

***Postlude**

Amazing Grace

Arr. John Carter

Serving in Worship Today

Rev. Ann Marie Quigley-Swanson

Karen Ragsdale, Liturgist

Mary Beth Thomas, Chancel Choir Director

Lynne Puckett, Organist

ANNOUNCEMENTS



**St. Mark Presbyterian Church
Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost
September 1, 2024**

Prelude

Amazing Grace

Arr. Cindy Berry

Lynne Puckett

Welcome

Rev. Ann Marie Quigley-Swanson

Congregational Life

Introit

Come, Christians Join to Sing

Arr. Stan Pethel

Chancel Choir

***Call to Worship**

One: Who are we?

All: We are God's.

One: Who are we?

All: We are God's beloved.

One: Who are we?

All: We are God's beloved children.

One: Who are we?

All: We are God's beloved children saved by our risen Lord!

Karen Ragsdale

***Hymn #238**

Thine Is the Glory

***Confession**

Call to Confession

Unison Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

Silent Confession

Sung Petition (vs 2) #441 Hear the Good News of Salvation

Assurance of Pardon

***Response**

#581

*Glory Be to the Father
(Gloria Patri)*

***Sharing the Peace of Christ**

Presentation of Third Grade Bibles

Anthem *Revive Us Again with Jesus Saves*
Arr. Patti Drennan

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading First Corinthians 15:1-11

Sermon Rev. Ann Marie Quigley-Swanson
Who We Are: Christian

***Affirmation of Faith**

The Apostles' Creed

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.

***Hymn of Response # 275**

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

Offering

Call for the Offering

Offertory *Amazing Grace*
Arr. Jerry Ray

Communion

Invitation to the Table

Great Thanksgiving

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And, also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Lord's Prayer

Words of Institution

Communion of the People

***Closing Hymn # 634**

To God Be the Glory

***Benediction**