Epistle Lesson

(L) The Word of the Lord 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

(P) Thanks be to God

*Gloria Tibi

"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson

Matthew 25:1-13

*Laus Tibi

"Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn

"Rejoice, Rejoice Believers" # 99

Sermon "Choose Whom You Will Serve" (Joshua 24:1-3,14-25)

*Affirmation of Faith Apostles' Creed p 38 Hymnal
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Prayers of the People

(People may indicate needs for prayer and causes for thanksgiving)

Prayer Response

(P) Hear Our Prayer O Lord.... (repeat)

Incline thine ear to us and grant us thy peace. Amen.

Announcements and Concerns of the Church

(Announcements and information about programs and ministries)

Offering

Offertory *"Thy Table I Approach "*

Bach

*Doxology

#551

(You may be seated)

Sacrament of the LORD'S Supper

***Invitation and Communion Prayer**

(L) The LORD be with you

(L) And also with you

(L) Lift up your hearts

(P) We lift them up to the Lord, our God

(L) Let us give thanks unto the LORD

(P) It is right to give God thanks and praise

(You may be seated)

Communion Prayer and The LORD'S Prayer (Pg. 6 Worship Book)

Presentation of the Gifts

(L) Receive now the gifts of the LORD

(L) The gifts of God for the people of God!

Breaking Bread and Pouring Wine

Sharing the Elements and Prayer of Thanksgiving

***Processional Hymn into the World "America the Beautiful" #443**

(You may be seated)

Postlude

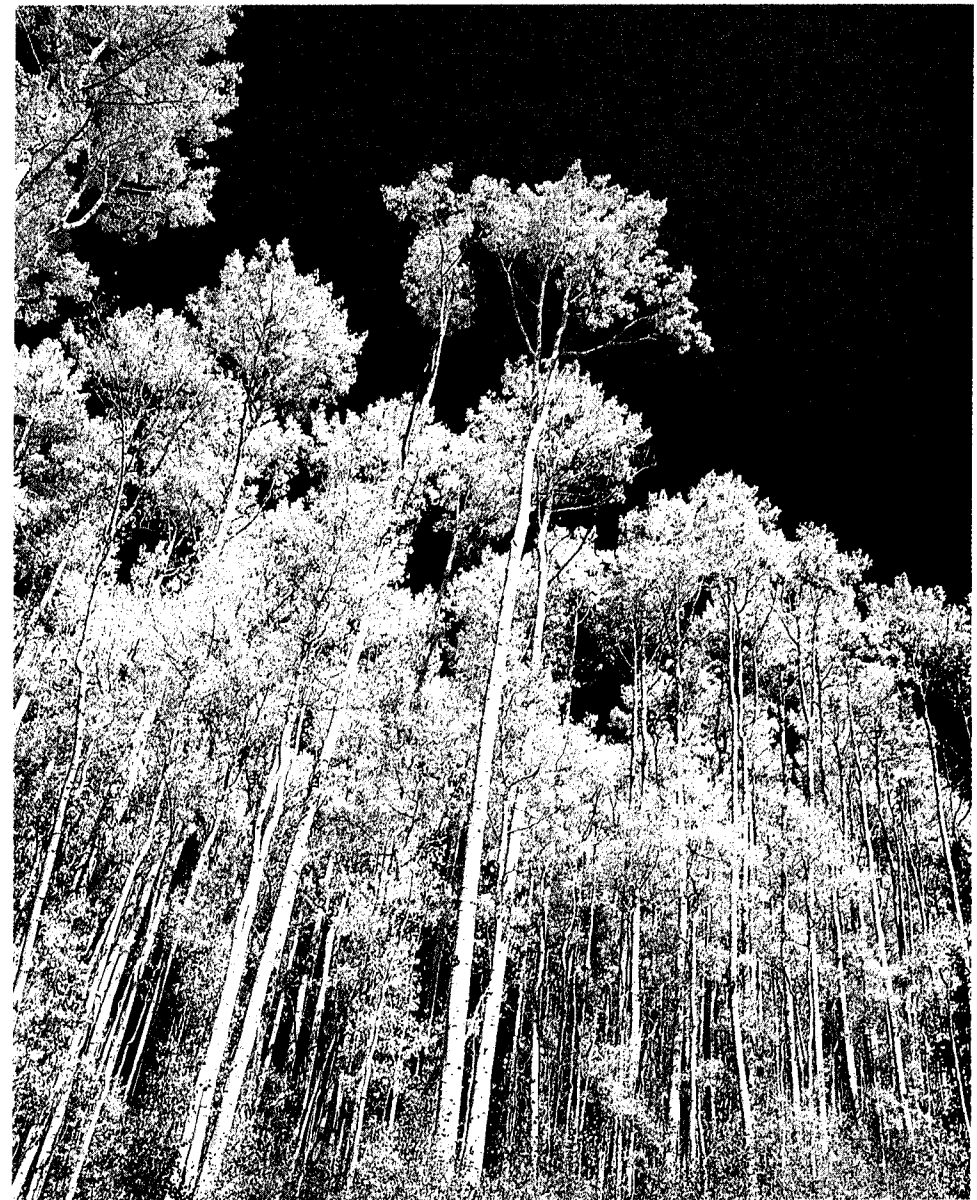
"Christ, the Lamb of God"

Bach

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Not that I speak in respect of want: for I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content.
Philippians 4:11

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November 14, 1999 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude “How Great Thou Art” Jones

*Processional Hymn “Glorious Things of The Are Spoken” #323

*Solemn Declaration

*Call to Worship Psalm 78

(L) Give ear, O my people, to my teaching;
incline your ears to the words of my mouth..

**(P) We will not hide the words from the children;
we will tell to the coming generation.**

(L) The glorious deeds of the lord, and his might,
and the wonders he has done.

**(P) He established a decree which we teach our children
they are not to forget the works of God but keep
God’s commandments.**

(You may be seated)

WE COME BEFORE A FORGIVING GOD

Prayer of Confession

All-knowing God, you are aware of our weakness to seek our own comfort. We ignore strangers in need as if they were no concern of ours. We resist programs that might threaten our privileges. We do only enough good to keep us from feeling guilty. We give grudgingly of our time and resources, instead of overflowing with thanksgiving and joyous sharing. We treat the Church as our possession rather than letting Christ rule as head of the body. Forgive us that we may delight in your will and walk in you ways. In Christ’s name. Amen

**Kyrie Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us
Lord, have mercy upon us.**

Assurance of Pardon

(L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel

(P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven

Responsive Praise

(L) O Lord, open my lips

(P) And my mouth shall show forth your praise

*Gloria Patri

492

(You may be seated)

Special Music

8:00 AM “Mansion Over the Hilltop”

Solo - Darlene Waters

10:30 AM “The Lord is My Light”

Senior Choir

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Collect

(L) Let us pray.....through Christ our Lord

(P) Amen

*Hymn “Crown Him With Many Crowns”

#176

Old Testament:

Judges 4:1-7, 12-16

(L) The Word of the Lord

(P) Thanks be to God

Epistle Lesson

1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

(L) The Word of the Lord

(P) Thanks be to God

*Gloria Tibi

“Glory Be to Thee, O Lord”

*Gospel Lesson

Matthew 25:14-30

*Laus Tibi

“Praise be to Thee, O Christ”

*Hymn

“Take My Life, And Let It Be”

#253

Sermon

“Will You Take A Risk?”

