

∞ Order of Worship ∞

May 31, 2020

PRELUDE "A Child's Prayer" by Theodore Kullack

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Let us sing to God all our life long,

**People: Oh, let us sing hymns to our God as long as we live!**

Leader: Oh, let our song please him;

**People: We're so pleased to be singing to God.**

PRAISE SONG "Sanctuary"

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

**Loving God, We confess, God, that we want to determine our own path. We confess that we want to keep control of our lives and not be guided by You. Thank you, Lord, for being our guard and guide through the pathways of life. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Even as we all have sinned

**People: You, Lord, continue to love all creation and bring us to Your Sabbath.**

Leader: You, Lord, continue to forgive us and hold us in Your loving family,

**People: And lead us as we confess and repent.**

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE 1 Corinthians 12:4-13

CHILDREN'S TIME "The Gospel Story by Colors"

ANTHEM "Ev'ry Time I Feel the Spirit" arr. by Ruth E. Schram

SCRIPTURE John 20:19-23

SERMON "Receive the Holy Spirit"

PASTORAL PRAYER

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.**

HYMN No. 556 "Now Thank We All Our God"

CHORAL BENEDICTION "Christ Be with Me"

POSTLUDE "Recessional" by Max Reger

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# Sanctuary

Chorus: (2x)

Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary,  
Pure and holy, tried and true;  
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living  
Sanctuary for You

Verse 1

It is You, Lord, Who came to save  
The heart and soul of ev'ry man.  
And it's You, Lord, Who knows my weakness,  
But You give me strength with Thine own hands.

Chorus

Verse 2:

Lead me on, Lord, from temptation,  
Purify me from within.  
Fill my heart with Your Holy Spirit,  
And take away all my sin.

Chorus (3x)

Sanctuary for You, for You,  
Sanctuary for You.

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# Now Thank We All Our God

Verse 1:

Now thank we all our God  
With heart and hands and voices,  
Who wondrous things hath done,  
In whom His world rejoices;  
Who, from our mother's arms,  
Hath blest us on our way  
With countless gifts of love,  
And still is ours today.

Verse 2:

O may this bounteous God  
Through all our life be near us,  
With ever joyful hearts  
And blessed peace to cheer us;  
And keep us in His grace,  
And guide us when perplexed,  
And free us from all ills  
In this world and the next.

Verse 3:

All praise and thanks to God  
The Father now be given,  
The Son, and Him who reigns  
With them in highest heaven,  
The one eternal God,  
Whom earth and heav'n adore;  
For thus it was, is now,  
And shall be evermore.

Amen.

Text: Martin Rinkart; translated by Catherine Winkworth  
Music: Johann Crüger; harmonized by Felix Mendelssohn

### **Food Pod Weekly Update**

We have 3 more weeks of school and will continue to go out into the district to help feed our students and their families. We could not do this without the generosity of so many in our community! We are so blessed to live in a community where neighbors look out for neighbors. This week we are asking for help with cereal, pop tarts, canned chicken, tuna, rice, and pasta side dishes. You can drop off your donation outside the district office (at the high school) by simply ringing the bell located at the entrance and stepping back to wait for a staff member to bring it inside. The district office is open on Monday – Friday from 8am to 3pm.

Thanks in advance for your continued support.