

UNITED EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
East Avenue and Dillon St. Baltimore, Md.
The Rev. W. Scott Hengen III - Pastor
Mr. Robert Gundlach Director of Music
Sunday, August 3, 1980

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

ALTERNATE ORDER FOR HOLY COMMUNION, P. 32

Silence and Meditation - Pew Prayers

Prelude: "How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place"

*Processional Hymn 24

*Solemn Declaration, Psalm 33:1-3 (pp.491-2)

*Gloria Patri

Call to Confession and Confession of Sin

Pastor: We are assembled here today and each Sunday to bring special praise and honor to the same God who has created this world and who maintains the delicate balances of force and counterforce through infinite love.

People: Yes, we are here now to do that and to show our gratitude to God for the many other blessings we have received.

Pastor: We are enabled to express that gratitude in many ways. Through our presence, our hymns, our gifts, and our prayers we show forth to others, as well as to God, the thankfulness deep within our personalities. The Holy Spirit inspires us to proclaim those good feelings beyond ourselves.

People: We are inspired to confess our sins and shortcomings also. We are not even always aware of how extensive they really are. Yet we come here to acknowledge together the reality that our words and deeds have been influenced by them.

Pastor: Then with the assurance of God's presence with us and the good news of Christ's forgiving love available to us, let us join together in a prayer of confession to ask for forgiveness.

All: We recognize, O God, our limited and finite lives within the wholeness of all creation. And we ask forgiveness for how we and

others have misused this good earth. We apologize for thinking of ourselves better than we really are. And we acknowledge how we have used others like ourselves in schemes for our own advantage. Forgive us and change us into loving and caring persons in new ways. Free us also to share the good news of Christ's coming kingdom to others through our words and deeds of forgiving love. In His Name we pray. Amen

Pastor: Lord, have mercy upon us.

People Sing: Lord, have mercy upon us.

Pastor: Christ, have mercy upon us.

People Sing: Christ, have mercy upon us.

Pastor: Lord, have mercy upon us.

People Sing: Lord, have mercy upon us.

Pastor: Hear the promises of God: "Ask, and it will be given you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you." If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just, and will forgive our sins. I announce therefore in the name of Jesus Christ, that we are forgiven.

Praise Versicle (No. 517)

Pastor: O Lord, open our lips.

People Sing: And our mouths shall show forth Thy praise.

Hymn of Praise 9

Sacrament of Holy Baptism (10:30 a.m.)

Collect and the Holy Scriptures:

Old Testament: Genesis 18:20-33 (p. 14)

Epistle: Col. 2:8-15 (p.191)

*Gloria Tibi #497

*Gospel: Luke 11:1-13 (p. 71)

*Laus Tibi #497

Sermon: "Ask, Seek, and Knock"

*The Apostles' Creed (p.23) (7:45 a.m.)

*Statement of Faith (10:30 a.m.)

Hymn 339

Announcements and Moments of Concern

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: "Pastorale"

Bach

*Dedication of Offerings and Doxology
 Special Music - Solo - Mrs. Clara Wise
 7:45 a.m. = "My God and Father While I Pray"
 10:30 a.m. = "All of Me"
 Alternate Order for Holy Communion, p.32
 Eucharistic Prayer and Seraphic Hymn 522
 Lord's Prayer and Agnus Dei 525
 The Holy Communion
 *Prayer of Thanksgiving
 *Benediction
 *Recessional Hymn 343
 Silence and Meditation
 Postlude: "Now Thank We All Our God"
 *Congregation Standing
 **Please sign Communion Card

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The front pew on both sides of the center aisle is reserved today for those who prefer to receive the Holy Communion in the pew or are unable to enter the Chancel.

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism will be administered at the 10:30 a.m. Worship Service to Donald Francis Hess III, born June 18, 1980, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Francis Hess, Jr., nee Penelope Sue Sullivan.

