

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

February 13th, 2011

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

•Those who are able may stand

GATHERING IN GOD'S PRESENCE

Prelude and Chimes

Greetings and Announcements

Call to Worship (Psalm 27:1,13)

Minister: "The Lord is my light and my salvation;

People: whom shall I fear?

Minister: The Lord is the stronghold of my life;

People: of whom shall I be afraid?

All: I believe that I shall see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living!"

Prayer of the Day

Time With Children

•**Hymn 420** "God of Grace and God of Glory" CWM RHONDDA

•**Prayer of Confession**

Father, we have gathered in this place of worship, which in our hearts is your temple. We come in expectation of sensing You in our midst. We confess we are not worthy of such Holy Grace. At times, we have strayed from turth and forgotten love. We know our only hope is in the goodness of Jesus Christ. Help us look fully to Him, and not to ourselves. May His Eternal Kingdom, not our little realm reign within us. Guide me as I prayerfully think on what I must be forgiven and what I can honestly do for Him this day, this week . . . (. pause) Let all God's children pray. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

•**Assurance of Pardon**

Minister: Friends, accept the forgiveness of God, as freely offered in Christ's goodness alone.

People: Humbly we accept this gift. In Christ we are forgiven.

All: Thanks be to God.

•**Responding to God's Forgiveness - The Gloria Patri #579**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Prayer of Illumination

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 49:1-7

Anthem "The Difference" Adult Choir

New Testament Reading: Matthew 4:12-22

Sermon "Our Lord Jesus Christ" Rev. Robert D. Goshorn

RESPONDING TO THE WORD OF GOD

•**Apostles' Creed** (p.14)

•**Hymn 357** "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee" MARYTON

GIVING THANKS TO GOD

Offering Our Lives and Presenting Our Tithes

Offertory

•**Doxology** (#592)

•**The Prayer of Dedication**

The Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

GOING FORTH INTO THE WORLD

•**Hymn 442** "The Church's One Foundation" AURELIA

•**The Charge and Blessing**

•**The Congregational Response** #538 "Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing"

Postlude

WELCOME TO BETHEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

We hope you will find a home for your heart and an opportunity to serve.