A special thank you to Ric Nyborg who will be giving the morning message.

A warm welcome to Rev. Joellenbeck who is our Worship Leader today! It is good to you back, Pastor!

Pastor Larry Fisher is on call until Thursday when Pastor Baker returns.

*Affirmation of Faith

Apostles’ Creed

p 38 Hymnal

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

(People may indicate needs for prayer and causes for thanksgiving)

Prayer Response

(P) Hear Our Prayer O Lord.... (repeat)

Incline thine ear to us and grant us thy peace. Amen.

Announcements and Concerns of the Church

(Announcements and information about programs and ministries)

Offering

Offertory *"Interlude"* *Haydn*

*Doxology #551

WE DEPART TO SERVE

*Commissioning and Benediction

*Processional Hymn into the World

"Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus" #290

(You may be seated)

Postlude *"O Praise the Lord"* *Croft*

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Psalm 31:15

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MEMORIAL SERVICE
Rev. Robert M. Armstrong

November 19, 1999

4:00 P.M.

***Prelude:**

***Processional Hymn:** "Through The Night of Doubt
and Sorrow" (insert)

***Solemn Declaration:**

(L) Christ is risen!

(P) He is risen in deed!

(L) Thanks be to God who giveth us the victory
over sin and death through our Lord Jesus
Christ.

(please be seated)

***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:** Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

***Assurance of Pardon:**

(L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel

(P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven

***Praise (Responsively):**

Leader: O Lord, open my lips

People: And my mouth shall show forth Your
Praise

***Gloria Patri** (please stand)

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to
the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning is
now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen

***Solo: Dolores Canoles "His Eye Is On The
Sparrow"**

***Hymn** "Eternal Father Strong to Save" (insert)

***Scripture Readings:** II Timothy 4:1-8/John 1:1-8

Rev. Corinne Baker, Interim Pastor

United Evangelical Church, U.C.C.

***Hymn** "Jerusalem The Golden" (insert)

Deacon Max Hoffmann

St. Michael Lutheran Church

Rev. 22:1-5 Romans 8:31-39

***Reflections:** Rev. Roy Joellenbeck, former
Minister of Visitation, United Evangelical Church

***Words from:** Rev. Herb Valentine, General
Presbyter of the Baltimore Presbytery, Rev. Dr.
John R. Deckenback, Central Atlantic Conference,
and Rev. Ron McLean, Chesapeake Association.

***Statement of Faith:**

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 Living God, He is the first and the
last, the beginning and the end. He is our Lord
and our God. **AMEN**

***Prayers:** by Rev. Roy Joellenbeck and Deacon Max
Hoffmann

***Lord's Prayer:** Solo - Dolores Canoles
Benediction

***Recessional Hymn:** "For All The Saints" (insert)

***Postlude**

There will be a procession outside the Church
going to St. Brigid's. "Amazing Grace" will be
used in the procession. (Bulletin Back)

I am the resurrection, and the life.

John 11:25

Amazing Grace



1. A - maz - ing grace! How sweet the sound that
2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and
3. Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I
4. The Lord has prom - ised good to me, his
5. Yea, when this flesh and heart shall fail, and
6. When we've been there ten thou - sand years, bright

saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but
grace my fears re - lieved; how pre - cious did that
have al - read - y come; 'tis grace hath brought me
word my hope se - cures; he will my shield and
mor - tal life shall cease, I shall pos - sess, with -
shin - ing as the sun, we've no less days to

now am found; was blind, but now I see.
grace ap - pear the hour I first be - lieved.
safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.
por - tion be, as long as life en - dures.
in the veil, a life of joy and peace.
sing God's praise than when we'd first be - gun.

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126TH ANNIVERSARY YEAR

November 21, 1999 8:00-10:30 AM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude:"Sheep May Safely Graze" Bach

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

***Solemn Declaration** #482

(you may be seated)

Call to Worship

L: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth. Worship the Lord with gladness;

P: Come into his presence with singing. Know that the Lord is God.

L: It is he that made us, and we are his; We are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

P: Enter his gates with thanksgiving, And his courts with praise. Give thanks to him, bless his name. For the Lord is good; His steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

(You may be seated)

TO CONFESS TO A FORGIVING CREATOR

Prayer of Confession

Eternal God, in every age you have raised up men and women to live and die in faith. We are unprepared to meet you, mighty God, but we cannot put off this encounter. You invite us to faithful discipleship to give glory to you by responding to the needs of our neighbor. We fear death, yet the saints that have gone before us have found rest with you. We shrink from life. This is our greatest sin, cutting ourselves off from you. God hear us and help us.

Kyrie Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon

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(P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven

Responsive Praise

(L) O Lord, open my lips

(P) And my mouth shall show forth your praise

***Gloria Patri**

#492

(You may be seated)

Special Music

8:00 a.m. "Have Thine Own Way Lord"

Dolores Canoles and Gloria Rohlfing

10:30 a.m. " Give A Cup of Water"

Senior Choir

Collect

(L) The Lord be with you,

(P) And with thy Spirit.

(L) Let us pray....through Christ our Lord

(P) Amen

General Prayer

(L) O Holy God....the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord.

(P) Amen

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

WE HEAR THE WORD OF THE LORD

Old Testament: Ezekiel 34:11-16,20-24

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

Epistle Lesson Ephesians 1:15-23

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

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

***Gospel Lesson** Matthew 25:31-46

***Laus Tibi "Praise Be to Thee, O Christ"**

***Hymn: "Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life"**

#394

Sermon "Saints, All of You"

REMEMBERING THOSE WHO HAVE ENTERED ETERNAL LIFE

Prayer of Thanksgiving For All Saints Day

(L) God of the ages, we praise you for all your servants, who have done justice, loved mercy, and walked humbly with their God. For apostles and martyrs and saints of every time and place, who in life and death have witnessed to your truth.

(P) **We praise you, O God.**

(L) For all your servants who have faithfully served you, witnessed bravely and died in faith, who still are shining lights in the world,

(P) **We praise you, O God.**

(L) For those no longer remembered, who earnestly sought you in darkness, who held fast to their faith in trial, and served others,

(P) **We praise you, O God.**

(L) For those we have known and loved, who by their faithful obedience, and steadfast hope, have shown the same mind that was in Christ, for the lives of your servants.

(P) **We praise you, O God.**

(L) Keep us grateful for their witness, and, like them eager to follow in the way of Christ. Then, at the last, bring us with them to share in the inheritance of the saints in light: through Jesus Christ, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

*Affirmation of Faith Apostles' Creed #38

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

Offering

Offertory "On Eagles Wings" arr Smith

*Doxology #551

(you may be seated)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Prayer Response

(P) Hear Our Prayer O Lord... (repeat) Incline thine ear to us and grant us thy peace. Amen

WE DEPART TO SERVE

CHARGE AND BLESSING

Processional Hymn Into the World "For All The Saints" #418

(you may be seated)

Postlude "For All The Saints" Held



*And he said unto them, Take heed, and beware of covetousness: for a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth.
Luke 12:15*

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November 25, 1999 **Thanksgiving Day** 10:00 AM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude “We Gather Together” Held

***Processional Hymn** “We Gather Together “ (see insert)

***Solemn Declaration**

***Call to Worship** Psalm 107

(L) O give thanks to God for all the goodness we are shown!

