



“Once when Jacob was cooking a stew,
Esau came in from the field, and he was famished.”

- Genesis 25:29

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OUR CHURCH AT WORSHIP

July 12, 2020

6th Sunday after Pentecost

PRELUDE

Althea Waites

CALL TO WORSHIP

adapted from Psalm 119

Leader: Your word, O God, is a lamp to guide me and a light to my path.

People: Accept my prayer of thanks, O Lord, and teach me your commands.

Leader: Your instruction is my everlasting heritage; it is the joy of my heart.

People: I choose to follow your word, for it is a reward that never fails.

*HYMN

“O God, Our Help in Ages Past”

Charles Dickerson

**O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home!**

**Before the hills in order stood, or earth received her frame,
From everlasting, thou art God, to endless years the same.**

**O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come,
Be thou our guide while life shall last, and our eternal home.**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND RENEWAL

**Unison: Most loving God, you know us completely, how mean we are and how good we are. We give you thanks that you have not left us alone in sin and despair. You have brought us good news and set before us the way of life in your son, Jesus Christ. Forgive the mistakes we have made and the good we have neglected. Let the power of your love transform our lives. Strengthen our decision to live with the honesty, integrity, joy and peace Christ offers.
Amen.**

SILENT PRAYER

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Linda Fester

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty,
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!**

THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

THE WORD FOR CHILDREN

ANTHEM

“Jacob and Esau”

3rd service ensemble

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

Diane Rehfield

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 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.**

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES

OFFERTORY

Althea Waites

DOXOLOGY

**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.**

SCRIPTURE

Genesis 25:19-34

Brothers in conflict

Linda Fester

SERMON

“Chopped”

Jonathan Chute

HYMN

“This Is My Father’s World”

Charles Dickerson

**This is my Father’s world, and to my listening ears
All nature sings and round me rings the music of the spheres.
This is my Father’s world: I rest me in the thought
Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas; his hand the wonders wrought.**

**This is my Father’s world. O let me ne’er forget
That though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the ruler yet.
This is my Father’s world: why should my heart be sad?
The Lord is King; let the heavens ring! God reigns; let the earth be glad!**

BENEDICTION AND CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

**God be with you till we meet again; by his counsels guide, uphold you,
With his sheep securely fold you; God be with you till we meet again.**

POSTLUDE

“I Am with You”

Children’s Ministries

3rd service ensemble:

Paula Kuno – guitar/mandolin/vocals
Teresa James – piano/flute/vocals
Michael Starr – guitar/violin/mandolin/vocals
Zach Provost – piano/vocals
Cory Tramontelli – bass/vocals
Jack Sollecito – percussion/guitar/piano

Rev. Jonathan Chute, Senior Pastor
Rev. Dr. Martha Rowlett, Senior Pastor Emeritus
Myra Ghabrial, Preschool Director
Annette Matsuda, Parish Nurse
Megan Pelc, Kid Zone/Mid Zone Director
Debra DeLuca, Children’s Ministry Director
Kristin Reksch, Youth Ministry Director

Rev. Dr. April Herron, Associate Pastor
Charles Dickerson, III, Music Director
Althea Waites, Organist
Paula Kuno, 3rd Service Music
John Fitzgerald, Treasurer
Nicole Lowery Zakman, Church Business Mgr.
Roksolana Vecerek, Exec. Asst. to Pastor
Peggy Roulette, Church Office Admin.
Miguel Portillo, Custodian