



"Who is like you, O Lord, among the gods? Who is like you, majestic in holiness, awesome in splendor, doing wonders? In your steadfast love you led the people whom you redeemed; you guided them by your strength to your holy abode." – Exodus 15:11-13

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

October 11, 2026 – 20th Sunday after Pentecost

*(*Indicates where it is appropriate, but not necessary to stand. All speak words in **boldface**.)*

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR MISSION:

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*PASSING OF THE PEACE & RINGING THE TRINITY

May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

(Please take a brief moment to greet those around you)

CALL TO WORSHIP & OPENING PRAYER *(from Psalm 106:1-6)*

Praise the LORD!

O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,
his steadfast love endures forever.

Who can utter the mighty doings of the LORD
or declare all his praise?

Happy are those who observe justice,
who do righteousness at all times.

Remember us, O LORD, when you show favor to your people.

**Help us when you deliver your chosen ones,
that we may rejoice in gladness and glory in your heritage.**

*HYMN #41

“O Worship the King, All Glorious Above!”

Lyons

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, you make your presence evident through your creation, your faithful servants, and your holy Word, but we behave as if we are alone. We do not trust you to provide our needs. We allow ourselves to be led by our constant fears instead of your will. We serve convenient gods that we can mold according to whatever we desire. Forgive us, Lord. Destroy these idols of our foolishness. Send your Spirit of wisdom and truth to guide us through the wilderness of vanity and ignorance, that we may be delivered to the promises of your kingdom.

SILENT PRAYER

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: Hymn #581 “Glory Be to the Father”

*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.*

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING: Philippians 4:1-9

TIME WITH THE YOUNG PEOPLE

*HYMN #459

“O Word of God Incarnate!”

Munich

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING: Exodus 32:1-14

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

SERMON

“Once More, from the Top”

Rev. George W. Chapman III

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: *The Apostles’ Creed*

What do we believe?

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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER

OFFERING

**Response: Hymn #606, “Praise God from whom All Blessings Flow”*

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.

**Prayer of Dedication*

*HYMN #297

“In Christ Called to Baptize”

St. Denio

*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Ushers: Mike Clawson & Tom Tart
Greeter: Carol Vealey
Welcome Table: Patsy Calhoun
Liturgist: Carol Kauffman
Acolyte: A.J Pendergrass

*The flowers are dedicated to the glory of God in loving memory of
Charles Odum from his loving family.*

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