

*Prior to the beginning of the service, a period of quiet in the sanctuary is encouraged.
Music is offered which is intended to lead the congregation into a spirit of worship
reflected in the theme of the day.*

Order of Worship for the Lord's Day

SEPTEMBER 24th THE YEAR OF OUR LORD 2023

Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

Liturgist: Jennifer Edge

* ***Worshippers who are able please stand***

Theme: God leaves us the memories of our sins,
not because we remain guilty (we are forgiven) but so that we might
avoid the sin in the future- living holier lives going forward.

Gathering Music Cindy Horrell Moore, piano

Prelude *Toccata Giocosa* Gilbert M. Marti

Chiming the Hour

Welcome and Announcements

* **Call to Worship - Isaiah 6:1-3**

Leader: In the year of King Uzziah's death I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, lofty and exalted,
with the train of His robe filling the temple. Seraphim stood above Him, each having six wings:
with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet and with two he flew. And one
called out to another and said,

People: Holy, holy, holy is Yahweh of hosts, the whole earth is full of His glory.

* **Procession of God's Word and Hymn of Praise #232** PICARDY

Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence

* **Prayer of Adoration**

Children's Sermon and The Lord's Prayer Matthew Coleman

(Children are always welcome to remain in worship in the sanctuary, however after the
children's sermon school age children are invited to children's worship which
takes place in the Fellowship Hall)

Anthem *The Wonderful Cross* arr. Tom Fettke

Tune: STILL WIE DIE NACHT by Carl Böhm (1844-1920);
Words by Isaac Watts (1674-1748)

When I survey the wonderful cross on which the Savior died, my richest gain
I count then as loss; I pour contempt on all my foolish pride,
seeing Him crucified.

Were the whole realm of nature mine, a present far too small; love so amazing
and so divine; love that demands my soul, my life, my all, demands my life,
my all.

Prayer for Illumination

First Scripture Reading Genesis 19:1-29 Pew Bible page 26
New Pew Bible page 13

Confession of Sin

**God Whose glory fills the earth, Who penetrates the thoughts of men, Who knows how to
both punish the wicked and redeem His people. Forgive us we pray, for we have sinned.
In our guilt and shame we have hidden ourselves from You, and yet it is You who sends
the gospel of Jesus into the places we hide. A gospel of pardon and peace, an offer of new
relationship with you. Give us new hearts to trust the good news, and to live into our new
life in Christ. In His name we pray. Amen.**

Second Scripture Reading Ephesians 2:1-6 Pew Bible page 1818
New Pew Bible page 951

Assurance of Pardon

Hear and trust in the good news. In Jesus Christ we are forgiven, healed, and made whole.
Praise the Lord.

The Lord's name be praised!

* **Gloria Patri Hymn #734** GLORIA PATRI

* **Psalm Sing** *Psalm 11:1-7* FESTAL SONG
(Tune found at Hymn #590; *Rise Up, O Saints of God!*)

1. My trust is in the LORD; How can you say to me,
"Now like a bird from peril haste and to your mountain flee!"
2. "The wicked bend the bow with arrow fixed for flight,
and stealthily in darkness go the true in heart to smite.

3. "Foundations are destroyed! What can the righteous try?"
The LORD is in His holy place; the LORD's throne is on high.
4. His eyes will surely see, His eyelids try men's sons.
The LORD tries just and wicked men; His soul hates cruel ones.
5. Upon all wicked men He'll rain entangling snares.
Brimstone and fire and burning wind He for their cup prepares.
6. For righteous is the LORD, and He loves righteousness;
and every one who upright is will see His gracious face.

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon Jude 1:7 Rev. John R. Pflug Jr.

Prayer for Application

* **Saying What We Believe** Apostle's Creed

* **Offertory Hymn #428** *When Peace Like a River* VILLE DU HAVRE

* **Offertory Prayer**

* **Benediction and Dismissal**

* **Doxology Hymn #34** *Doxology* OLD 100th

* **Trinity Chimes**

* **Postlude**



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10:00 A.M.

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Candace Williams, Music Director, Organist