Prelude

**Liturgical Preludes I & II**

George Oldroyd

Greetings

Call to Worship

*Leader*: Cry out with joy to the Lord, all the earth. Worship the Lord with gladness. Come into God’s presence with singing!

*People*: For the Lord is a gracious God, whose mercy is everlasting; and whose faithfulness endures to all generations.

Prayer of the Day

God of light and truth, you are beyond our grasp or conceiving. Before the brightness of your presence the angels veil their faces. With lowly reverence and adoring love we acclaim your glory and sing your praise, for you have shown us your truth and love in Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Hymn

*Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service (vs. 1,2,4)*

No. 427

Call to Confession

The proof of God’s amazing love is this: While we were sinners Christ died for us. Because we have faith in him, we dare to approach God with confidence. In faith and humility, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

Silence

Organ Response

Assurance of Pardon

Hear the good news! The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, that we might be dead to sin, and alive to all that is good. I declare to you in the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven. Amen.

Song of Thanksgiving

*Gloria Patri*

No. 579

Scripture Reading

Romans 10:9-15
Youth Connection (pre-recorded)  Geri Doll

Sermon  “Youth Ministry: Then and Now”  Geri Doll

Special Music Video  Light the Fire  Bill Maxwell

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer

Call to Stewardship

Offertory Anthem  It Is Well with My Soul  Phillip Bliss
Marilyn Heffner, Soloist

Doxology  No. 592

Prayer of Dedication
Blessed are you, God of all creation; through your goodness we have these gifts to share. Accept and use our offerings for your glory and for the service of your kingdom.
In your holy name, we pray, Amen.

Hymn  I’m Gonna Live So God Can Use Me  No. 369

Charge and Benediction
Leader: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.

Postlude  Sortie in D  Th. Salomé

Worship Leaders

Guest Preacher  Geri Doll
Liturgist  Joan Aldrich
Director of Music  Steve Bixler
Organist  Gary Huffman