

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

January 23rd, 2011

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

•Those who are able may stand

GATHERING IN GOD'S PRESENCE

Prelude and Chimes

Greetings and Announcements

Four Cents A Meal Offering

Call to Worship (Isaiah 55:6)

Leader: Seek ye the Lord while He may be found

People: Call ye upon Him while He is near

Prayer of the Day

Time With Children

•**Hymn 271** "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me" (Red Hymnal)

TOPLADY

•**Prayer of Confession** (Ancient Christian Prayer)

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy upon me.

SILENT CONFESSION

•**Assurance of Pardon** (Romans 3:23-24)

Leader: For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;

People: **Being justified freely by His grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus.**

•**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: Jonah 3:1-10

Anthem "Footsteps of Jesus"

Adult Choir

New Testament Reading: Luke 16:27-31

Sermon "Listening With The Heart"

Rev. Joel P. Thornton

RESPONDING TO THE WORD OF GOD

•**Apostles' Creed** (p.14)

•**Hymn 320** "I Am Thine, O Lord" (Red Hymnal)

I AM THINE

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 139** "Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine!" (Red Hymnal)

ASSURANCE

•**The Charge and Blessing**

•**The Congregational Response** #29

"Go, Tell It on the Mountain"

Postlude

WELCOME TO BETHEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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