

October 10, 2021 – 20th Sunday after Pentecost

Your Worship Leader is Pastor Bill Kapp

With Special Guest Musical Group, Common Chords

Prelude

Ringling of the Bell

Opening Song (Common Chords)

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Liturgist: Come, all who look for God with unseeing eyes. Come, all who listen for God but hear nothing.

Congregation: Oh, that we knew where to find God! We want to hear and understand God's Word.

Liturgist: The word of God is living and active. It pierces and judges and opens us to God's grace.

Congregation: We cannot hide from God who knows us. God understands our thoughts and intentions.

Liturgist: Leave everything to follow Jesus in this hour. This is the time to embrace new ways.

Congregation: Here we set the patterns for everyday life. Here we are strengthened for every day's challenges.

Hymn (Instrumental) - This hymn was written by Carmen Llanos and Pedro Infante. "God Gave This World A Gift" has a Latin feel and closes with "Let's all rejoice as one, united in our love!"

Confession of Sin

Almighty God, hear us if you can. Know that many times we feel forsaken and terrified more than supported and comforted. We cry out and hear no answers. We suffer and find no relief. We are tempted to blame you even though we are the ones who cut off communication. We complain in the midst of plenty and groan over imagined slights. When we feel mocked and scorned and despised, we turn inward with the hurt instead of opening ourselves to your healing touch. Have mercy on us and help us in our time of need. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

Gloria Patri (Instrumental)

Old Testament Lesson – Amos 5:6-7, 10-15

Song (Common Chords)

Children's Sermon

Epistle Lesson – Hebrews 4:12-16

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Lord's Prayer

Offering

Offertory - Today's offertory "All the Colors of the Rainbow" was written by Carl Daw and Cyril Taylor.

Gospel Lesson – Mark 10:17-31

Sermon

Song (Common Chords)

Benediction

Postlude