

# 8<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

July 10, 2016 ♦ 11:00 a.m. Worship

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## GATHERING

Welcome

Prelude

### \*Call to Worship

Leader: Gather us in, Lord, and hear our prayers.

**People: We have come to this place in need for healing and hope.**

Leader: Gather us in, Lord, and heal our spirits.

**People: We come here seeking guidance and strength.**

Leader: Gather us in, Lord, and open our hearts to receive your word.

**People: Open our hearts, our spirits, our souls to comprehend your word and follow you faithfully. AMEN.**

### \*Hymn #378

*Amazing Grace*

### Opening Prayer

Eternal Light, shine into our hearts.

Eternal Goodness, deliver us from evil.

Eternal Power, be our support.

Eternal Wisdom, scatter the darkness of our ignorance.

Eternal Pity, have mercy upon us.

That with all our heart and mind and soul and strength

we may seek your face and be brought by your infinite mercy to your holy presence; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen.** (Alcuin of York, England, 8th cent.)

## PROCLAMATION

### Old Testament Reading – Amos 7:7-17

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

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

### \*Psalter – Psalm 82

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### \*Gloria Patri #70

### Epistle Reading – Colossians 1:1-14

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

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

### \*Hymn #396

*O Jesus, I Have Promised*

### \*Gospel Reading – Luke 10:25-37

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

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

### Children's Message

Sermon – “Set Free to Grow”

Josh Orndorff

## RESPONSE

### \*Affirmation of Faith #881 – The Apostles' Creed

### Commissioning of ASP Team

### Prayers of the People

*The Pastor will lift up a series of petitions. After each petition:*

Leader: Lord in your mercy

People: Hear our Prayer.

### Invitation

### Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon

### \*Passing the Peace

### Offering & Offertory

### \*Doxology (UMH #95)

## THANKSGIVING & COMMUNION

### \*The Great Thanksgiving (UMH, pg. 17, Setting A)

### \*The Lord's Prayer

### Sharing of the Bread & Cup

### Prayer After Receiving (UMH, pg. 11)

## SENDING FORTH

### \*Hymn #98

*To God Be the Glory*

### \*Benediction

### \*Postlude

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*\*For those who are able, please stand*