***Before the Throne of God Above**

***Prayer of Adoration**

***Better is One Day**

Confessing our Faith — *Apostle's Creed*[1]

Christian, what do you Believe?

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Creator of heaven and earth,

and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord: Who was conceived of the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He arose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, whence He shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic[2] church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Music and Ministry Update Arc campers

Renewal

Prayers of the People – Rev. Allen White

Confession of Sin – *adapted from Job 31:24-27*

If I have made gold my trust or called fine gold my confidence, if I have rejoiced because my wealth was abundant or because my hand had found much, if I have looked at the sun when it shone, or the moon moving in splendor, and my heart has been secretly enticed, and my mouth has kissed my hand, this also would be an iniquity to be punished by the judges, for I would have been false to God above.

[1] the most widespread confession of faith among Christians throughout the history of the Church.
[2] The word "catholic" means universal. It is not a reference to the Roman Catholic Church.

Silent Confession

***Psalm 63: Better Than Life**

***Assurance of Pardon**

Leader: Because Christ is your trust and your confidence your guilt is washed away and your sin atoned for.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

***My Worth is Not in What I Own**

Children's Worship Training – *Children are dismissed with children's ministry leaders for a time of worship training, which is designed for but not limited to children 5 and under. Please remember to pick up your child in the Ed building after worship.*

Commitment & Communion

Sermon – *(Is 23) The Poverty of Worldly Wealth* – Rev. Carter Sanger

Communion at the Lord's Table

Brothers and sisters in Christ, on the day our Lord rose from the dead he appeared to some of his disciples and was made known to them in the breaking of the bread. Come, then, to the joyful feast of the Lord. Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up to the Lord.

Words of Institution & Prayer

Seeing the table before us, we proclaim the mystery of the faith:

Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

The bread which we break is a sharing in the body of Christ.

We who are many are one body, for we share the same loaf.

The cup for which we give thanks is a sharing in the blood of Christ.

The cup which we drink is our participation in the blood o Christ.

The Lord has prepared his table for all who love him and trust in him alone for their salvation. All who are truly sorry for their sins, who sincerely believe in the Lord Jesus as their Savior, and who desire to live in obedience to him, are now invited to come with gladness to the table of the Lord.

Holy Father, in thanks for the sacrifice of Jesus Christ, in the joy of his resurrection, in the hope of his coming again, we present ourselves a living sacrifice and come to the table of our Lord.

The gifts of God for the people of God.

Distribution of the Elements

***Doxology**

Offering/Community Life

***Benediction** – *from Numbers 6:24-26*

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

***Dismissal**

Leader: Let us go out under the banner of Christ!

People: **For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever! Amen.**

Sunday Summer schedule
Coffee & Fellowship 10-10:30 AM
Worship: 10:30-11:45 AM

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***Please stand, if able.**

Other Notes: Music license CCLI #672729. Unless otherwise noted, Scripture is from the English Standard Version.

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KING OF THE NATIONS

August 7, 2016

To all who are weary and looking for hope, welcome.
We're glad you're here!

As you find a seat, please silence all electronic devices

Helps for parents with babies or small children:

- Infant **nursery** across from the sanctuary. Toddler nursery in the Education building.
- **Cry room** (end of the hall) available for noisy babies.
- **Worship training** dismissal midway through the service.

Riches do not profit in the day of wrath,
but righteousness delivers from death.
– Proverbs 11:4

Praise

***Call to Worship** – *adapted from Psalm 52:8*

Leader: I am like a green olive tree in the house of God.

People: **I trust in the steadfast love of God forever and ever.**