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Thanksgiving Day

November 24, 2016

VISITORS – WE WELCOME YOU to this house of prayer this morning. May you feel at home among friends as we worship together. We invite you to sign your name in the guest book in the back of the church and hope you will return again soon.

Prelude
Welcome
Ring of the Bell

Opening Hymn: #895, "Now Thank We All Our God"

Invocation

P: In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

Introit, prayed responsively (Psalm 104:1, 14-15, 31)

P: Praise the Lord, O my soul.

C: O Lord my God, You are very great; You are clothed with splendor and majesty.

P: He makes grass grow for the cattle, and plants for man to cultivate -

C: bringing forth food from the earth;

P: wine that gladdens the heart of man,

C: oil to make his face shine, and bread that sustains his heart.

P: May the glory of the Lord endure forever;

C: may the Lord rejoice in His works.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

P: Praise the Lord, O my soul.

C: O Lord my God, You are very great; You are clothed with splendor and majesty.

Collect of the Day, prayed in unison

Lord God, heavenly Father, through whose kindness we have again received the fruits of the earth in their season, grant us ever to rejoice in Your mercy that neither prosperity nor adversity may drive us from Your presence; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Old Testament ReadingDeuteronomy 26:1-11

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Choral Offering: "O God Beyond All Praising" Arr. J. Holstein

EpistlePhilippians 4:6-20

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Alleluia and Verse (Psalm 34:8)

P: Alleluia!

C: Alleluia!

P: Taste and see that the Lord is good;

C: blessed is the man who takes refuge in Him. Alleluia!

Holy Gospel Matthew 13:24-30

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 13th chapter.

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

(The Gospel is read.)

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ!

The Apostles' Creed back cover of the hymnal

Hymn of the Day: #809, "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

A Harvest Homily

Offerings of Thanksgiving

Doxology: #805, "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Prayer of the Church

P: Lord, in Your mercy,

C: hear our prayer.

Lord's Prayer back cover of the hymnal

Blessing

Closing Hymn: #801, "How Great Thou Art"

Chimes/Silent Prayer

Dismissal

Postlude