

*HYMN No. 749

"Come! Live in the Light!"

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Hymn 765

"Song of Hope"

**May the God of hope go with us every day,
filling all our lives with love and joy and peace.
May the God of justice speed us on our way,
bringing light and hope to every land and race.
Praying, let us work for peace;
singing, share our joy with all;
working for a world that's new,
faithful when we hear Christ's call.**

*POSTLUDE

- J. S. Bach

"They Who Will Suffer God to Guide Them"

Welcome Our Guest Organist

Welcome Keith Diehl this morning as our guest organist.
Keith has played for us many times and we are always
glad to hear him. Ned and Karen are on vacation in Maine.

You Are Invited

for coffee and fellowship in the Fireside Room
(downstairs) after the Worship Service.

Visiting?

Come to the red table at the front corner of the
Sanctuary after worship so we may greet you.
We're glad you're here!

**AUGUST 5, 2018
18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
10:00 AM WORSHIP**

(Where you see an asterisk (), please stand if you are able)*

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

PRELUDE

"Prelude in c minor" (BWV 546)

-J. S. Bach

WORDS OF WELCOME

Deannine Shipman

INTROIT

"The Lord Is God"

Hymn No. 63, Verse 1

**The Lord is God, the Lord alone!
Give honor, thanks, and praise
to God, the maker of all things
and giver of our days.**

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 104:33-34)

Michael Ozaki

Leader: I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;
**People: I will sing praise to God while I have
being.**

Leader: May my meditation be pleasing to him.
People: For I rejoice in the Lord.

*HYMN No. 645

"Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above"

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Dean Lindsey

**O God, you provide all that we need to be fulfilled
in this life, but we have not been content. We have
fallen for the tempting promise that possessing
more things will lead us to happiness. Forgive us,
we pray. We have allowed envy to cloud our vision
of what is good. Forgive us, we pray. We have given
priority to the worries about tomorrow over the
joys of today. Forgive us, we pray, and free us from
both the desires and anxieties that drive us away
from you. Encourage us in each day to seek and cel-
ebrate the good we possess and to offer thanks for
your grace. We pray in the name of Jesus. Amen.**

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*PASSING THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

Congregation: And also with you.

HEARING THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Susan Sanders

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING: 1 Timothy 6:6-12

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Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM

"I Am the Bread of Life"
Connie Curilla

-Suzanne Toolan

ESPECIALLY FOR CHILDREN

Deannine Shipman

Summer Sunday School continues today with "SUNDAY LIFT: Intergenerational Experience #3 for children and parents". Parents are more than welcome to join us today for Summer Sunday School to see what we can learn TOGETHER, but children are also welcome to go to class on their own. Come to Room 10.

SONG AFTER CHILDREN'S TIME

Hymn 487, verse 2

"These Treasured Children"

**Our ancient story we shall tell,
till these our children know it well
within their souls and minds and hearts,
for this is where their journey starts.**

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING: Acts 19:23-41

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SERMON

"Disrupting Business"

Dean Lindsey

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

*HYMN No. 521

"In Remembrance of Me"

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

"Apostles' Creed"
(front of red hymnal, page 35)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR COLLEGE WELCOME

CALL TO OFFERING

Offertory

- J. Brahms

"My Heart Abounds with Pleasure"

*Doxology

Hymn 606

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

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation to the Table

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

Congregation: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

Congregation: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord
our God.

**Congregation: It is right to give our thanks
and praise.**

Music During Communion

Hymn No. 533 "In the Singing"

Hymn No. 507 "Come to the Table of Grace"

Breaking of the Bread

Sharing of the Cup

All are invited to come forward, when directed by an usher, to commune by Intinction—taking a piece of bread or a gluten free wafer and dipping it in the cup. Those who wish may remain seated to be served by an Elder.

PRAYER FOLLOWING COMMUNION