

CHILDREN IN WORSHIP

ESPECIALLY FOR CHILDREN

(9:00 am Worship)

Children of all ages are invited to come forward for the children's message. Following this time, children 3 years old by September 1, 2010 through grade 2, are welcome to leave for special programs; 3's 4's and kindergarten in Westminster Hall: Grades 1 and 2 in Room 11. Unless parents make other arrangements, these children will be taken to their Sunday School classrooms at the conclusion of these programs. Infant and Toddler Care (through age 3) is available in Rooms 101 and 102 throughout the morning.

(11:15 am Worship)

At the 11:15 am Worship Service, since there is no children's message, young children are welcome to sit with their families throughout worship. There is childcare available in the following rooms: infants—1 year old in Room 102, 2 years—kindergarten in Room 101.

SUNDAY MORNING CHILDCARE

We provide childcare on Sundays for each worship service and for the educational hour in between. Childcare runs continually from 8:30 am until 12:15 pm in both rooms. Room 102 is for infants through walking toddlers. Room 101 is for Toddlers around age 2 through age 3. Our rooms are staffed by paid and volunteer caregivers.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

CHILDREN AND YOUTH (A complete list of children/youth classes is posted in the hallways and printed on flyers in the back of the Sanctuary).

- 1) Creative Movement and Music (ages 3-K) in Westminster Hall following the Children's Message at the 9:00 worship service.
- 2) Children and Worship (Grades 1-2) meets in Room 11 following the Children's Message at the 9:00 worship service. Children are then picked up by their teachers and taken to Sunday School.
- 3) Sunday School Classes for all children and youth meet at 10:00 am following the service.

ADULT EDUCATION

"Introduction to Celtic Spirituality"

We are honored to have John Bell visiting from Scotland. He is our Henszey Lecturer for this year and is known by Joel Blunk. Ordained by the Church of Scotland, he is both a hymn writer and author. His doctorate is from the University of Scotland. For years John worked in youth ministry before concentrating on music and worship. He is active within denominations worldwide. His informative discussion with us will be on the roots of Celtic spirituality. It is a subject which he knows well, and the learning of which help may give us a better understanding of our own faith. Come to this special event in Westminster Hall at 10:15 am.

APRIL 3, 2011

FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

9:00 AND 11:15 A.M. WORSHIP

PRELUDE "Fantasia in G Minor" -J.S. Bach

INTROIT On These Days of Lenten Journey

Ned Wetherald, 2011



On these days of Len-ten jour-ney Christ goes with us side by side.
While we gather here for worship may our lives be focused with praise and care.

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CALL TO WORSHIP Anne Ard

One: All creation sings a song of praise.

All: **The birds chirp gladness, the poppies dance joy,**

One: All creation praises God: the ocean sparkles, dolphins leap, whales play,

All: **All creation joins in praise.**

One: The mountains clap their hands,

All: **The trees wave, the sun blesses. All creation sings a song.**

One: Look deeply,

All: **God's choir is singing,**

One: Raise your voice and join the choir!

*HYMNAL No. 200

"To Bless the Earth"

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

(9:00) Deannine Shipman (11:15) Diana Malcom

We who have lost our sense and our senses—our touch, our smell, our vision of who we are: we who frantically force and press all things, without rest for body or spirit, hurting our earth and injuring ourselves: help us to call a halt. We want to rest. We need to rest and allow the earth to rest. We need to

reflect and to rediscover the mystery that lives in us and around us; the mystery that is the ground of every unique expression of life. Help, us Loving God to declare a Sabbath, a space of quiet; for simply being and letting be; for recovering the great, forgotten truths; for learning how to live again.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Virginia Rainey

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON: Leviticus 25:1-17 Page 107

ANTHEM (9:00) "Savior Like A Shepherd" arr by Hopson
The Third, Fourth, Fifth Grade LOGOS
(11:15) "Kyrie" -Anton Dvorak
The Chancel Choir

SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON: Luke 12:13-21 Page 905

*GLORIA PATRI Page 579

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, Amen.

*THE APOSTLES' CREED Page 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. Amen.

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(9:00 am—see "Children in Worship")

Children may bring a monetary offering to the offering plate on the Communion Table as they come forward for the Children's Message.

Reminder: Children should bring their OGHs banks back to church on April 17th during worship.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are glad you are worshiping with us today. Please take a moment to sign the pew pad and pass it along to your neighbor, and then pass it back so that you may take the opportunity to greet those sitting near you after the service. Please provide your address and your e-mail ad-

dress so that we may contact you about upcoming events that may be of interest to you.

OFFERING

Offertory "Tiento" (Offertory) - Jean Langlais

*Doxology

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*SING THE FAITH No. 2059 "I Am Your Mother"

SERMON "A Sabbath for the Earth" John Bell

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

CALL TO PRAYER

(9:00) "Bow the Knee" -Ned Wetherald

(11:15) "Come, Bring Your Burdens to God" South African

SILENT PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE—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.

*HYMN (see insert) "World Without End"

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

(9:00) "Go In Peace" -Ned Wetherald

(11:15) "This We Shall Do" -John L. Bell

*THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

Congregation: And also with you.

(please greet those sitting around you, especially taking time to welcome those who are visiting)

*POSTLUDE