THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

July 5th, 2009 11:00 am
14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
•Those who are able may stand

GATHERING IN GOD'S PRESENCE

Prelude "Heal Our Land"
Greetings and Announcements

Call to Worship (Psalm 96:1-4)
Leader: O sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth.
People: Sing to the Lord, bless his name; tell of God's salvation from day to day.
Leader: Declare God's glory among the nations. God's marvelous works among all the peoples.
People: For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised; The Lord is to be revered above all gods.

Prayer of the Day

Time With Children

•Hymn 487 "When Morning Gilds the Skies" LAUDES DOMINI

•Call to Confession (I John 1:8-9)
Leader: If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
People: If we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

•Prayer of Confession (unison)
O God, you are always true to us in love and we are left wanting to say we are sorry for our faithlessness to you and to one another, for forgetting the poor and the broken ones among us, and for our failure to cherish your creation. Give us life, O God, to change, and enable us to change, that we may live. Amen.
SILENT CONFESSION

•Assurance of Pardon

•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: I Samuel 5 & 6
Special Music "Battle Hymn of the Republic" Soloist: Julie Turner
New Testament Reading: Mark 6:1-13
Sermon "What About Those Cows?" Rev. William L. Painter, Jr.

RESPONDING TO THE WORD OF GOD

•Apostles' Creed (p.14)
•Hymn 316 "Breathe on Me, Breath of God" TRENTHAM

GIVING THANKS TO GOD

Offering Our Lives and Presenting Our Tithes
Offertory "Eternal Father, Strong to Save"
•The Prayer of Dedication
The Prayers of the People
The Lord's Prayer

GOING FORTH INTO THE WORLD

•Hymn 564 "O Beautiful for Spacious Skies" MATERNA
•The Charge and Blessing
•The Congregational Response #438 "Blest Be the Tie That Binds"
Blest be the tie that binds
Our hearts in Christian love:
The fellowship of kindred minds
Is like to that above.
Postlude

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WELCOME TO BETHEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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