

A Warm Welcome to All Who Gather for Worship

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at the back of the sanctuary**

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*There is a communion of more than our bodies when bread is
broken and wine drunk. M. F. K. Fisher*

July 11, 2010

7th Sunday after Pentecost

(Congregational responses are in **bold type.**)

***Please stand as you are able**

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

Lighting the Memorial Candles and the Peace Candle

Call to Worship

Hymn: #401VU *Worship the Lord*

Prayer of Approach

Hymn: #268VU *Bring Many Names*

Theme Conversation and the Prayer of Jesus

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD

First Testament Reading: Amos 7:7-17

(God holds a plumb line in the midst of God's people.)

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Fracturing and Pouring
Distribution of the Elements

WE ARE SENT FORTH

*Hymn: #427VU *To Show by Touch and Word*

*Commissioning and Benediction

*Choral Benediction: *Spirit Song*

Oh, let the Son of God enfold you with His Spirit and His love.

Let Him fill your heart and satisfy your soul.

Oh, let Him have the things that hold you,

and His Spirit like a dove

will descend upon your life and make you whole.

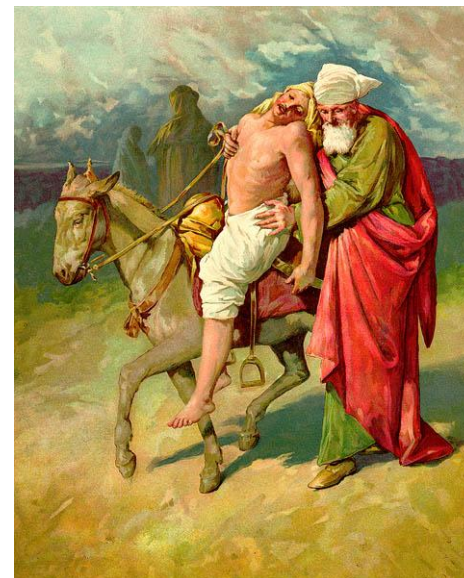
He'll descend upon your life and make you whole.

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Music**

Postlude

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Responsive Psalm: Psalm 82 (p.799 VU)
(*God judges in the midst of the divine council.*)

Epistle Reading: Colossians 1:1-14
(*The word of God is bearing fruit in you.*)

Anthem

Gospel Reading: Luke 10:25-37
(*The parable of the Good Samaritan.*)

Message: *Caring As Neighbours*

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Minute for Mission

Invitation to the Offering

Offering Our Gifts to God

Dedication: #538VU *For the Gift of Creation*

*For the gift of creation, the gift of your love,
and the gift of the Spirit by which we live,
we thank you and give you the fruit of our hands.*

May your grace be proclaimed by the gifts that we give.

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Offertory Prayer:

**Surrounded by the wealth of your creation,
we offer now from our bounty, God,
a bounty which comes to us through you.
May these gifts give birth to your ways
of love and justice in our world. Amen**



Passing of the Peace of Christ

Communion Hymn: #477 *I Come with Joy*

The Great Thanksgiving

God be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

Here they are, wonderful God.

Let us give thanks to our God who has made us.

We give God thanks and praise.

Great God,

...

Hear us as we sing with all creation:

**Hallowed, sacred, holy God,
all creation is teeming with your glory.
Blessed is your word who became flesh
and shared our earthly home.
Like Wisdom we want to dance
and delight in your presence. Alleluia!**

Having created human beings

...

we praise and glorify you forever.

**Holy, holy, holy God, Creator of all things,
nature gives thanks,
your creatures give thanks,
Your praise rises in us like the great river.
God of all things, Creator, Provider,
we thank you in the name of Jesus.**

As we gather at this table,

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And so we remember; and so we believe:

**Christ has died
Christ is risen,
Christ will come again!**

Come then, O Holy One.

all glory is yours, God most holy,
now and forever. Amen.