God’s steadfast love endures forever!

(P) **We come from the east and the west, the north and the south, to give God thanks and praise!**

(L) We once were a wandering desert people, hungry and thirsty.

(P) **God turned a desert into lakes, and gave the hungry a home. The people sow fields and plant vineyards, and get a fruitful yield. Let the people thank God.**

(You may be seated)

WE COME BEFORE A FORGIVING GOD

Prayer of Confession

God of boundless grace, we confess that, more often than we would want to admit, we are shamefully ungrateful people, who take for granted the countless blessings that you have showered upon us, including the greatest gift, your love for us in Jesus Christ. Forgive us, O God, and sow in us a proper sense of gratitude. Teach us to give thanks to you always and everywhere in recognition of how fortunate we are. Help us be your people that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways. In Christ’s name. Amen

Kyrie Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon

(L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel

(P) **In Jesus Christ we are forgiven**

Responsive Praise

(L) O Lord, open my lips

(P) **And my mouth shall show forth your praise**

***Gloria Patri**

492

(You may be seated)

Special Music “For the Beauty of the Earth”

Senior Choir

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Collect

(L) Let us pray.....through Christ our Lord (P) Amen

***Hymn** “Come, Ye Thankful, People Come” #434

Oid Testament:

Deuteronomy 8:1,3-10, 17-18

(L) The Word of the Lord

(P) **Thanks be to God**

Epistle Lesson

Philippians 4:4-9, 12-13, 19-20

(L) The Word of the Lord

(P) **Thanks be to God**

Lector: George Nassner

***Gloria Tibi**

“Glory Be to Thee, O Lord”

***Gospel Lesson**

Matthew 6:25-33

***Laus Tibi**

“Praise be to Thee, O Christ”

*** A Thanksgiving Prayer**

(L) Let us give thanks to God for Jesus.

(P) **We give thanks for the events of Jesus’ life that make up our past --- His teaching that instructed us. His praying that inspired us. His death that saved us. His resurrection that assured us.**

(L) We give thanks for Jesus’ life, which fills our present -- His comfort for all who grow weary. His consolation for all who grieve. His love for all who exist. His peace for all who are at war with themselves or with others. His salvation for each person who seeks it.

(P) **We give thanks for the promise of Jesus’ life, which gives hope to our future -- His assurance that we will not be left alone. His explanation that discipleship is not dependent on our**

discipleship is not dependent on our accomplishments. His pledge to be with us always -- in all situations and at all times.

(L) Thanks be to you, O God, for Jesus -- for his life in the past, present, and future; for his life, which gives us life.

*Hymn "God Bless America" (music available at center aisle)

Sermon "What, Me Worry?"

*Affirmation of Faith Apostles' Creed p 38 Hymnal

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

Prayers of the People, of Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer

(People may indicate needs for prayer and causes for thanksgiving)

After each prayer phrase of thanksgiving by the pastor,

the congregational response is:

(P) We thank you, O Lord.

Prayer Response

(P) Hear Our Prayer O Lord.... (repeat)

Incline thine ear to us and grant us thy peace. Amen.

Announcements and Concerns of the Church

(Announcements and information about programs and ministries)

Offering

Offertory "For the Beauty of the Earth" Hustad

*Doxology #551

WE DEPART TO SERVE

*Commissioning and Benediction

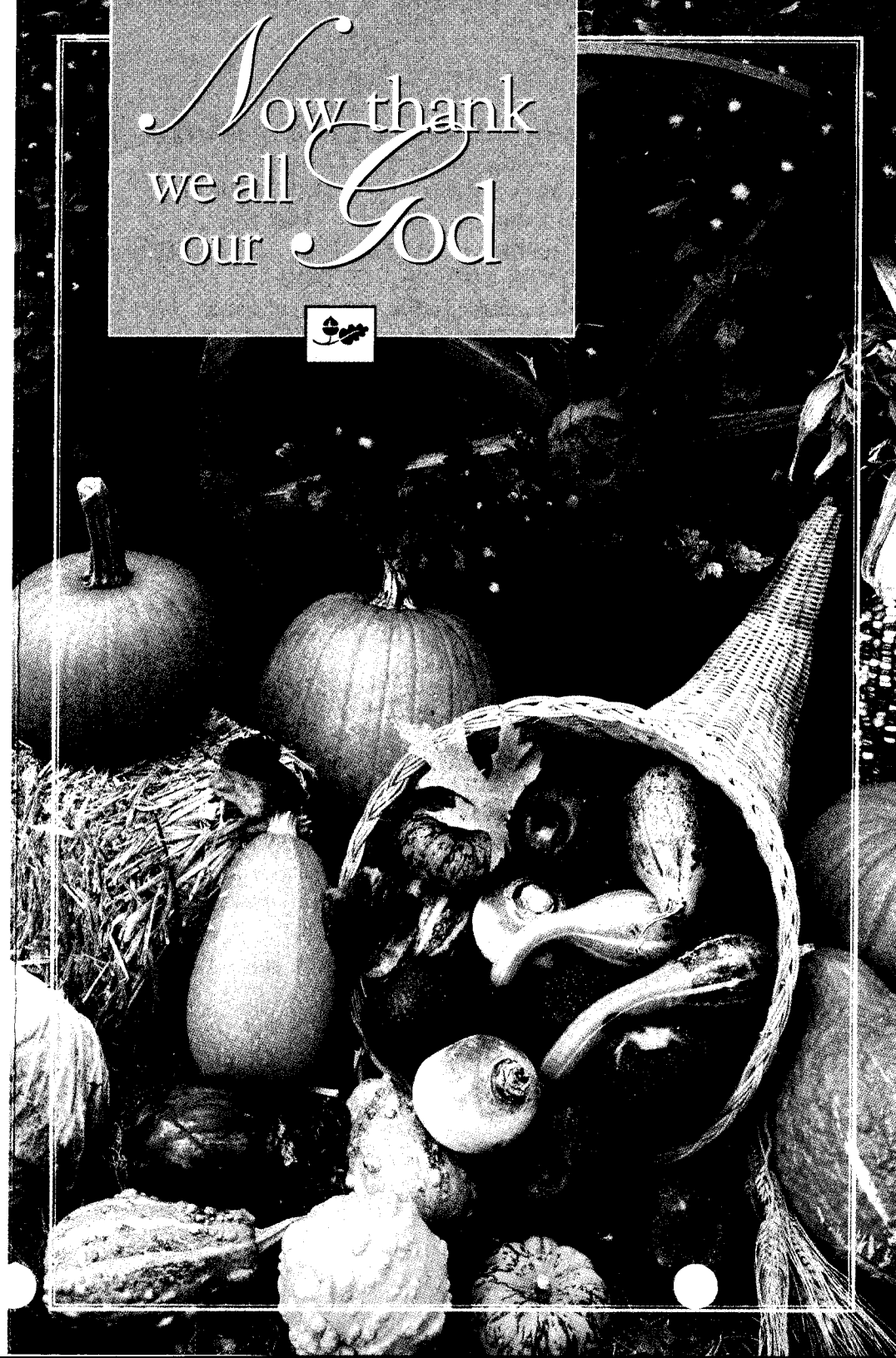
*Processional Hymn Into the World "America the Beautiful"

#443

Postlude "Now Thank We All Our God" Karg-Eiert

*If able, please rise

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November 28, 1999 First Sunday in Advent 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude "What Is This Fragrance?" Jones

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

***Solemn Declaration**

***Call to Worship** Psalm 80

(L) Give ear, O Shepherd of Israel,
Stir up your might, and come to save us!

