

First Reformed Church of Cary

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

July 16, 2017

Rev. George Van Arnam, Contract Minister

Dr. Loñieta Cornwall, Music Director

Prelude

"Surely Goodness and Mercy"

L. Cornwall, Piano

Congregational Concerns

Votum

Choral Introit

"We Have Come Into This House"

Chancel Choir

The Approach to God

***Call to Worship**

Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up
O ancient doors.

That the King of Glory may come in.

Who is the King of glory?

**The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord
mighty in battle.**

Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up
O ancient doors.

That the King of glory may come in.

Who is the King of glory?

The Lord of Hosts, he is the King of Glory.

***Hymn of Praise #132**

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

Prayer of Confession

**Watchful God, you know our plight. Offended, we have not believed your word.
Complaining, we have betrayed your love. We are weak, estranged, wandering and
lost. Seeking to stand in our own strength, we fall. Strangers to your holiness we
wander. Defenseless against evil within and without, we are lost. Shine your light in
our darkness and guide us back to our place in you.**

Silent Prayer of Confession

