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The Celebration of Worship 11th Sunday after Pentecost

August 28, 2011

10:00 AM

Next week, September 4, the broadcast may be heard on 680AM and 95.3FM.

A warm welcome is extended to all who worship here today.

Large print hymnals, Bibles and hearing devices, as well as information about child care and other church programs are available from any usher.

All children are welcome and encouraged to participate in worship.

Clipboards, children's Bibles and books to borrow during worship are located at the entrances.

The asterisks (*) invite you to stand if it is comfortable for you to do so.

We Gather

TIME FOR PREPARATION

But Moses said to God, "If I come to the Israelites and say to them, 'The God of your ancestors has sent me to you', and they ask me, 'What is his name?' what shall I say to them?" God said to Moses, "I am Who I am." He said further, "Thus you shall say to the Israelites, 'I am has sent me to you.'" God also said to Moses, "Thus you shall say to the Israelites, 'The Lord, the God of your ancestors, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you': This is My name for ever, and this My title for all generations."

Exodus 3:13-15

VOLUNTARY

Blessings
Fred Gaul, organist

Michael Shea

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

We Praise God

CALL TO WORSHIP

Bill McCoy

*HYMN OF PRAISE

Sing to the King

Billy Foote, Charles Silvester Horne

Sing to the King Who is com - ing to reign. Glo - ry to
For His re - turn - ing we watch and we pray. We will be
Je - sus, the Lamb that was slain. Life and sal - va - tion His em - pire shall bring,
read - y the dawn of that day. We'll join in singing with all the re - deemed
— and joy to the na - tions when Je - sus is King.
— 'cause Sa - tan is van - quished and Je - sus is King.
Come, let us sing a song, a song de - clar - ing that we be - long to Je -
- sus! He is all we need. Lift up a heart of praise!
Sing now with voic - es raised to Je - sus! Sing to the King!
Sing to the King! Sing to the King! Sing to the King!

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*PRAYER OF ADORATION

Barbara Hopta

*RESPONSE

Oh Lord, You're Beautiful

Keith Green

Oh Lord, You're beau - ti - ful. Your face is all I seek.
For when Your eyes are on this child, Your grace a - bounds to me.

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PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Barbara Hopta

God of Abraham and Sarah, God of Jesus Christ, God of our mothers and fathers, You are a God Who acts in history. We confess that we get too busy with our own lives to perceive You at work in our time. Forgive us when we fall into fear and despair about our troubled world, as if You had no care for us. Forgive our lack of faith and help us to join You as You labor to bring new life on earth.

Please continue to pray silently.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

WELCOME AND CELEBRATION OF FRIENDSHIP

Bill McCoy

Please sign the friendship pad placed at pew's end, so you may greet each other by name.
Visitors are invited to wear the button found in the friendship pad.

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Andy and Terra Payne

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Barbara Hopta

*PASSING THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

*HYMN 241

Behold the Goodness of Our Lord

CRIMOND

We Declare our Faith

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed

Bill McCoy

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

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

HYMN 579

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

We Give Thanks to God

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Barbara Hopta

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

