

Online Worship  
**June 14, 2020**  
11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
**We Gather to Worship God**

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship:

- One: Worship the Lord with gladness!  
**All: We come into God's presence with singing.**  
One: For the Lord our God is good.  
**All: God's steadfast love endures forever.**

Prayer of the Day

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

**Loving God, without your grace we are like sheep without a shepherd. Sometimes we are harassed by sin and feel helpless against its power. Sometimes, in our sin, we use our own power to harass the helpless. We are wolves in sheep's clothing, innocent as serpents and wise as doves.**

**Forgive us, O Lord, and bring us home. Restore us to your flock and fold, we pray...**

*(Pause for a few moments of silent reflection and personal confession.)*

**... through Jesus Christ, our Good Shepherd. Amen.**

Assurance of Forgiveness

Words of Peace

Response

*Glory Be to the Father*

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**We Listen For God's Word**

Prayer for Illumination

Responsive Psalm & Psalm Prayer

Psalm 116:1-2,12-19

- One: I love the Lord, because the Lord has heard the voice of my supplication  
**All: and inclined an ear to me whenever I cried out.**  
One: How shall I repay you, O Lord,  
**All: for all the good things you have done for me?**  
One: I will lift up the cup of salvation and call upon the name of the Lord.  
**All: I will fulfill my vows to the Lord in the presence of all the chosen people.**  
One: Precious in your sight, O Lord, is the death of your servants.  
**All: O Lord, I am your servant; I am your servant and the child of your handmaid; you have freed me from my bonds.**  
One: I will offer you the sacrifice of thanksgiving and call upon the name of the Lord.  
**All: I will fulfill my vows to the Lord in the presence of all the people, in the courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Jerusalem. Hallelujah!**

One: God our Redeemer, you have delivered us from death in the resurrection of Jesus Christ and brought us to new life by the power of your Spirit. Give us grace to keep our promises to praise and serve you all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

New Testament Lesson

Romans 5:1-8

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Lesson

Matthew 9:35-10:8

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**Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

*Compassion for Sheep*

Hymn

*Lord, Speak to Me, That I may Speak*

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Prayers of the People and 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**

**We Respond to God's Word**

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory

Prayer of Thanksgiving

\*Affirmation of Faith

*Apostles' Creed*

**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.**

**We Leave to Serve God**

**\*Charge and Benediction**

Hymn

*Song of Hope*

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