9:00 a.m. Devotional Service July 17, 2022

Welcome to the 9:00 a.m. Devotional Service. Together, may we rejoice and give thanks for God's loving grace in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Welcome and Life in the Community

\*Hymn 409 *God Is Here* 

ABBOT'S LEIGH

\*Expressing Our Joy

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.

People: Worship the Lord with gladness; come into God's presence with singing.

Leader: Know that the Lord is God.

People: It is God that made us, and we are his; we are God's people, and the sheep of his pasture

Leader: Enter God's gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise.

People: Give thanks to God; bless his name!

*Leader: For the Lord is good;* 

**People:** God's steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations. Leader: May the Lord be with you. (Psalm 100)

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us pray. (Congregation seated.)

Prayer of Trust and Confidence

Invitation to Self-Examination and Confession of our Need for God's Forgiveness (unison)

Merciful God, you pardon all who truly repent and turn to you. We humbly confess our sin and ask your forgiveness. We have not loved you with a pure heart, nor have we loved our neighbor as ourselves. We have not done justice, loved kindness, or walked humbly with you, our God. In your loving-kindness, have mercy on us. Create in us a clean heart and renew a right spirit within us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation and sustain us with your bountiful Spirit.

Time of Silence and Personal Confession

The Assurance of Forgiveness

Psalm 23 (NRSV) [You will find the text on page 474-475 in the pew Bible.]

Acts 11:21-26 (NRSV) [You will find the text on page 122 in the pew Bible.]

Sermon *Psalm 23: "My Cup Overflows"* 

The Rev. Vance E. Polley

Ministry of Prayer [Text prayer requests to: (843) 437-4239]

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\*At the Presentation

Doxology (No. 606)

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Prayer of Dedication, concluding 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.

\*Hymn 703

Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me

ST. CATHERINE

<sup>\*</sup>Blessing

<sup>\*</sup>Going Out into the World

<sup>\*</sup>All those who are able, please stand.