(P) Restore us, O God;
Let your face shine, that we may be saved.

(L) Let your hand be upon the one at your right hand.

(P) Give us life, and we will call on your name.
Let us praise the One who grants us the gift of life.

WE COME BEFORE A FORGIVING GOD

Prayer of Confession

O God, so often as we have entered the season of Advent our words may have spoken of expectation but our hearts have been empty and hopeless. We have blamed you for hiding from us, rather than admitting we have failed to see you in the thousands of ways you are revealing yourself every day. Forgive us, Lord, and in these weeks to come rekindle in our souls that fire only the presence of Your Holy Spirit brings.

Help us be your people that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways. In Christ's name. Amen

Kyrie Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon

(L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel

(P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven

Responsive Praise

(L) O Lord, open my lips

(P) And my mouth shall show forth your praise

***Gloria Patri**

492

Lighting of the Advent Candle of Hope

(L) Today is the beginning of Advent -- the preparation time for celebrating Christ's birth. We are here because God's promises to our ancestors came true when Jesus was born. God's promise is kept each Sunday when we worship because Christ is in our midst.

(P) We light this candle to proclaim the coming of the light of God into the world. With the coming of this light there is *hope*. Because of Christ we not only have *hope*, but we believe that good is stronger than evil. God wants us to work for good in this world.

(L) Let us pray.

(P) O God, we thank you that Jesus brought hope into our world. By the good news of the Bible you are still bringing hope to people. Help us to be ready to welcome Jesus Christ so that we may think good thoughts and do good deeds and be a people of hope in our world. Amen

Special Music

8:00 a.m. "How Great Thou Art"

George Finerty and Baptist Hoffmann

10:30 a.m. "E'en So Lord Jesus Quickly Come"

Senior Choir

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Collect (L) Let us pray... through Christ our Lord (P) Amen

***Hymn** "Watchman, Tell Us of the Night" #91

Old Testament:

Isaiah 64:1-9

(L) The Word of the Lord

(P) Thanks be to God

Epistle Lesson

1 Corinthians 1:3-9

(L) The Word of the Lord

(P) Thanks be to God

***Gloria Tibi**

"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"

***Gospel Lesson**

Mark 13:24-37

***Laus Tibi**

"Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

Hymn "Change My Heart, O God" (see insert)

Sermon "Wake Up!"

The Sacrament of Baptism p 8 Worship Book

*Affirmation of Faith Apostles' Creed p 38 Hymnal

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer
(People may indicate needs for prayer and causes for thanksgiving)

Prayer Response

(P) Hear Our Prayer O Lord.... (repeat)
Incline thine ear to us and grant us thy peace. Amen.

Announcements and Concerns of the Church
(Announcements and information about programs and ministries)

Offering

Offertory "Pastorale" Spong

*Doxology #551

WE DEPART TO SERVE

*Commissioning and Benediction

*Processional Hymn Into the World "Rejoice, Rejoice
Believers" #99

Postlude "Saviour of the Nations Come" Bach

*If able, please rise

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December 5, 1999 Second Sunday in Advent 7:45 AM and 10:30 AM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude "Comfort Ye, My People" Handel

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

*Solemn Declaration

*Call to Worship Psalm 85

(L) Let us hear what God the Lord will speak,
For the Lord will speak peace to his people,

(P) **Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet;
Righteousness and peace will kiss each other.**

(L) Faithfulness will spring up from the ground,
And righteousness will look down from the sky.

(P) **Let us worship the Lord who will give what is good.**

WE COME BEFORE A FORGIVING GOD

Prayer of Confession

God of glory, we confess that we have not recognized you in our midst nor listened for your voice. We have lived as if we have no need to account for the life we have been given. Our church is focused more on our own survival than on its mission in the world. We come to you with sincere repentance for our neglect. Help us extend peace to others and thus show our love for you. Amen

Kyrie Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon

(L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel
(P) **In Jesus Christ we are forgiven**

Responsive Praise

(L) O Lord, open my lips
(P) **And my mouth shall show forth your praise**

*Gloria Patri # 492

Lighting of the Advent Candle of Hope and Peace

(L) We light these advent candles as a sign of the coming light of Christ. Advent means coming. We are preparing ourselves for the days when the nations "shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into punning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more." Isa.2:4

(P) **We relight the candle of Hope and light a new candle to proclaim the coming of the light of God into the world. With the coming of this light there is peace, for Christ is called the "Prince of Peace." Christ's name is also Emmanuel, "God with us." The presence of Christ with us gives us peace day by day.**

(L) Let us pray.

(P) **Eternal God, we thank you that through all the years you have given peace to your people. Help us to have your peace in our lives. We pray that, in this Advent season, we may, by what we do, show your presence to the sick, to the hungry, and to the lonely, so that they too may have peace. Amen**

Special Music

7:45 a.m. "He Shall Feed His Flock"
Solo - Dolores Canoles

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

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Collect (L) Let us pray... through Christ our Lord (P) Amen

*Hymn "There's A Voice in the Wilderness Crying" #94

Old Testament: Isaiah 40:1-11
(L) The Word of the Lord (P) Thanks be to God

Epistle Lesson 2 Peter 3:8-15a
(L) The Word of the Lord (P) Thanks be to God

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

*Gospel Lesson Mark 1:1-8

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

*Hymn "Angels We Have Heard On High" #105
Sermon "The Wilderness Messenger"
*Affirmation of Faith Apostles' Creed p 38 Hymnal

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

(Prayer Request Sheet to indicate need for prayer and thanksgiving is in Narthex)

Prayer Response

(P) Hear Our Prayer O Lord.... (repeat)

Incline thine ear to us and grant us thy peace. Amen.

Announcements and Concerns of the Church

(Announcements and information about programs and ministries)

Offering

Offertory "Pastorale" Spong

*Doxology #551

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

* Invitation and Communion Prayer

(L) The Lord be with you

(P) And also with you

(L) Lift up your hearts

(P) We lift them to the Lord, our God

(L) Let us give thanks unto the Lord

(P) It is right to give God thanks and praise

Communion Prayer and The Lord's Prayer (P. 8 Worship Book)

Presentation of the Gifts

(L) Receive now the gifts of the Lord

(P) The gifts of God for the people of God!

