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“The Miracle of the Loaves and Fishes” by Jacopo Robusti, ca 1545-50.

Staff & Participants in Today’s Service

Pastor: Rev. Jared M. Hamilton Administrator: Jody Ciano
Musicians: Sammy Angstman, Barbara Herrington, Larry Rice and Joanne Russell
Reader: Mary Eddy Stewart and Paul Eddy Liturgists: David & Marie Eddy
Flowers: Anne Donegan



Order of Worship

Sunday, August 9, 2020, at 10:00am
Sunday morning Livestream

Prelude

“Song Without Words”

Felix Mendelssohn

Greeting and Welcome

Jared

Music Meditation

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

Sammy

*Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!*

*Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.*

*Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy; there is none beside thee
perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.*

*Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!*

First Lesson

Isaiah 55:1-5

Lighting of the Peace Candle

Second Lesson

Psalm 145:8-9; 14-21

(Reading and Antiphon)

Hymn

"Shout to the Lord"

*My Jesus, my Savior
Lord there is none like You
All of my days I want to praise
The wonders of Your mighty love*

*My comfort, my shelter
Tower of refuge and strength
Let every breath, all that I am
Never cease to worship You*

*Shout to the Lord all the Earth, let us sing
Power and majesty, praise to the King
Mountains bow down and the seas will roar
At the sound of Your name*

*I sing for joy at the work of Your hands
Forever I'll love You, forever I'll stand
Nothing compares to the promise I have
In You*

Gospel Lesson

Matthew 14:13-21

Homily

“A Story of Generosity and Sharing”

Music Meditation

“Jesus, Remember Me”

*“Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.”
(Repeat)*

Service of Morning Prayer

Prayers of the People (inhale and exhale slowly during the ellipsis)

We pray for the earth... Commit us to simple and sustainable living. Call us to treat all your hands have touched with reverence and dignity. Pour out your blessing, O Lord,

And make us instruments of your peace.

We pray for the world... Be present with us while we cannot be present with one another. Quell our fears and anxieties during this strange time and remind us to care for ourselves. Challenge us to reach out in new ways to strangers and friends. Pour out your blessing, O Lord,

And make us instruments of your peace.

We pray for all nations... Remind us of our common humanity. Forgive us our saber rattling. Cast out tyrants that harm your people and poison your land. Pour out your blessing, O Lord,

And make us instruments of your peace.

We pray for this country... Give our leaders the courage and energy to govern. Show all who lead how to work together for the common good of all people. Remind all of us to always be vigilant to protect justice and peace. And help us hold all in power accountable for what they say and do. Pour out your blessing, O Lord,

And make us instruments of your peace.

We pray for the church... Provide us wisdom, accountability and creativity. Help us to grow closer to you and work together for the common good of all, even when that work looks very different. Pour out your blessing, O Lord,

And make us instruments of your peace.

We pray for loved ones... Be near to those who need your attention. Heal the sick and help the troubled. Give peace to those who are passing and comfort the grieving. Pour out your blessing, O Lord,

And make us instruments of your peace.

By the blessing of your Spirit, help us to work together so that the world may come to know the gift of life in Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Pastoral Prayer and Moment of Silence

Prayer of Our Savior

Our Father (Mother/Creator/God) 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offertory Sentence

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God, the source of all our gifts;
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts. Amen.

Offertory Prayer

Benediction

Postlude

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