

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, September 6, 1981

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

ALTERNATE ORDER FOR COMMUNION (p.32)

Silence and Meditation - Pew Prayers

- Prelude: "Sleepers Awake" J.S.Each
 *Processional Hymn 80
 *Solemn Declaration, Psalm 93:1-2 (p.529)
 *Gloria Patri

Call to Confession and Confession of Sin:

Pastor: *Praise the Lord. Praise God in His dwelling place. Praise God in the fullness of His power and love.*

People: *Praise God for His mighty deeds. Praise God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit according to the greatness shown to all of us.*

Pastor: *Bring your praise and thanks to the God of our salvation. Come with joy on your lips and hope in your hearts to the God who provides all things.*

People: *Let everything that has life and breath bring praise to the living God. Praise the Lord.*

Pastor: *And let us come also remembering that we all are imperfect and need God's forgiveness for our sins and shortcomings.*

People: *We come as repentant sinners asking God to give us the mercy we cannot give ourselves.*

All: *O Lord, let not weakness have dominion over us. Forgive us for our selfishness. Make it possible for us to love, even as we have been loved. Pardon us and all who have offended against us. Free us from the pride of knowledge which sometimes chills the warmth of our faith and prayer. For we pray in Christ's Name.*

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 (Ho. 517)

Pastor: *O Lord, open our lips.*

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

- Gloria in Excelsis 12
 Collect and The Holy Scriptures:
 New Testament: Isa. 56:1-7 (p.651)
 Epistle: Rom. 11:13-16, 29-32 (p.152)
 *Gloria Tibi #497
 *Gospel: Matt. 15:21-28 (p. 21)
 *Laus Tibi #497
 Sermon: "Called To Receive Mercy"
 *Statement of Faith (Front of Hymnal)
 Hymn 341
 Announcements and Moments of Concern
 Collection of Attendance/Communion Cards
 (Pass to Center Aisle)
 Presentation of Tithes and Offerings
 Offertory: "Let Us Break Bread Together"
 *Dedication of Offerings and Doxology
 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 439
 Silence and Meditation

Postlude: "Trumpet Tune" Purcell
*Congregation Standing
**Please sign Attendance/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.

Altar Flowers today are a "Love Gift" to the Church on the happy occasion of our 17th Wedding Anniversary on September 5. Presented from Mr. and Mrs. Charles and Erma Reechel.

HOSPITALS:

When you are admitted to or released from the hospital please call the Church Office.

WEEKLY CALENDAR:

Today - New Member Group, Quiet Room, 9:15 am
Monday- Labor Day, Church Office closed
Tuesday-Scouts - Church School Meeting, 8 pm
Wednesday-Canton Christian Council Meeting,
7:30 p.m.
Thursday-Senior Choir - Conway Diet, 7:30 pm

Our special congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Gary E. Koehler nee Judith Mary Lorden who were married here yesterday.

Next Sunday, For Widows and Widowers Only
Noon Covered Dish Luncheon.

Our sympathy is extended to the family and friends of Mrs. Anna Ehoff whose funeral was held on Friday.



*For we are labourers together with God
1 Cor. 3:9*