Breaking of the Bread and Pouring of the Cup

Sharing the Elements and Prayer of Thanksgiving

WE DEPART TO SERVE

*Commissioning and Benediction

*Processional Hymn Into the World "Arise, the Kingdom is At Hand" #93

Postlude "From Heaven Above I Hither Come" Bach

*If able, please rise

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December 12, 1999 Third Sunday in Advent 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude “Prelude on Divinum Mysterium” Candlyn

*Processional Hymn “O Come, O Come, Emmanuel” #88

*Solemn Declaration

*Call to Worship Psalm 126

(L) When the Lord restored the fortunes of Zion,
we were like those who dream.

(P) Then our mouth was filled with laughter,
and our tongue with shouts of joy;

(L) Those who go out weeping shall come home with shouts of joy.

(P) The Lord has done great things for us. Rejoice!

WE COME BEFORE A FORGIVING GOD

Prayer of Confession

Holy God, we confess that it is not easy to wait for you. We worry over matters of little importance. We recognize that we have been more concerned for our own welfare than for the building up of Christ's body, the church. In our congregation, we have focused on survival more than service. We leave little room for you to act in our lives. Forgive us, and show us how to clear a path for you. Come to us in your Christ, and reveal your reign on earth. Amen

Kyrie Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon

(L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel
(P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven

Responsive Praise

(L) O Lord, open my lips

(P) And my mouth shall show forth your praise

*Gloria Patri

492

Lighting of the Advent Candle of Hope, Peace *and* Joy

(L) Soon we shall celebrate the birth of Jesus. We worship God with joy in our hearts as we are reminded of the words the angel said on that first Christmas Day.

(P) “Behold, I bring you good news of a great joy which will come to all people.” Today we will light the third candle, the pink candle of joy.

(L) Let us now relight the first candle of hope, remembering that hope in God will never disappoint us.

(P) We also relight the second candle of peace remembering that we are called to be peacemakers.

The peace of God which passes all human understanding is open to all people.

(L) We now light the pink candle to proclaim that with the coming of the light there is joy, joy that is ours not only at Christmas but always.

(P) O Holy God, as Christmas draws near, help us to have the joy that does not depend on earthly happiness but on you. Help us to be filled with your joy so that we may share it with a joyless world. Amen

Special Music

8:00 a.m. “Bells in the Church Steeple Ringing”

Solo - Darlene Waters

10:30 a.m. “Will We Know Him?”

Senior Choir

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Collect (L) Let us pray... through Christ our Lord (P) Amen

*Hymn “Behold A Branch Is Growing” (verses 1 and 2) #113

Old Testament: Isaiah 61:1-4,8-11
(L) The Word of the Lord (P) Thanks be to God

Epistle Lesson 1 Thessalonians 5:16-24
(L) The Word of the Lord (P) Thanks be to God

*Gloria Tibi "Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"
*Gospel Lesson John 1:6-8, 19-28
*Laus Tibi "Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn "On Jordan's Bank the Baptist's Cry" #95

Sermon "And Joy Shall Unfold"

*Affirmation of Faith Apostles' Creed p 38 Hymnal

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

(Prayer Request Sheet to indicate need for prayer and thanksgiving is in Narthex)

Prayer Response

(P) Hear Our Prayer O Lord.... (repeat)
Incline thine ear to us and grant us thy peace. Amen.

Announcements and Concerns of the Church

(Announcements and information about programs and ministries)

Offering

Offertory "O Come, O Come Emmanuel" Hymns

*Doxology #551

WE DEPART TO SERVE

*Commissioning and Benediction

*Processional Hymn Into the World "Joy To The World" #120

Postlude "Noel" D'Acquin

*If able, please rise

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that you make us rejoice

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December 19, 1999 Fourth Sunday in Advent 8:00 10:30 AM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude "My Soul Doth Magnify the Lord" Bach

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

*Solemn Declaration

*Call to Worship Psalm 89

(L) I will sing of your steadfast love O Lord, forever;
with my mouth, I will proclaim your faithfulness to all.

(P) You said, 'I have made a covenant with my chosen one,'

(L) 'I have sworn to my servant David.'

(P) 'I will establish your descendants forever,
and build your throne for all generations.'

WE COME BEFORE A FORGIVING GOD

Prayer of Confession

O God of compassion, have mercy upon us. You send forth your Spirit, yet we ignore your counsel. Christ dwells among us, yet we fail to obey him. We sing of peace on earth, yet hostility continues. Angels herald good tidings, yet we commit deeds that alienate us from you and one another. Forgive our deliberate and indirect misuse of your graciousness, and make us worthy to receive Christ's peace in our lives. Amen

Kyrie Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon

(L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel

(P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven

Responsive Praise

(L) O Lord, open my lips

(P) And my mouth shall show forth your praise

*Gloria Patri

492

Lighting of the Advent Candles of Hope, Peace, Joy, Love

(L) We come to relight the candles of *Hope, Peace* and *Joy*. We light them remembering that they are a sign of the coming light of Christ.

(P) **The first candle of *hope* reminds us that Jesus Christ is the hope of our future.**

(L) The second candle of *peace* reminds us that the Prophet Isaiah foretold that the "wolf shall dwell with the lamb, the leopard shall lie down with the kid, and the calf and the lion and the fatling together, and a little child shall lead them."

(P) **In relighting the third *joy* candle we remember the words of Isaiah who said, "The wilderness and the dry land shall rejoice and blossom; like the crocus it shall blossom abundantly, and rejoice with singing."**

(L) On this fourth Sunday of Advent, we light the candle of *love*, remembering the words of John who wrote, "God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten son, that whoever believes in him shall have everlasting life." Isaiah writes, "The Lord will give you a sign. Look, the young woman is with child and shall bear a son, and shall name him Immanuel (God is with us)."

(P) **O God of love, we gather here to hope, to beome peacemakers, to rejoice, to love. With your presence we will go away renewed, refreshed, enlightened, changed. Let us know the presence of Christ as symbolized by these lights. O Diving God let us know your love, as you transform us. Amen**

Special Music

8:00 a.m. "Will We Know Him?"

Senior Choir

10:30 a.m. "The Birthday of a King"

Solo - Dolores Canoles

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Collect (L) Let us pray... through Christ our Lord (P) Amen

*Hymn "O Little Town of Bethlehem"

#108

PEACE

Old Testament:

(L) The Word of the Lord

Epistle Lesson

(L) The Word of the Lord

2 Samuel 7:1-11, 16

(P) Thanks be to God

Romans 16:25-27

(P) Thanks be to God

*Gloria Tibi

"Glory Be to Thee, O Lord"

*Gospel Lesson

Luke 1:26-38

*Laus Tibi

"Praise be to Thee, O Christ"

*Hymn "Mr Soul gives Glory to My God" - (See Insert)

Sermon

"The Grand Announcement"

Installation of 2000 Council Officers and Members (p 18 Worship B.)

*Affirmation of Faith

Apostles' Creed p 38 Hymnal

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

(Prayer Request Sheet to indicate need for prayer and thanksgiving is in Narthex)

Prayer Response

(P) Hear Our Prayer O Lord.... (repeat)

Incline thine ear to us and grant us thy peace. Amen.

