

WE HAVE GATHERED AS A FAMILY OF FAITH

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost † Communion Sunday

August 1, 2010

8:00 a.m.

The Church at Litchfield Park, aspiring to be as inclusive as the love of God, welcomes everyone who comes to the doors of this House of Prayer for all People.



CHIMES

WELCOME

PRELUDE

“Arioso”

Bach

† HYMN

“Fairest Lord Jesus”
(Verses 1 and 4)

No. 87

SCRIPTURE READING

Ephesians 2:4-8

SERMON

“A Letter to Ken”

Rev. Dale L. Hopely, Jr.

† HYMN

“Just as I Am”
(Verses 1 and 4)

No. 488

INVITATION TO THE LORD’S TABLE

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

All of God’s people are invited to the Lord’s table — member and visitor alike. It is our custom to wait for all communicants to be served and then to eat and drink together as a family of faith. The inner rings of each tray contain sacramental wine and the outside ring of each tray contains grape juice.

PASTORAL PRAYER

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.

SHARING OF THE ELEMENTS

OFFERTORY

“Immortal, Invisible”
Mary Wilkening, Cello and Barbara Kolar, Piano

arr. Taranto

† “DOXOLOGY”

No. 815

♣ “MAKE ME A BLESSING” (Verse 2)

No. 670

Tell the sweet story of Christ and His love; tell of His pow’r to forgive. Others will trust Him if only you prove True every moment you live. Make me a blessing; make me a blessing. Out of my life may Jesus shine. Make me a blessing, O Savior, I pray. Make me a blessing to someone today.

♣ BENEDECTION

♣ POSTLUDE

“Toccata in D Minor”

Nevin

♣ CONGREGATION PLEASE STAND (AS YOU ARE ABLE)

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EPHESIANS 2:4-8

“Because of God’s great love for us, God who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions—it is by grace you have been saved. And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus in order that in the coming ages he might show the incomparable riches of his grace, expressed in his kindness to us in Christ Jesus. For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast.”



For by
GRACE
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through
FAITH ...
it is the gift
of **GOD ...**

Ephesians 2:8, NRSV

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CHIMES

WELCOME, REGISTRATION and ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

“Arioso”

Bach

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT

✠ CALL TO WORSHIP

L: We have gathered together today to celebrate God’s immense love for us demonstrated in Christ.

P: The life of Jesus demonstrated to all people the lengths to which God would go to express that love.

L: We have been called to live for God, not as a means to gain God’s favor, but in response to the love God has freely lavished upon us.

P: Let us set aside our own efforts to gain God’s attention and love, realizing that God’s love is not a product of what we have earned but rather a product of God’s grace. Amen.

✠ HYMN

“Fairest Lord Jesus”

No. 87

CONFESSION OF THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: (In Unison)

Lord God, we confess we find it hard to believe that you could love all people, even those who have done terrible things. Yet, your grace teaches us that your love knows no boundaries. We confess that we often look at other’s lives and judge them in an attempt to prove we are better and somehow more deserving of your love. We know, however, that your love is not something we can earn; it is a free gift to all who will receive it. Help us to trust more completely in your love for us and less in our own efforts to gain that love. Remind us that we do not need to fear your wrath; rather we need to embrace your love. Open our hearts, fill us with your love, and comfort us with your presence. In Christ Jesus we pray. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC

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arr. Taranto

Mary Wilkening, Cello and Barbara Kolar Piano

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SERMON

“A Letter to Ken”

Rev. Dale L. Hopely, Jr.

✠HYMN

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L: The Lord be with you.

P: **And also with you.**

L: Lift up your hearts,

P: **We lift them unto the Lord.**

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SHARING OF THE ELEMENTS

OFFERTORY

“In the Garden”

Miles

✠“DOXOLOGY”

No. 815

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Contemporary Worship Service

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PRELUDE

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAISE IN SONG

“Hallelujah”
“A Mighty Fortress”
“More Love, More Power”

SCRIPTURE READING

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MESSAGE

“A Letter to Ken”

Rev. Dale L. Hopely, Jr.

COMMUNION

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SHARING OF THE ELEMENTS

COMMUNION SONG

OFFERTORY

“I Belong”

Karla Cornell

PRAISE IN SONG

“Awesome is the Lord Most High”

BENEDICTION

Assisting in worship today

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| SENIOR PASTOR | | Rev. Dale L. Hopely, Jr. |
| EXECUTIVE PASTOR | | Rev. Jim Butler |
| ORGANIST | | Barbara Kolar |
| CONTEMPORARY MUSIC DIRECTOR | | Amy Burns |
| LITURGIST | 9:15 a.m. | Justin Greene |
| USHERS | 8:00 a.m. | .Mike & Robyn Harris, Russ & Dianna Morrow |
| | 9:15 a.m. | Pam Justice, Coral Lewis, Scott & Gwynn Henline Harold & Barbara Porter, Ned & Linda Hannah |
| | 10:30 a.m. | .Ted & Sarah Pearson, Stu & Mary Wilkening, Mike & Dawn Hudnutt |
| ACOLYTES | 9:15 a.m. | Caitlyn Bumann, Healishia Downing |
| NURSERY | 8:00 a.m. | Chris Benoit, Carly Bennett |
| | 9:15 a.m. | Chris Benoit, Carly Bennett, Mike & Dusty Perez |
| | 10:30 a.m. | Chris Benoit, Carly Bennett |



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