Sunday, July 7, 2013 8:30am

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As the prelude plays, silently come into the Lord’s presence.

Open your heart and give yourself up to Christ who is here to meet you today.

*“Be still and know that I am God.”* Psalm 46:10

PRELUDE Improvisation on *“Olivet”*

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS / RINGING OF THE BELL

(Please sign the Fellowship Pad and pass it to your neighbor)

CALL TO WORSHIP *Psalm 72*

Leader: Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel,

 Who alone does wondrous things.

**People: Blessed be His glorious name forever;**

 **May His glory fill the whole earth.**

\*HYMN *“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”* *No. 263*

\*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

**Eternal and Everlasting Lord, Your mercy extends beyond our understanding. We hear the stories of the faithful and believe that You continue to work today. We catch a glimpse of Your love in our daily lives, and we believe that You continue to love us today. We experience Your goodness that is beyond our understanding, and we believe that You are still good today. Forgive us for our unbelief and lead us from doubt into a strong faith that is able to withstand all things. Through Jesus our Savior we pray, Amen.**

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE

*[Please share Christ’s peace with one another with*

 *handshakes, hugs, kisses—however you feel led.]*

\*HYMN *“O Word of God Incarnate”* *No. 327*

 (Children may come up front at the end of the anthem for the Children’s Message)

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Beth Feiler

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING *Psalm 130 (OT p573)*

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING *John 11:17-27 (NT p105)*

SERMON The Gospel of John:Rev. Robert K. Bronkema

*“Do You Believe This?”*

\*HYMN *“My Faith Looks Up to Thee”* *No. 383*

WE BRING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

 OFFERTORY *“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross” – arr. D. Maddux*

Soloist: Patty Hunt

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Prayers of the People & The Lord’s Prayer *(pg. 16 in the hymnal)*

 Words of Institution

 Welcome

 Distribution

*[Worshipers: As you come forward, the leaders will offer the bread*

*with words such as, “The body of Christ for you”;*

*and the cup with words such as, “The blood of Christ for you.”*

*As you receive these gifts, you may simply respond with, “Amen” -*

*in this way you acknowledge the bread and cup as God’s gifts to you*

*through Jesus Christ.]*

\*ALLELUIA

\*BENEDICTION & RESPONSE *(During the singing, please make your*

 *way to the memorial garden.)*

**Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me. Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be. With God as our Father, brothers all are we. Let me walk with my brother in perfect harmony. Let peace begin with me, let this be the moment now. With every step I take let this be my solemn vow. To take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally. Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me.**

\*CONSECRATION OF THE MEMORIAL GARDEN

***“Come As You Are”***

11:00am

Greeting & Announcements

\*Praise & Worship

*Indescribable*

*God of Wonders*

*10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)*

Prayer & Peace

Children’s Message

Scripture Reading:

*Psalm 130; John 11:17-27*

Sermon  *“Do You Believe This?”*

Offertory

Communion

\*Closing Song

*How Great Is Our God*

\*Benediction