

Laity Sunday

June 22, 2014 ♦ 11:00 a.m. Worship

Welcome

*Passing of the Peace

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus by Helen Lemmel

*Call to Worship

Bob Cullers

Leader: O give thanks to the Lord, call on God's name;

People: Make known God's deeds among the peoples.

Leader: Sing praises to God; tell of all God's wonderful works.

People: Glory in God's holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice!

Leader: Let us remember the wonderful works of God.

People: Rejoice, people of God! Praise the Lord!

*Opening Hymn #398

Jesus Calls Us

*Affirmation of Faith #881 "The Apostles' Creed"

*Gloria Patri #70

*Centering Prayer

Carol Hardy

Draw us close, Holy Spirit, as the Scriptures are read and the Word is proclaimed. Let the word of faith be on our lips and in our hearts, and let all other words slip away. May there be one voice we hear today — the voice of truth and grace. Amen.

Children's Message

Cary Burke

Special Music

"Benedictus" from *Coronation Mass* by Mozart

Melissa Chavez, soprano; Kathryn Skovira, mezzo-soprano

Nicholas Carratura, tenor; Elliot Matheny, baritone; David Chavez, piano

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Ministry of the Word

Psalm 93

Hymnal, Page 813

Response 1

Robbi Biggs

Sermon Text

Matthew 14:22-33

Robbi Biggs

Leader: "The Word of God for the People of God."

People: "Thanks be to God."

*Hymn of Preparation #344 *Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore*

Sermon

"Walking on Water"

Jim Wells, Susan

Schall, Glenn Schoonover

Glenn Schoonover

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer #895

Offering & Offertory

*Doxology #94

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Arnold Williams, Sr.

As Peter stepped outside the boat in the face of a raging storm, help us to think, act and give outside the boat, knowing that you have bid us come. For it is in your name we pray. Amen.

*Closing Hymn #593

Here I Am, Lord

*Benediction

Wendell Hatcher

*Postlude

Improvisation on "*Here I Am, Lord*"

**For those who are able, please stand*