

Affirmation of Faith

Apostles' Creed

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 at 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. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer and 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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Offertory

Blest Be the Tie that Binds

arr. Hugh Knight

Doxology

Benediction

Postlude

Magnificat Plein Jeu

J.F. Dandrieu

Reverend Sam Martin
Hugh Knight, Organist
RoxAnn Stalvey, Children's Time

Thank you to the Flower Guild for providing the weekly chancel arrangement.

Special Thanks:

Linda Cobaugh, Preservice

Catherine Parler, Barbara Manaker, David Parler and John O'Neill, Singers

Hugh Knight, piano; Keith Howard, flute; Andrea Quinn, cello, Anthem

Chancel Choir from 10/27/2019, Anthem

Dee Doniphan, Old Testament Reader

Taylor Keathley, Technical Support

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Psalm 133 New Revised Standard Version (NRSV)

The Blessedness of Unity

A Song of Ascents.

133 ¹How very good and pleasant it is when kindred live together in unity! ²It is like the precious oil on the head, running down upon the beard, on the beard of Aaron, running down over the collar of his robes. ³It is like the dew of Hermon, which falls on the mountains of Zion. For there the Lord ordained his blessing, life forevermore.

Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32 New Revised Standard Version (NRSV)

Israel's Rejection Is Not Final

11 ¹I ask, then, has God rejected his people? By no means! I myself am an Israelite, a descendant of Abraham, a member of the tribe of Benjamin. ²God has not rejected his people whom he foreknew. Do you not know what the scripture says of Elijah, how he pleads with God against Israel?

²⁹ for the gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable. ³⁰ Just as you were once disobedient to God but have now received mercy because of their disobedience, ³¹ so they have now been disobedient in order that, by the mercy shown to you, they too may now [receive](#) mercy. ³² For God has imprisoned all in disobedience so that he may be merciful to all.