

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
SCOUT SUNDAY
8:30 and 11:00 AM

GATHERING

OPENING SENTENCES Todd Jones

†VOLUNTARY *Rondeau* Jean Joseph Mouret
Arr. Douglas E. Wagner

*CALL TO WORSHIP (8:30) Sandra Randleman
(11:00) Stuart Gordon

Leader: Come, all who are weary and are carrying heavy burdens,
for the Lord will give You rest.

People: **The Lord is our refuge and strength,
a very present help in times of trouble.**

Leader: those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength,

People: **they shall mount up with wings like eagles,
they shall run and not be weary,
they shall walk and not faint.**

Leader: God consoles us in all our affliction,
so that we may be able to console those
who are in any affliction.

People: **For just as the sufferings of Christ
are abundant for us,
so also our healing
is abundant through Christ.**

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 483 MIT FREUDEN ZART
Sing Praise to God

†WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR DISCIPLESHIP Todd Jones

CALL TO CONFESSION (8:30) Sandra Randleman
(11:00) Stuart Gordon

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Merciful God,
we come to You not because
we are especially pleased with ourselves,
but because we know we are not perfect.
We want to be more like Your Son,
who lived His whole life in love.
Our love is most often reserved
for those who are close to us
and those who love us in return.
Our forgiveness is too often conditional.
We cannot live up to the way Jesus leads us.
Forgive us,
and make us more like Christ in all we say and do.**

SILENT CONFESSION

LORD, HAVE MERCY (*Kyrie Eleison*)



Lord, have mer - cy; Christ, have - mer - cy; Lord, - have - mer - cy.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *Gloria Patri* Hymn 579

THE WORD AND SACRAMENT

~ Children are invited to come to the front for the baptism. ~

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

(11:00) Todd Jones
Jacqueline and McClain Towery are presenting their son, William McClain
Towery, Jr., for baptism. Assisting Elder: Stuart Campbell

†HYMN FOR BAPTISM TALLIS' CANON

Lord Je - sus Christ, our Lord most dear, as
You were once an in - fant here, so give this child of
Yours, we pray, Your grace and bless - ing day by day

ANTHEM

(11:00) Words by: John Bell
Music by: Malcolm Archer
We Cannot Measure How You Heal

We cannot measure how you heal
or answer every sufferer's prayer,
yet we believe your grace responds
where faith and doubt unite to care.
Your hands, though bloodied on the cross,
survive to hold and heal and warn,
to carry all through death to life
and cradle children yet unborn.
The pain that will not go away,
the guilt that clings from things long past,
the fear of what the future holds
are present as if meant to last.
But present too is love
which tends the hurt we never hoped to find,
the private agonies inside,
the memories that haunt the mind.
So some have come who need your help,
and some have come to make amends
as hands which shaped and saved the world
are present in the touch of friends.
Lord, let your Spirit meet us here
to mend the body, mind and soul,
to disentangle peace from pain,
and make your broken people whole.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Todd Jones

**God our helper,
by Your Holy Spirit, open our minds,
that as the Scriptures are read
and Your Word is proclaimed,
we may be led into Your truth
and taught Your will,
for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING (8:30) Todd Jones
(11:00) Quin Cochran
Isaiah 40:21-31, *page 668*

Pastor: The Word of the Lord.
People: **Thanks be to God.**

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING Todd Jones
Mark 1:29-39, *page 35*

Pastor: The Word of the Lord.
People: **Thanks be to God.**

‡ Children ages 4 and 5 are invited to *Young Children and Worship*
in Room CW-110.

‡HYMN OF PREPARATION 394 (seated) BALM IN GILEAD
There Is a Balm in Gilead

SERMON Todd Jones
Signs and Wonders

RESPONSE OF THE PEOPLE

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (8:30) Mark DeVries
(11:00) Tom Walker
The Apostles' Creed (Traditional) Hymnal Page 14

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER
(Traditional - debts) Hymnal Page 16

OFFERTORY (8:30) Melchoir Franck

For the Righteous Shall Flourish Forever
For the righteous shall flourish forever.
For the Lord shall reward,
and the Father watches o'er them.
Therefore shall they obtain the high kingdom of Heaven.
And shall receive a crown,
from the hand of the Lord.

(11:00) *I Was Glad* C. Hubert H. Parry
I was glad when they said unto me,
"We will go into the house of the Lord."
Our feet shall stand in thy gates, O Jerusalem.
Jerusalem is builded as a city, that is at unity in itself.
pray for the peace of Jerusalem, they shall prosper that love thee.
Peace be within thy walls, and plenteousness within thy palaces.

*PRESENTATION AND RESPONSE 592 *Doxology* OLD HUNDRETH

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION