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**September 1, 2019**

**WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME**

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MOMENT OF SILENCE

LIGHTING OF THE PEACE CANDLE

\*RESPONSE

“DE LA PAZ” (VS 1)

*De la Paz, of peace I sing this song  
For that day when war shall cease to be,  
When the hungry child can have her daily bread  
And the one in chains has been set free. Set Free.*

CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: Sing aloud to God our strength

PEOPLE: **Shout for joy to the God of Jacob**

HYMN # 260

“A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD”

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, we know what is required of us, and yet we are sometimes fearful of giving ourselves to you. We sense a call to reach out to others, and yet we often look upon the needy with more judgment than mercy. When we have not heard the cries of the needy or noticed the bruised and broken people in our paths, Forgive us. Grant us an integrated life of devotion and service through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

PROMISE OF GOD

LEADER: Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel

PEOPLE: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

\*RESPONSE

“GLORY TO GOD”

*Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me  
And to the Christ, whose grace has pardoned me  
And to the Spirit, whose love has set me free!  
As it was in the beginning,  
is now and ever shall be, Amen. .*

**WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD**

FIRST LESSON-OLD TESTAMENT

PSALM 81: 1, 10-16

WORD TO THE CHILDREN

SECOND LESSON-NEW TESTAMENT

LUKE 14: 1, 7-14

SERMON

\*HYMN #339

“BE THOU MY VISION”

**WE GIVE THANKS TO GOD**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND PETITION

THE LORD'S PRAYER (DEBTS/DEBTORS)

*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 GIVING OF OUR GIFTS

OFFERTORY

\*RESPONSE (TMB)      “WHAT DOES THE LORD REQUIRE OF YOU?”

**What does the Lord require of you?  
What does the Lord require of you?**

Justice, kindness, walk humbly with your God.

*To seek justice, and love kindness,  
and walk humbly with your God.*

UNISON PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THANKSGIVING

Lord, we may not always find it possible to invite strangers, the homeless, the sick into our homes, but we present these gifts and pray that they may be used to help meet the needs of our neighbors near and far. Amen.

**WE DISPERSE IN GOD’S NAME**

\*HYMN # 372

“LORD I WANT TO BE A CHRISTIAN”

\*BENEDICTION

\*RESPONSE

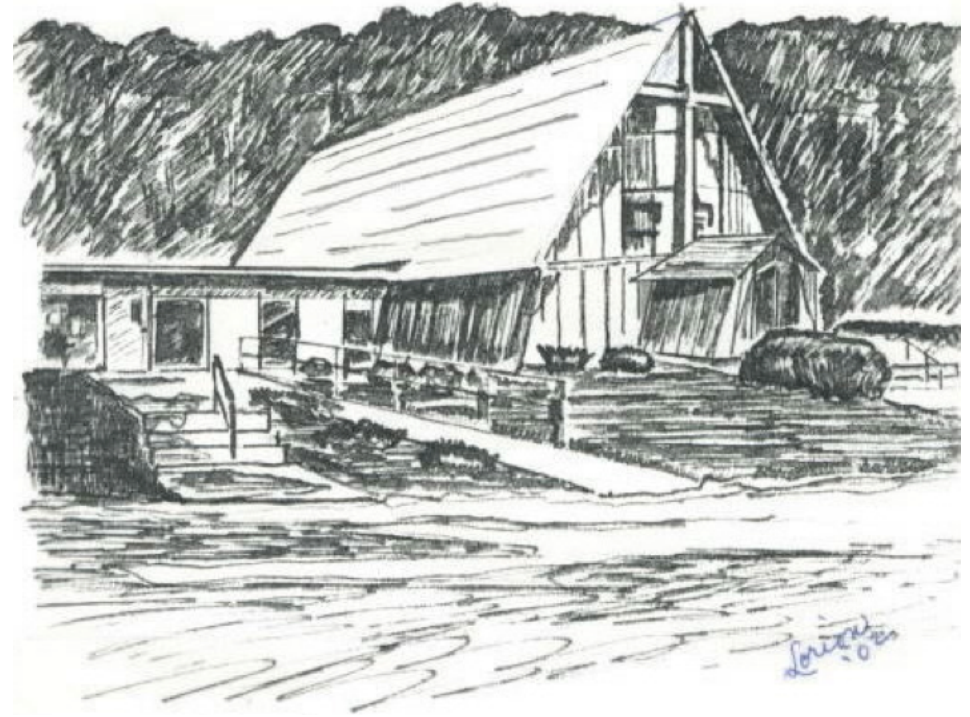
\*POSTLUDE

**\*Those Who Are Able Are Invited To Stand  
\*\*\*Latecomers May Be Seated**

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**DARREN GUNDRUM IS LEADING OUR WORSHIP SERVICE TODAY.**

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