

Sunday, May 28, 2017

(\*Denotes the congregation should stand if able)

PRELUDE: "Battle Hymn of the Republic" Kristy Zenk & Lisa Langholz

**\*MEMORIAL RECOGNITION: "My Country Tis of Thee"**

**#561 vs 1, 2 & 4**

PRAYER & TAPS

CHORAL INTROIT: "How Great is Our God" *(same as below)*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Liturgist

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

**\*CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT: "How Great is Our God"**

How Great is our God

Sing with me

How great is our God

And all will see how great

How great is our God

\*CALL TO WORSHIP Liturgist

LEADER: O Lord, open my lips.

**PEOPLE: And my mouth shall proclaim your praise.**

LEADER: Lord, we are clay,

**PEOPLE: and you are the potter.**

LEADER: We are all the work of your hand.

**PEOPLE: Be merciful to us.**

**\*OPENING HYMN: "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee" #357**

OPENING PRAYER Liturgist

God of all our days, we come together to praise you. We marvel at your grace to us, and your patience with us. May our time in your presence together enrich us and embolden us to share the good news of our experiences, with each other and the world around us.

CALL TO CONFESSION

Liturgist

We may work hard to hide our faults and flaws from one another and from ourselves, but with God, we may run, but we cannot hide. The psalmist reminds us that God searches and knows us, and discerns our thoughts even from far away. Let us, in this moment of confession, stop running from God. Let us turn to God in humility and in trust, laying down our burdens of sin and brokenness. Let us pray.

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**God of Light: you sent Jesus, the Word, into our world, but we have not listened. We have been deafened by the clamoring of other voices. We have closed our ears to the voice of Jesus. We have turned away from your word. God of Light: turn us back to yourself. Silence in us any voice but your own. Speak to us again in Jesus, the Word made flesh, and give us grace to hear.**

Amen. (Time of Silent Prayer)

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Jesus said: "Him who comes to me I will not cast out." Know therefore that the sins we sincerely confess are forgiven by the power and in the name of Jesus Christ; And now a new life begins for us in Jesus' way! Go, and sin no more!

**\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: Gloria Patri #579**

CHANCEL CHOIR ANTHEM: "Song for the Nations" *-Fettke*

CHILDREN'S TIME

MINUTE FOR MISSION

PRAYERS FOR THE PEOPLE: JOYS & CONCERNS

**LORD'S PRAYER (DEBTS AND DEBTORS)**

**RESPONSE: "Be Calm My Soul"**

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Liturgist

Guide us, O God, by your Word, and Holy Spirit, that in your light we may see light, in your truth find freedom, and in your will discover peace; through Christ our Lord. **Amen**

SCRIPTURE READING: Psalm 68:1-10, 32-35 PG 411-412

SCRIPTURE READING: John 17:1-11 PG 765-766

SERMON: "Our Lord's Prayer" Pastor Ken Fells

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:**The Apostle's Creed (Traditional)(front of hymnal) #14

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.

THE OFFERTORY/CHOIR: "America the Beautiful" -Bacak

DEDICATION OF OUR OFFERINGS

**\*DOXOLOGY** #592

THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**\*CLOSING HYMN: "Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing" #538**

\*CHARGE

\*BENEDICTION

**\*RESPONSE: "Go Now In Peace"**

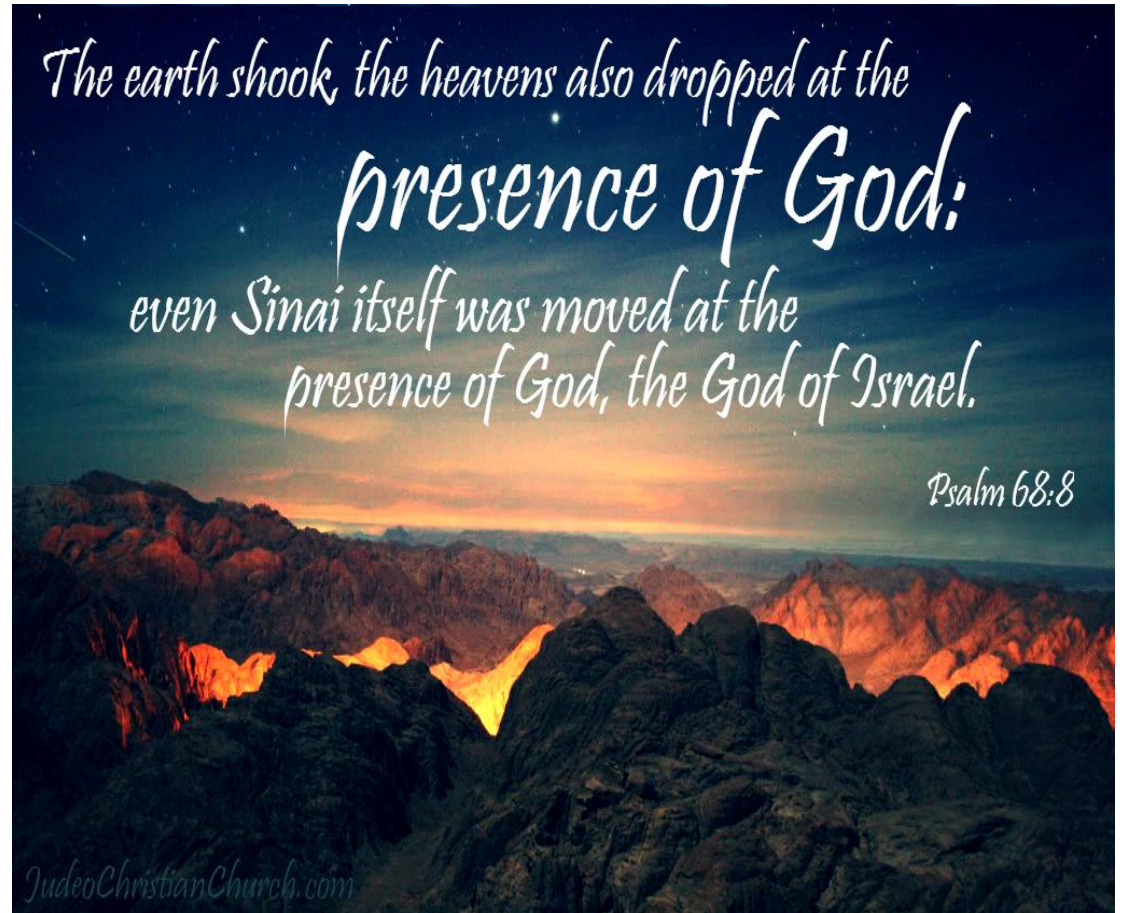
\*POSTLUDE: "Honor & Glory" -Rinck

LITURGIST: Kathy Jones AUDIO/VIDEO: Denise Philipp

CHOIR DIRECTOR: Kristy Zenk ORGANIST: Ann Voggesser

ACCOMPANIST: Lisa Langholz

GREETERS: Jayden & Braxten Ghislandi USHER: Erin Adams



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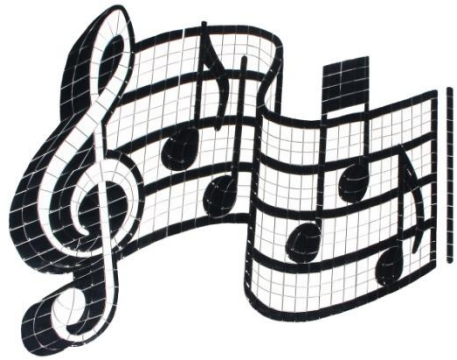
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