

WE GO IN GOD'S NAME

*Hymn: "Breath on Me, Breath of God"

Hymnal #286

*Benediction

*Postlude



Gratitude is expressed for the life of Miguel Valdez, Jr. (7/15/17) and sympathy to his sister, brother-in-law and nieces, Hilda, Ralph, Stephanie, Sandra, Michelle Gutierrez and family.

We remember in our prayers our military, law enforcement, firefighters, and others whose vocation calls them to stand in harm's way; our global partners Silas and Zoe, and the Simants family; God, Jesus, family, life and the cross (requested by Andrew Field); Mom, Dad, God, and Nana (requested by Thomas Donaldson).

July 23, 2017
Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

An asterisk indicates places where the congregation should stand, as able. **Bold text indicates words spoken together in unison.*

Prelude

Chiming of the Hour *WESTMINSTER*

Welcome & Opening Prayer

*Hymn: "Be Thou My Vision" *Hymnal #450*

*Prayer of Confession

Eternal God, our judge and redeemer, we confess that we have tried to hide from you, for we have done wrong. We have lived for ourselves, and apart from you. We have turned from our neighbors, and refused to bear the burdens of others. We have ignored the pain of the world, and passed by the hungry, the poor, and the oppressed. In your great mercy forgive our sins and free us from selfishness, that we may choose your will and obey your commandments, through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

*Words of Forgiveness & Passing of the Peace

You are invited to turn and greet your neighbors, saying "May the peace of Christ be with you."

*Response: "Glory Be to the Father" *Hymnal #581*

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Anthem: "The Water Is Wide" *Betty Ware*
(French Horn Soloist)

Scripture Reading: James 2:1-26 *New Testament, page 229*

Sermon: "James 2: Wisdom from Above" *Pastor Neal Locke*

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer *Hymnal, page 35*

Tithes & Offerings: "I Love To Tell The Story" *Kate Hankey*
(Adult Hand Bells)

*Response: "Doxology" *Hymnal #606*

*Affirmation of Faith: "The Apostles' Creed" *Hymnal, page 35*