Announcements and Concerns of the Church

(Announcements and information about programs and ministries)

Offering

Offertory

"Pastorale"

Song

*Doxology

#551

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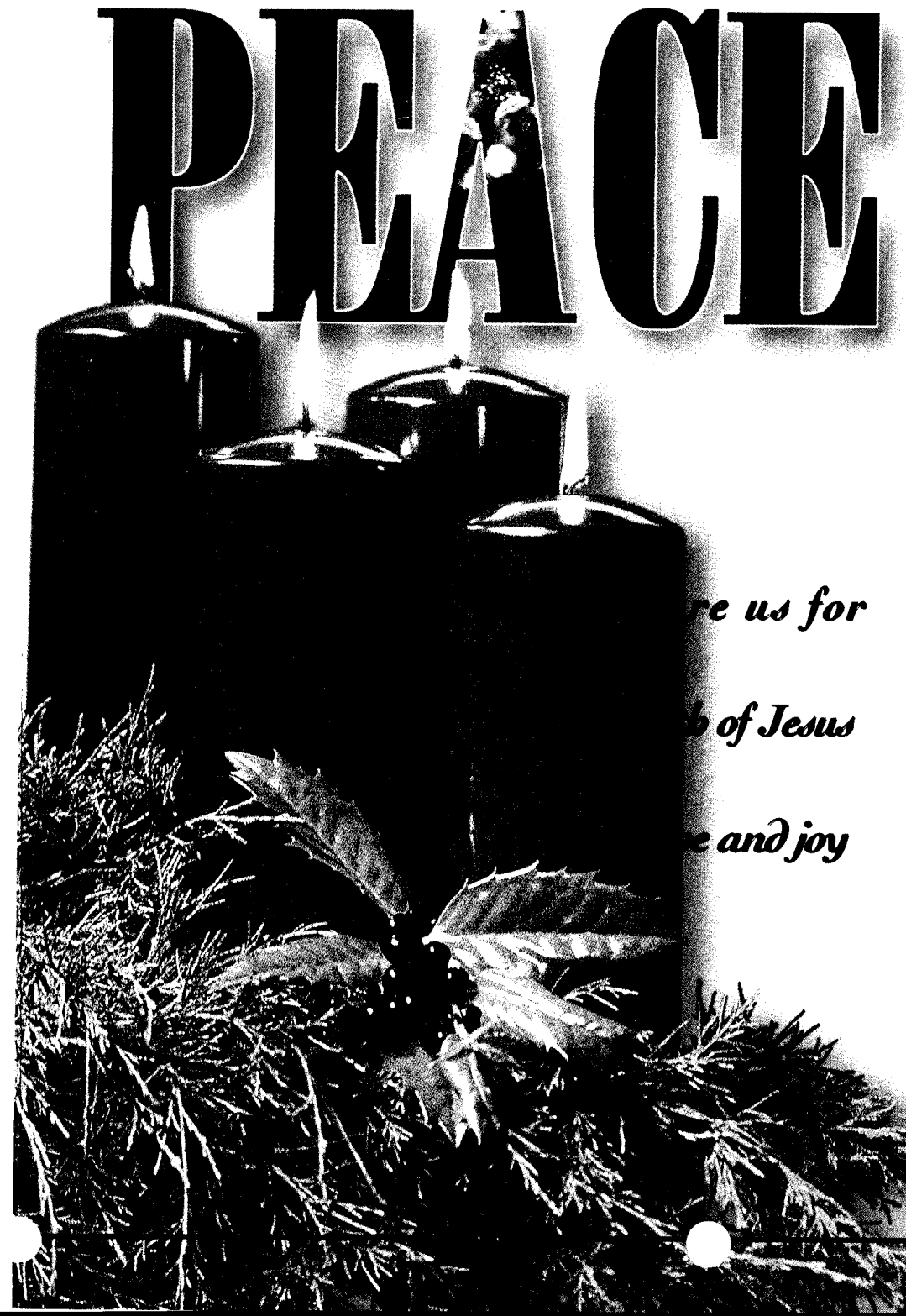
*Commissioning and Benediction

*Processional Hymn Into the World "Hark, the Herald Angels

Sing" #102

Postlude "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing" Innes

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December 24, 1999 Christmas Eve 7:30 PM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" Schnutz

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

*Solemn Declaration

*Call to Worship Psalm 96

(L) "O sing to the Lord a new song:
The splendor of God has been revealed among us.
A child has come to change all our ways.

(P) We who have walked in the shadows
have seen the light."

(L) Authority has been assigned to the Wonderful Counselor.

(P) "Worship the Lord in holy splendor;
For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;"

Special Music "Come To The Stable" Senior Choir
Jim Kimos, Directing

A Time or Intercessory Prayer

Special Music "Mary Did You Know" Senior Choir
Jim Kimos, Directing; Francis Ganbin, Clarinet

EMMANUEL -- GOD WITH US

Reader: Isaiah 42: 5-7; 60:1 Jennifer Myrick
"The Servant, a Light to the Nations"

Carol "Angels, From the Realms of Glory" # 104 vs. 1
(Congregation remains seated)

Reader: Matthew 1: 18-23 Kristina Jackson
The birth of Jesus

Carol "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" # 88 vs. 1
(Congregation remains seated)

Lighting of the Advent Candles of Hope, Peace, Joy, Love

(L) Let us rejoice in God our Savior, who has done great things for us,
and for all people. As we light the candles of *hope, peace, joy and love*, let us ponder what Christ's coming means to each one of us.

(P) In an age when people so seldom find hope, peace,
joy and love, we come to echo the ancient words of
promise and announce "Good Tidings of Great Joy:"
that unto us is born a Savior, Christ the Lord.

(L) Let us pray. We thank you, God, for your gift of Jesus Christ. We
thank you that Christ's coming makes *hope, peace, joy and love*
possible for every person. Enable us to be your light to all
who walk in darkness and loneliness.

(P) In the name of Jesus the new born Christ Child we pray.

Reader: "Emmanuel" Jennifer Myrick
An Interpretation

Reader: Luke 2:1-7 Kristina Jackson
Luke's account of the birth of Jesus

Reader: "The Innkeeper" Jennifer Myrick
An Interpretation

*Carol "Away In A Manger" #109 vs. 1,2,3

Reader: Luke 2:8-14 Pastor Baker
The birth announcement to the shepherds

Carol "It Came Upon The Midnight Clear" # 107 vs. 1
(Congregation remains seated)

Reader: "The Shepherd's Vision" Pastor Baker
An Interpretation

A Message for All God's Children Pastor Baker

Reader: Matthew 2:1-11 William Single III
The visit of the Wise Men

Carol: "What Child Is This?" (Congregation remains seated)
 What Child is This, who laid to rest,
 On Mary's lap is sleeping?
 Whom angels greet with anthems sweet,
 While shepherds watch are keeping?
 This, this is Christ the King,
 Whom shepherds guard and angels sing:
 This, this is Christ the King,
 The babe, the Son of Mary.

Reader: "Gifts for the Holy Child" William Single III

Offering (With thanksgiving for God's gift, let us return to God the offerings of our life and the gifts of the earth. Let us pray silently for the work of the church.)

