



July 25, 2021
10:00 a.m.

Ninth
Sunday after
Pentecost



PRELUDE

Fairest Lord, Jesus

D. Wood

GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

INTROIT

Be Still for the Presence of the Lord
Samuel Hernandez Niebla, Jr, Tenor

arr. R. Shepherd

CALL TO WORSHIP

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN

#59 Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

HYMN OF JOY

*INVOCATION AND 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 trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O Lord, you are the source of love for all creation.
You invite us to dwell in the certainty of that love.
You call us to love you and to love one another.
We confess that we often fail to speak those words of
love that bring comfort and hope.
We let our personal prejudices keep us from loving
those who hold differing views from ours.
We become so concerned with our own cares that we
don't notice the suffering of others.
Forgive us Lord.
Help us to be rooted and grounded in your love.
Help us to be a people united by your love.
May your love surround us,
embrace us and flow from us to others.
(Silence for personal confession and reflection)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*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

R. Goodson

FIRST READING

Ephesians 1:3-14

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

ANTHEM

My Jesus I Love Thee
Samuel Hernandez Niebla, Jr, Tenor

arr. D. Forrest

LITANY

One: The Lord God has richly blessed us.

Many: In his love, we are enfolded and protected.

One: The Lord God has sent us his son Jesus.

Many: In his mercy, we are forgiven, redeemed.

One: The Lord God has given us his Holy Spirit.

Many: In his power, we are enabled and sustained.

All: Let us praise and glorify God together.

Let us love and worship our God forever.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

*HYMN OF PRAISE

#270 O How He Loves You and Me (Sing 2x)

K. Kaiser

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*HYMN OF MEDITATION

#439 Jesus, Lover of My Soul

ABERYSTWYTH

SECOND READING

Ephesians 3:14-21

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

SERMON "Love-Prayer: The Sequel"

Rev. Dr. Ryan Sato

CELEBRATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

Aria

J. Dixon

*Doxology

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.

*Prayer of Gratitude

*HYMN FOR THE JOURNEY

#469 Lord of All Hopefulness

SLANE

*THE BLESSING OF THE COMMUNITY

Leader: May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of
God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you.

People: And also with you.

*The Sending of the Community

*Congregational Amen

The service of the church into the world -- begins again this week

*POSTLUDE

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

arr. A. Travis

*Please stand, as you are able

We are grateful for those who serve with us today:

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