

## GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

### GATHERING

*We welcome you to worship at the Kirk of Kildaire. Before the Chiming of the Trinity we encourage you to enjoy the gift of conversation with your neighbors in the pew. We ask you to respect your neighbor by turning off your cell phone.*

### CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

### OPENING SENTENCES

### TIME OF SILENCE

*You are invited to use these moments of silence to “be still” and know the Lord is among us as you prepare to worship God.*

### PRELUDE AND LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLES

Prelude on “FOREST GREEN” arr. K. Hildebrand  
inspired by Psalm 119:1-8

- \* CALL TO WORSHIP inspired by Psalm 119:1-8
- Leader: Blessed and righteous God, your truths and grace are revealed to us as we listen to your holy word.
- People: We come today to listen to the word of the Lord.**
- Leader: Gracious God, you help us to know you through your holy word, which guides and blesses us.
- People: We come today to worship the Lord our God.**
- Leader: Holy God, we gather to worship and praise you, to learn from your word in fellowship with others.
- People: We come today to praise the Lord our God. Amen.**

- \*† HYMN 376 “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” HYFRYDOL

- \* PRAYER OF CONFESSION
- Almighty and merciful God, we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. O Lord, have mercy upon us. Spare those who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent, according to your promises declared to the world in Christ Jesus, our Lord. Grant, O merciful God, for his sake, that we may live holy, just, and humble lives to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**
- Time of silence for personal confession.*

- \* PROCLAMATION OF MERCY

- \*† PASSING THE PEACE
- Leader: Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.
- People: And also with you.**
- Exchange with one another signs of peace and reconciliation.*

- \* HYMN OF PRAISE “I Sing the Mighty Power of God” Hymn 288
- I sing the mighty power of God that made the mountains rise; that spread the flowing seas abroad and built the lofty skies. I sing the wisdom that ordained the sun to rule the day; the moon shines full at God’s command, and all the stars obey.**

### WELCOME AND LIFE OF THE CHURCH

*Please fill out and pass the black Friendship Pad found in the pews.*

## HEARING THE WORD

- TIME WITH CHILDREN Stephanie Arnold Workman
- After Time with Children, parents of preschool children ages three and four years old (and five year olds not yet in kindergarten) may take their children downstairs to Room M9 for Childcare. All other children may return to their families.*

### RESPONSE “In the Lord I’ll Be Ever Thankful” Hymn 2195



In the Lord I'll be ev - er thank - ful, in the Lord I will re -  
joice! Look to God, do not be a - fraid. Lift up your  
voic - es, the Lord is near, lift up your voic - es, the Lord is near.

### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

- GOSPEL LESSON Matthew 5:13-20 NT page 4
- Leader: The Word of the Lord.
- People: Thanks be to God.**

- MUSICAL PROCLAMATION T. Tallis
- “If Ye Love Me, Keep My Commandments”  
Chancel Choir
- If ye love me, keep my commandments, and I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another comforter, that he may abide with you forever, ev’n the sp’rit of truth.*

- OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Psalm 119:1-8 OT page 566
- Leader: The Word of the Lord.
- People: Thanks be to God.**

- SERMON “What’s to Love About the Law ?” Jody Welker

## RESPONDING TO THE WORD

- \* HYMN 327 “O Word of God Incarnate” MUNICH
- \* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles’ Creed (traditional)
- I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

### THE WORSHIP OF GOD WITH OUR MATERIAL GIFTS

*One does not give to a church, but rather to God. We give through the church for the work of God’s kingdom.*

### Offering Sentences

### Musical Offering

- \* Response Hymn 414 FOREST GREEN
- “As Those of Old Their Firstfruits Brought”**
- With gratitude and humble trust we bring our best to You, not just to serve Your cause, but share Your love with neighbors too. O God who gave Yourself to us in Jesus Christ Your Son, help us to give ourselves each day until life’s work is done.**

- \* Consecration of Offerings

### JOYS AND CONCERNS

*The Kirk is a Stephen Ministry congregation. If you would like to discuss a personal prayer concern with a Stephen Minister or have one pray with you, simply stop by the Library (across from the church office) after the service. Stephen Minister Mary Droessler will be there this Sunday for prayer.*

### TIME FOR SILENT PRAYER

Music for Prayerful Meditation Reflection on “FOREST GREEN”  
Terri Fleming, violin arr. K. Hildebrand

*Please remember our youth and youth advisors as they participate in and travel for the Winter Retreat.*

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*The prayers conclude with the Lord’s Prayer: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.*

## BEARING THE WORD IN THE WORLD

- \* HYMN 282 “If Thou but Trust in God to Guide Thee” WER NUN DEN LIEBEN GOTT

\* CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\* BENEDICTION RESPONSE "Go Now in Peace"  
Chancel Choir

\* POSTLUDE "O Word of God Incarnate" F. Peeters

† Ushers will seat late arrivals. \* All who are able, please stand.

### WORSHIP NOTES

Head Usher: Dan Russell  
Liturgist: Stephanie Arnold Workman  
Lector: Mandy Ritter

The candles at the front of the Sanctuary symbolize Jesus Christ, the light of the world. One candle represents the divine nature of Christ and the other candle represents the human nature of Christ.

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### STAFF AND CONTACT INFORMATION



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### SESSION MEMBERS

The Session of the Kirk is the governing board comprised of Elders elected by the congregation. Please contact these persons with questions about aspects of the life and ministries of the Kirk.

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#### The Kirk Cares

**For pastoral care:** To notify the church of illness, hospitalization, or death or to pass along a prayer request, please contact a pastor or the church office.

**For a Stephen Minister:** If you are in need of confidential Christian caring when dealing with a life challenge, contact Kathy White (919-460-8089).

**For a Caregiver:** If you find yourself in need of help (meals, transportation, visits, etc.) due to an unexpected illness or situation in your life, contact the church office (919-467-4944).

## Service of the Lord's Day

February 16, 2014

11:00 a.m.



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Joyfully Serving*