

“There is nothing in the world so much like prayer as music is.”

William P. Merrill

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Choir Festival

Rev. John Lutz, Senior Pastor
Aimee O'Neill, Director of Music Ministries
Ron Cookson, Worship Assistant

June 13, 2010

9:30 a.m.

Summer Hymn Sing (9:15)

*Opening Hymn “Come, Christians, Join to Sing” 158

Welcome & Life of the Church (Please sign the attendance pad and pass it down the aisle.)

Greeting One Another Passing the Peace
(Stand and greet the people around you and welcome them into our circle of faith today.)

*Gloria Patria “Glory Be To The Father” 70

*The Call to Worship

Leader: We gather for worship, O God, with needs as varied as the kinds of music that touch the human soul, with skills as varied as the kinds of instruments that comprise a full orchestra.

People: *We look to You to be our conductor, leading us with a graceful hand, drawing forth the finest of our abilities, allowing us to work in concert with one another.*

Leader: Enable us to experience life as having many melody lines that are good and holy and exciting.

People: *Teach us a tempo of life that will both sustain our spirits and move us toward greater service in the world.*

All: *We gather to worship, O God, and we unite our voices in songs and words of praise.*

*The Opening Prayer [unison]

Touch us, O God, through the ministry of melody, through the sounds and senses of song, through the wordless wonder which fills our souls with heaven, through the spirit which teases our feet to dance and causes our hearts to overflow, that we might be absorbed in the mystery and magic of music, and that in this moment of oneness our lives will be bonded to each other and to You.

Choir Festival 2010

The Wesleyan Choir, along with the Genesis & Crusader Choirs, invite you to share in a worship experience as they present to the Glory of God their Anthem Favorites from 2009-2010. We hope you will be blessed by our offering.

Christmastime..... Smith/Carlson

Fairest Lord JesusLau

Blessed AssuranceRaney

Come Flood This Heart of Mine..... Lantz

Kyrie EleisonHuntsinger

Steal Away Schram

Reader: Andy Rozek

*Hymn of Praise “O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing” 57

Recognition of the 2010 Graduates

✠ Prayers of the People ✠ The Lord's Prayer

Presentation of our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

*Offertory Response “Doxology” 95

*Offertory Prayer [unison]

Great music and little birds remind us of Your majesty. Receive these offerings as signs that we remember that You are greater than our money, yet You are the root of it all. Most of all, we marvel that You love us. We are saying that we thank You, God, as we present this offering in Jesus' name. Amen.

*Closing Hymn “There's Within My Heart a Melody” 380

*Affirmation of Faith “The Apostles' Creed” 881

Postlude

**If able, please stand to worship God*

We welcome YOU to our worship service this morning. If you are visiting our church for the first time, we extend you a special greeting. (Please inform us of your complete name and address on the Fellowship Pad or in the Guest Book.) We invite you to enter into our worship wholeheartedly. Sing out! Listen intently to God's Word! Be open to promptings of the Holy Spirit! And after the service, give us a chance to talk with you and invite you back! We look forward to your worshipping with us again.

ABOUT THIS WORSHIP SERVICE ...

Altar Flowers today are Dedicated to the Glory of God In Loving Memory of Fernando & Guadalupe Rivera, Beloved Parents and Grandparents, by Cielito, Lorlina, Cindy, Aileen, Brian, Alexander & Emily Agoncillo; and also In Loving Memory of Son, Keith Hesser, by Bob & Jeannette Hesser.

Morning Greeters this morning are Ruth & Vic Campo.

Ushers this morning are The Hansen Family.

Acolyte this morning is Isabelle Letham.

Prayer Chain No. 2 is in effect this week. Please call Madge Laughlin, 215-357-6573, for prayer requests and praise for answered prayers.

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Summer Worship Services

Traditional

9:30 a.m.

Contemporary

11:30 a.m.

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