

St. Mark's Episcopal Church

Alexandria, Virginia

The Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost Children's Sabbath October 16, 2016

Prelude

Processional Hymn

Morning Has Broken

Hymnal #8

1. Morning has broken like the first morning,
Blackbird has spoken, like the first bird.
Praise for the singing! Praise for the
morning!
Praise for them springing fresh from the
Word!
2. Sweet the rain's new fall, sunlit from
heaven,
Like the first dewfall on the first grass.
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden,
Sprung in completeness where his feet
pass.
3. Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning
Born of the one light Eden saw play!
Praise with elation, praise every morning,
God's recreation, of the new day.

Opening Acclamation

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Gloria (2x)

Taizé #16

Gloria, gloria, in excelsis Deo!
Gloria, Gloria, alleluia, alleluia!

The Collect of the Day

(from the insert)

The Lesson

Jeremiah 31:27-34

(from the insert)

The Psalm

Psalm 119:97--104

(from the insert)

The Epistle

2 Timothy 3:14-4:5

(from the insert)

Sequence Hymn

Seek Ye First

Hymnal #711

1. Seek ye first the kingdom of God
and its righteousness,
and all these things shall be added unto
you;
Allelu, alleluia!
2. Ask, and it shall be given unto you,
seek, and ye shall find,
knock, and the door shall be opened unto
you;
Allelu, alleluia!

Refrain

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
Allelu, alleluia!

Refrain

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
Allelu, alleluia!

The Gospel

Luke 18:1-8

(from the insert)

Sermon

Ms. Michaelene Miller, The Rev. John A. Weatherly

Creedal Statement (St. Mark's Sunday School)

We believe:

that God is amazing, super, wonderful, holy, and rejoiceful. We know that God loves us because He watches over us. He loves us so much that He gave us a place to stay, by creating the earth. God cared about us so much that he sent his only son, Jesus Christ, down to earth to die for us.

We believe:

that Jesus Christ is caring, forgiving, and loving. He came down from Heaven, taught us, then died for the forgiveness of our sins. He is the Son of God; He is both the Son of God and God in human form. Through Him all things were made. He was made man through the Holy Spirit. Jesus takes care of us and gives us the world. There are worldly consequences to sin, but Jesus is forgiving, and gives us redemption.

We believe:

that the Holy Spirit is invisible yet perceivable. The Holy Spirit forgives us our sins and answers our prayers.

We describe sin as actions that pull us away from God. The consequences are having to bear the burden until you have asked for forgiveness. Redemption is when you're forgiven for the sins you have committed.

We believe:

in the Holy Trinity: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The relationship between ourselves and God determines how we behave on Earth. Humans commit sins when they disobey the Commandments and God.

Redemption looks like Heaven.

*The creed was developed as part of the curriculum, based on the book **One Faith, One Life** by Jennifer Gamber.*

Prayers of the People

A Litany for the Children of the Church

(from the insert)

Prayer of Confession

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The Peace (stand)

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Announcements (8:00)

Holy Communion

The Offertory – “Everyman shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the Lord your God that He has given you.” Deuteronomy 16:17.

Presentation of Gifts (sung)

Hymnal #178 (Vs. 1)

Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.

Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to his Name.

Jesus is Lord of all the earth. He is the King of creation.

Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.

Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to his Name.

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A, The Rev. Cornelia Eaton, Celebrant

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Sanctus (sung)

Hymnal #S 125

The Lord's Prayer

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The Breaking of the Bread

All baptized persons are invited to receive communion.

Fraction Anthem

Taizé #143

Jesus Christ, Risen Lord come to him and never be hungry
Jesus Christ, Risen Lord trust in him and you will not thirst.

Communion Hymn

I, the Lord of Sea and Sky

WLP #812

1. I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in deepest sin
My hand will save.
I who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send? *Refrain*
Refrain
Here I am, Lord. Is it I Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me,
I will hold your people in my heart.
2. I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have born my peoples pain.
I have wept for love of them, They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone,
Give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them.
Whom shall I send? *Refrain*
3. I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them,
My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide
Till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give My life to them.
Whom shall I send? *Refrain*

Prayer after Communion

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Announcements (10:00)

The Blessing

Recessional

Spread, O Spread, Thou Mighty Word

Hymnal #530 (Vs 1-4)

1. Spread, O spread, thou mighty word,
spread the kingdom of the Lord,
that to earth's remotest bound
all may heed the joyful sound,
2. Word of how the Father's will
made the world, and keeps it, still,
how his only Son he gave,
earth from sin and death to save,
3. Word of how the Savior's love
earth's sore burden doth remove;
how forever, in its need,
through his death the world is freed;
4. Word of how the Spirit came
bringing peace in Jesus' name;
how his never-failing love
guides us on to heaven above.

Postlude

We warmly welcome those who worship with us today.

Please join us for coffee and fellowship in our Parish Hall following the service.

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2016 Vestry

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10/16 Susan Byers
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10/16 Earl Hughes
10/23 Rosemary Kley

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10/16 Hannah Luxner/Noah Caliendo
10/23 Molly Hamrin/Joanna Wright

Altar Guild

10/16 Joy Haggard/Pat Hoppe
10/23 Linda Berg/Janet Davis

Greeter(s)

Wilhemina Scott-Boyle

Rosemary Kley

Ushers

Jim Bailes
Mary Jane Stockstill
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David Powers

Flower Guild

Maureen Ison/Brenda and Ana Ventura
Sarah Hardy/Delsa Chui/Yuris Guzman

Tellers

David Powers/Elizabeth Biddle
Len Slobodin/Rodney Fisher

Vestry Person

Velma Scott-Boyle (8:00)
Kathy Hughes (10:00)
Ashley Bryda (8:00 and 10:00)