

MAYFLOWER CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
A SERVICE OF MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, May 21, 2023, 10:30 a.m.

Seventh Sunday of Easter
Service of Baptism

Welcome and Greeting - Pastor Mark

Prelude: "Prelude and Etude for Handbells" (Eugene Butler) - Barb/Mayflower Ringers

Opening Sentences - Gretta

Hymn 490: "This Is Our Church" - DeeAnn et al.

Opening Prayer - Gretta

Reflections from Our Music Director - Barb

Special Music: "Twelve Gates Into the City" (Spiritual, arr. Larry Shackley) - Barb/DeeAnn/Choir

Giving and Receiving of Our Gifts - Pastor Mark

Doxology - DeeAnn

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer (using debts and debtors) - Pastor Mark

Gospel Reading: John 17:1-11 - DeeAnn

After Jesus had spoken these words, he looked up to heaven and said, 'Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son so that the Son may glorify you, since you have given him authority over all people, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. And this is eternal life, that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. I glorified you on earth by finishing the work that you gave me to do. So now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had in your presence before the world existed. 'I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one.

Sermon: "CONFIDENCE IN FRIENDSHIP" - Pastor Mark

Service of Baptism: David Mandra

Hymn: "Concertato on 'All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name'" (arr. Hal H. Hopson) - DeeAnn et al.

(The congregation joins on verses 1, 2, and 4 – watch for cues; choir only on verse 3)

Benediction - Pastor Mark

Benediction Response 153: "Siyahamba / We Are Marching" - DeeAnn et al.

1) We are marching in the light of God, we are marching in the light of God. We are marching in the light of God, we are marching in the light of God. We are marching, Oo, we are marching in the light of God. We are marching, Oo, we are marching in the light of God. 2) We are praying in the light of God. . . 3) We are dancing in the light of God. . . 4) We are singing in the light of God. . .

Greet One Another - All

Participants: Pastor Mark & DeeAnn McCormick, Barb Fuller, Gretta Delaney,
Kim Finison, Chancel Choir, Mayflower Ringers

Unison

1. This is our church, we stud - y with - out cease
 2. This is our church, its wor - ship we at - tend.
 3. This is our church, in Christ's true love we see
 4. This is our church, in this world we de - light,

How we may dwell in u - ni - ty and peace.
 The liv - ing Christ is pres - ent as our friend,
 Sis - ters and bro - thers dwell in u - ni - ty.
 To no - bly serve God by an up - right life.

Lord, grant that we may grow in pu - ri - ty, And
 As we are fed the ho - ly wine and bread, And
 Al - ways may we in Chris - tian cov - 'nant be With
 Thus hon - or show the One who loves us so, By

guard the well - be - ing we re - ceive from Thee.
 bap - tize be - liev - ers, as our Sav - ior said.
 God our Re - deem - er, in com - mu - ni - ty.
 serv - ing our neigh - bors, as through life we go.

"He," "Him," or "His" may be replaced by "God(s)" or "You(r)."

SINE NOMINE
 10.10.10.11

1. All hail the pow'r of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros - trate
 2. Crown Him, ye mar - tyrs of our God, Who from His al - tar
 3. Ye seed of Is - rael's cho - sen race, Ye ran - somed of the
 4. Let ev - 'ry kin - dred, ev - 'ry tribe, On this ter - res - trial
 5. O that, with yon - der sa - cred throng, We at His feet may

fall; Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, And
 call; Ex - tol the stem of Jes - se's rod, And
 fall, Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And
 ball, To Him all maj - es - ty as - cribe, And
 fall; We'll join the ev - er - last - ing song, And

crown Him Lord of all. Bring forth the roy - al
 crown Him Lord of all. Ex - tol the stem of
 crown Him Lord of all. Hail Him who saves you
 crown Him Lord of all. To Him all maj - es -
 crown Him Lord of all. We'll join the ev - er -

di - a - dem, And crown Him Lord of all.
 Jes - se's rod, And crown Him Lord of all.
 by His grace, And crown Him Lord of all.
 ty as - cribe, And crown Him Lord of all.
 last - ing song, And crown Him Lord of all. A - men.