

“Setting the Record Straight”



Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

July 24, 2022

9:00 am

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SERVICE OF WORSHIP

WELCOME

PRELUDE

*CALL TO WORSHIP Pastor JD

Leader: Show us your steadfast love, O Lord, and grant us your salvation.

People: The Lord will speak peace to the faithful, to those who turn to God in their hearts.

Leader: Surely salvation is at hand for those who fear the Lord, and God's glory will dwell in our land.

*INVOCATION (in unison) Pastor JD

Holy God, you are our faithful lover, our generous parent, our patient teacher, our constant friend.

We live by the hope of your promises, seek to follow your way, and rely on the gift of your Spirit, by whose power we breathe, and move, and pray. Amen.

*OPENING HYMN # 16
"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

MORNING PRAYER

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us pray.

LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

CONTEMPORARY SONG "Mighty to Save"

SCRIPTURE Colossians 2: 6-15 (*NRSV*) Pastor Mary

SERMON "Setting the Record Straight" Pastor Mary

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING Pastor JD

As we wait for the coming of God's good reign, we answer the invitation to take part in God's work, bringing our tithes and offerings with joyful gratitude.

OFFERTORY "All the Earth Will Sing Your Praises"
(Baloche)

*RESPONSE "Doxology" # 621

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING (in unison) Pastor JD

Lord, you are the giver of every good gift. Accept these offerings we pray, that through them we may do justice, and love kindness, and walk humbly with you, our Sovereign and our God.

*CLOSING HYMN # 602

"O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE