



SANCTUARY RENEWAL
SERVICE OF DEDICATION

Saturday, May 13 | 10:00 a.m.

Delighting in God's Glory | Demonstrating His Grace | Declaring His Gospel

PRELUDE

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name
Wyeth Duncan, organ

arr. Diane Bish

*CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT

"O Lord of Hosts, How Lovely"

Ellacombe

O Lord of hosts, how lovely
The place where thou dost dwell!
Thy tabernacles holy
In pleasantness excel.
My soul is longing, fainting,
Jehovah's courts to see;
My heart and flesh are crying,
O living God, for thee.

One day excels a thousand,
If spent thy courts within;
I'll choose a threshold rather
Than dwell in tents of sin.
Our sun and shield Jehovah,
Will grace and glory give;
No good will he deny them
That uprightly do live.

Psalm 84:1-2; 10:11

*RESPONSIVE READING

Psalm 100

Pastor: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth!
Serve the Lord with gladness!

All: Come into his presence with singing!

Pastor: Know that the Lord, he is God!
It is he who made us, and we are his;

All: We are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

Pastor: Enter his gates with thanksgiving,
And his courts with praise!

All: Give thanks to him; bless his name!

Pastor: For the Lord is good;
His steadfast love endures forever,

All: And his faithfulness to all generations.

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Asking God to attend and bless the worship of his people

*HYMN 347

“The Church’s One Foundation”

Aurelia

PRAYER OF DEDICATION 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 16:13–20

page 822, pew Bible

*HYMN NO. 343

“Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation”

Westminster Abbey

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Peter 2:4–10

page 1014, pew Bible

ANTHEM

“O God Beyond All Praising”

arr. Mark Hayes

Sanctuary Choir; Wyeth Duncan, organ; Ted Bickish, director

O God beyond all praising, we worship you today
And sing the love amazing that songs cannot repay;
For we can only wonder at every gift you send,
At blessings without number and mercies without end:
We lift our hearts before you and wait upon your word,
We honor and adore you, our great and mighty Lord.
Then hear, O gracious Savior, accept the love we bring,
That we who know your favor may serve you as our King;
And whether our tomorrows be filled with good or ill,
We’ll triumph through our sorrows and rise to bless you still:
To marvel at your beauty and glory in your ways,
And make a joyful duty our sacrifice of praise. Alleluia, Amen!

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SCRIPTURE READING

Colossians 3:12–17

page 984, pew Bible

*HYMN NO. 355

“We Are God’s People”

Symphony

SCRIPTURE READING

Ephesians 3:14–21

page 977, pew Bible

SERMON

“To Him Be Glory in the Church Throughout All Generations”

Dr. Todd M. Smedley

*HYMN NO. 32

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

Faithfulness

*BENEDICTION

Pronouncing God’s blessing on his people

POSTLUDE

I. from Concerto in G Major, BWV 592

J.S. Bach

Ted Bickish, organ

**Congregation standing as able*

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