

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost
8:30 am

September 18, 2016

Contemporary Service of Worship

Welcoming & Announcements

Praise and Worship

Holy is The Lord
Beautiful One
I Give You My Heart
As the Deer

Opening Prayer:

L. Generous God, you are the king of the universe! Everything belongs to you, yet you graciously provide for our smallest needs. You sent your Son Jesus, the Prince of Peace, to redeem us. We are grateful for your blessings, for we have enough to share. Help us to be faithful in our use of the resources you give us. May this time of worship remind us who we are and whose we are and how you want us to behave on account of that Truth. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

God's Word

Hebrew Bible Lesson: Jeremiah 8:18-9:1 Pew Bible 757
Children's Sermon
Gospel Lesson: Luke 16:1-13 Pew Bible 1036
Sermon

Our Response

Prayers *(Please use prayer cards to indicate thanksgivings and concerns)*
The Lord's Prayer
Offering
Offering Music Everyday

Baptismal Covenant: Celeste Francis Andujar-McNeil

No. 33

Dismissal with Blessing

Last Chorus of Everyday

Sermon Notes / Prayer Requests

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SERVICE OF THE WORD & TABLE
10:45 AM

Preparation

WELCOMING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE Litany Charles Callahan

CALL TO WORSHIP:

L. Seek God and live,

P. **And let justice roll down like mighty waters.**

L. Seek good and not evil,

P. **And may righteousness roll like an ever-flowing stream.**

L. Love goodness and establish justice,

P. **And the Lord, the God of hosts, will be gracious to you.**

L. Come, let us worship our God,

P. **Who leads us in the way of righteousness, justice, and peace. Amen.**

OPENING HYMN: “Dear Lord & Father of Mankind” No. 358

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Proclamation

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

HEBREW BIBLE LESSON: Jeremiah 8:18-9:1 Pew Bible 757

SUNG RESPONSE: “There is a Balm in Gilead” No. 375
(Verse 2)

GOSPEL LESSON: Luke 16:1-13 Pew Bible 1036

PREPARATION HYMN: “For the Healing of the Nations” No. 428

SERMON

Response

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD’S PRAYER

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

ANTHEM Earth and All Stars David Johnson

DOXOLOGY

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Sending Forth

CLOSING HYMN: “Forth in Thy Name, O Lord” No. 438

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Festival Flourish Charles Callahan