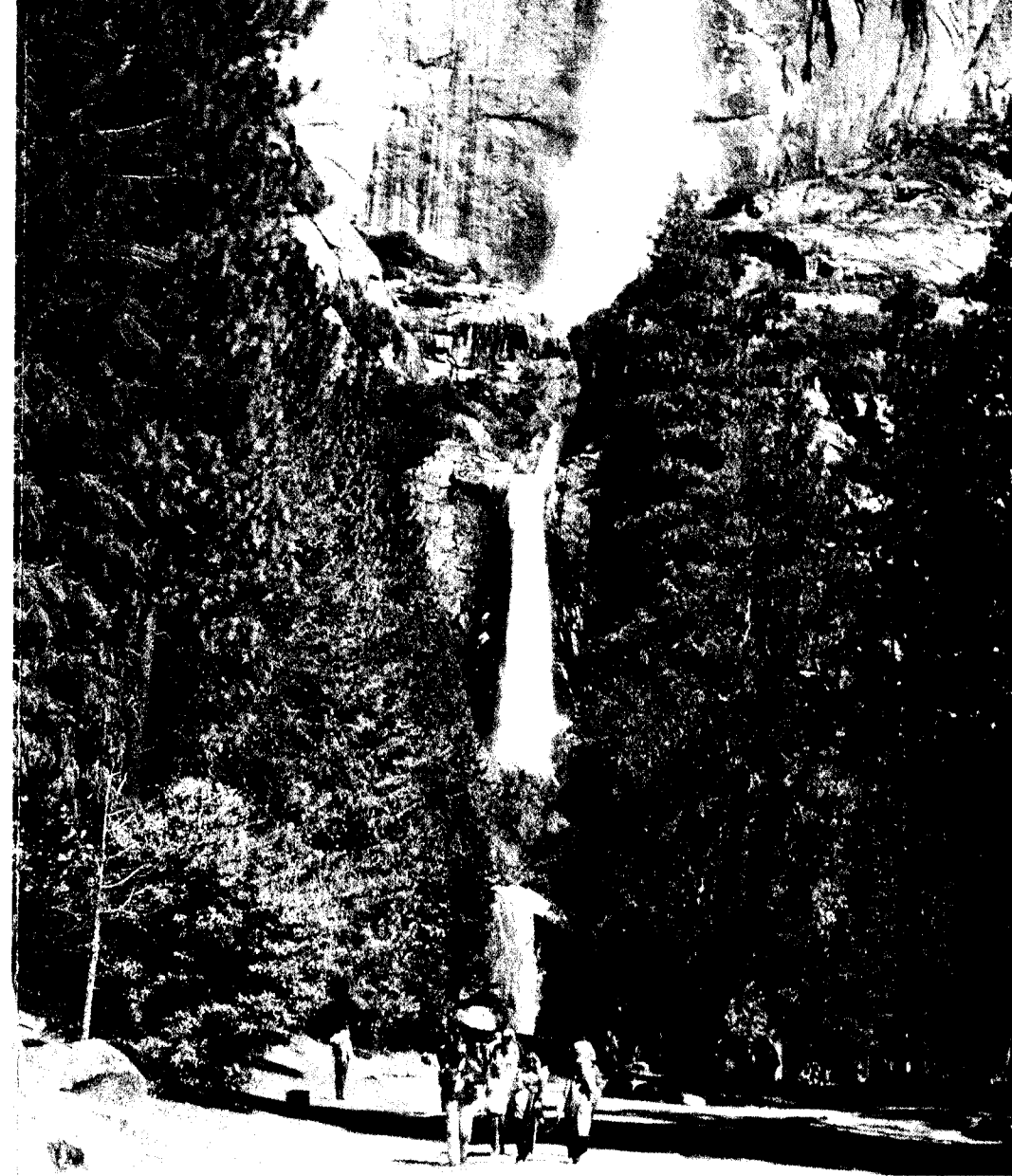
Altar Flowers today are a "Love Gift" to the Church in loving memory of our grandmother, Mrs. Louise Spliedt on her 100th birthday, August 6. Presented from her grandchildren, August Spliedt, Jr., Louise Hess and Blanche Swisher.

HOSPITALS:

Mrs. Marguerite Braun - North Arundel General
 Room 308B

Mr. Charles Duvall - Franklin Square Room
 3116A

Mr. Frank Woelfer - Johns Hopkins Room 815



As cold waters to a thirsty soul...

Proverbs 25:25