

August 6, 2017

(\*indicates standing as you are able.)

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS & MINISTRY MOMENT

PRELUDE

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

You have come from afar and waited long and are wearied.

**Let us sit side by side.**

Sharing the same bread drawn from the same source

**To quiet the same hunger that makes us weak.**

Then standing together let us share the same spirit, the same thoughts

**That once again draw us together in friendship and unity and peace.**

\*HYMN "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" 384

\*OPENING PRAYER

**Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

\*PASSING THE PEACE

LAMBS' TALK "Where Children Belong" 2233

PASTORAL PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC Susan Shoff  
"He Looked Beyond My Fault" By Dottie Rambo

SCRIPTURE Matthew 14: 13-21

SERMON Scraps of Life

THE OFFERING

*(If you give electronically, you will find a Green E-Giving card, located in the pew-card rack, to place in the offering plate.)*

Offertory

\*Doxology 95

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

\*Prayer of Dedication

\*HYMN "You Satisfy the Hungry Heart" 689

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts

**We lift them up to the Lord**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

*(The pastor prays, concluding: And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn)*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, 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.**

*(The pastor prays, concluding, As we proclaim the mystery of faith)*  
**Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.**

*(The pastor continues, concluding with –all honor and glory is yours, almighty God, now and forever)*

**Amen!** *The pastor concludes saying: And now with the confidence of children of God, we are bold to pray:*

THE LORD'S PRAYER *(using the word sins and sin)*

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

PRAYER

\*HYMN "Standing on the Promises" 374

\*THE BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

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Serving in Worship Today:

Rev. Ruth A, Ward

Rev. Fran Norton

Mr. Brian McLaughlin

Mr. Robby Edwards

Guest Pastor

Associate Pastor

Worship Leader

Organist

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Matthew 14: 13-21

<sup>13</sup> When Jesus heard what had happened, he withdrew by boat privately to a solitary place. Hearing of this, the crowds followed him on foot from the towns. <sup>14</sup> When Jesus landed and saw a large crowd, he had compassion on them and healed their sick. <sup>15</sup> As evening approached, the disciples came to him and said, "This is a remote place, and it's already getting late. Send the crowds away, so they can go to the villages and buy themselves some food." <sup>16</sup> Jesus replied, "They do not need to go away. You give them something to eat." <sup>17</sup> "We have here only five loaves of bread and two fish," they answered. <sup>18</sup> "Bring them here to me," he said. <sup>19</sup> And he directed the people to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish and looking up to heaven, he gave thanks and broke the loaves. Then he gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the people. <sup>20</sup> They all ate and were satisfied, and the disciples picked up twelve basketfuls of broken pieces that were left over. <sup>21</sup> The number of those who ate was about five thousand men, besides women and children.

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