

John Knox Presbyterian Church

Service for the Lord's Day

June 9, 2019



GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

**Those who are able, please stand*

LIFE AND WORK AT JOHN KNOX

PRELUDE

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee
Walker Greene, violin

Beethoven

INTROIT

In Christ There Is No East or West

ST. PETER

*CALL TO WORSHIP

based on Psalm 105:1-2; Romans 5:5; Revelation 4:8

The love of God has been poured into our hearts
through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us;

we dwell in him and he in us.

Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his name;

make known his deeds among the peoples.

Sing to him, sing praises to him,

and speak of all his marvelous works.

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God almighty,

who was and is and is to come!

*HYMN 407

Spirit Divine, Attend Our Prayers

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*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Trusting ourselves to the grace of God,
let us confess our sins before God and one another.

**Our God, we come in humility, confessing who and what we are.
We are often unresponsive, for we are afraid.
When your Spirit speaks, we turn deaf ears,
for we fear what you might call us to do.
When your Spirit touches our lips,
we close our mouths,
embarrassed to speak your Word.
When the wind of your Spirit blows,
we close the windows of our hearts,
afraid the breeze will disrupt our ordered lives.
When the fire of your Spirit touches us,
we quench the flame, afraid of the new life it might bring.
Forgive us, O Lord.**

Silent Confession

*LORD, HAVE MERCY

Sing twice

Hymn 551

***Lord, have mercy, Christ have mercy,
Lord, have mercy upon us.***

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

from Romans 8:1-2,11

There is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus,
because through Christ Jesus the law of the Spirit of life
sets us free from the law of sin and death.
And if the Spirit of God who raised Jesus from the dead lives in us,
God who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to our mortal bodies
through the Spirit, who lives in us.

Thanks be to God for His love, mercy, and grace!

*RESPONDING IN PRAISE

Sing twice

Hymn 582

***Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,
and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,
and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.***

At this time, K3s, K4s and K5s are invited to join Children's Church on the Nursery Hall for a time of faithful learning. Parents, please pick up your children there after the worship service.

COMMISSIONING OF GUATEMALA MISSION TEAM

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Isaiah 11:1-9
Pew Bible p. 558

ANTHEM

God of Grace and God of Glory

Paul T. Langston

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Luke 1:26-35
Pew Bible p. 831

This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

SERMON

"Conceived by the Holy Ghost"

David Howell

RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed
Hymnal, p. 35

PRAYERS FOR THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

Offertory

For the Beauty of the Earth

arr. Ted Smith

*Doxology

OLD HUNDREDTH

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

*Prayer of Dedication

GO IN GOD'S NAME

*HYMN 547	<i>Go, My Children, with My Blessing</i>	AR HYD Y NOS
*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION		
*RESPONSE	<i>Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart</i>	MORECAMBE
POSTLUDE	<i>The Bach 'Jigue' Fugue</i> Assisted by Betsy Cates	played by computer