

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

June 15, 2008

10:00 a.m.

*Let the first note of the prelude be a call for
personal meditation in preparation for worship.*

THE APPROACH TO GOD

PRELUDE

Andante in D

Felix Mendelssohn

VOTUM

CALL TO WORSHIP (*responsively*)

Jesus gives us a mission:

Go to the lost sheep;

Proclaim the good news;

Bring healing to others.

**We are here to enter this mission,
to encourage one another, and
to pray for strength.**

Thanks be to God!

SALUTATION

+*HYMN OF PRAISE *Hymns, Psalms, & Spiritual Songs* 477

Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim

Tune: HANOVER

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION (*in unison*)

Quiet us, gracious God, in this time of worship.

Still our worrisome mind.

Warm our heart with compassion toward all.

**Awaken our spirit to a lively attentiveness toward you and what you want us to experience
and hear today. Amen.**

*PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

(congregation may exchange the Peace)

INVITATION TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*in unison*)

Forgive me my sins, O Lord;

forgive me the sins of my youth and the sins of my age,

the sins of my soul and the sins of my body,

my secret and my whispering sins,

my presumptuous and my crying sins,

the sins that I have done to please myself,

and the sins I have done to please others.

Forgive me the sins which I know,

and those sins which I know not;

forgive them, O Lord,

forgive them all of thy great goodness.

—Lancelot Andrewes, 1555-1626

KYRIE *Sing! A New Creation* 54

Kyrie. **Kyrie.** Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

Christe. **Christe.** Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.**

Kyrie! **Kyrie.** Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

Kyrie, **Kyrie,** eleison. **eleison.**

WORDS OF ASSURANCE Romans 5:1, 2, 6-8

RESPONSE *Sing! A New Creation 55*

Alleluia! Alleluia! In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

CALL TO NEW OBEDIENCE Psalm 116:12, 17-19

CHILDREN'S DISMISSAL TO WORSHIP CENTERS

THE WORD OF GOD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

GOSPEL LESSON: Matthew 9:35-10:8

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This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

*HYMN OF PREPARATION (*see insert*)

O Christ, Who Called the Twelve

Tune: TERRA BEATA

SERMON "Human Resources 101"

PRAYER FOR BLESSING ON THE WORD

SILENT PRAYER AND REFLECTION

THE RESPONSE TO GOD

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: Apostles' Creed (*in unison*)

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*GLORIA PATRI *Hymns, Psalms, & Spiritual Songs 579*

OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINISTRY AND SHARING THE GIFT OF FELLOWSHIP

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

Largo

Antonio Vivaldi

ANTHEM

Laszlo Halmos, edited by Erik Routley

Jubilate Deo!

Everybody listen!

Sing a song of praise all you who fear Him

Come and listen while I tell you.

Join me in my praises, Jubilate Deo!

I will tell you what the Lord has done for my soul, praise the Lord!

Alleluia!

—Psalm 66:1, 16

*DOXOLOGY *Hymns, Psalms, & Spiritual Songs* 592

Tune: OLD HUNDREDTH

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

THE LORD'S PRAYER *(in unison)*

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom,
And the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

*HYMN OF DEDICATION

Tune: THE ASH GROVE

**Sent forth by God's blessing, our true faith confessing,
the people of God from this dwelling take leave.**

**The service is ended, O now be extended
the fruits of our worship in all who believe.**

**The seed of the teaching, receptive souls reaching,
shall blossom in action for God and for all.**

**God's grace did invite us, and love shall unite us
to work for God's kingdom and answer the call.**

**With praise and thanksgiving to God ever living,
the tasks of our everyday life we will face.**

**Our faith ever sharing, in love ever caring,
embracing God's children of each tribe and race.**

**With your grace you feed us, with your light now lead us;
unite us as one in this life that we share.**

**Then may all the living with praise and thanksgiving
give honor to Christ and that name which we bear.**

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Psalm XIX

Benedetto Marcello

+Latecomers will be seated.

*Those who are able may stand.

Worship Leaders: Rev. Kama Jongerius, preaching; Rev. Kent Fry, liturgist; Kathy Foster, prayer for illumination; Lucille Schroeder, prayer of thanksgiving and intercession; Combined Choirs; Linda Strouf, Minister of Music.

TODAY

We welcome all who worship with us and ask visitors and members to sign the Friendship Folders so that we may get to know one another.

Please join us in the Gathering Place for refreshments and fellowship after the worship service.

The flowers at the chancel today are given by Richard Vandervelde in loving memory of Phyllis Vandervelde.

FOR THOSE WHO DESIRE PRAYER for yourself and others, Harley and Phyllis Brown will be available to pray with you following today's worship service. Please make your way to the Place of Prayer following the service (located in the south hallway on the main level).

CHILD CARE is available in the nurseries during the worship service. Attendants: Susie Vander Kolk, Andy Zoerman, Joe and Jane Vandermeer.

ASSISTING TODAY: Greeters – Roger and Janet De Young, Bob and MaryAlice Ritsema, Harold and Nancy Gazan; Ushers – Daniel Callam, Katie Callam; Deacons – Tom Ten Hoeve, Rick Frens, Jeff Voskuil, Laura Halsey; Refreshment Servers – Karin, Sarah, and James Ashcroft.

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP: Children 4 years through 2nd grade will be ushered from the sanctuary during the worship service to continue worship in the Worship Centers on the lower level.

