

14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 3, 2022

WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

Prelude

Janice Hedberg, Church Organist

Welcome and Greeting in Jesus' Name Rev. Dr. Ivan E. Greuter, Senior Minister

*Gathering Song # 728 "God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand"

*Call to Worship

Sing praises to the Lord, O people of faith!

Give Thanks to the holy name of the Lord!

God's anger is but for a moment.

But the favor of the Lord is for lifetime!

Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

By your favor, make me a strong mountain,

That I might never be moved.

What profit is there in my death, if I go down to the Pit?

Will the dust praise you?

Will it tell of your faithfulness?

You have turned my mourning into dancing, and clothed me with joy!

My soul will praise you and not be silent!

O Lord, I will give thanks to you forever!

*Opening Prayer

Songs of Faith

"The Wonderful Cross"

WORSHIP TEAM

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"Make Us One"

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WE HEAR THE WORD OF THE LORD

Scripture Reader: Jack Janway

The First Reading

2 Kings 5:1-14

The Second Reading

Galatians 6 (1-6),7-16

*The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ

Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

*Responsorial # 731

"My Country 'Tis of Thee"

PATRIOTIC

730

"Mine Eyes have Seen the Glory"

Children's Sermon (Kids 3rd Grade and Younger can walk to Children's Church)

Announcements & Prayers of the Community

Presentation of Tithes, Gifts, and Donations - A collection plate is available in the front of the Sanctuary, ushers will collect the offering, or you can give it online.

Offertory

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Prayer, and The Message

The Reverend Doctor Ivan E. Greuter, Senior Minister

THE SERVICE OF THE TABLE OF THE LORD

Invitation to the Lord's Table, Words of Institution, and the Lord's Prayer – 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. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever.

Communion Song # 621 "For The Healing of the Nations"

REGENT SQUARE

Holy Communion: The Lord's Supper

Breaking of Bread

The Body of Christ; The Bread of Heaven

Passing of the Cup

The Blood of Christ; The Cup of Salvation

RESPONDING TO THE HOLY SPIRIT IN FAITH & SERVICE

***Invitation to Faith and Fellowship** – If the Spirit of God is moving you to receive God’s forgiving love in Jesus, calling you to be a follower of Jesus in the waters of baptism, or encouraging you to join this Christian Church, please come forward during this song.

***Closing Hymn #748** **“Lord, Dismiss Us Thy Blessing”** *SICILIAN MARINERS*

***Spoken Benediction**

***Postlude** **Janice Hedberg, Church Organist**

**Stand when able*

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HOLY ORDINANCES (SACRED ACTS)

We celebrate two sacred acts ordered by our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ:

1. **BELIEVER’S BAPTISM** – Believer’s Baptism is the immersion of a person in the water – regardless of age – who receives Jesus Christ as their personal Savior and publicly professes faith to walk the Jesus way. The Council schedules baptisms on Sunday mornings throughout the year. Believers may be baptized in the church baptistry, in the river, a swimming pool, a pond, or a lake. Please get in touch with the Minister if you want to be baptized.
2. **THE LORD’S SUPPER** – The Lord’s Supper or Holy Communion is celebrated on the first Sunday of each month and special occasions. We practice **Open Communion**, which means all persons of faith, regardless of age, race, gender, membership, denominational affiliation, or church tradition, are welcome to partake of the Table of the Lord. In solidarity with our brothers and sisters seeking freedom, we use only non-alcoholic grape juice. Please hold each element until everyone is served; we will feast together. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.



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