

MORNING WORSHIP
July 28, 2019, 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

PRELUDE *Redeemed* arr. Harold DeCou

PRAISE SONG *Lift Every Voice and Sing* #519
Sanctuary Choir

THE GATHERING Rev. Andy Nixon

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

*HYMN OF WELCOME *Kingdom Medley*
Forward Through the Ages with *We've a Story to Tell*
Forward through the ages, in unbroken line,
Move the faithful spirits at the call divine;
Gifts in differing measure, hearts of one accord,
Manifold the service, one the sure reward.

Refrain
Forward through the ages, in unbroken line,
Move the faithful spirits at the call divine.

We've a story to tell to the nations,
That shall turn their hearts to the right,
A story of truth and mercy, a story of peace and light,
A story of peace and light.

Refrain
For the darkness shall turn to dawning,
And the dawning to noontide bright;
And Christ's great kingdom shall come on earth,
The kingdom of love and light.

Wider grows the kingdom, reign of love and light;
For it we must labor, till our faith is sight.
Prophets have proclaimed it, martyrs testified,
Poets sung its glory, heroes for it died.

Refrain
For the darkness shall turn to dawning,
And the dawning to noontide bright;
And Christ's great kingdom shall come on earth,
The kingdom of love and light.

We've a song to be sung to the nations,
That shall lift their hearts to the Lord,
A song that shall conquer evil and shatter the spear and sword,
And shatter the spear and sword.

Refrain
Forward through the ages, in unbroken line,
Move the faithful spirits at the call divine.

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 9:00 Rev. Ann Spears
I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at 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 Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*SUNG RESPONSE 9:00 *Take My Life, and Let it Be* #399
Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to Thee.
Take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise.
Take my love, my Lord, I pour at Thy feet its treasure store.
Take myself, and I will be ever, only, all for Thee.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM 11:00 Rev. Andy Nixon
With God's help we will proclaim the good news and live according to the example of Christ. We will surround Charlotte Kent with a community of love and forgiveness that she may grow in her trust of God and be found faithful in her service to others. We will pray for her, that she may be a true disciple who walks in the way that leads to life eternal.

*SUNG RESPONSE 11:00 *Take My Life, and Let it Be* #399
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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Rev. Kaitlyn Bowie Hankins

MINISTRY IN MUSIC *Lord, I Know I Been Changed* arr. Larry Shackley
Sanctuary Choir
Lord, I know I been changed.
Angels in heaven done signed my name.
If you don't believe that I have been redeemed,
The angels in heaven done signed my name.
Just follow me down to that old Jordan stream.
The angels in heaven done signed my name.
I'm singin' Lord, I know I been changed.
Angels in heaven done signed my name.
I went to the river and the water was cold.
The angels in heaven done signed my name.
It chilled my body but not my soul.
The angels in heaven done signed my name, signed my name.
O Lord, I know I been changed.
Angels in heaven done signed my name.
Lord, I know I been changed.

*THE WORD IN SCRIPTURE 1 Timothy 2:1-5
This is the Word of the Lord! **Thanks be to God!**

MESSAGE 9:00 Rev. Andy Nixon
11:00 Mayor Sylvester Turner
and Rev. Andy Nixon

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN OF REFLECTION *My Tribute* #99
To God be the glory, to God be the glory,
To God be the glory for the things He has done.
With His blood He has saved me, with His power He has raised me;
To God be the glory for the things He has done.

FAITHFUL GIVING Rev. Donyale Fraylon

MINISTRY IN MUSIC *City Called Heaven* Josephine Poelinitz
Sanctuary Choir, Myah Lerch, Soloist
I am a pilgrim, a pilgrim of sorrow.
I'm left in this wide world, this wide world alone!
Ain't got no hope, got no hope for tomorrow.
I'm trying to make it, make heaven my home.
I am a poor pilgrim, a poor pilgrim of sorrow,
I'm left in this old wide world, this old wide world alone!
Oh, I ain't got no hope, got no hope for tomorrow.
I'm trying to make it, make heaven my home.
Sometimes I'm tossed and I'm driven.
Sometimes I just don't know which way to turn,
Oh I heard of a city, of a city called heaven.
I'm trying to make it, make heaven my home.
Sometimes I'm tossed and I'm driven.
Sometimes I just don't know which way to turn,
Oh I heard of a city, of a city called heaven.
I'm trying to make it, make heaven my home.

INVITATION Rev. Andy Nixon

*HYMN OF BLESSING *Trust Medley*
'Tis So Sweet with *Trust and Obey*
**'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus, just to take Him at His word;
Just to rest upon His promise, just to know, "Thus saith the Lord."**

Refrain
Jesus, Jesus, how I trust Him! How I've proved Him o'er and o'er!
Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus! O for grace to trust Him more!

When we walk with the Lord in the light of His word,
What a glory He sheds on our way; while we do His good will,
He abides with us still, and with all who will trust and obey.

Refrain
Trust and obey, for there's no other way
To be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.

I'm so glad I learned to trust Him, precious Jesus, Savior, friend;
And I know that He is with me, will be with me to the end.

Refrain
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SENDING FORTH Dr. Brant Wallace

*SUNG RESPONSE *Everybody Ought To Know*
Refrain
Everybody ought to know, everybody ought to know,
Everybody ought to know who Jesus is.

Repeat Refrain

He's the Lily of the Valley; He's the bright and morning star.
He's the fairest of ten thousand. Everybody ought to know.

Repeat Refrain

POSTLUDE

When the Roll is Called

arr. Harold DeCou

** Please stand, as you are able.*

DIRECTOR OF TRADITIONAL MUSIC

Dr. Terry Morris

ORGANIST

John Gearhart

ASSOCIATE ORGANIST

Jonathan Saint-Thomas

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers on the altar today are given by Aaron and Bonnie Jones,
in celebration of life through God's protection and grace.