

# SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Third Sunday After Pentecost June 21, 2020 – 11:00 a.m.

# THE GATHERING

PRELUDE

Meditation on "On Golden Pond" Paula Roberts, piano Dave Grusin

### WELCOME

### PRESENTING THE MEANS OF GRACE

HYMN 12

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise Stanzas 1 & 2 Hymn can be found on page 4 of bulletin St. Denio

#### CALL TO CONFESSION

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (Read responsively)

 "God of mercy, shine your light on us."

(Time for silent prayer)

### ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

RESPONSE

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

St. Denio

Stanza 4

Thou reignest in glory; thou dwellest in light. Thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight. All praise we would render, O help us to see 'Tis only the splendor of light hideth thee!

## THE WORD

	Lorie Williamson
	Teresa Larson
	Psalm 27
	1 John 1:5-10
"Unmasked"	Rev. Steve Jester
	"Unmasked"

## THE RESPONSE

#### **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

MINISTRY OF MUSIC	Litany: Belief (from ETERNAL LIGHT)	Howard Goodall
	Ricky Case, tenor	

### FAITH SHARING

Rev. Nathan Sautter and Lee Baltzell

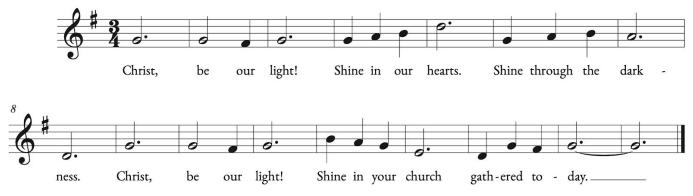
The Apostles' Creed

### LIFE OF THE CHURCH

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

"Light of the world, shine upon us..."

Congregation sings:



The Lord's Prayer

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.

## THE SENDING

**HYMN 377** 

I Want to Walk As a Child of the Light Stanzas 1 & 2 Hymn can be found on page 5 & 6 of bulletin HOUSTON

#### BENEDICTION

## IN WORSHIP TODAY

#### **OUR MUSIC**

Laura Atkinson and Ricky Case, soloists; Paula Roberts, piano

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#### WE LIFT UP IN PRAYER

Robert Nichols and his family on the death of his brother, James F. Nichols, 6/14/20. Walt Baker and his family on the death of his wife, Maude Baker, 6/8/20. The family of Dianne Sission on her death, 6/6/20. Donna Langwig and her family on the death of her husband, Bob Langwig, 5/30/20. The family of Jeanette Priebe on her death, 5/30/20. Patty Dailey and her family on the death of her mother, Betty Doering, 5/30/20. Betsy Byrnes and her family on the death of her husband, Terry Byrnes, 5/26/20. The family of Anne Mobley on her death, 5/26/20. The family of Bill Mathis on his death, 5/16/20. Judy Hettmansperger and her family on the death of her brother-in-law, James Curtis Askins, 5/12/20. Rev. Steve Jester on the death of his father, Don Jester, 5/8/20. Sandy Curth on the death of her sister, Gretchen Barth, 5/7/20.

#### THE MINISTRY TEAM

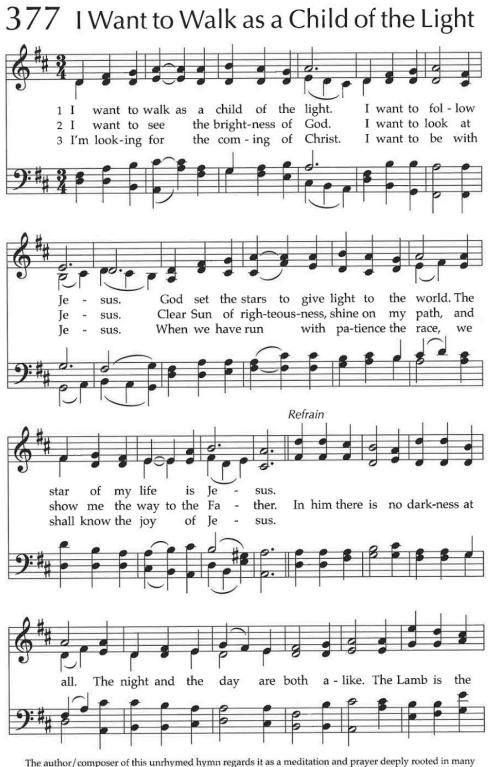
Rev. Steven P. Jester, Pastor Rev. Nathan Sautter, Assoc. Pastor for Community Life Jordan Akin, Associate Pastor for Youth Jim Rittenhouse, Director of Music Ministries Lorie Williamson, Director of Children's Ministries Hayley Abell, Director of Weekday School Paula Roberts, Organist Christina Recktenwald, Children's Choirs Coord. Ricky Case, Children's Choirs Coord. Elizabeth Clay, Parish Associate Teresa Larson, Summer Intern



The opening line of this hymn was inspired by the three divine attributes listed in 1 Timothy 1:17 (King James Version), and it continues by considering how God's life exceeds our own finite existence. The text is well set to a Welsh melody shaped by many three-note units.

TEXT: Walter Chalmers Smith, 1867, alt. MUSIC: Welsh folk melody; arr. *Caniadau y Cyssegr*, 1839

A NEW HEAVEN AND A NEW EARTH



The author/composer of this unrhymed hymn regards it as a meditation and prayer deeply rooted in many scriptures, most connected with the theme of light: Genesis 1:17; Psalm 139:12; Isaiah 60:19; Malachi 4:2; John 14:8; Ephesians 5:8; Hebrews 12:1–2; 1 John 1:5; Revelation 21:23.

TEXT and MUSIC: Kathleen Thomerson, 1966 Text and Music © 1970, 1975 Celebration HOUSTON 10.7.10.8 with refrain

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