

# SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

November 12, 2006

11:00 AM

*A nursery is available during the service. An usher will be happy to assist you.  
Hearing devices and large print hymnals are available upon request from an usher.*

## Welcome and Announcements Moments of Friendship

**PRELUDE** *Rigaudon* Campra - Litterst  
*(Please take this time to silently prepare yourself to worship God.)*  
**CALL TO WORSHIP** John Denzer, Liturgist

Liturgist: Unless the Lord builds the house,  
**People: those who build it labor in vain.**  
Liturgist: Unless the Lord guards the city,  
**People: the guard keeps watch in vain.**  
Liturgist: Do not toil anxiously, from dawn through the night,  
**People: for the Lord gives sleep to those God loves, providing for their  
needs, night and day.**  
Liturgist: Let us pray.

### PRAYER OF PRAISE

**\*HYMN No. 558** *Come, Sing a Song of Harvest*  
**\*CONFESSION OF SIN** *(In Unison)*

Compassionate God, we need the renewal of your forgiving grace. We fail to live simply in dependence upon you. We try to provide for ourselves, as if there were blessings apart from you. We clutch our possessions in anxiety, as if they, not you, give us value. We seek human recognition and honor rather than humbling ourselves to serve your glory. Though you give us all we need, we resist giving to others. Free us, O God, from our sin and the selfishness which ensnares us. Touch our hearts again with your gracious love in Jesus Christ, who though he was rich became poor for our sakes, that through his poverty we might become rich.  
*(Let each worshipper pray silently.)*

### \*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

**\*GLORIA PATRI** *(The Presbyterian Hymnal, No. 579)*  
**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON:** Ruth 3:1-5; 4:13-17 (Pew Bible, OT Section, page 238)

Liturgist: This is the Word of the Lord  
**People: Thanks be to God.**

**ANTHEM** *A Sing of Praise and Thanksgiving* A. Pote

**SECOND LESSON:** Hebrews 9:24-28 (Pew Bible, NT Section page 204)

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.  
**People: Thanks be to God.**

**\*HYMN No. 422** *God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending*

**SERMON LESSON:** Mark 12:38-44 (Pew Bible, NT Section page 46)

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**SERMON** **Two Pennies and 2%** Rev. Jonathan Fettig

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** – *(In Unison)* Nicene Creed (traditional)  
*The Presbyterian Hymnal p. 15*

### GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

**Offertory** *Sweet, Sweet Spirit* arr. Boersma

**\*PRESENTATION, The Doxology** *(The Presbyterian Hymnal, No. 592)*  
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

### \*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

**\*HYMN No. 425** *Lord of Light, Your Name Outshining*  
*(Sung to the tune NETTLETON – NO. 355)*

### \*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

### POSTLUDE

**\*Those who are able, please stand**