

ORDER OF WORSHIP

12th Sunday of Pentecost – August 27th, 2017

*You are invited to stand, if able

PRELUDE

Sarah Svendsen

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

How are you today? **We are blessed and highly favoured!**

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

Jesus said, “While I am in the world, I am the light of the world”. (Jn. 9:5)

CENTERING WORDS:

Open our hearts and Spirits this day, Holy One, **to receive your Holy Word and to be inspired and challenged to faithful living.**

***HYMN:** #372 “Though I May Speak”

O WALY WALY(GIFT OF LOVE)

OPENING PRAYER

SILENCE

HYMN: #357 “Tell Me the Stories of Jesus”

STORIES OF JESUS

Children are invited to gather as the hymn is sung.

PRAYER WITH THE CHILDREN

After prayer, the children may join their Leaders for Sunday school.

READING FROM THE BIBLE: Ezekiel 34:11-16; Matthew 15:10-20;

John 10:10-11; Romans 1:1-2a, 29-32 & Revelation 21:2-9

Richard Moffat

This is the Word of God, for the People of God. **Thanks be to God.**

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

BIBLE STUDY: “The Bible: The Living Truth”

Hewitt Holmes

***HYMN:** #394 “Moved by the Gospel, Let Us Move”

FOREST GREEN

OFFERTORY

Sarah Svendsen

***SUNG DEDICATION:** #540 “Grant Us, God, the Grace” STUTTGART

**Grant us, God, the grace of giving, with a spirit large and free,
that ourselves and all our living we may offer faithfully.**

BLESSING OF OFFERING

PRAYERS FOR OTHERS

THE 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. Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever, Amen.

***HYMN:** MV #28(insert) “God of the Bible” (1, 2, 5)

FRESH AS THE MORNING

*BLESSING

***SENDING CHORUS:** “Go Now in Peace”

N. Price/D. Besig

Go now in peace, never be afraid, God will go with you each hour of every day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true. Know he will guide you in all you do. Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see. God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love. Amen, amen, amen.

POSTLUDE

Emily Morrison

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