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**Day of Thanksgiving**

**November 28, 2019**

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**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  
Ringing of the Bell  
Welcome

Opening Hymn: #892, "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come"

Invocation  
P: In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**C: Amen.**

Psalms 100 ..... front section of the hymnal  
(*Prayed responsively, alternating verses*)

Hymn of Praise: #806, "Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart"

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 Reading: 1 Chronicles 29:10-13  
Response  
L: This is the Word of the Lord.  
**C: Thanks be to God.**

Choral Anthem: "We Will Give Thanks" Arr. Mark Patterson

Epistle: 1 Timothy 2:1-4  
Response  
L: This is the Word of the Lord.  
**C: Thanks be to God.**

Alleluia #952

Holy Gospel: Luke 17:11-19  
Responses  
P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 17th 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: #895, "Now Thank We All Our God"

Sermon: "Thank You, God"

Offering

Prayer of the Church  
P: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs. O God, You give us more than we know, more than we notice, and more than we deserve. Open our eyes to Your gifts and grace that we may respond with thankful hearts and use honorably and in faith all that You have given to us.

**C: We give thanks to the LORD, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever.**

P: O God, You give to us the gift of faith, that by the Holy Spirit we may not doubt or fear but believe in You and follow You. Help us use the opportunity our freedom provides to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ that everyone may know what You have done to save us and the whole world.

**C: We give thanks to the LORD, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever.**

P: O God, You have bestowed upon our nation many blessings, including land, resources, wealth, and liberty. Make us content with what You have given to us and open our hearts to share Your bounty with the poor and those in need.

**C: We give thanks to the LORD, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever.**

P: O God, You surround us with Your love and care. Give relief to the suffering, healing to the afflicted, peace to the dying, and comfort to those who mourn. Hear us for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**C: We give thanks to the LORD, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever.**

P: O God, You give the peace the world cannot give. We ask You to grant peace among the nations, still the voices of war and violence, and release those who suffer oppression and persecution. Bless the service men and women who serve our nation in places near and far for the sake of freedom, justice, and peace.

**C: We give thanks to the LORD, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever.**

P: O God, teach us how to live holy, good, and upright lives here on earth, that we may shine with the brightness of Your light. Keep us from pride and arrogance and build within us humble hearts of faith, seeking Your will and the glory of Your Name.

**C: We give thanks to the LORD, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever.**

P: O God, You hear and answer all our prayers; teach us to trust in Your will and to be content with Your answers, that with a confident and peaceful heart we may serve You all our days. Lead us that we may faithfully receive the gifts of Your grace and be strengthened in hope to life everlasting.

**C: We give thanks to the LORD, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever.**  
**Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer ..... back cover of the hymnal

Benediction

Closing Hymn: #813, "Rejoice, O Pilgrim Throng"

Chimes/Silent Prayer

Dismissal

Postlude