

**ORDER OF WORSHIP
TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

October 7, 2018

10:00 a.m.

*The beginning of the opening voluntary is a call to silent, personal meditation.
Please silence all electronic devices as we prepare our hearts and minds to worship God.*

OPENING VOLUNTARY

Schmücke dich, o liebe Seele

Johannes Brahms
(1833-1897)

INTROIT

Opening Prayer

Janet Smiley
(b. 1954)

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open,
all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name;
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister: O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

People: When I look to the heaven, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars which you have established; what are human beings that you are mindful of them, mortals that you care for them?

Minister: Yet you have made them little less than God, and have crowned them with glory and honor.

All: O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is thy name in all the earth!

***HYMN 162**

O Lord, Our God, How Excellent

WINCHESTER OLD

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O Lord our God,
we confess, with thanksgiving,
that you made us in your image,
so that we can remember you, know you, and love you.
But that image is so worn and blotted out by faults,
and darkened by the smoke of sin,
that it cannot do that for which it was made,
unless you renew and refashion it.
Lord, we are not trying to make our way to your height,
for our understanding is in no way equal to that;
but we do desire to understand a little of your truth,
which our heart already believes and loves.
We do not seek to understand so that we can believe,
but we believe so that we may understand.
Have mercy on us, we pray.

St. Anselm
(1033 – 1109)

KYRIE ELEISON

James MacMillan
(b. 1959)

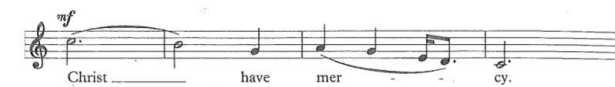
Choir Lord, have mercy.

Congregation



Choir Christ, have mercy.

Congregation



Choir Lord, have mercy.

Congregation



Choir Kyrie eleison.

PROMISE OF THE GOSPEL

***GLORIA PATRI**

WESTMINSTER ABBEY
(Hymn 416)

Laud and honor to the Father,
Laud and honor to the Son,
Laud and honor to the Spirit,
Ever three and ever one;
One in might and one in glory,
While unending ages run.

***THE PEACE**

Minister: As a forgiven people, let us share Christ’s peace with one another.
The peace of Christ be with you.
People: **And also with you.**

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Almighty God, from the darkness within us we call upon your name and cry for your mercy and beseech you for a clear word and a light upon our way. Feed us upon forgiveness. Enliven us by grace. And restore us to the joy of your salvation, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

FIRST LESSON

Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12 (p. 218)

Minister: Holy wisdom, holy Word.
People: **Thanks be to God.**

SECOND LESSON

Mark 9:13-16 (p. 44)

Minister: Holy wisdom, holy Word.
People: **Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

HYMN (seated)

TALLIS’ CANON

During the organ introduction, children through fifth grade may process to the Chapel to meet for the Gathering.

Go with us, Lord, and guide the way,
Through this and every coming day,
That in your Spirit strong and true,
Our lives may be our gift to you.

SERMON

What Are Human Beings?

Ms. Jarvis

“But someone has testified somewhere, ‘What are human beings that you are mindful of them, or mortals that you care for them?’”
Hebrews 2:6

***HYMN 506**

Deck Yourself, My Soul, with Gladness

SCHMÜCKE DICH

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Loving Shepherd of thy sheep,
keep thy lamb, in safety keep.
Nothing can thy power withstand.
None can pluck me from they hand.

I would bless thee every day,
gladly all thy will obey.
Like thy blessed ones above,
happy in thy perfect love.

Loving Shepherd, ever near.
Teach thy lamb thy voice to hear;
suffer not my steps to stray,
from the straight and narrow way.

Where thou leadest I would go,
walking in thy steps below,
till before my Father's throne,
I shall know as I am known.

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up unto the Lord.

Minister: Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People: It is meet and right so to do.

Phillipp Ledger
(b. 1937)

SANCTUS

MacMillan

ALL VOICES *mp*
Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord, God of power and might.
mf Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - - ry. Ho - san - na
mf in the high - est. Bles-sed is he, O bles-sed is he who comes in the
ff name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Prayers concluding with the Lord's Prayer:

Our Father 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

COMMUNION ANTHEM

William Byrd
(1540-1623)

Sacerdotes Domini incensum et panes
offerunt Deo:

et ideo sancti erunt Deo suo et non pollutent
nomen eius.

Alleluia.

*The Priests of our Lord offer the burnt
sacrifice and breads to God,
and therefore they shall be holy to their
God, and shall not pollute his name,
alleluia.*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

***HYMN 163**

Lord, Our Lord, Thy Glorious Name

GOTT SEI DANK DURCH ALLE WELT

*Your offerings to the Germantown Avenue Crisis Ministry Food Cupboard
will be received during the singing of this hymn.*

***BENEDICTION**

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Little Trumpet Tune for Manuals

Michael Lawrence
(b. 1978)

*Congregation standing

In Memoriam:

Christopher Branda, Jr.
March 21, 1926—September 24, 2018

LEADING WORSHIP: Cynthia A. Jarvis, Brian D. Russo and Austin Crenshaw Shelley

MUSIC: Gallery Choir, Daniel Spratlan, Conductor; and Michael Lawrence, Guest Organist

GREETERS: Elders: Katherine Magid and Anne Standley; Deacons: Alison Abernethy and Carole Ashmead

USHERS: Michael Baughman, Team #2 Leader; Jim Burns, Jason Jones, Marcia Jones and Barbara Olson

FLOWER GUILD: Susan Shuchat

COMMUNION SERVERS: Lisa Guyer, Taylor Slaughter and Anne Standley

*Flowers in the chancel are given to the glory of God
and in loving memory of
Frank Camp
by Elsie, Jamie and Steve Camp.*

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