

**THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD’S DAY**

October 17th, 2010

29th 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 95:6-7)

Leader: O come, let us worship and bow down: Let us kneel before the Lord our maker.

**People: For He is our God; and we are the people of His pasture, and the sheep of His hand.**

**Prayer of the Day**

**Time With Children**

•**Hymn 302** “Have Thine Own Way, Lord!” (Red Hymnal) ADELAIDE

•**Prayer of Confession**

**O Lord Jesus Christ, Who did give Your life for us that we might receive pardon and peace: Mercifully cleanse us from all sin, and evermore keep us in Your favor and love. Amen.**

SILENT CONFESSION

•**Assurance of Pardon**

Leader: All the Scripture, from the words of the prophets to the psalms of King David, from the record of God’s dealings with His people to the promises of Christ, points us to the fact that in Christ Jesus, and in Him alone, we are forgiven.

**People: Praise the Lord! His mercy and His grace are poured out upon us!**

•**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:** Malachi 3:13-18

**Anthem** “Majesty” Adult Choir

**New Testament Reading:** John 14:23-24

**Sermon** “Being a Treasure” Rev. Joel P. Thornton

**RESPONDING TO THE WORD OF GOD**

•**Apostles’ Creed** (p.12 - Red Hymnal)

•**Hymn Insert** “Trust and Obey” TRUST AND OBEY

**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 349** “Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus” (Red Hymnal) WEBB

•**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.