

# MORNING WORSHIP

May 22, 2022

Half past Ten O' Clock

## Sixth Sunday of Easter GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

TIME OF MEDITATION AND REFLECTION

+WELCOME AND NOTICES

PRELUDE

*Let All Things Now Living*

arr. Dale Wood

INTROIT

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"  
Eddie Kennedy, tenor

HYFRYDOL

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalms 67

Leader: May God be gracious and bless us.

**People: May God's face shine upon us,**

Leader: that Your way may be known upon earth,

**People: Your saving power among all nations.**

Leader: Let the people praise You, O God;

**People: Let the nations be glad and sing for joy.**

Leader: You judge all people with equity

**People: and guide the nations upon earth.**

Leader: Let the people praise You, O God;

**People: Alleluia! Let all the earth praise God.**

+\*HYMN 366

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

HYFRYDOL

\*CALL TO CONFESSION

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

**Loving God, we confess today: We don't even know what love truly is. We talk about love when we talk about our favorite television shows and foods. We talk about love as if it happens to us. We describe love as a feeling. We talk about love, but we do not keep Your word. Our love for You is diluted and weak. Our hearts are divided, and our passion for You is half-hearted. Forgive us. In Your deep mercy, rekindle our love for You as we hear anew about Jesus' love for us. Amen.**

\*THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

John 14:27

Leader: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.

**All: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!**

\*SUNG RESPONSE 582

"Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me"  
(sing twice)

GLORY TO GOD

## PROCLAIMING THE WORD

A MESSAGE FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

*Immediately following the Message for Young Disciples, elementary children are invited to the Chapel.*

SCRIPTURE LESSON

John 14:23-29, pew Bible pg. 983

SERMON

"Heart Troubles"

Dr. Richard Boyce

## RESPONDING TO THE WORD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP AND PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING

Text to Give

704-734-9818

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

"If with All Your Hearts"  
Eddie Kennedy, tenor Gay Pappin, piano

from *Elijah* Felix Mendelssohn

\*DOXOLOGY (HYMN 606)

OLD HUNDREDTH

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (Unison)

St. Ambrose of Milan (AD 339-397)

**O Lord, who has mercy upon all,**

**O Lord, who redeems and restores us from sin,**

**O Lord, who mercifully kindles the fire of the Holy Spirit within our hearts,**

**Take away my heart of stone.**

**Give me a heart of flesh.**

**A heart to love and adore You,**

**A heart to delight in You,**

**A heart to follow and enjoy You, for Christ's sake. Amen.**

## BEARING AND FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

\*HYMN 804

"Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart!"

MARION

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*RESPONSE

"O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"  
Eddie Kennedy, tenor

AZMON

POSTLUDE

*Christ is Alive! Let Christians Sing*

arr. Wilbur Held

\*Those who are able please stand.

+Ushers may seat late worshipers

## SELWYN AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH WARMLY WELCOMES ALL WHO VISIT

Please take a moment to fill out a pew card and place it in the offering plate. Membership is by one of three paths: 1) profession of faith in Jesus Christ (for those who have never been part of a Christian church); 2) re-affirmation of faith (for those who formerly were part of a congregation but have not been involved in recent times - for example, you were baptized and/or confirmed but moved and never engaged with a new congregation); or 3) transfer of membership from another congregation (your membership is with another church).

New members and prospective members are invited to participate in Orientation Classes, which are scheduled several times a year, and are a wonderful way to meet others and learn about our church and all the opportunities here. We always stand ready to be in communication with you about your particular situation. The contact information for all staff members is in the bulletin each week.

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