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8:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE



July 10, 2016



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Welcome to Worship!

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Peace With Justice Sunday

Music by The Lord's Crew

July 10, 2016

8:30 AM

Gathering

*OPENING PRAISE *Everybody Ought to Know*

WELCOME AND NEWS OF THE CHURCH

*PRAISE *My Savior, My God
He Is Lord
Amazing Grace/My Chains are Gone*

*SHARING GOD'S PEACE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Sharing Joys & Concerns
Prayers of Intercession and Thanksgiving

Sharing and Responding to God's Word

SONG OF ILLUMINATION *Spirit of the Living God*

SCRIPTURE *Luke 10:25-37*

SERMON *"BY THE ALCHEMY OF GOD'S GRACE"
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OFFERING SONG *Doxology*

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

Words for Communion
Communion Song *Revelation Song*
Prayer after Communion

Going Forth to Serve

*FINAL BLESSING *God is So Good*

*CLOSING SONG *Are You Washed*

*Worshippers stand as able



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Altar Flowers



In Honor Of
Faye Cuddy's
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From The Rohlas

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THINGS TO DO TODAY

Caring Congregation Committee
11:45 AM—Library

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July 10, 2016 Eighth Sunday after Pentecost 10:30 AM
Peace With Justice Sunday

WELCOME AND NEWS OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE *How Great Thou Art* Stuart K. Hine

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Love the Lord your God.
We come with love and hope!
Love your neighbor too.
We come with loving hearts.
Love even yourself.
We come in humble trust.
Love and you will live.
We come to worship,
that God's love might live in us.

*OPENING HYMN *Morning Has Broken* No. 145

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of judgment and grace,
we pour out our hearts to you now.
Hear our prayers as we remember the times
we have seen others in need,
yet turned away.
Hear our prayers as we remember the times
we have judged a stranger or hated an enemy.
Hear our prayers as we remember the times
we have withheld our love and care.
Forgive us, gracious God, when we have failed to live
as you would have us live.
In Jesus' name, we remember and we pray. Amen.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

The One who calls us to show mercy
has shown us mercy.
God knows our faith
and the love we have in our hearts.
In the name of our merciful God, you are forgiven!

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Judy Atwood
Nursery care is available. Children ages K-6 are dismissed with their teachers at this time. Junior and Senior high will meet in Criswell Hall..

SPECIAL MUSIC *Make My Life an Alleluia* Ruth Elaine Schram
 Neil Prestemon, soloist

JOYS AND CONCERNS FROM PRAYER BOOK

A TIME OF MEDITATION AND PRAYER

Choral Call to Prayer *Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus* No. 349
 Congregational Prayer / Lord's Prayer Hymnal No. 895
 Choral Response *Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus* No. 349

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*HYMN *Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love* No. 432

SERMON "BY THE ALCHEMY OF GOD'S GRACE"
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OFFERING

Call to Stewardship and Mission
 Offertory *Sweet, Sweet Spirit* Doris Akers
 Doxology/Prayer of Dedication Hymnal, No. 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.*

*CLOSING HYMN *Because He Lives* No. 364

*BENEDICTION

May you be made strong with the strength of God's glorious power.
May we be humble with the gentleness of grace.
 May you endure with patience the struggles of life.
May we slow down to notice the struggles of others.
 May you joyfully give thanks to Christ, who has shown you the way.
**May we live our gratitude by helping others
 as God has helped us. Amen.**

*RESPONSE *There's Something About That Name* No. 171

**Jesus, Jesus, Jesus! There's just something about that name!
 Master, Savior, Jesus! Like the fragrance after the rain.
 Jesus, Jesus, Jesus! Let all heaven and earth proclaim:
 Kings and kingdoms will all pass away,
 but there's something about that name!**

POSTLUDE *He Is Exalted* Twila Paris

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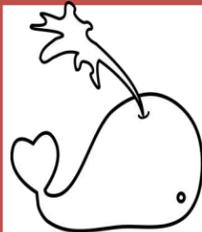
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