INQUIRER'S CLASS: 11:20-12:10, in the library

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY

Newsletter Deadline

11:20 a.m. Inquirer's Class

MONDAY

7:30 p.m. Martha Circle

TUESDAY

9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting

6:10 p.m. Parish Elder Training

7:00 p.m. Consistory

7:30 p.m. Women's Softball Game at South Olive

8:15 p.m. Elders

8:15 p.m. Deacons

WEDNESDAY

6:15 a.m. Men's Bible Study

8:00 a.m. Wednesday Morning Prayers

6:00 p.m. Middle School Picnic at Schippers
(811 Pine Ave.)

THURSDAY

9:30 a.m. Moms of Young Children

FRIDAY

10:00 a.m. Women's Prayer Group

PERSONAL

Share your prayer concerns by using the prayer request cards found in the Friendship Folders. Place the requests in the offering plate or prayer box at the back of the sanctuary. Please remember in prayer those in the hospital and in care facilities.

SYMPATHY is extended to Lois Van Oosterhout in the death of her sister-in-law, Iris Van Oosterhout, on May 1.

SYMPATHY is extended to John and Linda Dykstra in the death of John's brother, Willard, on June 9 in Hingham, Wisconsin.

SYMPATHY is extended to the family and friends of Jo Rediger who died June 12.

CONGRATULATIONS to Bill and Charlotte Garlough whose 61st wedding anniversary is today; to Gordon and Martha Beld whose 58th wedding anniversary is Tuesday; to Jim and Eleanor Hoffman whose 58th wedding anniversary is Tuesday; and to Harvey and Margaret Doorenbos whose 52nd wedding anniversary is Saturday.

PRAYER SPOTLIGHT: Holland Hospital – Earl Van Lente. Blodgett – Stephanie Buter. Marian Vande Bunte has returned home from The Inn. Hospice House – Lois Van Oosterhout. Out of Town – Elisabeth ten Zythoff, 5100 Randol Mills Rd. #3320, Fort Worth, TX 76112. Home – Jan Bosch, Gerry Tillema. In the Military – Mark South, Christine Loman, David Mummert, Tom Piaget.

CAMPER'S CORNER
Camp Geneva
June 16-21

Hope Heideman
Jack Heideman
Charlie Mosterd
Joe Mosterd

GENERAL ITEMS

THIRD SUNDAY FOR HUNGER: Non-perishable food and other necessities will be collected today for our monthly food drive. Donated items can be placed in the designated box in the Gathering place.

YOUNG HEARTS: The next Young Hearts Luncheon will be Thursday, June 26 at 12 noon in the Fellowship Hall. Price for lunch is \$4.00. Linda Strouf will join us to tell about her time playing the "Organs of Paris." Please call the church office, 392-1459, by Monday, June 23 to make your reservations. Transportation is available on request.

There will be no Third Sunday Pizza Lunch this month. The next Pizza Lunch will be July 20 at 11:15 a.m.

WALKING IN FAITH AT THIRD: Saturday, July 12 our Hiking Club will walk the trails at Ludington State Park. The hikes are appropriate for all ages. Bring your lunch. Savor creation, celebrate the Creator! We will car pool and leave from the church at 8:00 a.m. and return late afternoon. Want more adventure? Camp out at this beautiful State Park the night before! Information flyers are in the Gathering Place. E-mail Matt Floding at matt.floding@westernsem.edu if you have questions.

THE CONSISTORY

PROGRAM ELDERS

Jerry Bakker

Lorna Cook

Deb DuMez

Greg Dykhouse

Mark Hiskes

Kristen Johnson

John Lunn

Cal Rynbrandt

PARISH ELDERS

Kathy Miedema (1)

Eleanor Van Dyke (2)

Peg Van Grouw (3)

Marilyn Norman (4)

Sarah Unzicker (5)

Jane Dykstra (6)

Tom Ter Haar (7)

Marilyn Brown (8)

Lynne Caskey (13)

Milly Ten Brink (14)

Bill Doezema (15)

Martin Keller (16)

Jeff Maatman (17)

Alan Beagley (18)

Elaine Tanis (19)

Ruby Steketee (20)

Betty Balk (9)
Carol Cox (10)
Elly Muiderman (11)
Wayne Westenbroek (12)

Phyllis Brown (21)
Barb Moreau (22)
Lucille Schroeder (23)
Kate Bolt (24)

DEACONS

Jon Bechtel
Jeff Beird
Lynne Bonnette
Steve Bulthuis
Rick Frens
Laura Halsey
Jim Hensley
Andy Mulder

Jay Mosterd
Jon Rietberg
Bekah Schipper
Tom Ten Hoeve
Jim Vander Meer
Jeff Voskuil
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A Stephen Ministry Congregation

MISSIONARIES WE SUPPORT

Jaime Amaro, Monterrey, Mexico
Martha Amaro, Monterrey, Mexico
Roger De Young, Mission Stewardship and Coordinator
for Mexico and Venezuela
Ruth Estell, China
Linn Gann, India
IRM Community Development, Mozambique
Wayne and Miho Jansen, Japan
Rowland, Jr. and Jane Van Es, Kenya
Nakajima/Ministry with Japanese People

THE CHURCH STAFF

Senior Pastor	Kent Fry
Minister of Congregational Life	Kama Jongerius
Calling Pastor	William Unzicker*
Coordinator of Congregational Care	Delores Bechtel*
Minister of Music	Linda K. Strouf*
Director of Children's Ministries	Marcia Floding*
Youth Director	Nate Schipper
Young Disciples Director	Michelle Millen*
Seminary Interns	Mark Reynoso, David Ryder*
Children's Choir Director	Mary Van Voorst*
Secretaries	Kristen Beckner, Carol Ter Beek*
Custodian	Mark Faga
Kitchen Coordinator	Judy Bosch*
Treasurer/Interim Administrator	Harvey J. Buter*
Recording Treasurer	Delwyn Van Dyke*

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Minister of Music Emeritus
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