



ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

AUGUST 27, 2006
8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 am

The Christian Year: Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire victory; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and want fellowship; to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to all who will come, this church opens wide her doors and offers welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

*Please turn off all communication devices.
Please do not bring food or drinks into the sanctuary.
Thank you.*

Welcome

Mr. Stephen Nielson 8:00
Dr. Mark Fulmer 9:30/11:00
Ruling Elders

Preparation for Worship

“In Thee Is Joy”
Mr. Colin Howland, *Organ*

J. S. Bach

John 14.15-17

“If you love Me, you will keep My commandments. And I will ask the Father, and He will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees Him nor knows Him. You know Him, for He dwells with you and will be in you.

Choral Call to Worship *“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”*
9:30/11:00 Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, *Director*

LOBE DEN HERREN

Minister: The Spirit and the bride say, "Come." And let the one who hears say, "Come." And let the one who is thirsty come; let the one who desires take the water of life without price. Revelation 22.17

People: **Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker! For He is our God, and we are the people of His pasture and the sheep of His hand.** Psalm 95.6-7

*Hymn of Adoration No. 32 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

FAITHFULNESS

*Prayer of Adoration
concluding with

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00
Dr. Pete Deison 9:30
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 11:00

Spirit of God, You are the breath of creation, the wind of change that blows through our lives, opening us up to new dreams and new hopes, new life in Jesus Christ. Forgive us our closed minds, which barricade themselves against new ideas, preferring the past to what You might want to do through us tomorrow. Forgive our closed eyes, which fail to see the needs of Your world, blind to opportunities of service and love. Forgive our closed hands, which clutch our gifts and our wealth for our own use alone. Forgive us our closed hearts, which limit our affections to ourselves and our own. Spirit of new life, forgive us and break down the prison walls of our selfishness, that we might be open to Your love and open for service in Your world, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

*The Apostles' Creed

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 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 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 Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.



1. For Your gift of God the Spi - rit, pow'r to make our
 2. He who in cre - a - tion's dawn-ing brood-ed on the
 3. He, Him - self the liv - ing Au - thor, wakes to life the
 4. Fa - ther, grant Your Ho - ly Spi - rit in our hearts may



lives a - new, pledge of life and hope of glo - ry,
 life - less deep, still a - cross our na - ture's dark-ness
 sa - cred Word, reads with us its ho - ly pa - ges
 rule to - day, grieved not, quenched not, but un - hin-dered,



Sav - ior we would wor - ship You. Crown-ing gift of res - ur - rec-tion
 moves to wake our souls from sleep, moves to stir, to draw, to quick-en,
 and re - veals our ris - en Lord. He it is who works with - in us,
 work in us His sov' - reign way. Fill us with Your ho - ly full-ness,



sent from Your as - cend-ed throne, full - ness of the
 thrusts us through with sense of sin; brings to birth and
 teach - ing re - bel hearts to pray, He whose ho - ly
 God the Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son; in us, through us,



ver - y God-head, come to make Your life our own.
 seals and fills us, sav - ing Ad - vo - cate with - in.
 in - ter - ces - sions rise for us both night and day.
 then, for - ev - er, shall Your per - fect will be done.

Please be seated.

Song of Supplication No. 338 “Spirit of God,
 Descend upon My Heart”

9:30/11:00

MORECAMBE

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Williams 8:00
 Dr. Deison 9:30
 Mr. Lafferty 11:00

Musical Offering

8:00 "My Shepherd Will Supply My Need" *arr. Hebble*
Mr. Howland, *Organ*

9:30/11:00 "Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me" *arr. Scott*
Chancel Choir • Mr. Cope, *Director*

Gracious Spirit, dwell with me, I would gracious be; help me now Thy grace to see, I would be like Thee; and, with words that help and heal, Thy life would mine reveal; and, with actions bold and meek, for Christ, my Savior, speak.

Truthful Spirit, dwell with me, I would truthful be; help me now Thy truth to see, I would be like Thee; and, with wisdom kind and clear, Thy life in mine appear; and, with actions brotherly, speak Christ's sincerity.

Holy Spirit, dwell with me, I would holy be; show Thy mercy tenderly, make me more like Thee; separate from sin, I would and cherish all things good. And whatever I can be give Him who gave me Thee.

