

7th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

WE GATHER AROUND GOD'S WORD

♪ **Piano & Flute Prelude** · Toni DiCapua; Julie Larson
America the Beautiful ... Samuel Ward / James M Stevens

Call to Worship (responsively) · Lou Pennebaker

Leader: When we seek justice for the other,
when we love kindness more than ever,

People: we live as God asks us to live.

Leader: When we walk humbly through life,
when we offer mercy to those who hurt us,

People: we are the blessing God hopes we will be.

Leader: When we are willing to look foolish by following Jesus,
when we choose weakness rather than power,

People: we reflect the One who is in our midst.

* ♪ **Hymn of Praise** · *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*
No. 142

Prayer of Confession (in unison)

What have we done to you, dear God? We dishonor you every time we treat another with disrespect. We shatter your heart when we find it easier to break our word, then to take the risk to keep it. We fill your ears with the gossip, lies, and slander we speak about those around us.

**You are wise enough to forgive our foolishness;
you are strong enough to overcome our weakness;
you are loving enough to heal the hurt we cause to you and to others.**

And so you give us new hope and new life in Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel.

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

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*  **Gloria Patri**

No. 579

* **Passing of The Peace**

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Greetings and Announcements

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading · Julie Larson

Micah 6:1-8 (pg. 1447)

Anthem

Amazing Grace / My Chains Are Gone ... Chris Tomlin / Louie Giglio

Julie Larson, Flute; Toni DiCapua, Piano

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Scripture Reading

Philippians 2:1-11 (pg. 1827)

Ministry of the Word · The Rev. Renée Rico

"Walk Humbly with God: Micah"

7th in the Series "Character Matters"

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

* **The Apostles' Creed** · see page 5

You are invited to stand as able as we state what we believe.

Acknowledgement and Blessings of Offerings

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WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD... continued

- * 🎵 **Hymn of Preparation** · *Let Us Break Bread Together*
No. 513

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Invitation to the Table

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Words of Institution

The Bread and Cup Shared

All are welcome to this table. You are invited to hold the bread until all have received it so we can take it together. Please take the cup (filled with grape juice) when you receive it.

Prayers of The People and the Lord's Prayer (sung)

See laminated copy in hymnal.

- * 🎵 **Closing Hymn** · Take Thou Our Minds, Dear Lord
No. 392

- * **Benediction**

- * 🎵 **Congregational Response** · Go Now in Peace

🎵 **Postlude** · Toni DiCapua

The Star Spangled Banner, Trumpet Voluntary, National Anthem ... John Barr