OFFERING

Many in our community give their tithes and offerings online (rescov.org/give) and yet we believe it is still good and right to give God thanks as part of our worship. If you have offering this morning you are welcome to place it in the basket in the center aisle as we give God thanks.

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

HOLY COMMUNION

As we continue to navigate the implications of Covid we invite you to come down the center aisle, receive the bread and then proceed to the front side aisles to partake of the cup which is in individual portions. Place your empty cups in one of the baskets that can be found on the end-seats in the front rows of the side aisles.

SENDING

SONG* - Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing (#68)

CHARGE & BENEDICTION*

*Stand, as you are able

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GATHERING

CALL TO WORSHIP* (adapted from Lectionary Sermons)

May your love and mercy be upon today, O God.

Cleanse and refresh us from every transgression.

Let your joy and gladness

dawn upon us like the morning light,

and may the recreating power of your Spirit make us new.

Have mercy upon us, O God,

and let your Spirit lead us in truth and righteousness.

Come and worship the God of mercy and love.

SONG* - Your Grace Is Enough

Great is your faithfulness, O God. You wrestle with the sinner's heart. You lead us by still waters into mercy, and nothing can keep us apart.

Great is your love and justice, God. You use the weak to lead the strong. You lead us in the song of your salvation, and all your people sing along.

So remember your people, remember your children, remember your promise, O God.

Your grace is enough, your grace is enough,

your grace is enough for me.

SONG* - Create in Me a Clean Heart

Create in me a clean heart and purify me, purify me. Create in me a clean heart so I may worship thee.

Cast me not away from thy presence. Please don't take your spirit from me. And restore the joy of salvation, so that I may worship thee.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Ps. 51:1-3, 9-12)

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your great compassion, blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin. For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Hide your face from my sins and blot out all my iniquity. Create in me a pure heart, O God, and put a new and steadfast spirit within me. Do not cast me away from your presence, and do not take your holy spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and sustain in me a willing heart.

~silence~

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel;

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

PASSING OF THE PEACE*

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

SONG* - There's a Wideness in God's Mercy (see insert)

WORD

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

2 Samuel 11:1-5, 26-27; 12:1-9

GOSPEL LESSON*

Matthew 21:33-41

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON A Summons to More

Pastor Aaron

RESPONSE

SONG* - Amazing Grace (#341)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/LORD'S PRAYER