Welcome to Worship!

August 29, 2021

17TH PROPER SUNDAY

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

"Serenade"

Christian Sinding

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP BASED ON PSALM 45

Leader: My heart overflows with a goodly theme; I address my verses to the king; my tongue is like the pen of a ready

scribe.

People: You are the most handsome of men; grace is poured upon your lips; therefore God has blessed you

forever.

Leader: Your throne, O God, endures forever and ever. Your

royal scepter is a scepter of equity;

People: you love righteousness and hate wickedness.
Therefore God, your God, has anointed you

with the oil of gladness beyond your companions;

Leader: your robes are all fragrant with myrrh and aloes and

cassia. From ivory palaces stringed instruments make

you glad;

People: daughters of kings are among your ladies of honor;

at your right hand stands the queen in gold of Ophir.

OPENING HYMN: I Will Sing of My Redeemer No. 356

UNISON PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER (DEBTS)

Lord, we live in a world that tells us our only hope is through gathering more power and prestige. Teach us that it's what flows out from us, not what comes to us, that matters in our ministry, just as your Son taught us those things we truly need when he taught us to pray, saying...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

GLORIA PATRI No. 734

Glory be to the Creator, and to the Christ: And to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

THE MESSAGE FOR ALL AGES

READING OF THE WORD Mark 7: 1-23

SERMON Inside Out

HYMN OF REFLECTION: Create in Me A Clean Heart, O God

No. 378

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY "Lamb of God" Larson

You may also mail your offering (P.O. Box 128, Greenland, NH 03840); Give online by going to greenlanducc.org and click the "Donate" tab. Thank you!

Doxology No. 34

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow:

Praise God. all creatures here below.

Praise God above, ye heavenly host;

Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Our God of love and hope, even as you receive our gifts, we are ready to receive your will. Let us be faithful agents and stewards as we build your Kingdom in this holy place, with these holy people, Amen.

CLOSING HYMN: Revive Us Again No. 463

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" Schrader





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GOD CALLS US TOGETHER TO WELCOME ALL
AND TO SERVE GOD, EACH OTHER, THIS COMMUNITY,
AND THE WORLD
IN THE SPIRIT OF CHRIST'S LOVE.

❖ ALL ARE WELCOME! ❖