

Order of Worship
Thursday, January 26, 1995
Rev Dennis Dewey, Biblical Storyteller
The Rev Dr Gayle Felton

Prelude

Call to Worship

The Prologue

*Hymn "O Word of God Incarnate" (to the tune: AURELIA as found on #545)
Stanzas 1, 3 Dennis Dewey, 1993
Stanza 2 William How, 1867, alt.

- 1 O Word of God Incarnate, O Light of Humankind,
Come teach us how to love with our heart and soul and mind.
For in your breath of Spirit we gather here today
To hear and share the stories that lead us in the Way.
2. O Word of God Incarnate, O Human and Divine,
O Light of Life most holy, that in the dark does shine,
We praise you for the radiance that from your story flows,
The light that guides our footsteps, the light that in us glows.
3. O Word come dwell among us, our life and faith refresh,
And let your story live and your gospel truth take flesh,
That as your storied people, we may become aware
How God so loved the world, and this good news gladly share!

Stories from John

Wedding at Cana
Cleansing of the Temple
Nicodemus

Confession of Sin

Assurance of Forgiveness

*Gloria Patri #71

Stories from John

The Man Born Blind

Prayers of the People

Stories from John

The Crucifixion

The Lord's Supper

The Resurrection Appearance

*Hymn "I Love to Tell the Story"
Stanza 1, A. Catherine Hankey 1834-1911
Stanza 2, Dennis Dewey 1993

- 1 I love to tell the story of unseen things above,
Of Jesus and his glory, of Jesus and his love.
I love to tell the story because I know it's true;
It satisfies my longings as nothing else can do.
I love to tell the story. 'Twill be my theme in glory
To tell the old, old story of Jesus and his love.
2. I love to tell the story; the story changes things.
It challenges the powers; it whispers, thunders, sings!
It births the holy presence in moments of surprise,
And heals, empowers and strengthens: it opens ears and eyes!
I love to tell the story, the story of God's glory
Because it is a story of justice, peace and love!

*Benediction

*Postlude

CEF WEEK

Thursday

- 11:00 a.m. Worship in York Chapel
Rev Dennis Dewey and The Rev Dr Gayle Felton
- 7:00 p.m. Final two-hour instructional workshop on the art of Biblical
storytelling in Rm 002