Offertory "Do You Hear What I Hear?"
 Solo - Jim Kimos

Reader: Luke 2:21-24; 39-40 Ric Nyborg
 Naming and presentation of Jesus at the Temple

*Hymn: "We Would See Jesus" #456 vs. 1, 2

Reader: Luke 4:14-17 Lori Pijanowski
 The Voice of Jesus Geroge Nassner

Reader: "Jesus Not Recognized" Lori Pijanowski

Hymn: "We Would See Jesus" #456 vs. 3, 4
 (Congregation remains seated)

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

(L) The Lord be with you
 (P) And also with you.
 (L) Lift up your hearts.
 (P) We lift them up to the Lord.
 (L) Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
 (P) It is right to give our thanks and praise.
 (L) It is truly right and our greatest joy to give you thanks....
 (The pastor continues the prayer, leading to these words)

...Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with the celestial choirs and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of your name singing.

(P) Holy, holy, holy, God of power and might,
 heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

(L) Gracious God, who called us from death to life, pour out your Holy Spirit upon us (Here the pastor continues the prayer)remain his glad and faithful people until we feast with him in glory.

(P) O God, as you gave birth to your church and made with us a new covenant by water and the Spirit, we give ourselves to you; and with the church through all the ages, we thank you for your saving love in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(L) And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray together: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

Presentation of the Gifts by Council Members

(L) Receive now the gifts of the Lord

(P) The gifts of God for the people of God!

Breaking of the Bread and Pouring of the Cup

(L) Friends, this is the joyful feast of the people of God!....

....Our Savior invites those who trust him to share the feast which he has prepared.

(L) The Lord Jesus, on the night of his arrest, took bread....

....The gifts of God for the people of God. Jesus said: I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

Sharing the Elements and Prayer of Thanksgiving

(After the choir has been served, sanctuary ushers will signal for one row of people ON BOTH sides to come forward simultaneously. You will receive the bread from the pastor, and the cup from a Council member. After depositing your cup in the empty tray, you may return to your seat.)

Prayer After Communion

Gracious God, a child has been born for us, a son given to us, authority rests upon his shoulder, and he is named: Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. As the Word, Jesus Christ, became flesh to live among us, use us to testify to the true light that has come into the world, as we become examples and messengers of your love. Help us to be his faithful disciples so that in our daily living, our love becomes your love reaching out in service into the life of the world, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Hymn "We Would See Jesus" # 456 vs. 5
(Congregation remains seated)
All Readers "Emmanuel Among Us Today"

Lighting of the Christ Candle and Lighting of the People's Candles

(The Ushers Candles will be lighted from the Christ Candle and passed to each pew until all candles are lighted.)

TO LIGHT YOUR UNLIT CANDLE, TILT IT AND LIGHT FROM THE UPRIGHT LIGHTED CANDLE. ALWAYS HOLD LIGHTED CANDLES UP-RIGHT! PARENTS PLEASE SUPERVISE YOUNG CHILDREN)

Carol "Silent Night, Holy Night" (congregation remains seated)
1) Silent night, holy night! 2) Silent night, holy night!
All is calm, all is bright, Shepherds quake at the sight,
Round yon virgin mother and child, Glories stream from heaven afar,
Holy infant so tender and mild; Heavenly hosts sing "Alleluia"
Sleep in heavenly peace, (repeat) Christ the Savior is born, (repeat)

3) Silent night, holy night! 4) Silent night, holy night!
Son of God, love's pure light Wonderous star, lend thy light;
Radiant beams from Thy holy face, With the angels let us sing,
With the dawn of redeeming grace, Alleluia to our King;
Jesus, Lord at Thy birth, (repeat) Christ the Savior is born (repeat)

WE DEPART TO SERVE

*Commissioning and Benediction

*(Carefully extinguish candles, taking care not to spill hot wax.
Please extinguish children's candles for them)
(As you leave, share the joyous greeting with all you see:)
CHRIST IS BORN! ALLELUIA!*

*Processional Hymn Into the World "Joy To The World"

- 1) Joy to the World! the Lord is come:
Let earth receive her King;
Let every heart prepare Him room,
And heaven and nature sing, (repeat)
- 2) Joy to the earth! the Saviour reigns:
Let men their songs employ;
While fields and floods, rocks, hills, and plains
And wonders of His love, (repeat)
- 3) He rules the world with truth and grace,
And makes the nations prove
The glories of His righteousness,
And wonders of His love, (repeat)

Postlude "Noel" D'Aquin

*If able, please rise

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December 24, 1999 Christmas Eve 11:00 PM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" Schnutz

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

*Solemn Declaration

*Call to Worship Psalm 96

(L) "O sing to the Lord a new song:
The splendor of God has been revealed among us.
A child has come to change all our ways.

(P) We who have walked in the shadows
have seen the light."

(L) Authority has been assigned to the Wonderful Counselor.

(P) "Worship the Lord in holy splendor;
For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;"

Carol "Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming" #113 vs. 1, 2, 3
German Carol 15th Century (congregation remains seated)

A Time of Intercessory Prayer

Special Music "Were You There On That Christmas Night?"
Solo -- Dolores Canoles

The Service of Lessons and Carols

The Festival of Lessons and Carols was originally prepared for use in Truro Cathedral in England in the 19th century and was adapted for use in King's College Chapel, Cambridge, in 1918. The lessons outlining God's plan for salvation blended with carols in the light of candles has become a familiar service in many churches. Listen for the stories of Isaiah, Micah, Gabriel's visit to Mary, the shepherds and Wise Men at Jesus' birth, and John's account.

Reader One: Isaiah 9:2, 6-7 Lance Luckhardt
The Messiah's birth and kingdom are foretold by Isaiah

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

(L) Gracious God, who called us from death to life, pour out your Holy Spirit upon us ...*(Here the pastor continues the prayer)*... remain his glad and faithful people until we feast with him in glory.

(P) O God, as you gave birth to your church and made with us a new covenant by water and the Spirit, we give ourselves to you; and with the church through all the ages, we thank you for your saving love in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(L) And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray together. Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

Presentation of the Gifts by Council Members

(L) Receive now the gifts of the Lord.

(P) The gifts of God for the people of God!

Breaking of the Bread and Pouring of the Cup

(L) Friends, this is the joyful feast of the people of God!....

(The pastor continues the prayer, leading to these words)....Our Savior invites those who trust him to share the feast which he has prepared.

(L) The Lord Jesus, on the night of his arrest, took bread....

(Here the pastor continues the prayer leading to these words)....

The gifts of God for the people of God. Jesus said: I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

Sharing the Elements and Prayer of Thanksgiving

(The ushers will guide your row to the altar)

Prayer After Communion

Gracious God, a child has been born for us, a son given to us, authority rests upon his shoulder, and he is named: Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Use us to testify to the true light. Help us to be his faithful disciples so that in our daily living, our love becomes your love reaching out into the life of the world, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Lighting of the Christ Candle John 1:1-14 Pastor Baker

Unison Prayer

Eternal God, this holy night is radiant with the brilliance of your one true light. As we light the Christ candle, we think about what Christ's coming means to each one of us and to our community, for Jesus Christ is the greatest gift who makes all other gifts possible. It is in His name we pray. Amen.

