

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

August 3, 2014

Rev. Dr. Charles A. Wiessner, Pastor
Dr. Lonieta Cornwall, Music Director

The Approach to God

PRELUDE *"We Remember You"* L. Cornwall, Piano

CONGREGATIONAL CONCERNS

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

"Welcome Into This Place" Chancel Choir

CALL TO WORSHIP

(Isaiah 55)

**Everyone who thirsts, come to the waters;
You that have no money, come, buy and eat!
God says, "Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good.
Incline your ear, and come to me; listen, so that you may live."**

***HYMN OF PRAISE #89**

"The God of Abraham Praise"

***SALUTATION**

EXHORTATION TO SELF-EXAMINATION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

(silent)

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Isaiah 43:1-3a

LAW OF GOD

John 13:34-35

CONGREGATIONAL SONG FOR PENTECOST

*"Anointing fall on me, Anointing fall on me.
Let the power of the Holy Ghost fall on me. Anointing fall on me."*

RECEPTION OF GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"Siyahamba"

Chancel Choir

***DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

The Word of God

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION #250 *“Break Thou the Bread of Life”*

SCRIPTURE Genesis 18:1-15 (Page 10 Old Testament)

MOMENT FOR CHILDREN

***MOMENT OF FELLOWSHIP**

***HYMN #348** *“Faith of our Fathers!”*

SERMON **“A Feast”**

Our Response to God

***CONFESSION OF FAITH** Apostles’ Creed (Page 12 hymnal)

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Meaning

Hymn #447 *“Let Us Break Bread Together”*

Invitation

Communion Prayer

Communion

(Please retain the elements until all have been served.
Cups on the outside ring contain wine)

Communion Anthems

“In Remembrance” “We Remember You”

Communion Thanksgiving Responsive Reading #25 p. 495

***CLOSING HYMN #449** *“For the Bread, Which Thou Hast Broken”*

***BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE** *“We Remember You”*

***POSTLUDE**

*The congregation may stand.

TODAY'S STEWARDS

Greeters: Ron & Gayle Dellinger
Ushers: Pete & Barbara Nickel
Nursery: Bill & Julie Anne Thompson
Fellowship: Chris Forte

Next week's stewards (August 10):

Greeters:
Ushers: Walt & Lucy Paradies
Nursery: Melissa Matson
Fellowship:

EMPTY NESTERS

Plan to join the Empty Nesters for their monthly dinner outing this Tuesday, August 5th, 6:30 p.m. at Carolina Ale Housel in Cary. The sign-up sheet is in the Narthex.

FOOD PANTRY

Needed items are: cereal, sugar, coffee, tea, hot chocolate, canned milk, jelly, ramen noodles, beef stew, chili, condiments like ketchup, mustard, mayonnaise, hot sauce. They could also use laundry detergent, dish detergent, paper towels and toilet paper.

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

For the summer months if you sign up for fellowship, we ask that you only bring cookies. These can be store bought or homemade, simple or fancy. Whatever you bring will be appreciated and consumed. Please sign up for fellowship!