



Fourteenth
Sunday after
Pentecost

PRELUDE

Hymn Medley

arr. N. Olanday

GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

CALL TO WORSHIP

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

#40 For the Beauty of the Earth

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***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

Lord of hosts,
We confess that we do not always make space
for you in our lives.
Forgive us when we rely wholly
upon our own strength.
We confess that our busyness
can choke out your peace,
and that our anxiousness can crush our spirits.
Forgive us when we place our ambitions
above your compassion.
We confess that our pain and grief
can turn into despair.
Forgive us when we believe
that our circumstances are hopeless.
Help us make room for you, deep within us,
that you may fill us with the glory of your presence.

(Silence for personal reflection and confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***GLORIA PATRI**

R. Goodson

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.

FIRST READING

I Kings 8:1, 6, 10-14, 27-30

Pages 346-347, 1st half of the NRSV Bible

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

LITANY

One: O mighty God of Israel, your glory fills your temple.

Many: Even heaven and the highest heaven cannot contain you.

One: Your eyes are upon us day and night and you hear our many prayers.

Many: Even heaven and the highest heaven cannot contain you.

One: Our hearts are full and our joy overflows in your presence.

Many: Even heaven and the highest heaven cannot contain you.

All: May we receive your many blessings

with gratitude and dwell in your house forever.

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

#29 God of the Sparrow

ROEDER

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

***HYMN OF MEDITATION**

#545 How Lovely, Lord, How Lovely

MERLE'S TUNE

SECOND READING

Psalm 84

Pages 600-601, 1st half of the NRSV Bible

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

SERMON

Cheryl Krueger

CELEBRATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

Oh Lord, You're Beautiful

K. Green

***New Doxology**

Marco Adria

Let's praise God for each good thing.

All creation, shout and sing!

Praise three Persons, yet one Love:

Maker, Saviour, Holy Dove! Amen.

***Prayer of Gratitude**

***HYMN FOR THE JOURNEY**

#549 I Love Your Kingdom, Lord

ST. THOMAS

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

Oh When the Saints Go Marching In

arr. Krueger

Traditional Spiritual

***Please stand, as you are able**

We are grateful for those who serve with us today:

Writing & Leading Prayers – Rev. Susan Hunter;

Prayers of the People – Naomi Mahaffy;

Scripture Reading – Christina Ward, Barb Falk;

Guest Preacher - Cheryl Krueger;

Guest Pianists - Gary Krueger, Nathan Olanday;

Video & Sound Technician - Evan Adnams.

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Rev. Dr. Ryan Sato, Senior Minister

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(on Sabbatical)

Dawn Stiles, Minister of Children and Families

Dr. Evelyn Grieger, Minister of Music

Jerrold Eilander, Organist / Choir Accompanist

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Thank you for helping us care for one another. – FBC Council