Carol "Joy To The World" *(Congregation remains seated)*
Joy to the World! the Lord is come:
Let earth receive her King;
Let every heart prepare Him room,
And heaven and nature sing, (repeat)

The Lighting of the Candles Readings from Genesis and Ephesians

(The Ushers Candles will be lighted from the Christ Candle and passed to each pew until all candles are lighted.)

TO LIGHT YOUR UNLIT CANDLE, TILT IT AND LIGHT FROM THE UPRIGHT LIGHTED CANDLE. ALWAYS HOLD LIGHTED CANDLES UPRIGHT! Please supervise children.

Carol "Silent Night, Holy Night" (congregation remains seated)
1) Silent night, holy night! 2) Silent night, holy night!
All is calm, all is bright, Shepherds quake at the sight,
Round yon virgin mother and child, Glories stream from heaven afar,
Holy infant so tender and mild; Heavenly hosts sing "Alleluia"
Sleep in heavenly peace, (repeat) Christ the Savior is born, (repeat)

*Carol "O How Shall I Receive Thee" #100 vs. 1, 2

Reader Two: Micah 5:2-4 Darlene Waters
The prophet Micah foretells the birth of the Messiah

Carol "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" *(remain seated)* # 88 vs. 1

Lighting of the Advent Candles of Hope, Peace, Joy, Love

(L) Let us rejoice in God our Savior, who has done great things for us, and for all people. As we light the candles of *hope, peace, joy* and *love*, let us ponder what Christ's coming means to each one of us.

(P) In an age when people so seldom find hope, peace, joy and love, we come to echo the ancient words of promise and announce "Good Tidings of Great Joy:" that unto us is born a Savior, Christ the Lord.

(L) Let us pray. We thank you, God, for your gift of Jesus Christ. We thank you that Christ's coming makes *hope, peace, joy and love* possible for every person. Enable us to be your light to all who walk in darkness and loneliness.

(P) In the name of Jesus the new born Christ Child we pray.

Carol "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" *(remain seated)* # 88 vs. 2, 3

Reader Three Luke 1:26, 35--38 Pastor Baker
The angel Gabriel visits the blessed Virgin Mary

Carol "Away In A Manger" *(congregation remain seated)* # 109 vs. 1

Reader Four Matthew 1:18-23 Darlene Waters
Matthew's account of the birth of Jesus

Reader Five Luke 2:1-7 Pastor Baker
Luke's account of the birth of Jesus

*Carol "Away In A Manger" # 109 vs. 2, 3

Reader Six: Luke 2:8-14 Stanley Huber
The shepherds go to the manger

A Message for All God's Children

Pastor Baker

Reader Seven: Matthew 2:1-11 Stanley Huber
The Wise Men are led to Jesus by the star

*Carol: "What Child Is This?" *(congregation remains seated)*
What Child is This, who laid to rest,
On Mary's lap is sleeping?
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet,
While shepherds watch are keeping?
This, this is Christ the King,
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing:
This, this is Christ the King,
The babe, the Son of Mary.

Offering *(Let us return to God the offerings of our life and the gifts of the earth. With thanksgiving and celebration for God's gift of a Savior, born this day in Bethlehem, let us pray silently that our offering will enhance the work of Christ's Church.)*

Offertory "Still Her Little Child"
Solo - Dolores Canoles

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

(L) The Lord be with you.

(P) And also with you.

(L) Lift up your hearts

(P) We lift them up to the Lord.

(L) Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

(P) It is right to give our thanks and praise.

(L) It is truly right and our greatest joy to give you thanks...*(The pastor continues the prayer, leading to these words)...*

...Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with the celestial choirs and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of your name singing,

(P) Holy, holy, holy, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.

3) Silent night, holy night!
Son of God, love's pure light
Radiant beams from Thy holy face,
With the dawn of redeeming grace,
Jesus, Lord at Thy birth, (repeat)

4) Silent night, holy night!
Wonderous star, lend thy light;
With the angels let us sing,
Alleluia to our King;
Christ the Savior is born(repeat)

WE DEPART TO SERVE

*Commissioning and Benediction
(Carefully extinguish candles, taking care not to spill hot wax.)

Postlude "Noel" D'Aquin
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Prelude “Silent Night” arr. Innes

*Processional Hymn “Hark the Herald Angels Sing” #102

*Solemn Declaration

*Call to Worship Psalm 148

(L) Praise the Lord! Praise him, all his angels;
praise him in the heights!

(P) Let them praise the name of the Lord,
for he commanded and they were created.

(L) Kings of the earth and all peoples, princes and all rulers
young men and women alike, old and young together!

Let them praise the name of the Lord, for his name is exalted.

(P) He has raised up a horn for his people,
Praise the Lord!

WE COME BEFORE A FORGIVING GOD

Prayer of Confession

We bring our prayers to you, gracious God, sensing that there is more to life than the ways we have known. We are drawn to the Messiah, yet we shrink from following where faith leads. We are afraid of what we might lose if we are guided by the Spirit. Thoughts of sacrifice and servanthood are not appealing to us. We are reluctant to enter into a close relationship with you. We think we know, better than you, what is best for us. Forgive our arrogance. Help us see the Christ. Amen

Kyrie Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon

(L) Friends believe the good news of the gospel

(P) In Jesus Christ we are forgiven

Responsive Praise

(L) O Lord, open my lips

(P) And my mouth shall show forth your praise

*Gloria Patri

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Special Music

“O Holy Night”

Senior Choir

Delores Canoles and Willoughby Myrick, Soloists

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Collect

Let us pray: Surprising God, so often hidden from our view, yet appearing in unexpected times and places, open our eyes to your salvation. Shed your light on this worshiping community. Unite us in this time of prayer and praise that as we hear your Word, we may grow in your likeness, be filled with your wisdom, and become beacons of good news to the world.

Amen

*Hymn

“Away In A Manger”

#109

Old Testament:

Isaiah 61:10 - 62:3

The Word of the Lord

(P) Thanks be to God

Epistle Lesson

Galatians 4:4-7

(L) The Word of the Lord

(P) Thanks be to God

*Gloria Tibi

“Glory Be to Thee, O Lord”

*Gospel Lesson

Luke 2:22-40

*Laus Tibi

“Praise be to Thee, O Christ”

*Hymn

“It Came Upon the Midnight Clear”

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Sermon

Deacon Hoffmann

*Affirmation of Faith Apostles' Creed p 38 Hymnal

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

(Prayer Request Sheet to indicate need for prayer and thanksgiving is in Narthex)

Prayer Response

(P) Hear Our Prayer O Lord.... (repeat)

Incline thine ear to us and grant us thy peace. Amen.

Announcements and Concerns of the Church

(Announcements and information about programs and ministries)

Offering

Offertory "Coventry Carol" Innes

*Doxology #551

WE DEPART TO SERVE

***Commissioning and Benediction**

*Processional Hymn Into the World "Silent Night" #101

Postlude "Noel" D'Aquin

*If able, please rise

