*All who are able are invited to stand. Communion Sunday

Please silence electronic devices.

THE WORD

*SHARING OF GRACE (Please greet those near you with an expression of grace as we worship

GATHERING

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE Summer Lullaby Jennifer Benford, harp

Janet Lanier

(Please use this time to pray and prepare your heart for worship.)

*CALL TO WORSHIP (from Psalm 30)

Leader: O Lord my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me.

People: Sing praises to the Lord, O you faithful ones, and give thanks to God's holy name.

Leader: For His anger is but for a moment; His favor is for a lifetime.

People: Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

Leader: You have turned my mourning into dancing; you have taken off my sackcloth and clothed me with

People: May my soul praise you and not be silent. O Lord my God, I will give thanks to vou

forever.

Come Sing to God *HYMN 181 ELLACOMBE

*CONFESSION OF SIN (in unison)

Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are ashamed and sorry for all we have done to displease you. Forgive our sins, and help us to live in your light and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior.

(Silence for personal prayer)

Leader: We pray in the name of Jesus Christ,

People: Amen.

*DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Glory Be to the Father

GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

together.)

Leader: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

TIME WITH YOUNGER CHRISTIANS

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST READING: Luke 10:1-11.16-20

Pew Bible p. 844 Adventure Bible p.1139

SECOND READING: 2 Kings 5:1-14

Pew Bible p. 293 Adventure Bible p. 417

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON Intervention: Wash and Be Clean Rev. Amanda Mackey

THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

PRESENTATION OF TITHES, OFFERINGS, AND OURSELVES

OFFERTORY Morning Has Broken

*DOXOLOGY OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

SHARING OF THE SACRAMENT

If you are able, please hold each element until all have been served, and the minister will signal when to partake.

COMMUNION MUSIC

Jesu, Joy of our Desiring

J.S. Bach/Benford

arr. Diane Bish

Jennifer Benford, harp Alex Benford, organ

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

SENDING

*HYMN 370 Just as I Am, Without One Plea WOODWORTH

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

*POSTLUDE Finale on "Gelobt Sei Gott" Gilbert M. Martin

MUSIC NOTES

Special thanks to Dr. Jennifer Benford (wife of our organist, Dr. Alex) for assisting with today's music. She has performed as both a solo harpist and as a member of several ensembles in her home city of Boston, Massachusetts, including the Greater Boston Youth Symphony Orchestra, the Youth Philharmonic Orchestra at the New England Conservatory of Music, and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology Symphony. Currently, Jennifer is on the faculty in the department of Biological Sciences at the University of Memphis where she directs the Biology Advising Resource Center (BARC).

Welcome to worship at Germantown Presbyterian Church. Our sincere prayer is that you will find a place here among those who already call GPC home. If you have any needs or questions, please consult one of the ushers. We are truly glad God brought you here!

Interested in joining GPC? You are welcome here! For more information on how to join, please contact Anne Tansil at 901-754-7957, 901-826-5437(cell) or Ltansil@bellsouth.net.

Child care for infants and children through age four is provided during Sunday morning services. The nursery is located on the lower level under the Activity Center in the preschool hallway.

Extended care for individuals of all ages with exceptional needs is available during the worship hour as an extension of our special needs ministry. The room downstairs is LL112. Text "ETC" to 901-299-1216 to have a caregiver meet you there.

If you are having difficulty hearing, please notify an usher. Headsets for additional volume are available from an usher in the narthex.

GPC's pastors can always be reached in an emergency or crisis. Please call the church, 901-754-5195, and then press 1 to reach the on-call pastor





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