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Celebration of Worship

November 5, 2017

Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost

Gathering

Prelude

***Gathering Song**

God Welcomes All

***Means of Grace**

Welcome and Announcements

Elder Duane Youse

Call to Worship

Glenda Bolin

When we stumble and our faith falters, God's faithfulness bears us along.

When our spirits soar and our faith grows strong, God's faithfulness lifts us to new heights of devotion.

When our daily duties distract, and our visions grow fuzzy, God's faithfulness pierces the fog to call us.

God's faithfulness endures forever! We lift our hearts in praise to the One who is our God this day and forever more!

Congregation Singing

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Call to Confession

Responsive Prayer of Confession

The Spirit calls us . . .

But we are often reluctant to heed the call. The wind of the Spirit blows, at times fiercely, and draws us onward. Yet we cling to fragile familiarities, to security and to safety. Help us risk letting go, to stand free as Your servant people. Help us to capture visions of the future so we might be Your faithful people today. Forgive us and give us the grace to be earthly reminders of Your love.

(Silent Prayer)

Assurance of Pardon

Rev. Skip Herbert

Response **Thanks be to God.**

***Hymn**

Here in This Place

***Passing of the Peace**

Proclaiming

Anthem

Feed Me, Lord -Liebergen
Voice of the Spirit

Prayer for Illumination (unison)

Elder Duane Youse

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of Your Holy Spirit, that we may hear Your Word with joy. Amen.

The Gospel Lesson

Matthew 4:18-22

NT 3

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer (Sung)

***Charge & Benediction**

Postlude

This is the Feast of Victory

-Arthur & Hillert

*Please stand if you're comfortable doing so.

BOLD signifies congregational participation.

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GG – Glory to God Hymnal
PH – Presbyterian Hymnal

