

Order of Worship
September 08, 2019 – 11:00 a.m.
Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome, Announcements and Prayer Concerns

Introit: “Seek Ye First” # 333

PRAISE AND ADORATION

Call to Worship: (responsively) (based on Psalm 27:1-3 & 5)

Leader: The LORD is our light and our salvation; whom shall we fear?

People: The LORD is the stronghold of our life; of whom shall we be afraid?

Leader: When evildoers assail us to devour our flesh, they shall stumble and fall.

People: Though an army encamp against us, our hearts shall not fear; though war rise up against us, yet we will be confident.

Leader: For God will hide us in his shelter in the day of trouble;

People: The Lord will conceal us under the cover of his tent; he will set us high on a rock.

***Hymn: “I Sing the Mighty Power of God” # 288**

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession: (in unison) (based on Psalm 51)

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin. Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Hide your face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me. Do not cast me away from your presence, and do not take your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and sustain in me a willing spirit. Deliver me from bloodshed, O God of my salvation, and my mouth will declare your praise. Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love. Amen.

Confession Response: “Lord have mercy upon us. Christ have mercy upon us. Lord have mercy upon us.” # 574

Assurance of Pardon

Greeting One Another

***Response “Gloria Patri” # 579**

HEARING THE WORD

Let the Children Come

Choral Music

Scripture Reading: Luke 8:16-18 and 11:33-36

Sermon: “Lamps Are for Giving Light”

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer

Offertory and Presentation of Gifts to God

***Doxology # 592**

***Prayer of Dedication**

Affirmation of Faith: 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 Spirit, 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 Spirit, the holy universal church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

***Hymn: “Guide My Feet” # 354**

***Charge and Benediction**

***Benediction Response: “Amen”**