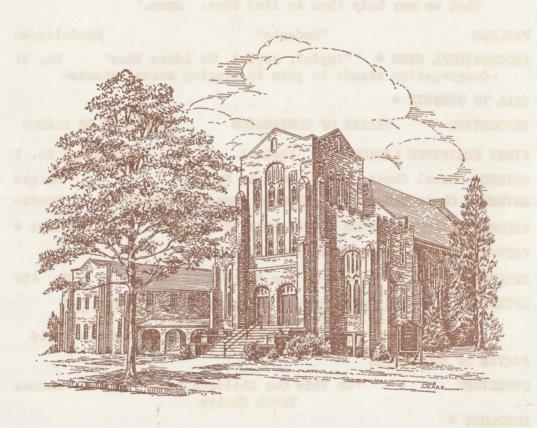
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"A Friendly Community Church"



God make the door of this House wide enough to receive all who need human love, friendship, and the Father's care; and narrow enough to shut out all pride, envy and hatred. Make its threshold smooth enough for the feet of little children and rugged enough to call forth our mature powers.

AN ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP ELEVEN O'CLOCK SUNDAY MAY 17, 1959

LET US WORSHIP GOD

"Good Shepherd, who doth carry the lambs in Thine arms, give to us Thy Spirit that we may understand the young in years. Help us to be patient, tender, sincere and firm, that we may live in such harmony with our children that we may help them to find Thee. Amen."

PRELUDE

"Andante"

Mendelssohn

PROCESSIONAL HYMN * "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" No. 21 -Congregation stands to join in singing second stanza-

CALL TO WORSHIP *

INVOCATION PRAYER OF CONFESSION ASSURANCE OF PARDON

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON

Psalm 1

Selection No. 1

ANTHEM - Carol Choir

"God is Here"

Morgan

ANTHEM - Choir School

"Battle Hymn of Republic"

Steffe

SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON THE APOSTLES' CREED * GLORIA PATRI *

PASTORAL PRAYER and Lord's Prayer

CHILDREN'S HYMN "Tell Me the Stories of Jesus" No. 459

OFFERING

Let us make our offering unto Almighty God "To do good and to distribute, forget not; for with such sacrifices God is well pleased." Hebrews 13:16

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

OFFERTORY "On This Our Children's Day" Barnes Youth Choirs

DOXOLOGY *

SERMON

"TOMORROW'S CHILDREN"

The Minister

BENEDICTION and Choral Response

POSTLUDE

^{*} Congregation will stand

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

Given in loving memory of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Baucome by Miss Madge Baucome.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

To "Uncle" John L. Kirkland, Sr. who celebrated his 88th Birthday on Thursday, May 14th. Mr. Kirkland is a Charter member of this Church and a life member of the Session.

ON THE ENCLOSED INSERT will be found the name of Mr. James Echels who receives his B.D. degree from Union Theological Seminary this week and will be ordained and installed in Baltimore Presbytery. Mr. Echels is a member of our Church, and our prayers go with him into his work in the Christian ministry.

A SINCERE CHRISTIAN WELCOME to Mr. & Mrs. Robert P. Higgins, 1409 Green Street, who were received into the membership of our Church last Sunday.

THE SACRAMENT OF INFANT BAPTISM was administered last Sunday to Kathryn Lynn Dryden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dryden.

THIS WEEK (May 17-24) IS THE WEEK OF PRAYER AND SELF-DENIAL FOR CHURCH EXTENSION. A <u>Prayer Guide</u> for this week is given by the Women of the Church. Envelopes for your contribution today or next Sunday are in the pew racks.

THE MINISTER AND THE AREA WORKER attended the meeting of the Christian Education Committee of the Synod in Raleigh last week.

WE WISH TO THANK THE MEMBERS OF OUR CAROL CHOIR AND CHOIR SCHOOL for taking part in our Service of Worship this morning. Appreciation also to our Director of Music, the Choir Mothers and members of the Youth Choirs for their fine work and cooperation during the past year.

TO OUR VISITORS

We are happy to have you worship with us today and invite you to fill out one of the visitors' cards in the pew racks.

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