

# **Home Bulletin**

October 17, 2021 Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Prelude** 

<u>Introit</u>

"Lead Me, Guide Me"

Andy Glynn CTC Vocalists

#### Welcome and Announcements

## Call To Worship-Responsive From Psalm 104

Pastor: Bless the LORD, O my soul; O LORD my God, how excellent is your greatness! you are clothed with majesty and splendor.

# All: You wrap yourself with light as with a cloak and spread out the heavens like a curtain.

Pastor: You lay the beams of your chambers in the waters above; you make the clouds your chariot; you ride on the wings of the wind.

# All: You make the winds your messengers and flames of fire your servants.

Pastor: You have set the earth upon its foundations, so that it never shall move at any time.

All: You covered it with the deep as with a mantle; the waters stood higher than the mountains. At your rebuke they fled; at the voice of your thunder they hastened away.

Pastor: They went up into the hills and down to the valleys beneath, to the places you had appointed for them.

# All: You set the limits that they should not pass; they shall not again cover the earth.

Pastor: O LORD, how manifold are your works! in wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.

All: Bless the LORD, O my soul. Hallelujah!

God of majesty, we are constantly surrounded by your gifts and touched by your grace; our words of praise do not approach the wonders of your love. Send forth your Spirit, that our lives may be refreshed and the whole world may be renewed, in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

<u>Hymn</u>

"Jesu, Jesu" Verses 1-2-3 & 4

Call to Confession

# Prayer of Confession

Unison: We pray for forgiveness this day. For choosing power over service, forgive us. For seeking glory rather than humility, forgive us. For pushing ourselves to the front, when our presence is needed on the sidelines, forgive us. Help us know where we are needed and how best to serve you and your people. Guide us to your side, that we might be your hands of healing and compassion for a world in need. In Christ's name, we pray. Amen.



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# Time of Silence for Personal Prayers of Confession

#### Assurance of Pardon

<u>Gloria</u>

#### Prayer for Illumination

# <u>1<sup>st</sup> Scripture Reading</u> Job 38:1-7

"Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? Gird up your loins like a man, I will question you, and you shall declare to me.

"Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth?

Tell me, if you have understanding.

Who determined its measurements—surely you know!

Or who stretched the line upon it?

On what were its bases sunk,

or who laid its cornerstone

when the morning stars sang together

and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?

# 2<sup>nd</sup> Scripture Reading Mark 10:35-45

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." And he said to them, "What is it you want me to do for you?" And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory." But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?" They replied, "We are able." Then Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared."

When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many."



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<u>Sermon</u>

Pastor Jane Young

**Affirmation of Faith** 

**Apostles' Creed** 

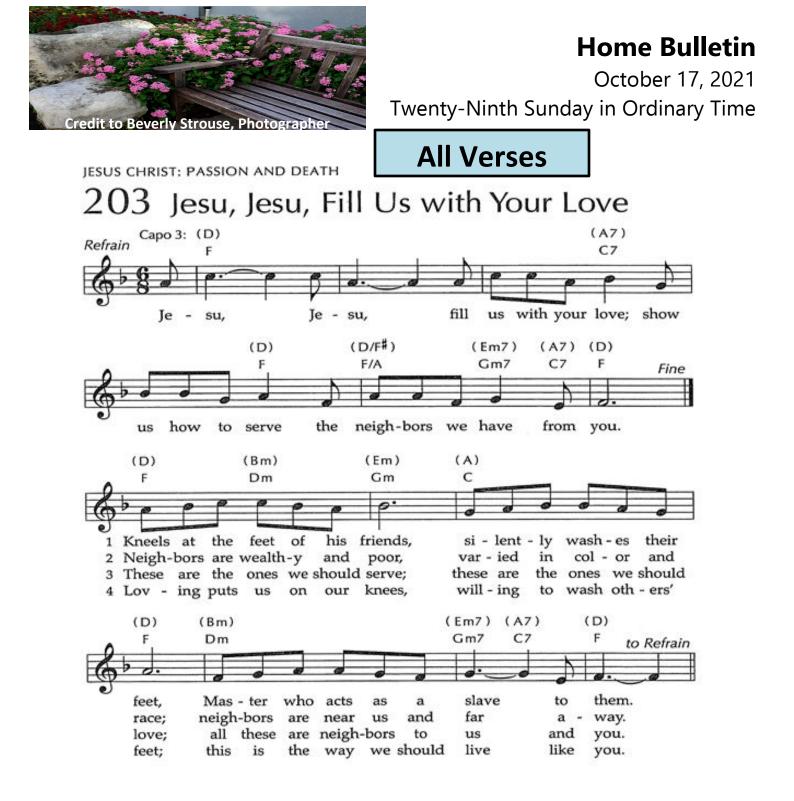
Unison: I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

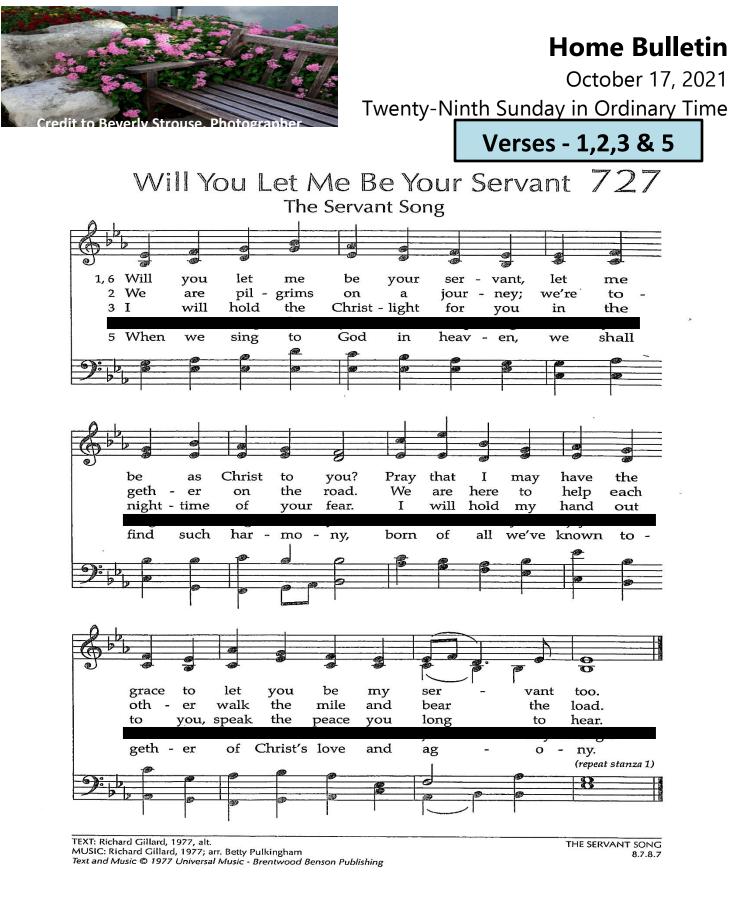
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy Catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer	
Call to Offering	
Prayer of Dedication	
<u>Doxology</u>	
Hymn	" Will You Let Me Be Your Servant" Verses 1-2-3 & 5
Charge and Benediction	
<u>Postlude</u>	

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