

THE ORDER FOR OUR WORSHIP

PRELUDE - “Jesus, Thou Divine Companion” tune Pleading Savior; arr. David Hergarty

page 167 - **CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION**

HYMN 906 - we sing, standing

page 168 - **KYRIE**

Page 171 - **HYMN OF PRAISE**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Let us pray. O God, Your divine wisdom sets in order all things in heaven and on earth. Put away from us all things hurtful and give us those things that are beneficial for us; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

(please be seated)

FIRST LESSON (bulletin back page)

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

PSALM 119:9-16

Men read odd numbered verses

Women read even numbered verses

SECOND LESSON (bulletin back page)

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page 173 - **ALLELUIA VERSE** - all standing

GOSPEL (bulletin back page) - all standing

Before, all shout: **Glory to you, O Lord!**

After, all shout: **Praise to you, O Christ!**

HYMN 770 - we sing, seated

SERMON

NICENE CREED - hymnal, last page
all standing

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

all may kneel

Response: **Hear our prayer!**

OFFERTORY

The Parish Choir sings (10:30) “Be Thou My Vision” by Wagner

page 177 - **SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT**

Page 178 - **SANCTUS**

LORD’S PRAYER

page 179 - **WORDS OF OUR LORD**

SHARING OF PEACE

page 180 - **AGNUS DEI**

DISTRIBUTION OF THE SACRAMENT

During the Distribution we sing HYMNS 781 and 783

All are invited to commune who have been baptized and instructed in the Faith; who repent of their sins; who are committed to Christ and to the mission of his church; and who believe with us that we receive and share our Savior’s Body and Blood in, with, and under the bread and the wine of the Sacrament - where He gives forgiveness and Christian unity.

All who commune, kindly sign your names in our Communicant Register, which is located on the narthex shelf along side our Guest Register.

page 181 - **POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE** - all standing

page 183 - **BENEDICTION**

HYMN 850 - we sing, standing

NEWS AND NOTES

Last Sunday Here

Attending: 84 Offering: \$4,345

This Week Here

Wed - 1:30PM - Bible Study
 - 7:15PM - Parish Choir
 - 8:00PM - Bell Choir
Thur -10:00AM - Bulletin Pick-Up

Join us for Coffee and Fellowship each Sunday at 9:00. A sign up sheet is posted on the bulletin board for those willing to host a Sunday.

Bulletin Pick-Up - For those who plan to watch Sunday service via our stream, bulletins will be available for pick up from the hallway on Thurs. mornings, 10:00-12:00.

Attn Council Members! A meeting will be held on Monday, October 25 at 7:00 p.m.

Organ Recital - The Worship Committee has organized a wonderful celebration for the 60th Anniversary of the building of the Schlicker Organ. There will be a beautiful Organ Recital on Sunday, **November 14** at 4:00 p.m. The public is invited and this is a free concert. The attendees are asked to wear masks. The performer is a seasoned organist,

A WORD ABOUT THE LESSONS

By the Voluntary Poverty of Christ, We Enter the Kingdom of God - To love and trust in earthly wealth is vanity. For nothing of this earth will last forever, nor can any of it grant eternal life (Eccl. 5:10). But the one who trusts in God is “occupied with joy in his heart” and is able to sleep in peace, “whether he eats little or much,” because he knows that the “days of his life” are “the gift of God” (Eccl. 5:12, 18–20). The person who trusts in riches cannot sleep, because he “shall take nothing for his toil that he may carry away in his hand” (Eccl. 5:15). Therefore, it is difficult “for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God” (Mark 20:23). Indeed, it is impossible for man, yet “all things are possible with God” (Mark 20:27). Thus, the Rich Man, Jesus Christ, has made Himself poor and has gone through “the eye of a needle,” through death and the grave, “to enter the kingdom of God” on our behalf (Mark 20:24–25). He is the “great high priest who has passed through the heavens” (Heb. 4:14), so that we may now enter His Sabbath rest by faith in His forgiveness (Heb. 4:3–9).

POSTLUDE - “Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee” by Beethoven; arr. Broughton

Noah Klein from Minnesota. He is currently studying with Martin Jean at Yale Institute of Sacred Music for his Masters in Music. Tell your musical friends to join us for this outstanding recital.

Food Contribution Opportunities:

- **Feed Northeast 2021** - This October, Thrivent is helping members combat food insecurity in communities across the region with the **Feed Northeast 2021** Thrivent Action Team Incentive program. If we collect a minimum of 500 items for donation to the Cheshire Community Food Pantry by October 31st they could be eligible to receive an additional \$500 from Thrivent. Last year, with all of your generous donations, the Cheshire Community Food Pantry received the additional \$500 in addition to lots of food. Let’s see if we can do it again this year.

- **Food Collection for Thanksgiving Baskets** – We are helping the Cheshire Community Food Pantry create 170 Thanksgiving Baskets for members of our Cheshire Community who are in need. This year CLC has been asked to collect 170 each of canned yams and stuffing mix. Please help us fill the baskets. Thank you.