



Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost

October 23, 2016

THE CHURCH GATHERS TO WORSHIP GOD

CHIMING THE HOUR

PRELUDE.....David Leonard
All the Poor and Powerless

WORDS OF WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS OF THE DAY

ADULT'S MOMENT

(Adults are invited to gather on the steps of the altar.) †

*CALL TO WORSHIP.....Anthony Martinez

Leader: You are loved with an everlasting love.

PEOPLE: **WE ARE LOVED.**

Leader: Your name is engraved on the palm of his hand.

PEOPLE: **HE HOLDS OUR NAMES CLOSE.**

UNISON: **WE ARE THE APPLE OF HIS EYE AND HIS TREASURED POSSESSION.**

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

*WORSHIP HYMN..... (see screen)
This is Amazing Grace (Phil Wickham)

*INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER

For You formed my inward parts; You knitted me together in my mother's womb. I praise You, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are Your works; my soul knows it very well. My frame was not hidden from You, when I was being made in secret, intricately woven in the depths of the Earth. Your eyes saw my unformed substance; in Your book were written, every one of them, the days that were formed for me, when as yet there was none of them. We ask these things in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, who taught us to pray, saying, "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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever and ever." Amen

*GLORIA PATRI.....CH. 35
Glory Be to the Father

THE CHURCH PROCLAIMS THE WORD OF GOD

FIRST READING (pg. 827)Mark 14: 32-52

SERMON THROUGH SKITS: *Prayer Life*

SECOND READING (pg. 752).....Jonah 1: 1-16

SERMON THROUGH SKITS: *The Good News Network*

SERMON THROUGH SKITS: *A Woman's Reflection*

SOLO *Kayleigh McNelis*.....Bobby Strand
Ever Be

SERMON THROUGH SKITS: *Don't Interrupt Me... I'm Praying*

SILENT MEDITATION

MORNING PRAYER

THE CHURCH COMES TOGETHER AT THE LORD'S TABLE

OFFERTORY.....Bryan Towalt
Holy Spirit

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

God of all blessings, source of all life, giver of all grace: We Thank You for setting us in communities and for families who nurture our becoming, for friends who love us by choice, for companions at work, who share our burdens and daily tasks, for strangers who welcome us into their midst, for people from other lands who call us to grow in understanding. Amen.

*GIVE THANKS.....CH. 528
Give Thanks With a Grateful Heart

COMMUNION INVITATION

COMMUNION HYMN.....(see screen)
Enough (Chris Tomlin)

PRAYER FOR THE BREAD.....Dillon Sirmans

PRAYER FOR THE CUPAlex Everett

DISTRIBUTION OF THE ELEMENTS.....Edward Mote
Cornerstone

The Lord's Table is open for all people. Christ has set the table before us. It is by His invitation we are fed. You may eat the bread as it is passed and drink the cup at the conclusion of the Words of Institution.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE CHURCH GOES FORTH TO SERVE GOD IN MISSION

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

***HYMN OF INVITATION**.....(see screen)

Lead Me to the Cross (Brooke Ligertwood)

During the singing of the Hymn of Invitation, we invite anyone wishing to become a Christian or wishing to unite with this congregation, to please come forward.

***BENEDICTION**

***TAKING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD**

***POSTLUDE**.....Dan Damon

Strong, Gentle Children

‡ Children Preschool – 2nd grade may attend Children, Worship & Wonder
Youth remain in church

***PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE**

DIACONATE SERVING TODAY

Lauren Terry, Jonathan Martell, Charles Kelly, Ivy Kelly



*Thank you for worshipping at West Side Christian Church today.
We hope you received a blessing this morning, and that you will experience God's presence
in the week ahead. We look forward to seeing you next Sunday!*



The Welcome Loaf

We offer a homemade loaf of bread to first time visitors as an expression of our appreciation for your presence. Please see a greeter at the door following worship to receive your loaf.



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