

**\* THE DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION** (Hymn 592)

**\* THE HYMN 495** *We Know That Christ Is Raised*

**\* THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

**\* THE CHORAL RESPONSE** *For You Shall Go Out with Joy* Paul Leddington Wright

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*Children are always welcome in the Sanctuary during worship. Should you find that your child grows restless, there is child care available. Infants are cared for in the Nursery in Room 105, toddlers 18 months through two years in Room 112.*

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Greeters: Ellen Brown, Beverly Tatum, Bill and Cindy Humphries

Coffee & Conversation Host: Lynsley Tyler

Counters: Hope Bothwell and David Wingert

Infant Nursery: Robin Hackney

Two's Nursery: Melisa Prevost

Preschool Program Volunteers: Kerri Markovic, Cathie Gay and Carol Senf

Children's Worship Volunteers: Leslie and Don Grant

Fellowship: The Brownlees

**Staff**

Joanna M. Adams.....Pastor  
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**WORSHIP** **JUNE 22, 2008**

**12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Thank you for making sure your cell phone is off during the worship hour.

**THE PRELUDE** Jeremy Rush, guest organist/choirmaster  
(The organ Prelude is a time for reflection and preparation for worship.)

**\* THE CALL TO WORSHIP** Sara Hayden

Leader: Thus says, the Lord, the one who created and formed you, O Jacob:

**People: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine.**

Leader: When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers they shall not overwhelm you:

**People: When you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. For I am the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior.**

Leader: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

**\* THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN 478** *Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven*

*\* (The asterisk indicates parts of the worship when the congregation is invited to stand as they are able.)*

## THE CALL TO CONFESSION

### THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Wondrous God, you have broken the power of sin and death, and by your great mercy, you have given us new birth into a living hope. This we proclaim. This we want to believe. But seeds of doubt grow quickly in our hearts. Fear chokes off confidence and prevents us from receiving your Spirit. We multiply our sorrows by worshipping what we see and hear more than you, our delight and salvation. O God, in your great mercy, grant us the peace that passes understanding. Forgive us, and draw us close to you, that we may breathe deeply of your presence and find in you the fullness of joy. Amen.

**A MOMENT OF SILENCE** *(for examination of conscience and personal prayers of confession)*

### THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

**\* THE CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** (Hymn 451)

O friends, in gladness let us sing, supernal anthems echoing, Alleluia, Alleluia! To God the Father, God the Son, and God the Spirit, Three in One, Alleluia! Alleluia!

### \* THE PEACE OF CHRIST

*(Children ages 2-11 are invited to leave after the Passing of the Peace for special classes. Preschoolers are in Room G-11 and K-5<sup>th</sup> grade are in Room G-1.)*

### THE CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

*(Visitors and members are invited to sign the blue friendship register pad and pass it down the pew.)*

### THE FIRST LESSON

Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17  
(page 514 in the Pew Bible)

David Bothwell

### THE ANTHEM

*God Is Our Refuge*

Allen Pote

God is our refuge and strength, a present help in time of trouble. Though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea, though the waters roar and foam, we will not fear. Come and behold the work of the Lord, the awesome acts of God. He is in the midst of his people, in all the earth. He is the Word, we are his hands, he will lead us. He is the air, we are his song, we will celebrate his presence all the day long.

### THE SECOND LESSON

Romans 6:1-11

(page 146 in the Pew Bible)

### THE SERMON

“A Matter of Death and Life”

Christopher Henry

*But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. Romans 6:8*

### \* THE HYMN 400

*When We Are Living*

### \* THE 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 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.

### THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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.

### THE OFFERTORY

*Prelude on 'Rhosymedre'*

Ralph Vaughan Williams