

Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 12:1-12

Leader: The Word of the Lord ~

People: Thanks be to God ~

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Sermon

'E Pluribus Unum'

Rev. Marc Shefelton

Sermon Series: Part of the Body – Church Membership



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."

***Doxology** Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***Dismissing Hymn No. 484**

'Who Is On the Lord's Side'

(verses 1, 3-4)

***Benediction**

Postlude

'Jesus Is All the World to Me'

~ Thompson

We're glad you joined us for worship today! We invite you to place your financial tithes and offerings in one of the boxes in the back of the sanctuary before or following service. Thank you for placing the Bibles, hymnals and attendance books back on the chairs. Thank you.

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In Essentials...

UNITY

In Non-essentials...

LIBERTY

In All Things...

CHARITY

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“Join us for a drink of Living Water”

September 3, 2023

We welcome you to the worship of God Almighty this Lord's Day. It is our intention to bring glory and honor to Him. God enters our time of worship and we remember this time belongs to Him. Your Worship Commission

**Please stand, if you are able.
Nursery for children infant to 4 yrs. old is available upstairs in the Christian Education Wing (please see Usher for directions)*

Meditation

“The person who loves their dream of community will destroy community, but the person who loves those around them will create community.”
~ Dietrich Bonhoeffer

Westminster Chimes and Announcements

(During announcements, we ask members and visitors to please sign the Friendship Register and pass it on. Send them back down your row so you can note who is worshipping with you today. We invite visitors to give us your complete address.)

Opening Prayer

Prelude ‘Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face to Face’ ~ Dearle

***Call to Worship** (based on Psalm 145:3-4, 10-11, 21)

Leader: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;

People: there is no end to his greatness.

Leader: One generation shall praise your works to another

People: and shall declare your power.

Leader: All your works praise you, Lord,

People: and your faithful servants bless you.

Leader: They make known the glory of your kingdom

People: and speak of your power.

Leader: My mouth shall speak the praise of the Lord:

People: Let all flesh bless his holy name for ever and ever.

***Hymn No. 58**

‘This Is My Father’s World’

***Praise Songs**

‘Your Grace Is Enough’
‘Waymaker’

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (In unison)

Almighty God, we confess that we are often swept up in the tide of our generation. We have failed in our calling to be your holy people, a people set apart for your divine purpose. We live more in apathy born of fatalism than in passion born of hope. We are moved more by private ambition than by divine mission. We dream more of privilege and benefits than service and sacrifice. We try to speak in your name without relinquishing our glories, without nourishing our souls, without relying wholly on your grace. Help us to center our hearts and lives on you. By your Holy Spirit, forgive us, revive us, and reshape us in your image. Amen. . .(silent prayers of confession)

Assurance of Pardon

***Gloria Patri**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

***Affirmation of Faith**

*Westminster Confession of Faith – Chapter 26
The Fellowship of the Saints*

By their profession of faith saints are bound to maintain a holy fellowship and communion with each other in the worship of God and in the performance of other spiritual services for their mutual improvement. They are also bound to help each other in material things according to their different abilities and needs. This fellowship is to be offered, as God gives the opportunity, to everyone in every place who calls on the name of the Lord Jesus.