



Madison, South Dakota

16th Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, September 25, 2022

Commemoration of Henri Nouwen

PRELUDE "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" *Nettleton, arr. Kosnik*

WELCOME AND GREETINGS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

GATHERING HYMN "O Day Full of Grace" #627

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

FIRST READING Proverbs 3:1–7

My child, do not forget my teaching,
but let your heart keep my commandments;
²for length of days and years of life
and abundant welfare they will give you.

³Do not let loyalty and faithfulness forsake you;
bind them round your neck,
write them on the tablet of your heart.

⁴So you will find favor and good repute
in the sight of God and of people.

⁵Trust in the LORD with all your heart,
and do not rely on your own insight.

⁶In all your ways acknowledge him,
and he will make straight your paths.

⁷Do not be wise in your own eyes;
fear the LORD, and turn away from evil.

L: The word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

SECOND READING

1 Corinthians 3:5–11

What then is Apollos? What is Paul? Servants through whom you came to believe, as the Lord assigned to each. ⁶I planted, Apollos watered, but God gave the growth. ⁷So neither the one who plants nor the one who waters is anything, but only God who gives the growth. ⁸The one who plants and the one who waters have a common purpose, and each will receive wages according to the labor of each. ⁹For we are God's servants, working together; you are God's field, God's building.

¹⁰According to the grace of God given to me, like a skilled master builder I laid a foundation, and someone else is building on it. Each builder must choose with care how to build on it. ¹¹For no one can lay any foundation other than the one that has been laid; that foundation is Jesus Christ.

L: The word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (*Stand*)

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GOSPEL

Matthew 13:47–52

P: The Holy Gospel... **C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

'Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was thrown into the sea and caught fish of every kind; ⁴⁸when it was full, they drew it ashore, sat down, and put the good into baskets but threw out the bad. ⁴⁹So it will be at the end of the age. The angels will come out and separate the evil from the righteous ⁵⁰and throw them into the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

⁵¹'Have you understood all this?' They answered, 'Yes.' ⁵²And he said to them, 'Therefore every scribe who has been trained for the kingdom of heaven is like the master of a household who brings out of his treasure what is new and what is old.'

P: The Gospel of the Lord. **C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Dcn. Koren Lindley

MESSAGE

Rev. Steven Lindley

HYMN OF THE DAY

"When the Poor Ones"

#725

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PEACE

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

OFFERING

"Look What God Is Doing"

**Chapel Choir
Mary Hunter, accompanist**

OFFERING PRAYER

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

BLESSING

ANNOUNCEMENTS & MISSION OPPORTUNITIES

SENDING HYMN

"Built on a Rock"

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DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

"Let All Who Have Breath Praise the Lord"

by Douglas Wagner