Mighty Spirit, dwell with me, I would mighty be; help me now Thy pow'r to see, I would be like Thee; 'gainst all weapons hell can wield, be Thou my strength and shield; let Thy work my weapon be, Lord, Thine the victory.

*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: Having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. The peace of the Lord be with you always. *Romans 5.1*

People: **And also with you.**

The Service of Friendship

If you are seated on the left end of the pew, please take the Service of Friendship pad, fill out the information and pass it down. When it arrives at the other end of the pew, pass it back, taking note of those who are seated in your row.

Mission to the World: Thailand

Becky and Andrew Bronson
Mr. Curt Dobbs

*The Scripture Reading

Romans 8.1-17

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.² For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death.³ For God has done what the law, weakened by the flesh, could not do. By sending His own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh and for sin, He condemned sin in the flesh,⁴ in order that the righteous requirement of the law might be fulfilled in us, who walk not according to the flesh but according to the Spirit.⁵ For those who live according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh, but those who live according to the Spirit set their minds on the things of the Spirit.⁶ To set the mind on the flesh is death, but to set the mind on the Spirit is life and peace.⁷ For the mind that is set on the flesh is hostile to God, for it does not submit to God's law; indeed, it cannot.⁸ Those who are in the flesh cannot please God.

⁹ You, however, are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if in fact the Spirit of God dwells in you. Anyone who does not have the Spirit of Christ does

not belong to Him. ¹⁰ But if Christ is in you, although the body is dead because of sin, the Spirit is life because of righteousness. ¹¹ If the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ Jesus from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through His Spirit who dwells in you.

¹² So then, brothers, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh. ¹³ For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. ¹⁴ For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. ¹⁵ For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!" ¹⁶ The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, ¹⁷ and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with Him in order that we may also be glorified with Him.

Morning Sermon "Walking with the Spirit down the path of righteousness . . . a long obedience in the same direction" Mr. Tinsley

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The Great Thanksgiving

Mr. Williams

Minister: Hear what comforting words the Scriptures bring to all those who repent of their sins and trust in Christ: "There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the Law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death." Lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up to the Lord!

Minister: Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Minister: It is right and good and a joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God.

People: Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Your glorious Name; evermore praising You, and singing:

Please stand.

Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-
san-na in the high-est. Ho-san-na in the high-est.

***Prayer of Thanksgiving and Blessing**

Please be seated.

The Words of Institution

The Communion

*Please come forward down the center aisle.
Partake of the elements upon receiving them from the elders.
Return to your seat with your empty cup via the side aisle.*

During the Serving of Communion

Please use the following Scripture for private meditation.

Psalm 121

*I lift up my eyes to the hills.
From where does my help come?
My help comes from the Lord,
who made heaven and earth.
He will not let your foot be moved;
He who keeps you will not slumber.
Behold, He who keeps Israel
will neither slumber nor sleep.
The Lord is your keeper;
the Lord is your shade on your right hand.
The sun shall not strike you by day,
nor the moon by night.
The Lord will keep you from all evil;
He will keep your life.
The Lord will keep
your going out and your coming in
from this time forth and forevermore.*

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***Closing Hymn No. 598** “Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”

CWM RHONDDA

***The Benediction**

Minister: The LORD bless you and keep you; The LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; The LORD lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace. Numbers 6:24-26

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Postlude

“Fantasia in E-flat”
Mr. Howland, *Organ*

Saint-Saens

**The Congregation stands.*

The flowers in our worship services this morning are given to the glory of God and in memory of Dianne and our daughter, Jan Pollard, by Bill Lasater.

Personal Prayer and Counsel

“Be devoted to one another in brotherly love; give preference to one another in honor ... rejoicing in hope, persevering in tribulation, devoted to prayer, contributing to the needs of the saints, practicing hospitality.” Romans 12.10, 12, 13

We want so much to come alongside you in brotherly love and hospitality by your allowing us to be in prayer for your salvation or any need you may have. Please join us in the Parlor (north of Fellowship Hall) following the worship service where our Elders and prayer leaders are available and eager to meet with you and pray with you in complete confidence.

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